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The spotlight's on Les Paul and Mary Ford receiving their award from Glenn Wallichs, president of Capitol Records, for winning *The Cash Box* Poll as the best small instrumental group of 1951. The insert pictures them in an appropriate setting for their latest hit "Tiger Rag". The sensational pair, who sold more than 6,000,000 records last year, seem ready to do even better this year.

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To Overcome Scarcities and High Prices New Equipment Should Be

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Developed To Boom Play And Assure Industry's Growth

"This industry definitely needs something entirely new and different."

Everyone has heard that statement. And heard it again and again. And again.

What's more, it's true.

(EDITORIAL)

Yes, this industry does need something entirely new.

It needs something that was just as different as the first popular priced pinball game.

Something that was as new and different as the old, old "Whirlwind" counter game that Howard Peo introduced.

It is up to the operators themselves to help bring into being this new product.

An entirely new entertainment. The result of the entertainments now in the field. This is long past due.

The shuffle game was new. Entirely new. It boomed business. It has opened much closed territory. It's still going strong.

There are enough ingenious engineering minds in the industry to bring about that new product.

Especially now with the critical metals growing more scarce by the week. With clamp-down after clamp-down under way. With the possibility that there just won't be anything new soon at all.

And, what's even more important for all the field, the fact that whatever is now on the market has been redeveloped and reengineered and retooled to such a point that prices are going higher and higher and higher, somewhere into the blue, blue skies above.

A new, economically priced product. Just like the first pinball games. Just like the first shuffle game. Just like the "Whirlwind" is long overdue.

Such a product would not only help the entire industry. Would not only bring in much, much new blood, to boom the growth of this business. But, it would, at the very same time, bring about a more progressive, more solid, more substantial business, for all those now engaged in this field.

And, what's even more important,

it would make a million dollars for whomsoever brings that entirely new and different product to market.

February 23, 1952

The operator who put the first pistachio nuts into a bulk vending machine revived an entire industry.

The man who first thought of the whirling ball spinning into a score cup -probably Howard Peo—and his "Whirlwind" game—revived the games field.

The men who came up "Bingo," the first popular priced pinball game, featuring 10 balls for 1c, also had their part in pushing this business into an entirely newer and greater category than it had ever before enjoyed.

The fact that other products, like "Rocket," like Free Play, ticket games, like a hundred other things, including: flippers, bumpers, etc., etc., all had its share in helping this business to progress.

Lyn Durant's first "Shuffle Alley" started a new era. It's still with us. And still going strong.

The first completely automatic amplification unit, under the arm of the present Senator Homer E. Capehart, had much to do with the sudden boom of the music business. Just when the recording industry was at its lowest, low ebb.

Since then there have been developments on developments, but, nothing that's entirely new, different and, what's most important, low priced, as was the "Whirlwind," and the first pinball games: "Bingo," "Ballyhoo," "Goofy," "Five Star Final," "Silver Cup," "Bumper," and the many, many many others, too, too numerous to even mention.

The reel type counter games are lost to the industry because of the high license fees. But, these, too, had a share in bringing this field to newer and greater heights.

Yes, to overcome scarcities, to beat the critical materials situation, to continue this industry progressively, the ingenious engineering minds of the men now engaged in the field, must bring to the trade something entirely new, different and, low priced.

The Cash Box, Music



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February 23, 1952

The independent disk firms and smaller publishers have, in the past few months, established themselves as a major source of hit material for the pop market.

At no time in the recent history of the record business have so many hits and potential hits come out of left field. Records issued by small companies, tunes put out by even smaller publishers, are today competing forcefully with the products of the majors.

After a lapse of about a year, the star of the independents began to rise again when "Sin" and "Down Yonder," both put on the market by comparatively unknown labels, broke through to the top of the charts.

Since then, one sleeper after another has made it until now they are practically creating an avalanche. Rarely a week goes by when a disk on some independent label doesn't start making noise.

In the past month, such smashes as "Wheel Of Fortune," "Goodbye Sweetheart," "I Wanna Say Hello" and others have forged their way into the popularity lists. At least half a dozen more are currently making a determined bid to do the same with their chances of doing so considerably improved from what they would have been a year ago.

The possibility of creating hits through independents has always been recognized in the rhythm and blues and folk fields. But their current tremendous power in the pop field is a new phenomenon.

And, we might add, a healthy one.

It's a growing industry, an open one, an expanding one in which small firms can compete with major producers. It means that everyone engaged in the business must put forth his best efforts. The majors must do so because they are now competing not with just a limited number of other majors, but with a huge number of record producers, all of whom are capable of establishing smashes. The independents must do so because the possibilities for them are tremendous if they get a hit—and recent experience proves that they can.

The new importance of the independent record company is of special interest to the young artist, new writer and beginning publisher. Where the majors might be too difficult for them to break into, they can still get a hearing from the smaller firms. And now it no longer means that they will be lost in the shuffle if their record comes out on an unknown label. They know if the result is right and the record gets the proper exploitation, it can be as great a hit as any major disk.

From every angle, the resurgence of the independent is a happy thing. Even the majors recognize the worth and importance to them of a healthy, prosperous group of smaller companies operating in the field.

It means, first of all, greater promotion for the record business as a whole and therefore greater sales all around. It results too in a stronger interest among distributors in a market which can bring larger returns. And most importantly, it provides the majors with a testing ground through which the efforts of younger artists and newer writers can be submitted to the public.

It means, in short, a healthier, more prosperous industry for everyone.

The independent record producer has an opportunity now to establish himself as one of the most important factors in the business. By the very nature of his operation, he has a low overhead. He can afford to take a chance at little cost. He can make a larger profit than a major can on a smaller sale of records. He can give a sleeper individual attention, putting all his force and resources behind it alone, nursing it, bringing it along, giving it continuous personal attention. He can, in essence, create a hit, not in spite of, but because of his smallness and the concentration of his effortsas one after another has shown in recent weeks.

The independent disk manufacturers are now on the verge of establishing a new, stronger, more prosperous position for themselves in the record business. If they remain steady, level headed and resolved, they can fulfill tomorrow all of the promise they are showing today.

11) CHARMAINE. 12) UNDECIDED. 13) BERMUDA. 14) GARDEN IN THE RAIN. 15) COLD, COLD HEART. 16) BE MY LIFE'S COMPANION. 17) A KISS TO BUILD A DREAM ON. 18) JEALOUSY. 19) WHEEL OF FORTUNE. 20) UNFORGETTABLE. 21) I WANNA LOVE YOU. 22) TULIPS AND HEATHER. 23) BROKEN HEARTED. 24) I WANNA SAY HELLO. 25) STOLEN LOVE.



Art Tacker and Bill Stewart of WHEE, Boston, are both teaching radio courses at Emerson College, Art's Saturday afternoon rhythm and blues show has become a popular Hub feature. . . . Jack Downey (WONS-Hartford, Conn.) off on a Mexican vacation. . . . Alex Blake (WABY-Albany) hosted Mary Small during her upstate New York tour. . . . Arnold Lewis, recently of WFDR in N. Y.. has just joined the staff of WALK in Patchogue, L. I. . . . Jack Moore (KAKC-Tulsa) had Ralph Flanagan on his show in between the orchestra leader's band hops. . . . Murray Jordan (WLIB-New York) started a new show Monday thru Friday titled "Shoppers Can Win." . . . Eddie Chase (CKLW-Windsor, Ontario) combined business and pleasure on his recent trip to N.Y.

Art Bolin (WARM-Scranton, Pa.) celebrates his 3000 broadcast on Monday, February 18. Artists have taped greetings. . . . The Howie Leonard Show (WLAW-Boston) has just moved to a night time spot, Saturdays from 8 to



KAL ROSS WMGM-New York, N. Y.)

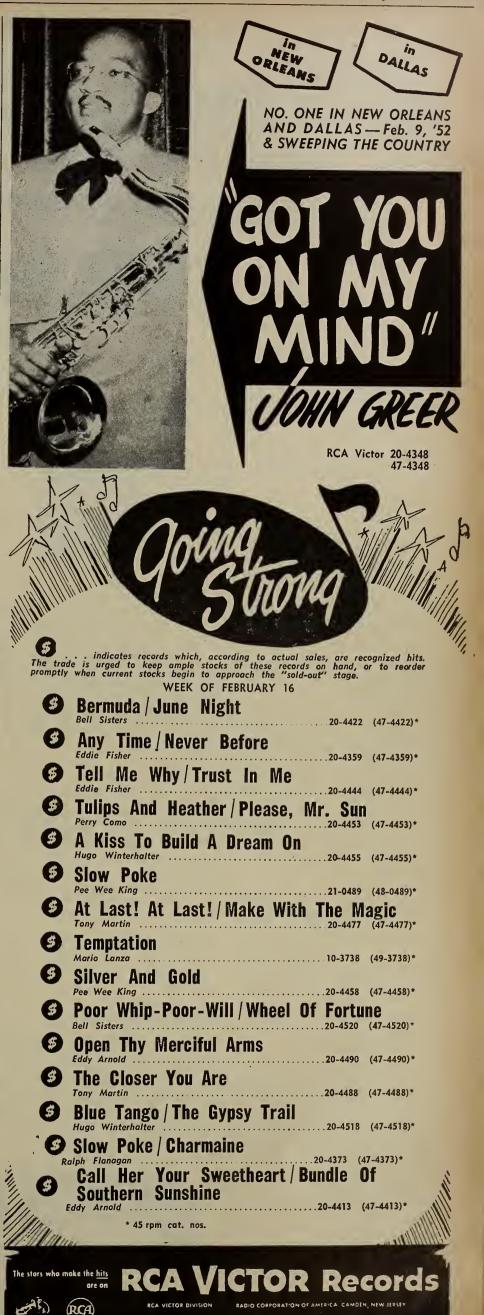
9:30 P.M. . . . Gene Whitaker (WREV-Reidsville, N. C.) uses the Top Ten Cash Box tunes on his "Club-DJ" show and then follows up with the remainder of the 25. On his "Record Panel" show he has juke box operators as his guests. ... Bob Wells marked his 7th anniversary on Buffalo's WEBR on Saturday. . . . The winner of the "Meet Danny Wilson" contest for Newark, which was conducted by Paul Brenner (WAAT), was Joe Valino who received \$125 wristwatch. . . . The midnight to dawn airwaves are loaded with chatter and recorded music these days. Lineup now has Barry Gray (WMCA), Classical Records (WNBC), Bill Williams (WJZ), Art Ford (WNEW) and Kal Ross (WMGM). Kal, by the way, has just been renewed for 13 weeks. . . Norm Prescott (WORL-Boston) sent a request

for 7500 pics of a top Columbia artist to Mitch Miller.

Donn Tibbetts (WKXL-Concord, N. H.) has just signed three young gals titled The Harmonettes to a personal management contract. The three girls are fourteen, fifteen and sixteen years old. Several record companies are now listening to the gals' possibilities. . . . Arnie Myers (WMCA-N. Y.) spending a two week vacation in Florida. . . . Don Allen, formerly of WEOA in Evans-

ville, is now with WBNL in Boonville, Indiana. Don features the Nation's Top Ten Tunes for an hour each Saturday afternoon. Norman Hall, program director

of the station, says that Columbia and Capitol service could be improved.



"It's What's in THE CASH BOX That Counts"



Records Considered Best Suited To The Requirements Of The Trade Are Reviewed On These Pages. Only

"OH! HOW MY HEART IS YEARNING" (2:28) "UH-UH SONG" (2:35) MARTY DRAKE & AL LOMBARDY ORCH. (Essex 301)

• A tearful waltz tempo ditty is sent on its way by Marty Drake, the Al Lombardy orchestra and the Great-Lombardy orchestra and the Great-Neckers chorus. The infectious tune may catch hold and ops oughta be ready. The under lid is a novelty waltz number that makes use of a repititious female "Uh-Uh." The group singing helps both decks im-measurably measurably.

"YOU WEREN'T THERE" (3:01) "YOU WILL NEVER GROW OLD" (2:46)

NAT "KING" COLE

(Capitol 1968; F-1968)

• An extremely attractive ballad is given a typically fine going over from Nat "King" Cole with the help of the Nelson Riddle orchestra. The chanter has himself a sleeper. The under half is another strong level that Nat sings to a waltz tempo while the band pre-sents a solid and unique mandolin backing. Our advice is to watch both lids.

"THE BRIDGE" (2:45) "FORGIVE ME" (2:33) TOMMY EDWARDS (MGM 11170; K11170)

 An expressive reading by Tommy Edwards of a beautiful melody pre-sents ops with a potent disk. The LeRoy Holmes orchestra sets up a flowing backdrop that could send this side soaring. Flip is a slow ballad that's made to sound ok via the vocal of Tommy. The big one is the top level and ops oughta get with it.

"I HEAR A RHAPSODY" (3:00) "AM I TO BLAME" (3:12) ARTHUR PRYSOCK

(Decca 27978; 9-27978)

 Here's one of the first coverages a pretty oldie that has been currently revived. Arthur Prysock offers a deep voiced rendition of the ballad while backed by the Sy Oliver aggre-gation. Again on the under siding Prysock takes hold of a fair ballad and winds up with a listenable end. The top tune is gonna get lots of play.

"ONE MORNING IN MAY" (2:58) "MAY I" (2:47) TOMMY DORSEY ORCHESTRA

(Decca 27973; 9-27973)

• A couple of stylized instrumentals are dished up by the Tommy Dorsey orchestra on this new waxing. The upper end is a slow, soothing number that offers some nice trombone play-ing. The under portion is an oldie that's also given a soft treatment by the band. Ops can choose from either deck.

"DARLENE" (3:04) "DREAMER'S CLOTH" (3:17) **DICK HAYMES**

(Decca 27980; 9-27980)

• Pleasant voiced Dick Haymes eases his way through a pleasing ballad with the help of the Nelson Riddle orchestra. Again on the under siding Dick has a slow and soft ballad that he delivers in top fashion. Dick's per-formance makes both lids listenable fare.



"PERFIDIA" (2:00) "YOU BROUGHT ME LOVE" (2:44)

FOUR ACES & AL ALBERTS (Decca 27987; 9-27987)

FOUR ACES

ning ways with another waxing that should climb to the top. The boys show off their fine vocal blend

"I GET ALONG WITHOUT YOU

"THE PURTIEST LITTLE TREE"

• An oldie is made to sound sweet

via the chirping of Evelyn Knight on

the top dish. The Eddie O'Neal crew

backs the end up musically. The

lower half is a cute folk item that's

carried with a happy, bouncy beat by

Evelyn and the orchestra. Ops might

• Two similar halves are presented

by Jeri Southern on this new coupling.

Both lids are done slowly to the soft

and expressive vocalizing of Jeri who

has the ability of giving added mean-

ing to a song. Sy Oliver and his or-

wanna take look at the two sides.

VERY WELL'' (3:00)

(2:24)

EVELYN KNIGHT

(Decca 27992; 9-27992)

NIGHT" (3:26)

(Decca 27989; 9-27989)

(3:10)

JERI SOUTHERN

with a sock interpretation of a zestful oldie. Labeled "Perfidia" this tune affords them the oppor-tunity of giving an all out effort that's gonna be heard over and over again. Al Alberts once again leads the group and turns in a wonderful performance. The lower level is a ballad that may also catch on. The boys put this tune in the vocal rendition that carries the melody to grand conclusion. The Aces get first rate backings on both decks. Ops who are currently en-joying the flow of coins from "Tell Me Why" are advised to get with this new one real fast. • Just about the hottest vocal combination in the country, the Four Aces, continues on its win-

Not to be overlooked is the Four Aces waxing of "Whose To Blame" and "Two Little Kisses" on the Flash label. Both are strong sides that could easily make it.

"ON MY WAY" (3:08) "HOUSE PARTY" (3:09) SY OLIVER ORCHESTRA (Decca 27991; 9-27991)

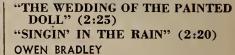
• The Sy Oliver rendition of a zestful spiritual deserves attention on the top level. The orchestra, vocal ensemble and the wonderful vocalizing of Lem Johnson add up to a hand-clapping rhythmic side. The lower half is a light jump instrumental. Ops oughta get with the top level; it should draw plenty of coin.

"IT'S BEEN A LONG, LONG TIME" (2:56)

"TOOK MY BABY FOR A BUGGY RIDE" (2:32)

(King 15138)

The upper platter finds Bob Vincent handling the lyrics to a slow, simple tune. Both vocal and melody are ok and the result is a listenable half. The under siding is a happy sounding affair and here Bob delivers the lyrics to a familiar tune with a cute presentation. Our guess is the



Coral 60601; 9-60601)

• Owen Bradley puts the organ and piano together and comes up with an interesting combination that belts out a jumpy item in a pleasant manner. The bottom dish is a slow oldie that exts the same treatment and the result is a soothing disk. Ops might make use of this one in the right spots.

"EVERYBODY WANTS TO GO TO HEAVEN" (2:51)

"I GOT THE SHINIEST MOUTH IN TOWN" (3:01)

BUTCH STONE AND LES BROWN ORCH. (Coral 60648; 9-60648)

Vocalist Butch Stone and the Les Brown orchestra collaborate on the top level and belt home a novelty jump tune. Butch injects lots of personal-ity into the lyrics while the band offers a strong backing. Flip is an in-teresting novelty 'bout a pair of gold teeth. Our nod goes to the first deck.

"MY DOLLY POLKA" (2:40) "JOLLY FIVE POLKA" (3:03) STEVE GARCHAR ORCHESTRA (Coral 60649; 9-60649)

• Two typical sounding happy polkas are belted out by the Steve Garchar orchestra. Steve handles the lyrics to the first end while the second half is strictly instrumental. Both lids feature some nice accordion playing that helps carry the upbeat. Ops in the right spots oughta look in.

"WOULD YOU" (2:44) "SINCE MY LOVE HAS GONE" (2:29)

RAY CURA (Mercury 5783; 5783 x 45)

• The top dish is a good ballad that Ray Cura croons in a slow soft man-ner. The tune is pleasant and Ray gets the most he can out of it. \mathbf{The} lower portion is a heavy ballad that Ray chants in a dramatic style. The orchestra gives the proper settings to both sides. Ops may be interested.

"PINKY" (2:50) "A MIRACLE HAPPENED" (2:39) SARAH VAUGHAN

(Columbia 39634; 4-39634)

Sarah Vaughan takes hold of a • Sarah Vaughan takes hold of a haunting melody from the picture "Pinky" and presents it in her own stylized vocal improvisations. No lyrics here. The bottom dish is an at-tractive ballad that the thrush turns out in top flight fashion. The material here is the best the artist has had in some time and ops oughta take advantage of it.

"SILVER AND GOLD" (2:15) "GOODBYE, SWEETHEART" (2:57) JACK HASKELL

(Coral 60652; 9-60652)

• Here's another coverage waxing of a bouncy western ditty that's making lots of noise. Jack Haskell handles the tune in a better than average manner and should get some play. The lower level is another comer that's done with a waltz beat. The Heather-tones and the Richard Maltby orches-tra round out both sides.



"SOMETHING I DREAMED LAST "I THOUGHT OF YOU LAST NIGHT" BOB VINCENT



The Freddy Martin opening at the Roosevelt last week brought out the entire music fraternity. Freddy followed Guy Lombardo into the spot and Guy was there at the opening to give him a sendoff. . . . The Four Aces hit town this week, opening at the Paramount. The boys received a gold record from



was there at the opening to give him a sendoff. . . . The Four Aces hit town this week, opening at the Paramount. The boys received a gold record from Milton Rackmil, president of Decca, for having sold over a million copies of "Tell Me Why." Al Alberts, by the way, the vocal lead of the group, Mario Lanza and Buddy Greco were all in the same class in the same high school in Philadelphia. . . . Vera Lynn leaves for London February 20 for the lead in a new review. . . . Remington has opened new studios in the Shelton Hotel. Diskery is also expanding its publicity services with the addition of Bryna Lawson, formerly of Victor. . . . Gene Krupa making it seem like old times on his current stand at the Paramount. . . . Dinah Shore sent a package of marshmallows to djs last week to help them remember to play her disk of "Marshmallow Moon." . . . Some of their friends still haven't heard about the quiet wedding of Kay Starr and Vic Schoen on the west coast recently. . . Ava Gardner is rumored set to make a series of recordings with husband for the west coast recently. . . Ava Gardner is rumored set to make a series of recordings with husband for west career. . . . Sarah Vaughan's version of "Tenderly," which was waxed for Musicraft five years ago, is being reissued on the MGM label. . . . Ray DeMeno, vocalist with Henry Jerome, recuperating from an operation at Brooklyn Doctors' Hospital. . . . Madelyn Bennett, secretary to Mitch Miller and Joe Higgins at Columbia, is blessed eventing.

CHICAGO:

CHICAGO: Frank York, maestro of the College Inn ork, hurryin' down Randolph Street, advises: "Haven't heard from Dick Bradley. Only hope my new disk is going places. No news may be good news." \ldots A. (Shim) Weiner of Decca advises that: Ralph Lady, Western Appliance Co., Wichita, Kans. is now distrib for Decca Records. \ldots The one and only way to stop further headaches like the Bryson Bill is for ASCAP's own members to vote a halt. \ldots Alice (Bishop) Mann of Billy Bishop's ork (currently at the Aragon) phones to tell us that Billy has his fingers crossed. And is hopin' that his new disk. "Billy," by Jeb, will be "it" (the gal's real sweet). \ldots Art Morton writes us from Holleewood. Hopes to get his own show on NBC one of these brighter days. \ldots Paul Irving leaves WEDC as deejay. And heads down Miamiway. Where Paul hopes he'll get the breaks he's so long awaited. (Certainly no finer spot in the U.S.A. for a young guy with no marital ties to tie in with, Paul). \ldots Tommy Reed currently at the Oh Henry Ballroom has some very powerful coinfriends who wanta see Tommy click big. But big. In fact, some of these people are among the biggest juke box disk buyers. \ldots Nat (King) Cole has the whole town gaga this past week with his appearance at the Regal Theatre. The song boys, deejays, and promotion men out there askin' and askin'. Nat had lotsa stomach trouble while there. \ldots Don Cornell at the Chgo Theatre. 'Member when he was with Sammy Kaye. Singin' like a million. Well, they claim, he now sings like a zillion. As a single-O. \ldots Jeri Sothern, Dick LaPalm tells us, simply clickin' everywhere. \ldots Xavier Cugat at the



Cheo Theatre. 'Member when he was with Sammy Kaye. Singin' like a million. Well, they claim, he now sings like a zillion. As a single-O. . . . Jeri Sothern, Dick LaPalm tells us, simply clickin' everywhere. . . . Xavier Cugat at the Marine Room just apullin' 'em away from TV in droves to rhoombah. . . . Sherman Hayes smilin' that whitey-toothy smile these days. Because of his clickeroo at the Mayfair Room. . . . Tab Smith, exclusive recording artist for United Records has set new high sales marks for this recorder, according to Lew Simpkins of United Records.

LOS ANGELES:

Sure sorry being ill at home kept us from that Columbia-Ray Thomas party for Johnnie Ray at the Savoy Sunset Strip nitery. . . Reports from Mary Solle of Bill Leuenhagen's and other folks who were there establish it definitely as one of the artist-introduction parties of the year. . . . We hear



that this boy is so great to watch, as well as hear, that the bar was almost deserted during his several num-bers, which included "Walkin' My Baby Back Home," "Little White Cloud That Cried," "Cry" and "Whiskey and Gin," the first tune which brought him to the public's notice on the Okeh label. . . . Understand there was so much curiosity about the way this lad is supposed to take off when he sings that instead of the invited 150 dee-jays, press and assorted char-acters, hosts Joe Papps and Jack Devaney had to handle about 300 of them, and did a mighty fine job of so doing. . . Columbia toppers on the Coast were there in strength, including popular Paul Weston, and all of them beaming, natch, about their boy Johnnie, who appears to be the hottest thing among male vocalists to hit since Tony Bennett, another Columbia product. that this boy is so great to watch, as well as hear, that

product. A new obliging young lady at Mercury tells us, in the absence of Harry Bloom and Lee Palmer, that Eddy Howard's "Stolen Love" is stealing out front, with other goodies being Bobby Wayne's and Dinah Washington's re-spective "Wheel of Fortune" and Patti Page's "Come What May." . . . Sid Talmadge of Record Merchandising buzzes us to say that it looks like he's going to have a pop hit on his hands in Jubilee's "Sentimental Tears" by the Johnny Dee Trio. . . . This is one that was given an interesting reception by a group of band leaders' wives on Peter Potter's popular platter program, with Pete offering to take all the gals out to dinner if it didn't turn out to be the hit it appears to be breaking for. Local jazz enthusiasts seem willing to talk about pathing but visuist Oregon product.

Local jazz enthusiasts seem willing to talk about nothing but pianist Oscar Peterson and how great he is in his current engagement at the Tiffany Club, where George Shearing bows in on Feb. 21. . . . Amazing the way the cozy sized Oasis can pack in those king-sized musical aggregations and large audiences too. . . . Current attraction is Woody Herman's band.



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"WHEEL OF FORTUNE"	78	45
"I WANNA LOVE YOU" Kay Starr	1964	F1964
"THE BLACKSMITH BLUES" "LOVE ME OR LEAVE ME" Ella Mae Morse	1922	F1922
"TIGER RAG" "IT'S A LONESOME OLD TOWN" Les Paul and Mary Ford	1920	F1920
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"SLOW POKE"	1937	F1757
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"DOWN YONDER", "IVORY RAG" Joe "Fingers" Carr	1777	F1777
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"ANY TIME", "CRAZY HEART" Helen O'Connell	. 1895	F1895
"CHARMAINE" "WHEN I TAKE MY SUGAR TO TEA" Billy May	1919	F1919
"THE WILD SIDE OF LIFE" "CRYIN' IN THE DEEP BLUE SEA" Hank Thompson	1942	F1942
"ROCK CITY BOOGIE" "STREAMLINED CANNON BALL" Tennessee Ernie and The Dinning Sisters	1911	F1911
"I'LL SEE YOU IN MY DREAMS" "AT LAST" Ray Anthony	1912	F1912
"A WEAVER OF DREAMS' "WINE, WOMEN AND SONG" Nat "King" Cole	1925	F1925
give your customers <i>Capital</i> ent	ertai	nment



"THERE'S ALWAYS MY HEART" (3:03)

"HEART OF STONE—HEART OF WOOD" (2:20)

TONI ARDEN (Columbia 39650; 4-39650)

• Toni Arden, she of the beautiful voice, works her way through an attractive ballad on the top dish. The Paul Weston orchestra and the Norman Luboff choir blend nicely with the vocal performance. Flip is an exciting, fast moving ditty that's done with much gusto by Toni. Ops should watch this platter.

"WIMOWEH" (2:30)

"I'LL ALWAYS BE FOLLOWING YOU" (2:52)

JIMMY DORSEY ORCHESTRA (Calumbia 39651; 4-39651)

• An African folk number is given an up to date treatment by the Jimmy Dorsey orchestra. The boys belt out a driving jump rendition that should get its share of spins. The under siding offers Sandy Evans with the vocal to a fair tune on which the band is shown to fine advantage. It's the first one.

"GOODBYE MARIA, I'M OFF TO KOREA" (2:34)

"THAT'S WHEN MY HEARTACHES BEGIN" (2:42)

ALAN HOLMES ORCHESTRA (King 15166)

• A bouncy western hit is taken for a pleasant ride by the Alan Holmes orchestra. Don Meehan and a quartet share the vocal and turn in creditable jobs. The lower end offers Holmes with the vocal to a rather plain number. The top side may find some spins in the right spots.

"STOLEN LOVE" (2:34)

"COOL KISSES" (2:51)

THE THREE SUNS (RCA Victor 20-4510; 47-4510)

• The Three Suns, with Artie Dunn and Ginny Gibson on the vocal, offer an expressive arrangement of a likely western sounding tune. The group comes up with a smooth performance. Johnny Parker does the vocal on the lower side and makes a bouncy item come out ok. Ops might take a peek.

"GONE FIVE MINUTES" (2:36)

"SOLDIER BOY" (2:47)

ROSALIND PAIGE (Dubonnet 51)

• A slow number with a multiple voice gimmick introduces Rosalind Faige, and quite an introduction it is too. This girl shows great promise. Lower half is a simple ditty which the songstress also handles well. But the top half is the one.

SLEEPER OF THE WEEK

"POOR WHIP-POOR-WILL" (2:32) "WHEEL OF FORTUNE" (2:56)

THE BELL SISTERS (RCA Victor 20-4520; 47-4520)

> along with some wonderful harmony and this new waxing makes good use of both these qualities. The tune, titled "Poor-Whip-Poor Will" is a sweet sounding ditty that carries a lovely and infectious melody. The Bell Sisters, with a grand vocal arrangement, bring this tune home in a winning style. The reverse end is a current biggie that's heading to the top and the girls once again show their versatility by delivering a first class rendition. The tune used here is breaking open and with the job done by the duo, their version may also prove to be a strong contender. Our advice is to get with the upper one right now.

"WHO'S TO BLAME" (2:40)

"TWO LITTLE KISSES" (2:08)

FOUR ACES & AL ALBERTS (Flash 103)

• Another potent platter is turned out by the Four Aces on this new release. The top end is a slow ballad that gets the first rate harmonizing of the group. The second deck is a cute ditty with a steady beat and here too the boys rise to the occasion. Ops oughta look in right now. Both halves may go.

"FOGGY RIVER" (2:26)

"TRY ME ONE MORE TIME" (2:16)

MARGARET WHITING (Capitol 1984; F-1984)

• Margaret Whiting has an oldie with a western sound to it on the upper level and she proceeds to dish up an earful of pleasure. With the proper backing Margaret delivers a warm vocal. The bottom dish is a similar number on which the chirp manages another good presentation. It's the top one from here.

"I HEAR A RHAPSODY" (2:33)

"FOR DANCERS ONLY" (2:44)

RAY ANTHONY ORCHESTRA (Capitol 1973; F-1973)

• Another etching of a current revival of an old ballad is turned out by the Ray Anthony orchestra with vocal credits to Tommy Mercer. The group does a workman-like job on it. The under dish is a slick instrumental jump number that the orchestra socks home easily. Top might get a piece of the play that the ballad's gonna bring.

"SENTIMENTAL TEARS" (2:04) "SINCERE" (2:46)

JOHNNY DEE TRIO (Jubilee 6001)

• The Johnny Dee Trio collaborate on the first side and conjure up a bit of pleasant harmony that might kick off. This sentimental ballad has sleeper potential. The lower dish is a slow ballad that the boys carry to a listenable end. The top lid is the more appealing one and ops oughta get with it.

"BLUE TANGO" (2:46)

"THE GYPSY TRAIL" (2:10)

HUGO WINTERHALTER ORCHESTRA (RCA Victor 20-4518; 47-4518)

• A beautiful tango that is currently making noise is given the Wintertalter treatment and the result is a wonderful orchestrational piece. Flip is a fast moving, spirited number that contains a gypsy flavor and the orchestra, chorus and vocalist Bernie Nee dish up a dynamic rendition. Ops should take a gander.

"SINGIN' IN THE RAIN" (2:50)

"I LET A SONG GET OUT OF MY HEART" (2:53)

RAY ANTHONY ORCHESTRA (Capitol 1957; F-1957)

• A grand oldie is given a new push by the Ray Anthony orchestra and is made to sound fascinating. Marcie Miller gets vocal credits here with her pleasant work. Flip is another listenable number that Tommy Mercer doles out in his own way. Ops can choose from either deck.

"DEEP, DEEP IN THE CELLAR" (2:15)

"I AM SORRY I GOT IN THE WAY" (2:57)

TEDDY PHILLIPS ORCHESTRA (King 15162)

• A cute ditty making use of group singing and the vocal efforts of Lynn Hoyt is presented on the first side by the Teddy Phillips orchestra. It's a happy sounding and bouncy number that proves ok listening. The bottom dish is a slow waltz on which Lynn makes use of several vocal gimmicks. Ops oughta take a peek.

"DEAR MARIE" (2:39)

"MARIONETTE" (2:41)

LESLIE SCOTT (Tri-Tone 1000)

• A pretty ballad is turned out on the top level by Leslie Scott with the able assistance of the David Ward orchestra.. The number is carried smoothly by the entire crew. The under portion is a more dramatic ballad and again Scott and Ward collaborate on a good side. Ops might wanna look in.

THE BELL SISTERS

• The Bell Sisters, who are currently riding high on their initial effort "Bermuda" have another excellent number with which to follow up. The two young girls have a warmth in their delivery to go

"EASTER PARADE" (2:08)

"BUNNY POLKA" (2:08)

EDDIE BRANDT (Jeb 3015)

• An old Irving Berlin Easter classic is run through easily by Eddie Brandt. Ruthie James does a fine job in chanting the lyrics to this perennial favorite. The under dish is a cute bouncy ditty that Ruthie and Eddie handle in the Easter spirit. With the season right around the corner ops would be wise if they looked in.

"OH GEE, OH GOSH" (2:32)

"BILLY" (2:45)

BILLY BISHOP ORCH. & ALICE MANN (Jeb 3013)

• Billy Bishop and his orchestra and Alice Mann bounce through a little tune and wind up with an ok half. The vocalist does a pleasing job and helps the side along. The second half is a slow oldie which the same artists deliver in a fair manner. Ops might wanna take a look at the two ends.

"GOODBYE, SWEETHEART" (2:50)

"AUTUMN LEAVES" (2:45)

RALPH MARTERIE ORCHESTRA (Mercury 5782; 5782 x 45)

• Another coverage waxing of a comer is dished up on the top lid by the Ralph Marterie orchestra with Jo Sullivan handling the vocal. It's a slow tempo waltz ditty that should fare ok. The lower portion is a soothing instrumental treatment of an oldie. The band sounds good on this half and ops can choose from either deck.

Ames Bros. Visit CMI Show

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POSITION POSITION LAST THIS WEEK WEEK

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NEW YORK-Recording stars who were in town stopped in to say hello at the CMI show in Chicago last week. Above two of the Ames brothers are pictured in the Chicago Coin Machine booth, where the new model "Band Box" was being shown. From left to right are: Harry Rosenberg, Double-U Dist. Co., Baltimore; Gene Ames; Eddie Ames; and Al Simon, New York distributor for Chicago Coin.



With all the adulation being accorded the great singing stars and in-strumentalists who have made their marks in the realm of the recording industry, one would naturally assume that they are now, singularly and collectively, in an enviable position.

Having made a profound emphasis upon the great American public and the world in general, they can face the future with confidence, knowing full well that the lush green loot will now come rolling in like an avalanche. And all this without a worry in the world. Without a worry in the world? Wait just a moment— Don't forget, there's the Record Promotion Man. Shortly after we began this series we touched upon a few of the argin

NATT HALE

Shortly after we began this series, we touched upon a few of the assignments which continually beset and harass the "flacks." If you recall, we treated the subject with sympathy and understanding. This was probably a selfish point of view, since our own affiliation with

the business casts us into the exploitation gentry.

However, the letter from one of our top vocal artists (which we men-tioned here last week) forced us to cast aside the acrimonious views we had

fostered and adopt a slightly transformed outlook. Oblivious to all and everything, the flack is conscious of but one objective:

of but one objective: Get the record played. Talked about. Played. Written about. Played. Played. In the pursuance of this objective, his interest tran-scends his wife, his family, eating, sleeping, his ulcers, sex, money, sports and breathing. Far and above all others, the one who comes in for the brunt of the flack's exploitational stimulation is the artist himself.

artist himself. Having "arrived," this worthy is usually surrounded an imposing entourage wherever he goes. by

This group, in the main, consists of a personal manager,

NATT HALE a road manager, an arranger, an accompanist, his per-sonal publicity and press agent, his personal record ex-ploitation flack, a valet and some fifteen or twenty "hangers-on."

He shall have company, wherever he goes. This impressive family, regardless of size, is automatically relegated to a

This impressive family, regardless of size, is automatically relegated to a position of secondary import, once the local record flack goes into action. For a month, he has been setting up N.O.P. (normal operating procedure) in preparation for the star's inevitable triumph within his (the flack's) domain. The program would be awry, were it not to begin at the very moment the star steps out of the plane onto the flight steps. He is immediately surrounded by a bevy of "Oriental (?)" beauties. Who keep cooing and purring around about the bewildered star. Later, the star is advised that this will appear in "The Daily Bleat." And that it will be captioned appropriately in honor of his latest recording of: "I Love You, Sum Goo Chow. . . . Better than Egg Foo Young. . . ."

The rest of his visitation can easily become a rather horrible nightmare, remotely resembling the D.T.'s.

remotely resembling the D.T.'s. A typed schedule placed in his dressing room by the local flack clearly discloses a round of disc jockey visitations between each and every show. An autograph party at one of the local department store's "Teen Shop." A press session with three hundred high school editors. The presentation of a purple ribbon for: "The Best Steer in Show" at the Livestock Exposition. A round of record shop visits ("Just talk to the clerks, Frankie, you know they're the ones who really sell the records . . ."). And a personal request from the flack to sing at his nephew's Bar Mitzvah. ("Just one song, huh, Frankie . . . How about "Danny Boy?"). Yep, flacks are the boys who help to make the hits, alright. But, some-times, it seems that they can get into your hair, doesn't it, Mr. Star? So . . . Just who is the unsung hero???

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10.	9.	WHEEL OF FORTUNE 'Til All The Stars Fall In The Ocean	Arthur Prysock	27967*
14.	10.	TULIPS AND HEATHER You'll Never Walk Alone	Fred Waring	27964*
15.	11.	WISHIN' GOODBYE SWEETHEART	Russ Morgan	27975*
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-	14.	BUNDLE OF SOUTHERN SUNSHINE NOODLIN' RAG	Guy Lombordo	27971*
-	15.	BEGIN THE BEGUINE BELIEVE IT BELOVED	Connee Boswell	27945*
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- WFOK—Hattlesburg, Miss. 1. TIGER RAG (Les Paul & Mary Ford) 2. COME WHAT MAY (Patti Page) 3. WHEN I TAKE MY SUGAR TO TEA (Billy May) 4. BLACKSMITH BLUES (Ella Mae Morse) 5. CRY (Johnnie Ray) 6. DANCE ME LOOSE (AI Trace) 7. I WANNA LOVE YOU (Ames Brothers) 8. WINE WOMEN & SONG (Phil Harris) 9. TRUST IN ME (Eddie Fisher) 10. FLAMINGO (Frankie Laine)

Dave Kean

WTSA-Brattleboro, Vt.

- 1. CRY (Johnnie Ray) 2. KISS TO BUILD A DREAM ON (Louis Armstrong)

- ANYTIME (Eddie Fisher) BE MY LIFE'S COMPANION (Mills Brothers) I LIKE IT (Vaughn Monroe) BERMUDA (Beil Sisters) LITTLE WHITE CLOUD THAT CRIED (Johnnie Ray)
- 8. SLOW POKE (Arthur Godfrey) 9. TELL ME WHY (Four Aces) 10. IT'S ALL IN THE GAME (Louis Armstrong)

Maurice Hart

- KFWB-Hollywood, Calif.
- 1. LITTLE WHITE CLOUD THAT CRIED
- 2. BERMUDA (Bell Sisters) 3. TIGER RAG (Les Paul & Mary Ford) 4. DOWN YONDER (Joe Carr) 5. THESE PRECIOUS THINGS ARE MINE (Champ Butler)

- (Champ But 6. TELL ME WHY (Four Aces) 7. WIMOWEH (Gordon Jenkins-The Weavers) 8. SHRIMP BOATS (Jo Stafford) 9. CHARMAINE (Mantovani) 10. OOPS (Doris Day)

Pat Chamburs

- WFIA---Tampa, Fla.

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- 7. CRY (Johnnie Ray) 8. BERMUDA (Ray Anthony) 9. DANCE ME LOOSE (Arthur Godfrey) 10. THE BLUEST WORD I KNOW IS LONESOME (AI Morgan)

Eddie Gallaher

- WTOP-Washington, D. C.
- 1. TELL ME WHY (Four Aces)
- 2. ANY TIME (Eddie Fisher) 3. SLOW POKE (Pee Wee King)

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 SHRIMP BOATS (Jo Stafford)
 CRY (Johnnie Ray)
 TIGER RAG (Les Paul & Mary Ford)
 SIN (Eddy Howard)
 CHARMAINE (Mantovani)
 DANCE ME LOOSE (Arthur Godfrey)
 BE MY LIFES COMPANION (Mills Brothers)

Bob Watson

- WSB-Atlanta, Ga.

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- Claude Taylor
- WIVY-Jacksonville, Fla.
- 1. SHRIMP BOATS (Jo Stafford) 2. CRY (Johnnie Ray)
- 3. TIGER RAG (Les Paul & Mary Ford)

- TIGER RAG (Les Paul & Mary Pola)
 LE FIACRE (Gizelle MacKenzie)
 CHARMAINE (Mantovani)
 YES YOU ARE (Bobby Wayne)
 DANCE ME LOOSE (Arthur Godfrey)
 UNTIL (Johnny Desmond)
 FLAMINGO (Victor Marchese)
 SLOW POKE (Art Mooney)

Frank Allan

- WLEE-Richmond, Va.
- 1. CRY (Eileen Barton)
- 2. AND SO TO SLEEP AGAIN (Dick Haymes)
- ANYTIME (Eddie Fisher) 3.

- ANYTIME (Eddle Fisher)
 DOWN YONDER (Del Wood)
 I WISH I HAD A GIRL (AI Jolson)
 THE TAVERN SONG (Russ Morgan)
 TENDERLY (Dave Rose
 SIN (Eddie Howard
 CHARMAINE (Gordon Jenkins)
 TULIPS & HEATHER (Perry Como)

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- WCAE—Pittsburgh, Pa.

- WCAL-FITSBUIGH, Fd. 1. BLUE TANGO (Leroy Anderson) 2. TRUST IN ME (Eddie Fisher) 3. TELL ME WHY (Four Aces) 4. BLACKSMITH BLUES (Ella Mae Morse) 5. BERMUDA (Bell Sisters) 6. MARTINIQUE (Ray Martin) 7. PLEASE MR. SUN (Tommy Edwards) 8. HERE IS MY HEART (Cindy Lord) 9. UNFORGETTABLE (Nat "King" Cole) 10. I'LL STILL LOVE YOU (Ames Brothers)

Bob Corley

- WQXI-Atlanta, Ga.

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Pete Ward

- WARE-Ware, Mass.
- 1. SLOW POKE (Pee Wee King)
- 2. CRY (Johnnie Ray)
- 3. TELL ME WHY (Four Aces)
- 4. ANYTIME (Eddie Fisher)

1. CRY (Johnnie Ray)

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- 5. TIGER RAG (Les Paul & Mary Ford)
- 6. BE MY LIFE'S COMPANION (Mills Brothers) 7. SIN (Four Aces) 8. BERMUDA (Bell Sisters) 9. COME WHAT MAY (Patti Page) 10. TULIPS & HEATHER (Perry Como)

Dick Outlaw

WILM-Wilmington, Del.

2. WHEEL OF FORTUNE (Sunny Gale) 3. PLEASE MR. SUN (Perry Como) 4. BERMUDA (Bell Sisters) SLOW POKE (Pee Wee King)

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Art Tacker

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Ray Drury

WSPR-Springfield, Mass.

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6. BLACKSMITH DECES 7. NEVER (Toni Arden) 8. LITTLE WHITE CLOUD THAT CRIED (Johnnie Ray)

Ross Smitherman

WHBS-Huntsville, Ala.

9. BERMUDA (Ray Anthony) 10. DANCE ME LOOSE (Arthur Godfrey)

1. TELL ME WHY (Four Aces) 2. CRY (Johnnie Ray) 3. BERMUDA (Bell Sisters) 4. UNFORGETTABLE (Not "King" Cole) 5. BROKEN HEARTED (Johnnie Ray) 6. LITTLE WHITE CLOUD THAT CRIED

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10. CRAZY HEART (Danny Davis)

Harry Baum

WSSB-Durham, N. C.

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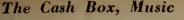
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THE ORIGINAL Best Selling Records THANKS . . . OPS and DJ's for making this DERBY RECORD version The Nation's No. 1 HIT . . . COMPILED BY JACK "ONE SPOT" TUNNIS WH&EEL • Tunes are listed below in order of their popularity based on a continuing weekly national survey of thousands of record dealers by Jack "One Spot" Tunnis. Each listing includes the name of the song, record number, artists, and tune on the reserve side. • The number underneath the title indicates the actual sale per 1000 records made for the week. If the figure is 67.4, it means that for every 1000 records sold that week, 67.4 were of the tune indicated—a combination of all the records on which it was available. FORTUNE" Feb. 23 Feb. 16 Feb. 23 Feb. 16 Feb. 23 Feb. 16 MG-11061 (K11061)-MONICA We Won't Live In A Castle I Wanna Love You CR-60650 (9-60650)—JIMMY SCOTT Come What May DE-27967 (9-27967)—ARTHUR PPSYOCK La Bota VI-20-4455 (47-4455)—HUGO WINTERHALTER Love Makes The Warld Go Round 35—Domino 35-Domino 4.9 6.1 CA-1849 (F-1849)-MARY MAYO Find Me CO-39596 (4-39596)-DORIS DAY If That Doesn't Do It DE-27830 (9-27830)-BING CROSBY When The World Was Young KI-15129-MARY SMALL I Like It, I Like It ME-5747 (5747x45)-HARMONI-CATS Charmaine PRYSOCK 'Till The Stars Fall DE-48280 (9-48280)—HELEN HUMES DE-48280 (7-40200) HUMES All Night Long DY-787—SUNNY GALE ME-5779 (5779 x 45)—BOBBY WAYNE If I Had The Heart Of A Clown VI-20-4349 (47-4349)—JOHNNY HARTMAN VI-20-4520 (47-4520)—BELL SISTERS Poor Whip-Poor Will -Tulips and Heather 12.2 4.2 12.2 4 CA-1952 (F-1952)—BENNY STRONG Tavern In The Town DE-27964 (9-27964)—FRED WARING You'll Never Walk Alone by SUNNY GALE -You'll Never Walk Alone LO-1172 (45-1172)—VERA LYNN Once I Loved You MG-11142 (K11142)—BILL HAYES We Won't Live In A Castle VI-20-4453 (47-4453)—PERRY COMO Please, Mr. Sun Charmaine VI-20-4343 (47-4343)—TONY MARTIN It's All Over But The-Memories and EDDIE WILCOX ORK 27-Brokenhearted 8.2 11.2 CA-1956 (F-1956)—RAY ANTHONY O. Bermuda CO-39636 (4-39636)—JOHNNIE RAY **36—Trust In Me** 4.6 8.1 CA-1927 (F-1927)—LOU DINNING I'll Still Love You DE-27784 (9-27784)—LOUIS JORDAN Cock A Doodle Doo MG-11135 (K11135)—RICKY VALLO Ruby Lips—Emerald Eyes 8.1 4.6 DERBY 787 Please, Mr. Sun DE-27961 (9-27961)—ALAN DALE Silver And Gold -A Garden in the Rain the Rain 10.9 11.7 DE-27860 (9-27860)—FOUR ACES Tell Me Why DE-27976 (9-27976)—JERRY GRAY O. Unforgettable VI-20-4445 (47-4445)—PERRY COMO Oh, How I Miss You Tonight Derby Records, Inc. **28—Stolen Love** Eyes VI-20-4444 (47-4444)—EDDIE FISHER DE-27962 (9-27962)-GUY DE-2/962 (9-2/962)-GUY LOMBARDO Marshmallow Moon ME-5784 (5784 x 45)-EDDY HOWARD O. Wishin' VI-20-4510 (47-4510)-THREE 520 W. 50th St. 37—Mother At Your Feet Is Kneeling 4.5 Tell Me Why New York City -I Wanna Say Cool, Cool Kisses Hello 10.8 3.7 CR-60628 (9-60628)—AMES BROS. 29—Cold, Cold Heart 7.2 11.5 CO-39449 (4-39449)—TONY BENNETT While We're Young DE-27761 (9-27761)—E1LEEN WILSON Tennessee Blues BROS. Lovely Lady Dressed In Blue DE-27908 (9-27908)—AL MORGAN Good Night, Sweet Jesue WILSON Tennessee Blues DE-27816 (9-27816)-LOUIS ARMSTRONG Because Of You ME-5693-TONY FONTANE Why Do I Love You? ME-5728 (5728x43)-DINAH WASHINGTON Mixed Emotions MG-10904 (K10904)-HANK VI-20.4274 (47-4274)-FONTANE SISTERS I Get The Rives When It Rains 30-Weaver of IT'S ALL IN THE Jesus LO-968—BOBBY WAYNE **38**—Temptation VI-10-3738—MARIO LANZA Lygia POINT 39—Wimoweh 4.3 7.5 CO-39651 (4-39651)—JIMMY DORSEY O. I'll Always Be Follow-22—Unforgettable 6.5 DE-27928 (9-27928)-WEAVERS Old Paint **30—Weaver of** DE-27976 (9-27976)—JERRY GRAY O. Garden In The Rain LO-1139 (4-1139)—DICK JAMES My Love For You MG-11060 (K11060)—TEX BENEKE One Of These Days Dreams 40—Baby Doll 6.9 7.3 CA-1925 (F-1925)—NAT "KING" COLE Wine, Women And Song CA-1941 (F-1941)—GORDON MacRAE Green Acres and Pur-ple Mountains CO-39637 (4-39637)—DORIS DAY Wine, Women 2nd Song DE-27852 (9-27852)—BING CROSBY I Still See Eliza MG-11125 (K11125)—BILLY ECKSTINE Take Me Back Oops! DE-27900 (9-27900)—ELLA FITZGERALD -I Wanna Love 23 You
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 CA-1964
 (F-1964)—KAY STARR Wheel Of Fortune

 CR-60617
 (9-60617)—AMES BROTHERS I'll Still Love You

 DE-27970
 (9-27970)—SONNY BURKE O. I'll Always Be Follow-ing You

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 MG-11162 (K11162) TOMMY TUCKER O. With No One To Love Tonight **31**—Retreat 6.4 10.9 ME-5772 (5772x45)—PATTI PAGE Come What May MG-11151 (K11151)—BARBARA RUICK You Couldn't Be Cuter **32—At Last** 5.9 — 10.9 41—Snowflakes 3,6 42—I'll Build a Stairway to Banadice 7.7 The new PERMO-made POINTS of Osmium Alloy CO-39635 (9-39635)—TONY BENNETT Since By Love Has Gone 25—Come What Paradise DE-27934 (9-27934)—BING CROSBY Isle Of Innistree MG-11143 (K11143)—TED STRAETER O. Only If You're In Love 3.5 5.3 43—Why Don't You Love Me are the result of 20 years of progressive development----which has made possible the practical 44—Crazy Heart combination of prolonged tone quality of both May Love 7.6 VI-20-4477 (47-4477)-TONY 2.7 45 -Blacksmith CA-1944 (F-1944)-HELEN MARTIN Make With The Magic needles and records. O'CONNELL Baby We're Really In Blues 33-Green Sleeves 5.8 7.9 CO-39617 (4-39617)-MITCH MILLER Love Makes The World Go 'Round DE-27892 (9-27892)-EVELYN KNIGHT & GUY LOMBARDO Snowflakes LO-1171 (45-1171)-MANTOVANI O. Love Makes The World Go Round 34-Wimmin 33. 2.8 2.9 **Green Sleeves** Love CR-60650 (9-60650)—JIMMY SCOTT 46___Never 9.5 Wheel Of Fortune ME-5772 (5772 x 45)—PATTI PAGE 47—Three Bells 4.9 2.4 Retreat VI-20-4489 (47-4489)—FOUR TUNES The Greatest Song I Ever H nrd 48 -When It's Sleepy Time Down South LONG LIFE COIN PHONOGRAPH NEEDLES -Because of You 1.2 3.8 49– -Wheel of -Since My 50

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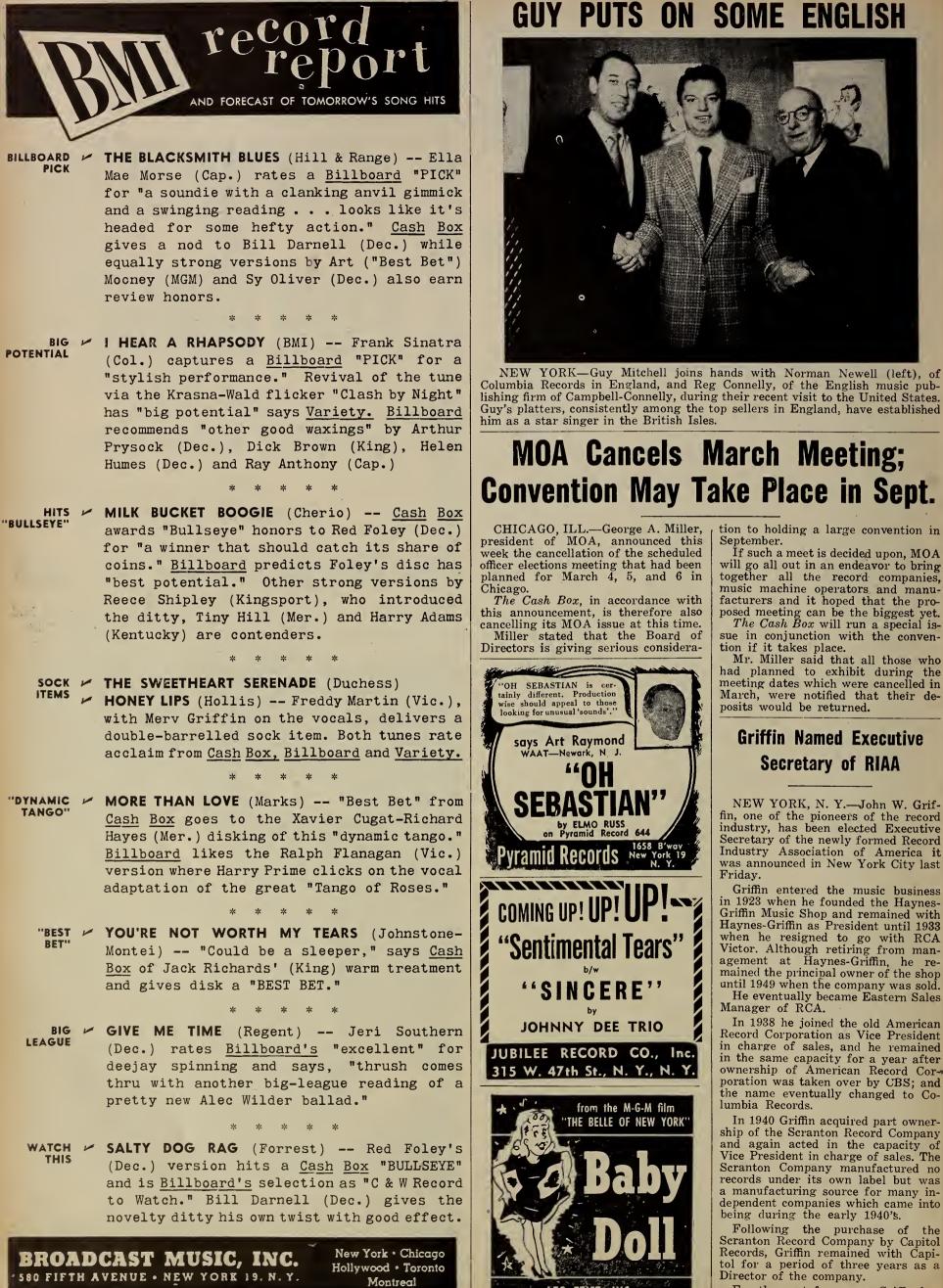
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CA-1964 (F-1964)-KAY STARR

GUY PUTS ON SOME ENGLISH



tion to holding a large convention in September.

If such a meet is decided upon, MOA will go all out in an endeavor to bring together all the record companies, music machine operators and manu-facturers and it hoped that the pro-

The Cash Box will run a special is-sue in conjunction with the conven-tion if it takes place. Mr. Miller said that all those who had planned to exhibit during the meeting dates which were cancelled in March were postified that their de March, were notified that their de-posits would be returned.

Griffin Named Executive Secretary of RIAA

NEW YORK, N. Y .- John W. Griffin, one of the pioneers of the record industry, has been elected Executive Secretary of the newly formed Record Industry Association of America it was announced in New York City last Friday.

Griffin entered the music business in 1923 when he founded the Haynes-Griffin Music Shop and remained with Haynes-Griffin as President until 1933 when he resigned to go with RCA Victor. Although retiring from management at Haynes-Griffin, he re-mained the principal owner of the shop until 1949 when the company was sold. He eventually became Eastern Sales Manager of RCA.

In 1938 he joined the old American Record Corporation as Vice President in charge of sales, and he remained in the same capacity for a year after ownership of American Record Corporation was taken over by CBS; and the name eventually changed to Columbia Records.

In 1940 Griffin acquired part ownership of the Scranton Record Company and again acted in the capacity of Vice President in charge of sales. The Scranton Company manufactured no records under its own label but was a manufacturing source for many independent companies which came into being during the early 1940's.

Following the purchase of the Scranton Record Company by Capitol Records, Griffin remained with Capitol for a period of three years as a Director of the company.

For the past few years Griffin has not been active in the record industry.

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TWO AT THE MIKE



NEW YORK—The lovely Dolores Gray, star of the musical hit "Two on the Aisle" whose recording of "Shrimp Boats" is being constantly aired, drops in on WINS disc jockey Brad Phillips during Phillips "Walking on Air" show. Dolores, who scored so heavily with her first disk, now has another one, "I've Got A Feelin' You're Foolin'."

Abbey Records Expands Into Name Band, Pop Singer and Children Depts.

Signs David Niven, Charlie Spivak, Charlie Barnet, Bob Chester, Stuart Foster and King Odum Quartet

NEW YORK—Abbey Records, on the heels of its tremendous success with "Goodbye Sweetheart" by June Ward, this week took steps which expands the firm's operations to include name pop bands and singers and the establishment of a children's record department. The announcement was made by Pete Doraine, president of the diskery, and Don Reid, A & R head.

The artists signed include movie star David Niven for children's record albums and also Charlie Spivak, Charlie Barnet, Bob Chester and their bands, Stuart Foster and the King Odum Quartet.

All this activity can be traced directly to Abbey's success with "Goodbye Sweetheart" which is reported by the firm to have already hit the 140,-000 sales mark.

Although David Niven has never recorded before, he is well known on both sides of the Atlantic and is rated as one of Hollywood's and England's better actors.

Charlie Spivak was last on the London label and previous to that on the

Avakian Appointed to New Columbia Post

NEW YORK—The appointment of George Avakian as Director of a new Popular LP Record Department was announced this week by Goddard Lieberson, Executive Vice President of Columbia Records. Avakian, wellknown jazz historian and record authority, will develop popular album ideas both for collections from Columbia's extensive catalog and for new material.

He will retain his present duties as Manager of Columbia's International Department and will continue to report to Lieberson. Victor and Columbia labels. The accent on his Abbey recordings will be with vocals and plenty of trumpet.

Stuart Foster, currently on the "Stop The Music" TV show, has been doing a great deal of record work lately, having been featured with Hugo Winterhalter, Tommy Dorsey and others. He will have a 25 man instrumental background on his first Abbey release,

Charlie Barnet, .Bob Chester and the King Odum Quartet haven't been recording lately.

Abbey will continue in the piano roll novelty field as well as with rhythm and blues.



NEW YORK—At a party given in New York recently by Tony Bennett for operators, Tony was pictured with Stanley Feldman of Kingsboro Music Company in Brooklyn. Feldman is active in bringing entertainers to Veterans Hospitals to sing in person for the boys who can't otherwise get out to see them.



and his ORCHESTRA featuring TOMMY MERCER and the Anthony Choir CAPITOL RECORD #1912 (F-1912-45 RPM)



 written by Mack Gordon and Harry Warren from "Orchestra Wives of 1942"



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MEMPHIS SLIM

by

MERCURY 8266





A testimonial which all Harlem is talking about is the one to be tendered Willie Bryant this Thursday. ... "Mellow Blues" by Sonny Thompson on the King label looks like a big one. . . . Charles Brown has been given the longest string of consecutive one nighters on the Howard Lewis circuit. It'll last 47 days. The previous high was 39. . . . Atlantic's new blues find, Odell Turner, skedded for her initial recording session this week. The diskery expects some sen sational sides from this gal. . . . El liot Wexler has been appointed the Savoy - Regent distributor in Nev Jersev.

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Robert "Ducky" deCoy of WMYI in New Orleans, the first station in that city with an all-Negro staff, i helping in the promotion for the Bill; Eckstine-Count Basie tour. . . . Ir Marcus of Peacock Records inform us that Portem has been named New York distributor. Don Robey, presi dent of Peacock, was in town a few weeks ago to cut Andy Tibbs. . . . Th Ink Spots broke all existing record at the Seville Theater in Montrea last week. . . . Arthur Prysock will leave Buddy Johnson's band at th end of its present tour to go out as single. . . . Sarah Vaughan's origina version of "Tenderly" which sh waxed for Musicraft five years ago i being reissued on the MGM label.

The Deep River Boys have signe an exclusive one year contract wit Beacon Records and hit the marke this month with their first release "Give Me a Break, Don't Break M Heart" backed with "If I Had It T Do All Over Again" . . . Joe Morri was in an auto accident in Clevelan Feb. 9, but he's o.k. . . . Dinah Wash ington's terrific box office appeal ca be traced to her pleasing off stag personality. Here's one gal wh doesn't forget that her public is responsible for her success. . . Musi lovers will rejoice to learn that Ear Bostic will be back in action by Apri 1. . . Bull Moose Jackson is the nex attraction at the Apollo, opening of the 22rd the 22nd. * * *

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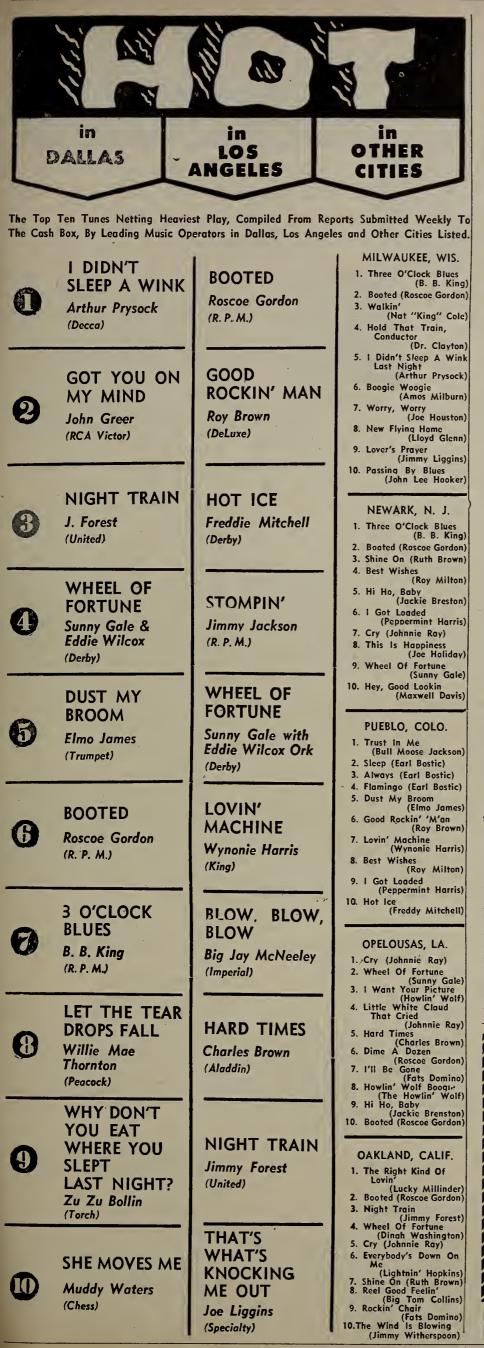
Johnny Hodges and his All-Stars will make their first appearance on the Pacific Coast in a series of California engagements, teeing off March 19 with a one week date at the Club Crayton in Sacramento. . . Mildred Smith, the actress, was among the seriously injured in the third Elizabeth airline crash. Her fans can write her an encouraging get well letter at St. Elizabeth Hospital, Elizabeth, N. J. . . Frankie Benton's, the popularly frequented bistro, celebrating its eighth anniversary. . . The Bill Davis Trio, presently at the Birdland, will repeat there March 13 for 3 weeks. With Bill the first week will be Ella Fitzgerald; the second week, Dinah Washington will follow; and the last week Sarah Vaughan. Bill then goes to the Apollo.



The Top Ten Tunes Netting Heaviest Play, Compiled From Reports Submitted Weekly To The Cash Box, By Leading Music Operators In New York City's Harlem Area; Chicago's South Side, and New Orleans.

,	South S	ide, and New Orleans.	
0	WHEEL OF FORTUNE Sunny Gale & Eddie Wilcox (Derby)	DIANE Buddy Lucas (Jubilee)	WHEEL OF FORTUNE Sunny Gale & Eddie Wilcox (Derby)
0	CRY Johnnie Ray (Okeh)	LITTLE WHITE CLOUD THAT CRIED Johnnie Ray (Okeh)	GOT YOU ON MY MIND John Greer (RCA Victor)
8	LITTLE WHITE CLOUD THAT CRIED Johnnie Ray (Okeh)	WHEEL OF FORTUNE Sunny Gale & Eddie Wilcox (Derby)	NIGHT TRAIN J. Forest (United)
0	THIS IS HAPPINESS Joe Holiday (Prestige)	NIGHT TRAIN J. Forest (United)	3 O'CLOCK BLUES B. B. King (R. P. M.)
6	SLEEPY TIME DOWN SOUTH Louis Armstrong (Decca)	CRY Johnnie Ray (Okeh)	I MISS YOU Fats Domino (Imperial)
en Co	MELLOW BLUES Sonny Thompson (King)	BABY, PLEASE DON'T GO Orioles (Jubilee)	BOOTED Roscoe Gordon (R.P.M.)
	BABY, PLEASE DON'T GO Orioles (Jubilee)	MELLOW BLUES Sonny Thompson (King)	HARD TIMES Charles Brown (Aladdin)
	I GOT LOADED Peppermint Harris (Aladdin)	WAGON WHEELS Ravens (Mercury)	SHINE ON Ruth Brown (Atlantic)
•	NIGHT TRAIN J. Forest (United)	3 O'CLOCK BLUES B. B. King (R. P. M.)	KISS ME, BABY Cardinals (Atlantic)
	FLAMINGO Earl Bostic (King)	WALKIN' Nat "King" Cole (Capitol)	HOW MANY MORE YEARS? The Howling Wolf (Chess)

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Pals

NEW YORK—Freddy Martin and Guy Lombardo are pictured above at the opening of Freddy Martin's band at the Hotel Roosevelt in New York last week. Freddy followed Guy's band into the spot as Guy left on a three-month concert tour. It was Lombardo who helped Martin land his first ich as a hand leader and the two first job as a band leader and the two have been the closest friends ever since.

Ruth Brown Robbed Of Jewels & Music Valued At \$10,000

NEW YORK, N. Y .- Ruth Brown Atlantic recording star, was robbed last week of jewels, furs, gowns and musical arrangements valued at \$10,-000. The robbery occurred in Pitts-burgh, Pa., last Friday (Feb. 1) while Ruth stopped her car in front of the Bailey Hotel to eat dinner. Ruth, Willis Jackson and several other musicians accompanying her on the trip, were in the restaurant for about an hour, from 7:30 until 8:30 p.m. When they returned to the car to continue to Elizabeth, Pa., where Ruth was scheduled to appear, Willis Jackson discovered that the trunk to Miss Brown's car had been jimmied.

Investigation showed that the thief or thieves had completely emptied the trunk which had contained Ruth's jewel case, several expensive gowns, some fur pieces and her complete repetoire of arrangements. Loss of the latter, Ruth said, will handicap

the latter, Ruth said, will handleap her for several weeks until new ar-rangements can be made and copied. Ruth's manager, Miss Blanche Cal-loway, said, when told of Ruth's loss: "I hope that the person or persons who robbed Ruth's car will at least networe the music and arrangements. return the music and arrangements. They have no value to anyone else. But to Ruth, they're invaluable."

Ruth took the loss calmly. She made her Elizabeth appearance in her traveling clothes.

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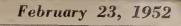
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"KISSA ME BABY" (2:40) "I'M GLAD FOR YOUR SAKE" (2:35)

RAY CHARLES ORCHESTRA (Swing Time 274)

in.



• The place really jumps as Ray Charles and his orchestra bang out an item called "Kissa Me Baby."

"WHEEL OF FORTUNE" (2:45)

"LATER" (2:25)

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THE FOUR FLAMES (Specialty 423)

• The Four Flames present a slow blues'version of a current favorite in both the pop and rhythm & blues fields. The quartet receives the aid of rhythm accompaniment in its expressive treatment of this hit. The second side is a rhythmic arrangement of a tuneful number which the Flames sell impressively supported by a strong vocal background.

"TIRED OF THIS LIFE I'M LIVING" (3:10)

"TRAVELING THROUGH LOVE" (2:53)

PAUL MONDAY

(Peacock 1585)

• The upper lid is an exciting item with listenable lyrics which Paul Monday puts through its paces in raucous style. Bill Harvey's band supplies a fine setting for Paul to show off his wares. The under level has Paul and the Harvey Band waxing a slow piece in another listenable presentation. Ops should get with this one.

"IT ROCKS! IT ROLLS! IT SWINGS!" (2:58) "TAXI BLUES" (2:13)

THE TRENIERS (Okeh 6853)

• A wild number is solidly sold by The Treniers, who supplement their stylized vocalizing with background handclapping. Don Hill's sax solo and the Gene Gilbeaux orchestra back Claude & Cliff in an item that could easily catch on. The lower siding is a similar ditty dished out artfully by the same artists. Ops have two interesting sides here.

"PLEASE TELL ME WHY" "HURRY UP" VARETTA DILLARD (Savoy 836)

• A slow lovers' lament in blues style is expressively put forth by Varetta Dillard. Receiving fine orchestral backing which features a solid sax solo, Váretta turns in a first rate disking. Flip is a slow melodic item which the thrush projects forcefully. Ops should find strong play on either end. "IF YOU LET ME" (2:46) "STRONG RED WHISKEY" (2:28) JOHN GREER

This one has what it takes and ops who want to take some of it better get going. Ray belts out a forceful vocal with the aid of the boys in the band and makes this side a money maker. The orchestra also contributes a spirited treatment of an exciting arrangement. All in all a first rate side. Bottom

half is a change of pace with Ray offering a smooth and easy vocal.

Here too the orchestra comes through with a proper backing. The top deck has all the possibilities of a big one. Ops oughta look

February 23, 1952

(RCA Victor 20-4484; 47-4491)

• John Greer and Dolores Brown duo a slow, rhythmic ballad smoothly and easily. The supporting chanting of the Rhythm Rockers blending voices with John and Dolores make some mighty listenable melody. A catchy tune is soloed by John who tells of the evils of whiskey on the bottom siding. The Rhythm Rockers support zestfully to help bring in an exciting side.

"BOOKIE'S BLUES" "BIG CITY BLUES"

H BOMB FERGUSON (Savoy 836)

• H. Bomb Ferguson brings two likely tunes to market that will do much to enhance his steadily growing reputation. The top portion is a beaty jump number that H. Bomb drives home excitingly. Strong instrumental backing provides a fitting foundation for this novelty. Flip is a slow blues item that H. Bomb handles with ease and assurance. Ops have two strong sides here.

"KNOCKIN' BLUES" (2:41) "THE TRAIN KEPT A ROLLIN'" (2:43)

TINY BRADSHAW (King 4497)

• A lush presentation of a low down jump tune is given the usual effective Tiny Bradshow treatment. Tiny, against a backdrop of smooth orking and choral aid, brings this interesting number in a winner. Under portion is a fast moving, rhythmic item in which Tiny employs some vocal tricks in polishing off its catchy lyrics.

"WORRIED OVER YOU" (3:09) "I NEVER LOVED ANYONE BUT YOU" (3:12)

JOE MEDLIN (Decca 48283; 9-48283)

• Two low down blues numbers are put forth easily and smoothly by Joe Medlin who receives soft instrumental backing to set him up. Upper level is a light number which Joe handles in smart style. The second side is a slow, easy to listen to ballad in which Joe is set off to excellent advantage as he sells some smart lyrics. The under disk could be a sleeper.

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HITS!



coming in as a result of our playing the Sunny Gale, "Wheel Of Fortune" on the Derby label. Letters are all from small towns and complain of not being able to find the label in their town. This is a condition that has kept many a small record manufacturer awake at nite. He goes along, trying and trying and suddenly out of the dark comes a hit. To get the maximum sales from his record, and to do this before the majors jump on the tune and smother him out, he needs a broad distributing set-up. Fast coverage of the huge marketing field is difficult, but essential for the profitable sale of a record. In addition, publicity is needed on the tune, or better yet publicity is needed on the artist and his or her particular version of the tune. From the standpoint of the music publisher, of course he's interested in the tune being played and per-formed by as many artists as possible. Fortunately for the manufacturer, the public usually seems to go for the first good recording on a tune. Cab Calloway has 16 pieces with him on his tour of the Caribbean area. . . Stepin Fetchit, a minstrel type comic of 20 years ago, is in another picture. We sincerely hope the comic is aware that the time is now 1952. Things have changed. . . . The Pittsburg Courier is running its seventh annual Theatrical Poll. For top gospel spot, Mahalia Jackson of Apollo, is crowding all other contenders. . . . Next week we will tell how to go from a gas station attendant to singing fame in 5 easy gallons. . . . Wini Brown, who handles the recep-tionist desk for Ben Bard in New York, had a bout with a doctor last week and came out missing her tonsils. . . The coverage of The Cash Box even includes the sacred precincts of Hollywood. We mentioned recently the splendid acting abilities of Maidie Norman and asked some screen writer to write in a part for the star of the hit movie "The Well." Word comes that the new flick for the Pine-Thomas studio, "Caribbean Gold" has a swell part for this talented and pretty little actress. Misfortune to one can often talented and pretty little actress.

Misfortune to one can often be the opening of the door to another. When Earl Bostic was hurt in an automobile accident recently, the baton fell to the capable hand of Burnie Peacock, a King recording artist. His group is off and running and more than likely will be the new orchestra find of the year. . . I am sitting here trying to decide whether or not to accept an invitation that just came in. It's from Larry Douglas of The New York Age. Seems Larry has written a new song called "Laugh" with Ivory Joe Hunter doing the recording for MGM. On Friday, Feb. 15th there will be a press party in New York's Theresa Hotel to kick-off the new release. On this same date the record is scheduled to be released throughout the nation for sale. Now here's the hitch: It would cost about \$200.00 to go to the party. At the shindig I'm sure there will be cocktails. Knowing my capacity is only 3 (ahem), I figure if I stay here in Chicago and go to the nearest basement joint, I can get loaded for about a buck fifty. That would leave me orughly \$198.50 to the good. Well Chicago ain't so bad after all. Sam Evans is the Rhythm and Jazz expert heard over WGN, Chicago's Mutual outlet and on Misfortune to one can often be the opening of the door to another. When

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Victor Revises Folder of Famous Composers

CAMDEN, N. J.-RCA Victor's picture folder of famous composers, which has sold more than 750,000 copies during the last quarter-century, has been completely revised and brought up to date, the company an-nounced this week.

The pictorial review of 49 great figures in music, from the 16th century to the present, has been issued in a new format, and many of the composers' portraits have been been changed to bring out to the best advantage the appearance and personality of the subject. To keep pace with the changing importance of artists over the years, seven composers have been dropped from the new issue, and 14 who have been recognized more widely in recent years, some of them contemporary, have been added to the brochure.

The original folder was used widely in educational institutions, and many music-lovers ordered copies for their own use and for distribution to family and friends. Copies are available at 10 cents each from RCA Victor record dealers, or from the Educational Division, RCA Victor, Camden 2, N. J.

Winners Named for **MGM Display Contest**

NEW YORK-M-G-M Records and M-G-M Pictures jointly announce the winners in their recent "Show Boat" window display contest, in which prizes were offered to teams of record dealers and theatre exhibitors cooperating on window displays during local showings of the film.

First prize of \$100.00 is divided between Mary Parson of Terry's Record Shop, LaCrosse, Wisconsin, who worked with William Friese of the Rivoli Theatre in that city. Second prize, \$50.00 is shared by Mary Worman of Rikes Department Store in Dayton, Ohio who cooperated with Carl Rogers of the Loews Theatre in that city. Third prize of \$30.00 is split between Zella Miner of Kahn's split between Zella Miner of Kahn's Department Store in Oakland, Cali-fornia, and Frank Burhans of Oak-land's Paramount Theatre. Consola-tion prizes of a copy of MGM's album of records from the sound-track of "Show Boat" will be sent to fifteen other competing theatre managers who received honorable mention. The "Show Boat" competition which

The "Show Boat" competition which drew over 600 entries was the third Such contest held by MGM Records. Other albums were from "Annie Get Your Gun" and "Pagan Love Song."



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Salty Holmes and wife Mattie (King) are moving to WLW in Cincinnati. Duet were at WNOX in Knoxville, Tenn. until recently and made the move in preference to offers from WSM in Nashville and WAYS of Charlotte, N. C.

Joe "Cannonball" Lewis (M-G-M) is changing from club work to radio and personal appearances. Current club contracts expire in about two weeks and Lewis is considering several radio offers at present time. Chuck Seitz of Cincinnati manages Lewis.

Pee Wee King (RCA Victor) set for TV appearances on the Kate Smith Show, Milton Berle Show, Arthur Godfrey's TV'er, and Jackie Gleason's Show according to J. L. Frank, King's manager.

George Morgan (Columbia) goes to Springfield, Mo., February 18th for the cutting of another series of Robin Hood Flour transcriptions.

Bob Wills (M-G-M) booking mid-week personals through Texas and Okla-homa while playing Dallas dates regularly on week ends. Wills' current M-G-M release, "I Can't Stand This Loneliness," looks like one of his best for some time according to reaction on personals.

"Ramblin Lou" Schriver continuing active in booking top name talent in the Niagara Falls area. Wilma Lee & Stoney Cooper (Columbia) played an Ontario and two New York dates for Schriver last week with near capacity houses. Bill also included Schriver's regular group which is heard regularly from Schriver's WJJL programs.



PEE WEE KING

WAYS in Charlotte, N. C., reports top action to its two country disc jockey's shows. Lonzo G. Squires carries the early morning shows with Happy Holmes handling the evening and night shows.

Sonny Cook has taken over most of the country record shows on WGAA in Cedartown, Georgia. In addition to the air duties, Cook is also Music Librarian.

Mel Foree, Acuff-Rose rep, has spent two weeks in the Virginia and Carolina areas. He reports that country music is going "bigger than ever" in these areas. Relatively new artists that are showing big possibilities in those markets include The Carlisles (Mercury) and Martha Carson (Capitol).

LeRoy "Happy Fats" LeBlanc is currently transcribing shows for daily airing from seven Louisiana stations. "Happy Fats" recorded for RCA Victor's Blue-

bird label until changing to Feature, a local indie, recently. Rayne, La. is headquarters for artist and group.

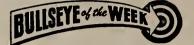
Rusty Gabbard (M-G-M) started spinning records daily over KFDM in Beaumont, Texas on February 11th. Gabbard recently left WSM's "Grand Ole Opry" to take the place with KFDM.

Earl Davis (Intro) and Harry "Mushmouth" O'Conner are sharing the d.j. and live country shows on New Orleans' WBOK. Duet also m.c. and play personal appearances with other groups in the N. O. area. They report an increasing interest in country music in that area which in past years has leaned toward local Cajun style songs and artists.

Biff Collie, Walter Colvin, and Buddy Covington, country jockeys on Houston's KNUZ, enjoying near capacity business at their Plantation nitery with pop bands two nights each week and country and western artists on other nights.







"EVERYBODY'S GOT A GIRL BUT ME" (2:19) "BE MY LIFE'S COMPANION" (2:41)

HAWKSHAW HAWKINS

(King 1039)



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HAWKSHAW HAWKINS

• Hawkshaw Hawkins comes up with a tune which could easily make its way into the upper circles. Titled "Everybody's Got A Girl

"GOOD-BYE BLUES" (2:20) "RAINBOW" (2:32)

CHET ATKINS (RCA Victor 20-4491; 47-4491)

 Chet Atkins and The Beasley Singers combine their talents in turning out a melodic rhythmic ditty. The soft and easy vocal set against a fast mov-ing, beaty background makes for an interesting arrangement. Under por-tion is a pleasureful treatment of a pretty tune featuring Chet and his galloping guitar. Ops should look in.

(I WAS) JUST WALKING OUT THE DOOR" (2:22) "I'LL HATE MYSELF IN THE

MORNING" (2:10)

SUE THOMPSON (Mercury 6377; 6377 x 45)

• A slow country lament is given a pop treatment by Sue Thompson who chants the number in a smooth and easy manner. Subdued instrumental backing provides the proper setting and the result is a waying that rests and the result is a waxing that rests easy on the ears. Flip is a pretty tune of moderate tempo in which Sue pipes a cute set of lyrics in baby voice. Ops should take a peek at the upper level.

"BABY BUGGY BLUES" (2:29) "OLD TIMERS' WALTZ" (2:59) BLACKIE CRAWFORD (Coral 64118)

 Blackie Crawford belts out a fast moving, bluesy item mated to humorous lyrics involving problems with the baby. This novelty is set to a rythmic tune and is complemented by strong support from the Western Cherokees. Reverse siding is a pretty piece in waltz rhythm on which the artists cooperate effectively. Ops might find some play here.

"FUZZY WUZZY TEDDY BEAR" (3:10)

"IT'S GOODBYE AND SO LONG TO YOU" (2:33)

LONE PINE & HIS MOUNTAINEERS (RCA Victor 20-4482; 47-4482)

• Lone Pine places another entry into the well covered field of Korean weepers. This one is a slow, senti-mental item, strongly supported by the Mountaineers who help make it a creditable treatment. Under siding is a bouncy number that Lone Pine and his group present in an interesting his group present in an interesting fashion.

all the earmarks of a big one. Ops who have found attractive novelties profitable fare, should get with this one without any hesitation. Hawkins handling of the lyrics on the side is feelingful and expressive and the instrumental backing is exactly in keeping with the thought. The lower end is a country version exactly in keeping with the thought. The lower end is a country version of a current pop number that's been making noise. Hawkins re-cording of it should get a play in the folk field. The side which looks as though it could really get up there is the first one. Ops won't want to miss it want to miss it.

But Me," this infectious ditty has

"I'D WALK A COUNTRY MILE" (2:37)"RED HEADS AND BLONDES AND BRUNETTES" (2:32)

JOE WHEELER (King 1013)

• A fast moving country tune wed to a set of cute lyrics is taken hold of by Joe Wheeler who offers them up in grand manner. Joe receives appropri-ate support from his string band, making this an ok level. Flip presents the artist in a melodic treatise with the artist in a melodic treatise with "women trouble" the theme. Ops might be interested.

"KIAMISH CHOCTOW ROSE" (2:30) "WHEEL OF FORTUNE" (2:36)

JIMMY THOMASON (King 1051)

• Jimmy Thomason, floats through a soft, slow, listenable tune about his Indian Maiden in first rate style on the upper deck. Effective instrumental blending is supplied by Jimmy's string band. The lower deck is a rendition of a current plug tune that is catching a big play. A rhumba beat with a country styling makes this coverage somewhat different.

"I'LL PAY THE PRICE (THE REST OF MY LIFE)" (2:50) "'TIS SWEET TO BE

REMEMBERED" (3:00)

COWBOY COPAS (King 1040)

Cowboy Copas, taking a fast moving country tune with weepy lyrics, gives the number a first rate vocal with strong instrumental background and effective arrangement, the result is an ok waxing. Flip is a tuneful item in which Copas switches from a fast moving opening to a slow ballad, the combination of which produces an attractive cutting.

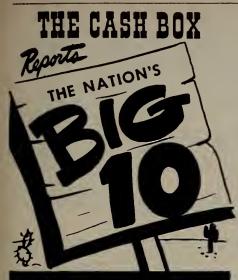
"TENNESSEE WEDDING" (2:30) "PISTOL BOOGIE" (2:27)

DUDE MARTIN (Mercury 6378; 6378 x 45)

• Dude Martin belts out a fast mov-ing, infectious ditty in which he tells the story of his coming wedding. Strong instrumental accompaniment and Dude's effective warblin make this likely item. The second side is a a likely item. The second side is a boogie number with novelty lyrics handled by Dude in a spirited manner. We like the top deck.

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The Cash Box, Music



HILLBILLY, **FOLK & WESTERN** JUKE BOX TUNES



GIVE ME MORE, MORE. MORE Lefty Frizzell (Columbia 20885;

SLOW POKE Pee Wee King (RCA Victor 21-0489; 47-0489)



LET OLD MOTHER NATURE HAVE HER WAY Carl Smith (Columbia 20862; 4-20862)



BABY, WE'RE REALLY IN LOVE Hank Williams (MGM 11100; K11100)

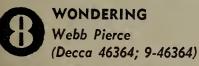
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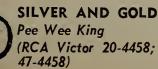
BUNDLE OF SOUTHERN SUNSHINE Eddy Arnold (RCA Victor 20-4413; 47-4413)



MUSIC MAKIN' MAMA FROM MEMPHIS Hank Snow (RCA Victor 20-4346; 47-4346)



CRAZY HEART Hank Williams (MGM 11054; K11054)



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HANK SNOW WINS WASHINGTON POLL

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Hank Snow is the "most popular hillbilly artist" in the Washington area, according to a poll conducted by disk jockey Ray "Fatboy" Armand of WARL, Arlington, Virginia.

The poll was conducted during the month of January and drew more than 30,000 letters and postcards from individuals and fan clubs.

Armand plugged the popularity poll during the morning "Hillbilly Hits" show and his afternoon "Western Hit Parade" program. Idea developed from an argument between the disk jockey and listeners as to who should be the regular leadoff artist on the shows.

Now Hank Snow leads off both shows with his recordings. Fans flooded the station with phone calls during the contest to find out who was in the lead, even though daily an-nouncements of the standings were made on the air.

Interest mounted during the month and fans circulated petition-like let-ters throughout neighborhoods, class-rooms and places of business for signatures to count as votes for favorite hillbilly artists.

Talent representing WSM in Nash-ville won five of the top six places in the poll. They were Lef'y Frizzell, Hank Williams, Carl Smith and Ernest Tubb. .

SHARP BLADES



NEW YORK-A couple of sharp blades, Redd Stewart and Pee Wee King, just got off the plane at La-Guardia Airport, New York, after a flight from their Nashville headquarters for some radio-TV appearances. Pee Wee's RCA Victor recording of "Silver and Gold" on which Redd vocals, is fast getting into the folk hit tabulations. He and Redd have collaborated on writing many song successes, including the fabulous "Tennessee Waltz." Their waxing of "Slow Poke" has been one of the phenomenons of the current season, starting out in the folk field and then climbing to the top of the lists in the pop category.



A BUSINESS TRIP, HUH?



CHICAGO, ILL.-Jake Friedman, Atlanta record distributor, takes a little time out from business as he is pictured being greeted by Terry Massey, a hostess in Jimmy Martin's booth at the CMI Convention in Chicago last week.

Meeting Dates Of Music Operators' Associations

Feb. 20-Westchester Operators' Guild, Inc. Place: American Legion Hall, White Plains, N. Y.

- **25—Amusement Machine Operators' Association** Place: Mandell-Ballow Restaurant, Baltimore, Md.
- 25-Central States Phonograph Operators' Association Place: 621 Main St., Peoria, Ill.
- 25—Phonograph Owners' Association Place: Broadview Hotel, East St. Louis, Ill.
- **26—Automatic Music Operators' Association** Place: Park Sheraton Hotel, N. Y.

Hill and Range Offers \$5000 for Tune

NEW YORK-Milt Gross of Success Music, publishers of the tune "Oh, How My Heart Is Yearning," which has been recorded on the Essex label by Marty Drake, this week received one of the largest offers ever made for a song. A \$5000 advance for the tune was reportedly offered from Hill and Range against a 10c copy deal and a 50-50 split on profits of mechanicals and performance. Ross is taking the offer under advisement.

It is understood that Columbia and Decca recordings will soon be released.

Barkmeier Presents Arnold with Cash Box Award

HOUSTON, TEXAS—Paul Bark-meier, vice president and general man-ager of the RCA Victor Record Department, returned from Houston, Texas, this week where he presented Eddy Arnold with his Cash Box award for having won the 1951 poll as the "Best Folk and Western Artist" of the year.

The presentation took place at Glenn McCarthy's Hotel Shamrock where Arnold was appearing at the time. McCarthy officiated and over 1000 people were present to witness the proceedings.

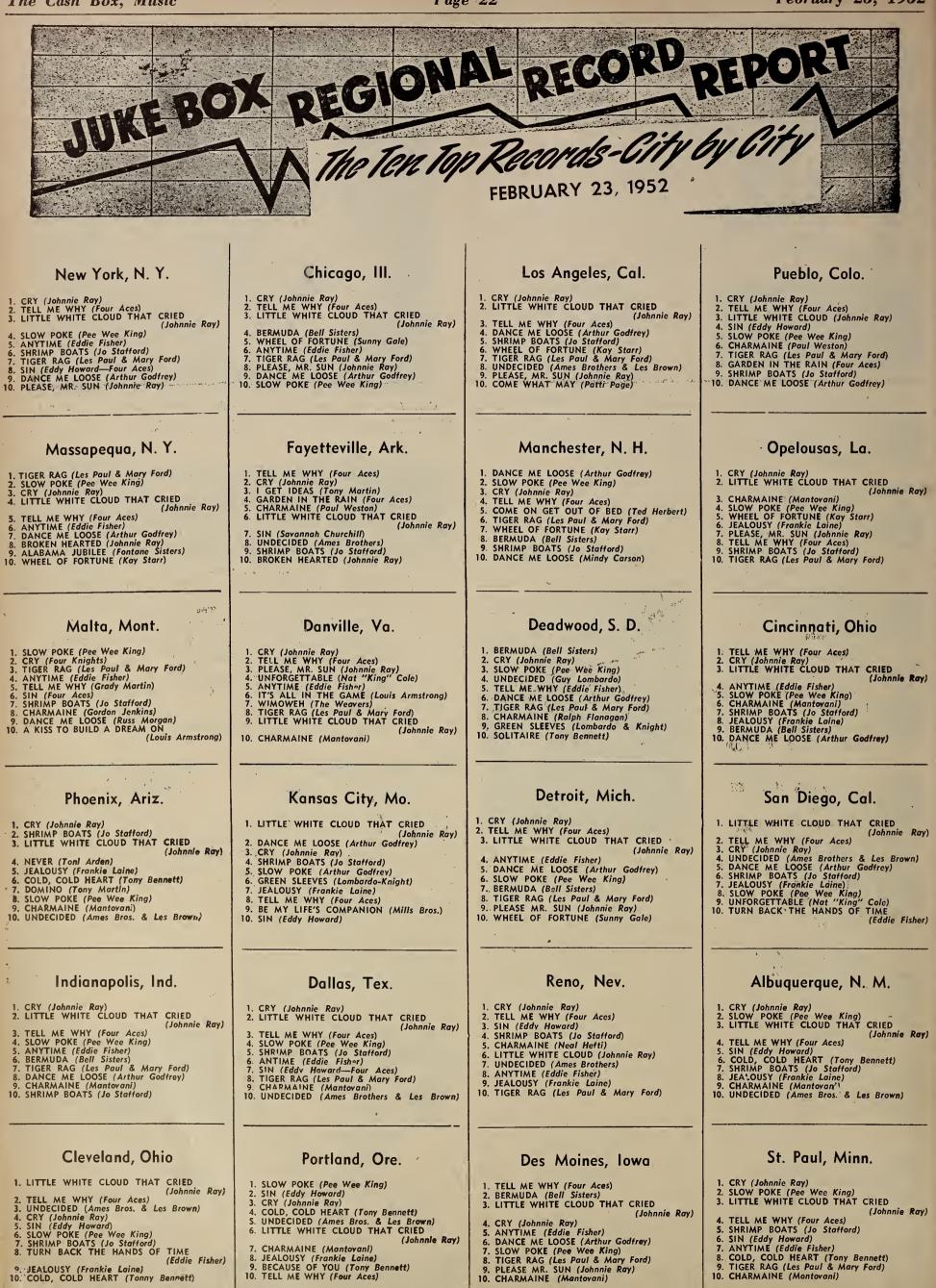


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CHICAGO MUSIC OPS TO TEST 50c PHONO PLAY

CHICAGO - Eyes will probably open wide in a week or two when the public sees phonographs with 50c coin chutes working in this city.

These are being planned by well known juke box ops here who feel that, "the public should be given a real music bargain."

This, they state, ties in with, "what we read in *The Cash Box*" some many months ago about a big bargain in music because the people love bar-gains."

They say, "We not only agree with The Cash Box, but, because of the fact that we are getting fewer and fewer dimes in each collection, the ratio is now over five quarters to each dime (because we give the public three (because we give the public three plays for twenty-five cents as against one play for ten cents) we have come to the conclusion that The Cash Box was entirely correct in its statement that 'the public loves a bargain.'"

But, there is much more to this 50c coin chute angle than appears on the surface. The first machines to appear here will be Seeburg 100 selection phonos. They will announce, by placard, and with storekeeper cooperation, that the players can now get 7 (or maybe 8) plays for 50c.

"In this way," noted op Bob Gnarro stated, "we feel that the public will take advantage of a bargain. "At least we hope they will," he continued, "and we feel sure that if our collection of coins in our present phonos is any indication at all, then we are presenting to the public just what the public wants and likes: 'a real bargain."

There are, as yet, many mechanical problems which have to be overcome. For example, Seeburg's 100 selection mechanism only gives up to six plays on the top trip. The mechanics of the ops firms here have to figure out a way to overcome this and get seven or eight trips for seven or eight plays.

CHICAGO-One result of the CMI convention here was the informal conversations held among leaders who were present and are in the music industry who stated that since MOA (Music Operators Of America) called off its election meeting here at the Palmer House this coming March, they should instead, hold a convention the same time that the NAMA (National Automatic Merchandising Assn.) holds its show in this city.

NAMA will convene on September 14, 15, 16 and 17, 1952. No hotel has as yet been named for this meet by this association.

The belief among those who discussed this exhibition was that:

"There are plenty hotels in Chicago which would welcome the MOA exhibit.

In short, if NAMA will meet here on September 14, 15, 16 and 17, 1952, then, these men be-lieve, MOA (Music Operators Of America) should also hold their convention on these same days.

"In the first place," as one of these men stated, "most of the music ops are operating vendors anyway and this will save them time, expense and much travel-

ing. "They will be able to get around to both shows the same week and will all have a very grand time so doing."

Another thing one music leader pointed out:

"There is no doubt that the attention and distraction which the Bryson Bill caused, should be given a little time to wear off.

The leaders of MOA will be able to look upon it with a completely new viewpoint by September.

"This can be done," this leader stated, "if the MOA election meet and exhibit is held later in the year.

"What better dates," he asks, than the same days of the NAMA show on September 14. 15, 16 and 17, 1952?"

These men, and all others who are interested, urge MOA's members to get to their leaders and arrange for such a meeting in September.

Let all operators enjoy themselves at the same time, and, be assured of the biggest crowds in the history of any MOA convention.

Big Get-Together Party Run By Witsen and Groenteman

PHILADELPHIA, PA.—Abe Wit-sen and Sol Groenteman, new owners of Scott-Crosse Company (International Amusement Company) this city, played host to large numbers of operators, distributors and jobbers from this area on Monday, February 11, at their big get-together party. Harry Hunn, long associated with Scott-Crosse and newly appointed sales manager, introduced many of the visiting operators to the new owners. In addition, manufacturers for whom the firm acts as distributors sent representatives.

Among those who attended and enjoyed the hospitality of Witsen and Groenteman were: Marty Greenberg; Harry Stern; Bob Stein; Sam Gizer; Irv Britton; George Britton; Harry Kofsky; Frank Rossi; Lou Appel; line; Bill Schweitzer; Katz; Casper Shirlig; Max Buswich; Bill Rothstein; Mel Mismer; Harry Silverstein; John Sofchak; Bill Helfrich Messrs. Fisher and Heisler; Harry Stern; Bill Schwartz; Ralph Howard; and Louis Zayon.

Also: Don Cavanaugh; Al Swerze; Robert Stein; Joe Silverman; Max Brown; Al Rodstein; John Rossi; Lenny Schneller; Jack Kramer; Lou Dramer; Dave Rosen and Joe Ash.

Among those from the factories: Ben Becker, Bally; and Ed Hall, Rock-Ola. Baskets of flowers and numerous telegrams were displayed.

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MOA Cancels March Election Meet George A. Miller Advises MOA's Board of Directors Will Soon Announce New Meet Dates. Convention in Chicago This September Will Be Given Serious Consideration.



GEORGE A. MILLER

CHICAGO—Passing thru here on his way back to Oakland, Calif., George A. Miller, president of MOA, Inc. (Music Operators Of America, Inc.) announced that the members of the Board of Directors had cancelled their election meeting date this forthcoming March 3, 4 and 5, 1952 at the Palmer House Hotel here.

Miller did state that the Board of Directors of Music Operators Of America would soon announce new meeting dates.

He also stated, when questioned, "We will give serious consideration to the suggestion that we hold our convention this forthcoming September, same week as the NAMA meet here in Chicago."

He said, "It seems to me that, after the work which we have done on opposing the passage of the Bryson Bill in Washington, D. C., most of us require some rest. Also time to consider whether or not we should hold a convention this year.

"If a convention is to be held", he concluded, "then the very best days would be this forthcoming September 15, 16 and 17, 1952 at one of the Chicago hotels. Not because of the NAMA convention during those same days, but, because we feel that by that time we will know just where we stand."

Miller reported that he believed all who appeared to oppose the Bryson Bill at the open public hearings of the third Sub-Committee of the Committee-On-The-Judiciary conducted themselves in a very commendable manner.

"There is no doubt", he stated, "that the Congressmen who listened to us realized that, in the first place, we were not racketeers, as had been stated at the hearings and, secondly, that we were legitimate business men and family men working hard to earn a living in the automatic music industry."

He was optimistic in his statements regarding what the operators and all others had done to oppose the Bryson Bill.

He also said, "I want to again go on record as saying that your publication (*The Cash Box*) was one of the most potent forces in helping to align the entire automatic music industry of America against this bill and, furthermore, that it was your editorials and your reports which caused a flood of many, many letters, wires and phone calls to Congressmen, telling the truth about the juke box business."

He followed this statement with, "As far as the demand from juke box leaders that we hold our convention this September 15, 16 and 17, here in Chicago, I must leave this to our Board of Directors. I do hope that we shall soon have a very favorable answer for the trade regarding this question."

Tolisano New President of Conn. State Ops Association.

Abe Fish, Retiring President, Makes Inspired Talk

HARTFORD, CONN. — The Connecticut State Phonograph Association held a tremendous installation meeting at Depasquale's Restaurant in this city on Thursday, January 24, with over 60 members and many guests in attendance.

The new officers were installed, and all outgoing officers received gitts.

Abe Fish, upon being made an honorary president for life, addressed the gathering. He pointed out that the organization started off with a handful of operators, and today there are 73 members, all acting in full cooperation. "We use the honor system only" stated Fish. "We have no big stick-we have no boycott against store keepers, operators or distributors. We have earned the respect of our local communities with our public relations. We have earned the respect of our customers, our competitors, and our distributors. As a result our members have better working hours, are using better business practices, and are getting better percentages and more front money."

Included in his talk was an inspired praise for the American way of life. "There is a future for every one in the coin machine business" stated Fish, "just as America has a promise for the future of all people in the World."

Fish concluded his speech to a standing, rousing ovation from the members when he stated: "Abide by the principles of the association; play fair; be honest; command respect; dress, speak and act like business men; help your fellow member; obey the rules; and above all stand united."

James Tolisano, the incoming president took over after Fish. He praised Abe for the many accomplishments made during his two years. He also commended the other officers, and welcomed the incoming officers.

Guests who attended the meet were: Ralph Colucci, Frank Holland, John Trifiro, Bob Jones, and Art Daddis.

CMI SHOW PICS







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- 1) Joe Cohen, Ristaucrat, does a dance with model Jean Parradine.
- 2) Exhibit's "Big Bronco" was a big hit, but beautiful Joanne Jones didn't hurt any. Frank Mencuri, sales manager, has good reason to smile.
 2) Haward Brotest with Owners
- 3) Howard Pretzel with Orange vendor he displayed.
- 4) George Harrison, Darlington Music Co., Darlington, S. C., captured by Jean Parradine on the exhibit floor.

Mutoscope Machines at CMI Show



CHICAGO—One of the most crowded booths at the recent CMI Convention was that of International Mutoscope Corporation, L. I. C., N. Y., who displayed a new "Shooting Gallery" and its new "Photomat." Picture above was taken just prior to the opening of the exhibit floors.

Nearly every box makes most money in the night hours. With a route of AMI "D's," you spend your nights in peaceful slumber uninterrupted by frantic service calls or bitter bawlings-out by locations. The "D" works while you sleep and gives you countless reams of beautiful Dreams, with this stalwart performer always building up your health, physical and fiscal!

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GENERAL OFFICES AND FACTORY: 1500 UNION AVENUE, S. E., GRAND RAPIDS 2, MICHIGAN

NPA Head States No New **Curbs On Production for '52**

Levels Of Second Quarter Will Be Maintained, Barring Change In **World Situation**

COPPER SCARCITY TO STAY

WASHINGTON, D. C.—A state-ment this week by Henry H. Fowler, head of the National Production Authority, can be viewed with optimism of a kind by the coin machine indus-

try. Barring a sharp change in the in-ternational picture, cutbacks in the production of consumer durable mer-chandise will not go below the levels fixed for the second quarter of this year, Fowler stated. A survey now in progress at the agency indicates that no additional curbs on civilian output no additional curbs on civilian output will be necessary for the rest of the year. Fowler added that the survey had not yet been completed but from present indications there was every reason to hope that the second quarter level allocations of copper, steel and aluminum could be maintained thruout this year. Other defense production officials,



discussing Fowler's statement, said that by next January slight increases in the amounts of steel and aluminum granted for civilian output should be possible. However, they held out no hope of an early improvement in the copper situation.

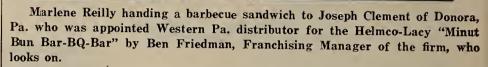
While the overall picture for the production of coin operated equipment remains the same as is in progress at this time (first and second quarters) at least, it appears as if the industry even at a curtailed rate. It was thought at one time that the Government might stop production completely.

pletely. While the picture appears headed for improvement in allocations of ma-terials starting in 1953, copper will evidently be held to the same quota as is being used at present. If world conditions do not worsen by 1953, those coin machine manufacturers using aluminum and steel in their products will probably be able to in-crease their production. Those who need copper (and most every piece of equipment made in the coin machine equipment made in the coin machine industry uses copper wire) will, at the utmost, be able to produce only what is coming off their lines at this time.



Sample Taste Creates New Distrib





Joe Clement stated that he intends to intensively cover every outlet in his territory with the Helmco-Lacy "Minut Bar-BQ-Bar."

Wurlitzer Service School Week at Coven's

CHICAGO—Joe Hrdlicka of the Wurlitzer factory, from North Tona-wanda, N. Y., will be in town from Monday, Feb. 18 thru Friday, Feb. 22, explaining Wurlitzer's 1400 phono at the Wurlitzer Service School con-ducted by Coven Distributing Com-pany, local Wurlitzer distributors, this city. "Since so many new operators have come into the Wurlitzer fold." Harold

come into the Wurlitzer fold," Harold Saul of the firm reported, "we asked Joe Hrdlicka to come here and give a complete explanation of Wurlitzer

"In the first place," he continued, "the Wurlitzer phonograph mecha-nism is the best known and easiest serviced by all phono mechanics.

"But, the new automatic volume control," he stated, "is something me-chanics and operators want to better understand.

"The new operators," he claims, "are the ones who need instruction and," he continued, "we believe that these men will be more than happy, after they attend our service school classes, all this week."

Coven Distributing Company, Ben Coven stated, will be happy to make hotel and transportation arrange-ments for all out of town operators so that mechanics, servicemen and op-erators can attend the Wurlitzer Service School at their offices at 3181 Elston Avenue, this city."

Lighter Moments at CMI Show



TOP (Left): Irv Sandler, Des Moines, Ia., uses the bed in the Philtain booth for a double purpose-he gets a slight rest, and at the same time listens to their Hospital Radio, while Jean Parradine kibitzes with him. (Right): Coffee at the Gottlieb both enjoyed by Alvin Gottlieb, Bill Gersh, Frank Underhill and Jake Skibell.

BOTTOM (Left): Dave Stern, an admirer of feminine pulchritude, chats with model Terry Massey. (Right): Juan Garcia of Mexico City (Casa Garcia) getting instructions in pool and-.

"It's What's in THE CASH BOX That Counts"

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THERE'S STILL ONLY ONE "BIG BRONCO"

BACKED BY 14 YEARS OF DEVELOPMENT AND 51 YEARS OF EXPERIENCE MANUFACTURING QUALITY MACHINES

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"It's What's in THE CASH BOX That Counts"

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Music Operators of America, Inc. Proves Its Worth as National Assn. for Juke Box Ops at Bryson Bill Hearings. This was a Far Cry from the Handful Who Came Together to Defend the Industry Against the Former Buckley and Scott Bills. MOA Has Won Many Adherents to Its Cause as "Watchdog for National Legislation Which Can Harm Juke Box Industry"

A Dream of THE CASH BOX Come True!

The idea, the plan, for Music Operators Of America, was originated, organized, and sponsored by THE CASH BOX.

This came about after THE CASH BOX had warned the industry, some years ago, of what the Buckley Bill (which was then introduced into Congress) would mean to every juke box operator.

After this bill died, another came forth, the Scott Bill.

Again THE CASH BOX went all out advising music operators thruout the entire nation that they were again faced with a grave danger.

The result was that operators did write to their Congressmen. And did make appeals to halt the Scott Bill.

When representatives of THE CASH BOX dashed down to Washington with music operators from the East, it expected to meet with dozens of other juke box ops already there from all other parts of the nation. Instead, a mere handful of automatic music operators attended.

This handful won over the tremendous arguments presented by the adherents of the Scott Bill.

THE CASH BOX then realized that, with the juke box industry continuing to grow greater each year, with its popularity outranking anything else in music, that such bills would have to be faced year after year in the Congress.

A board of three prominent attorneys, well known for their work for their individual juke box associations was then chosen, and this board remained in force, while THE CASH BOX continued to appeal, to crusade, and to point out, practically week after week, the need for a nation alliance to watch out for dangerous national legislation which could ruin the juke box industry.

That next winter, in Chicago, while a convention was getting under way, THE CASH BOX called together the leaders of the juke box business, who had come to Chicago to attend this convention and, right then and there, in THE CASH BOX rooms in the Bismarck Hotel was born M.O.A.

In fact, that very same evening George A. Miller of Oakland, California was introduced and nominated for the leadership of the organization.

It was he, then, who was asked to call an "official" meeting the next day at the Sherman Hotel. He did.

That next afternoon, "M.O.A." (Music Operators of America) came into "official" being.

THE CASH BOX, therefore, realized a dream come true.

Like the many, many other proposals it has made to the industry, which have since come true, in this one it takes great pride and pleasure.

It is this organization that has saved great expense and time for every music operator in the nation, with its dignified and outstanding acton in Washington, D.C. just a few short weeks ago, to oppose the Bryson Bill—the most dangerous of all the bills in Congress this industry has ever yet faced.

Whatever reports have already been written about the second open public hearings on the Bryson Bill (H.R. 5473) before the third Sub-Committee of the Committee-On-The-Judiciary in Washington, D. C., in which the members of the automatic music industry were heard, and wherein they presented astounding revelations in an outstanding and dignified manner to the Congressional members of the committee in hearing, have probably been read by all who are now reading this.

But, this is not the intent and purpose of this article. Instead, this article is going to deal with the whys and wherefore's, and the great facts which surrounded prior to, during, and now, after the hearings.

It is the general hope of all concerned with the automatic music industry that the case of this juke box business, as presented to the Sub-Committee will have sufficiently taken effect to assure the complete disregard of the Bryson Bill. (And the hope that, in the future, further such bills will never again be presented.)

What is most important to all the industry is the fact that, again, only a handful of men were present to fight for the rights of the grand total of people in, and allied to, this automatic music business everywhere in this great nation.

Where, formerly, such effort was not co-

ordinated and regulated, this time it was conducted as any great organization should conduct its case before a tribunal of the Congress of the United States.

And this was only made possible because there was an MOA (Music Operators Of America, Inc.) in existence to do this job. And do it with very, very little coin, for this great, growing and progressive automatic music industry.

Therein lies the entire story. Not in the reports of the hearings, but, rather, in the fact that the nation's juke box operators and all those allied to the juke box industry, felt confidence in the fact that an organization, representing the great majority of the nation's juke box operators, was present to conduct a dignified, factual, outstanding opposition to the Bryson Bill.

For this fact, as has been stated in the past, and as is being stated now, in its own honor, and with complete dignity and modesty in this statement, the entire juke box industry has *The Cash Box* to thank.

But, *The Cash Box* begs to bow away from such thanks, and defer this thanks to those few men who were present at the Bryson Bill hearings and who conducted such a logical defense for all the operators engaged in this juke box field.

It is, therefore, extremely important to all engaged in the automatic music industry of America to realize that this is, by far, not the last battle that will have to be fought, as far as national legislation is concerned. Many, many more such battles will have to be planned and fought in the future.

This has been a great day for MOA. Assuring this young watch dog of national legislation which might harm the entire juke box industry (the only purpose for which it was created) that its prestige has trebled, over and over again, many, many times.

It is certainly comforting, and relaxing, to realize that here is an organization which will fight national legislative battles.

The operator need but write a letter or two. Send a wire or two. Donate whatever small monies he can afford. Then sit back —and relax.

He knows, in complete and solid confidence, that the leaders of M.O.A. will bring together the right men and will go on, with banners unfurled and flying high, into any and all national legislative battles in Washington.

Not only this Bryson Bill, but the bills that are sure to follow, and the bills of other nature which will also come about in the nation's capitol, will be the battle of the one organization that was, at one time, only a dream of *The Cash Box*.

A dream come true.

February 23, 1952

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PATROL



- 2) Herb Perkins of Purveyor in front of his booth talks with the execs of
- ran Distributing -Herb Gorman. head of the Jax office and Sam Taran, head of the Taran organization. 3) Charles G. Sherman, Brewer-Titchener Corp., N. Y., explains the working of their ice making machine to Jim Hartley of Pontiac, Mich.

RIGHT STRIP—TOP TO BOTTOM

- 1) B. D. Lazar and J. D. Lazar of Pittsburgh, Pa., rest up at the booth of D. Gottlieb & Co.
- 2) Les Rieck, H. C. Evans & Co., embraces his new sweetheart, the Evans' "Jubilee" phonograph.
- 3) Dave Go'dstein holds sign of Roc-A-Ride Sales; as R. E. Smith, California distrib for the horse; and Si Walsky, operator from Columbus, O., get "shot" by the camera man.

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Rogers, Loyal Republican.

kin of the J L Music Co.

Cleveland Phono Routes Sold

CLEVELAND, O .- The Cleveland Phonograph Merchants Association reports that Delbert Witman of Lor-

ain sold his music route to Louis Ber-

ger, who will continue to operate the

route under the name of Del's Juke-

box Service. Phil Levine of Heights

Music also sold his route to Joe Lu-

CAMERA CLIX AT CMI CONVENTION



LEFT-TOP TO BOTTOM

- 1) Jack Mitnick, regional representative of AMI and Arnold Feldman (son-in-law of the late Morris Hankin) of Atlanta, Ga., talk about the sunny South while resting in The Cash Box booth.
- 2) Sam Taran, Taran Distributing Co., looks on speculatively, as Phil Moss of Atlas gives Jerry Meiden an opportunity to rest up in a most enjoyable manner.
- 3) Al Simon of New York, Harry Rosenberg of Baltimore, and Sam Lewis of ChiCoin look over the firm's new "4-Player Derby."
- 4) Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sheffield of Ace Premium Sales talk things over with Bill Gersh of The Cash Box.
- 5) Clarence Camp, Memphis, Tenn., Stephanie Hayes (Sherman Hayes' beautiful daughter) and Louis Boasberg of New Orleans, La. with the horse made by Memphis Metal Mfg. Co.

RIGHT—TOP TO BOTTOM

- U.S. and Canadian ops get together. Joe Elum, Massilon, O.;
 C. A. Robertson and G. H. Mac Farlane, both of Orillia, Ont., Canada; and William H. Fellmeth, Jr., Canal Fulton, O.
- 2) Abe Simon (extreme left) and Abe Chapman (extreme right) of Los Angeles, Calif., tell Geo. George and Roy Monroe, Monroe Coin Machine Exch., Cleveland, O., all about their "Buccaroo" horse.
- 3) Bill Davis of W. D. Davis Co., shows Audrey Maestro some of the firm's costume jewelry line which has been clicking so well with operators.
- 4) A. Schmidt, Seymour Golden of Embassy Distributors, and A. Levey relax for a few moments after pounding the floors of the exhibit hall.
- 5) Cindy Jewel (the First Distributors flash model) and Vic Weiss, exec of the First firm in their booth.



LEFT-TOP TO BOTTOM

- 1) Gil Kitt and Vince Shay, Empire Coin Machine Exch., and Dick Hood, president of H. C. Evans & Co., with the new Evans' phono displayed in the Empire booth.
- 2) Irv Weiler and Carl Hoelzel of the newly consolidated firm of Uni-Con Distributing Co., Kansas City, Mo., surround model Terry Massey. Probably asking her to come to their Grand Opening Party of Feb. 17 and 18.
- 3) Herman Paster, Paster Dist. Co., St. Paul, Minn.; Samuel Wolberg, ChiCoin exec.; and Harold Lieberman, Lieberman Music Co., Minneapolis, Minn. in a huddle.
- Sol Groenteman and Abe Witsen, the new owners of Scott-Crosse Co., Philadelphia, Pa., who made plenty of friends during their visit here.
- 5) "Shlep-A-Long" Sam Kohn, owner of Roc-A-Ride Sales, Philadelphia, Pa., in full cowboy regalia on his horse "Thunderbolt."

RIGHT-TOP TO BOTTOM

- 1) Bob Gnarro, one of Chicago's leading music ops with model Jerry Meiden at The Cash Box booth. (Note bulletin on left reporting Bryson Bill hearings, which drew tremendous crowds of coinmen to booth).
- 2) Joe Mangone, Gottlieb, Florida representative; Harry Rosen, Atlantic New York Corp., N. Y.; and Dave Gottlieb, president of D. Gottlieb & Co. (Probably talking about how nice it must be in Miami Beach).
- 3) Sol Gottlieb, D. Gottlieb & Co., and A. S. Levey, Dayton, O., who has been operating over fifty years, look over one of the firm's old time machines.
- 4) Bob Cronk, Joe Munves and Larry Ascher of the Mike Munves firm, with the basketball game "Set Shot" displayed in their booth.
- 5) At the World Wide Dist. booth: Moe Fine, Montreal, Canada; and the men of World Wide—Al Stern, president; Monte West, Andy Hesch and Bob Lindelof.

CMI Show In Pictures









TOP TO BOTTOM

- Jackie Cohn of Atlantic City, N. Y., watches model Joanne Jones take a ride on Exhibit's "Big Bronco."
- 2) Bill Rabkin, president of International Mutoscope Corp., smiles happily over the biz being done at his booth.
- 3) Lou Singer on the Royal Mustang horse.
- 4) Bert Davidson, Permo, Inc., chats with model Cindy Jewel while relaxing at the booth of "The Cash Box."

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The PENNANT WINNER for SKILL PLAY—BASEBALL THRILLS and TOP EARNINGS! Give the Players What They Want with

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DO YOU WANT A "NATIONAL COIN MACHINES CREDIT BUREAU?"

IF YOU BELIEVE YOU SHOULD ENJOY A BETTER CREDIT STAND-ING IN THIS INDUSTRY — LIKE THE CREDIT YOU ENJOY FROM YOUR LOCAL MERCHANTS—THEN

Almost since its very first issue The Cash Box has suggested that there be created a "National Coin Machines Credit Bureau."

READ

As The Cash Box pointed out at that time, and ever since, such a Bureau would prove invaluable to all engaged in this field.

Not only would it loosen much credit, but would also remove many restrictions on giving credit, which are now in force.

Today, due to a few poor credit risks, operators whose credit rating is very high, and who can be trusted with much more credit than they are now getting, suffer right along with everyone else in their territories, because of these few bad risks that have soured the credit situation in their areas.

This same holds true for many jobbers and distributors. They, too, in many cases should, because of their financial set-ups, be able to obtain much better credit arrangements than they are now enjoying. In fact, some enjoy no credit at all, even tho they are in a good position to obtain a high credit standing.

As has been pointed out time and again there are many operators, jobbers and distributors who rate extremely well in their communities as credit risks yet, in their own industry, the place where they earn their living to enjoy such good credit standing in their communities, they have no credit standing whatsoever.

During the CMI convention at the Sherman Hotel in Chicago, this past February, many noted coinmen, some in a group, approached The Cash Box and urged that this publication set up and arrange a "National Coin Machines Credit Bureau" as it has been proposing for almost ten years.

These men stated that tho they realized The Cash Box had left the arrangement of a credit bureau for the members of the industry to those engaged in this field, they believed that this publication was best fitted for such a neccessity and should, therefore, be the one to arrange for such a Bureau to benefit all in the field.

One well known midwest distributor, a member of the group who approached The Cash Box, stated that he knew he had lost some fine accounts because he didn't know just how much credit he could risk with these accounts.

Others reported giving too much credit, and then being caught for many, many extra months with their money so tied up in these poor risk accounts that they were completely embarrassed from a financial standpoint, even tho their books looked fine and they were forced to pay heavy taxes on their sales and income. Yet, their money remained out in the field for so long a period of time, because of over extension of credit, that they were almost forced to close their doors.

Then there are operators who are rightfully angered over the fact that, tho they enjoy a tremendously fine credit standing in their own communities, the people whom they do business with, where they earn this credit risk distinction, just won't advance them sufficient credit to keep them going.

Some jobbers and distributors claim that they get no credit at all. That they are forced to pick up everything C.O.D. And that, if not for their banks, they would be in an extremely financially embarrassed position.

They point to the fact that their banks will make them loans, for a certain percentage of interest, vet the people with whom they have done business for years, won't give them any credit at all.

for years, won't give them any credit at all. Just as The Cash Box proposed that there be created a "National Coin Machines Public Relations Bureau" and also many, many other suggestions, like a "School For Mechanics," this publication believed that a "National Coin Machines Credit Bureau" was also of great necessity for the industry. Many noted members of the industry, over the years, approached *The Cash Box* on this suggestion and, after much discussion, stated that they were going to create such a Bureau. But nothing ever came of it.

Now The Cash Box itself has been approached to create such a Bureau. As one of the men in the group who came to The Cash Box with this suggestion stated:

"After all, every time we need information about someone, somewhere in the country whom we don't know, we call on you anyway. You give us the information.

"Why not, then, tie it all together and let's have a real Credit Bureau as you have suggested for almost ten years now?"

He also added, "Just like it took years for the trade to adopt your 70%-30% commission percentage basis, also your 10¢ play idea, and many other proposals which you have made, it seems it has taken years for many of us to realize how right you are regarding a 'National Coin Machines Credit Bureau.'"

As this man also pointed out, the influx of premiums into the field has created a new credit situation whereby the premium firms want to know more about the people engaged in the field. Other large organizations, now selling parts and

Other large organizations, now selling parts and supplies to the industry, want some source of industry credit information to give them a credit line on the men with whom they deal.

The Cash Box, therefore, believes that the need for a "National Coin Machines Credit Bureau" should be left entirely up to all the trade, and that the members of the industry vote whether they do, or do not, want such a Bureau to be put into operation by The Cash Box.

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TOP TO BOTTOM

- 1) Myer Gensburg, Genco Manufacturing & Sales, at the firm's booth along side the games now being featured.
- 2) Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brilliant, Brilliant Music Co., Detroit, Mich. Joe is one of the best known and leading distributors in the country.
- 3) Gerald D. Allen, Golf Unlimited, with the new golf game he displayed for the operators.
- 4) Harry Lowenthal of Tucker-Lowenthal, premium firm, shown with some of the merchandise he had on display.



W. J. (BILL) RYAN

CHICAGO—Meeting the demand of operators, as well as their own dis-tributors from all over the country, tributors from all over the country, Williams Manufacturing Company, this past week, announced that an entirely new edition of its famed "World Series" games was now in production, and that deliveries would be made as scheduled.

Bill Ryan, general sales manager

of the firm stated: "The demand that we start produc-tion on a new 'World Series' game grew to such volume that we have held back many other plans, to get going on our latest edition of the game which has earned so much money for operators everywhere in the nation. "In fact," he stated, "some of our distributors tell us that there never has been a machine to equal the 'Super World Series' which we produced

about a year ago. "The very fact that they are so difficult to obtain even on the used machines market is an indication, in itself, of the outstanding quality of this machine.

"Now", he says, "we have an en-tirely new and better edition of the game in our brand new 'DeLuxe World Series' which features an en-tirely new and better playing field and backboard and which, in our estimation, and from long and tough tests, we conducted, indicates that our 'De-Luxe World Series' is going to prove itself one of the greatest moneymaking machines ever produced for the benefit of the ntaion's amusement operators.'

Production is getting well under way at the Williams' plant here. Execs of the firm hope to be shipping "DeLuxe World Series" in larger and still larger volume each ensuing week.

Sue To Prevent Gov't

BALTIMORE, MD .- Three Maryland firms brought suit this past week against the United States Government to prevent the Government from seizing their slot machines.

The firms said they took the action to prevent the Government from seizing their equipment under the Federal law passed last year prohibiting transportation of slot machines in interstate commerce and requiring the registration of gambling machines with the United States Attorney General (Johnson Act, Public Law 906).

Attorney General J. Howard Mc-Grath and FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover asked a dismissal of the suit, and denied that slot machines and gambling devices have been seized in cases where they were owned and possessed by operators who were neither manufacturers nor dealers.

The three firms contended they had conformed with all phases of the law, but wanted to make sure their machines were not seized.

The complainants own and operate in Anne Arundel, St. Marys and Calvert counties, where the machines are considered legal.



EASTERN FLASHES

Coinmen whom we met on coinrow this week, and who didn't attend the CMI Show in Chicago, nor the Bryson Bill hearings in Washington, were asking detailed information about both. Most had already read stories and reports in the current issue of The Cash Box, but were curious about specific details and opinions of others who had attended. We were able to supply this information as we had attended the CMI Show, and had spoken with The Cash Box reporter and other coinmen who were in Washington. It's interesting to note that the question asked by all coinmen in this area about the CMI Show was "Was there anything new shown?" Games ops here, who operate mostly shuffle games, were hoping for a new machine, maybe a shuffle game or something similar, so that they could pep up their routes. Music ops wanted opinions as to the reaction of the members of the Sub-Committee of The Judiciary after listening to the testimony of the juke box industry. Our reply, after speaking with many who had been at the hearings, either testifying or listening, was that the consensus of the music machine men was that it appeared that the Bryson Bill would not be passed out of the committee. Members of the industry from New York who testified did themselves proud. Sidney Levine, attorney; Al Denver, president of the Automatic Music Operators Association; and Sam Penner, a Brooklyn operator, were highly instrumental in swaying the members of the congressional Committee to view the industry's problems (who's ideas of the juke box industry prior to the hearings were completely distorted). While the outcome at this moment looks extremely favorable to the juke box industry, one can never tell. It is still of utmost importance to continue to write letters to the members of the sub-committee.

Abe Witsen and Sol Groenteman, the new owners of Scott-Crosse Co. (and International Amusement Co.) Philadelphia, Pa. ran quite a party on Monday, February 11. It brought in numbers of operators in the territory who were meeting Witsen and Groenteman for the first time. Predictions were that these men will go far with their distributing firm. Harry Hunn, who had been appointed sales manager for the firm, was chief greeter and introduced the operators to Witsen and Groenteman. . . . Some of the coinmen who attended the Bryson Bill hearigns came on to New York for the balance of the week. Among them were A. D. Pa'mer, Jr., advertising and sales promotion manager for The Rudolph Wurlitzer Co., and Irving Ackerman, attorney for the Detroit phonograph operators association. . . . Sam Goldsmith and Mac Presser of Capitol Electro-Pony Corp., back from the CMI show and very happy over the showing of their mechanical horse "Bright Eyes" and their movie machines. Leo Willens went on to the west coast. . . . Harry and Hymie Koeppel of Koeppel Distributors, altho extremely busy buying and selling reconditioned music machines as well as loads of plastics for phonos, have plans under way which will expand the firm's activities. . . . Meyer Parkoff, Atlantic New York Corp., off on a cruise to South America with the missus. Should be back in 10 days or two weeks. Meanwhile Harry Rosen on hand taking over Parkoff's chores. . . . Another coinman relaxing in the sunny south, Mac Pollay, Miami Beach.

Joe Young, Young Distributors, proud of the wonderful plug given the Wurlitzer 1400, which appeared on the Perry Como TV coast-to-coast show this week... Wurlitzer got another TV plug when the Martin and Lewis show pictured a Wurlitzer phono in one of their skits. It was an 850 with Lewis' "mother" sitting inside the cabinet making with the music. Lewis clowned around stating "My mother's a Wurlitzer". . . . Humbert Betti, Union City, N. J. operator handing out the seegars in pairs—celebrating the arrival of twins to his oldest son Hugh. Betti, by the way, leaves shortly for a six months trip thru Europe. Will combine business with pleasure. . . . Barney (Shugy) Sugerman, Runyon Sales, so busy out of the office and in Jersey, he's most difficult to catch up with at the New York office.



The coin machine operators in Dallas, sixty five of them, had a meeting Monday at Sammy's restaurant to talk about converting their machines to dime play. The turn out was great and from all indications the meeting was a success. On the program were Tommy Chatten and Raymond Williams of Commercial Music, Bill O'Connor and Arthur Hughes of S. H. Lynch and George Wrenn of Walbox Sales Company. Each told about how other operators in various sections of the state had profited by ten cent play. E. L. Certain was in charge of the meeting. Over in Shamrock, Texas where Johnson Wood is king of the coin machine business, they have a big celebration every March 17—St. Patrick's Day. All the natives grow beards and anyone caught without a beard is fined. This year

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Olin Dryer of San Angelo has switched all his machines to dime and quarter play. The other operators there will probably follow suit. Olin was in town not long ago trying to book name bands for his night club. . . . Jimmy Cooper of Breckenridge has found a lot of time lately for fishing. . . Hugo Joeris has moved his American Novelty to a location and has just bought a new home. Travis Roberts of San Angelo is recovering from broken arm, and his wife, Jenny is recovering from a food allergy. . . . Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Keel of Ballinger are recovering from the flu.

"It's What's in THE CASH BOX That Counts"

The Cash Box





Pretty hectic goings-on around our town. Many machines already off locations. More following. Seems like some of the boys should stiffen the old spinal column. And get together with one and all regarding what's best for the entire business... Paul Huebsch over at Keeney advising that they have a brand new model of their all electric ciggy vendor in hammerloid that is getting much praise from all who've seen it. The firm has won great commendation for its ciggy vendor. It's rated one of the greatest... Nate Gottlieb's only story this past week dealt with horses and jockeys and came to a head with a telegram stating: "S.S.F.F.". And it doesn't mean "Started Second Finished First." ... Wally Finke stated that the firm should close its doors for one day to catch up.... Ted Rubenstein has a new scoreboard that's getting lots and lots of attention from shuffleboard ops all over the nation. Looks like Ted came up with a real winner.

Jack Nelson of Bally tells how he came out to meet what the girl at the switchboard had told him was "a Canadian operator." Instead, there stood twelve of the leading ops of Canada. Jack says it seemed to him there were more Canadians in town than our own operators. . . . Some music ops here are going to try out 50c coin chutes on their phonos. The reason? Because the ratio of dimes to quarters has been growing bigger and bigger on the twobits side, to the point where they are finding more than 5 two-bit pieces to every dimeroo in their phonos. "So," like Bob Gnarro says, "why not give 'em a real bargain? Seven plays for 50c." . . Bill Ryan was quite thrilled with the many requests the firm has had to start production going once again on its "World Series" game. So he Sam Stern and Harry Williams put their heads together, with the result that the firm is now in production on a brand new "World Series" game, called: "DeLuxe World Series," which is reported to be a tremendous advance even from their last one, "Super World Series."

We had a delegation visit us during the show suggesting that we put a nine year old proposal of ours into immediate practise. The proposal (along with many, many others this publication has crusaded for) is that there be created a "National Coin Machines Credit Bureau." These coinmen want us at The Cash Box to put this bureau into immediate action. What do you think? . . . Heard from Al Stern of World Wide Distributors, who is doing a very fine job with a new Formica board, and Al tells us business going right ahead at top speed. . . . Our sincerest condolences to the family of Oscar Soel'ner, adman for Exhibit Supply Co., and for other firms for many, many years. Oscar used to like to recall the early days of the coinbiz. One of the grandest guys we've ever known. We were heartsick to hear of his passing this past week (Monday, February 11, 1952) from a heart attack in his Oak Park home. . . . Les Rieck over at H. C. Evans & Co. puts it this way, "All our worries are production." And when mfrs can talk that way, brother, business is great. The Evans' Century 100/45 and the Evans' Jubilee 40/45 and 40/78 went over like zooming rockets during the showing at the Morrison Hotel. Frank Mencuri of Exhibit down in Tampa displaying the firm's machines

Frank Mencuri of Exhibit down in Tampa displaying the firm's machines but keeping in touch with the factory here where Chet Gore and Ford Sebastian advised him that orders for their "Big Broncho" (after the show, too, mind you) have set a brand new sales record for the firm. . . . MOA (Music Operators Of America) cancelled their March election meeting at the Palmer House, George A. Miller, President of MOA, told us as he passed thru town from Washington hearings and, tho there had been a tentative date set for May, MOA has now taken under consideration the suggestion that they run their convention the same time as the NAMA show in September. . . . Which reminds us here at The Cash Box that we're mighty pleased to see how successful MOA has become. This organization was originated, organized and sponsored by this publication. It's a dream come true for The Cash Box. It certainly was very pleasant to be able to spend time at the CMI show in Chicago, instead of having to frantically dash to Washington hearings, and worry and fight and argue. That's what MOA means. Music ops can now rest easier where national legislative battles are concerned. Henry Strong, who used to be sales mgr for O. D. Jennings & Co., and who is now sales mgr for one of the leading chemical companies, phoned to tell us this past week that he still gets a thrill reading The Cash Box each week. Ben Coven should he highly complimented by all one here for the marvelous

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"Thunderbolt" horse. Frank York, College Inn ork pilot, playing the cue game. And the many, many others who appeared, plus the commentator's statements, made this an unusually fine, favorable and interesting newsreel. One of the happiest guys around the town after the show was Izz Edelman of Detroit whose "Cross-A-Line" rolldown clicked at the show. . . . By the way, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lemke of Detroit checked into the Sherman the last day of the show to celebrate their 33rd wedding anniversary. The reason so few people saw them, "Was because," Henry said, "the suite was so expensive we simply wouldn't leave it and enjoyed every minute we were in it. We had to at those prices." (Anyway, Mr. and Mrs. Lemke, all the grand, good wishes from all of us for 33 years more of wedded bliss). . . . Larry Cooper came all the way down from Cross Lake, Minn. (he's in the boat biz up there now) to see the boat show and learned that the coinshow was also under way. So he took in both.

United's new nite club was well initiated during the convention days with many singing the praises of this gorgeous spot that Lyn Durant created. It certainly is outstanding. Even Johnny (Beanbag) Casola likes to spend his time up there, hidden away from all factory noise, and enjoy the relaxing atmosphere. Bill DeSelm and Herb Oettinger acted as bartenders the day we were there with Herman Paster, Barney Sugerman, the Ames Brothers and many others. . . Bumped into Stuart Lyon of Lyon Industries Noo Yawk, at the Chez Paree and just wove in and out with the guy. . . Company we like to bump into at the Chez: Mr. and Mrs. Vic Comforte, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Glimco and Mr. and Mrs. Dominick Senece. . . That was a very nice party at the Bismarck with Ed Wurg'er, Bob Bear, Gary Sinclair, Mr. and Mrs. A. (Shorty) Culp, Abe Sussman, Ray Williams, Marian Jones, Jack Williams and so many others who joined up later that it all becomes rather hazy. . . . Missed Ray Moloney at the very busy Bally suite each time. So here's "Hello" to Ray.



"Big Bronco" Orders Hit New High In Sales For Exhibit



FRANK MENCURI

CHICAGO—One of the most elated firms in the history of the coin machines industry, this past week, was Exhibit Supply Company of this city, manufacturers of the "Big Bronco" coin operated horse.

It seems, according to executives of the firm, that even tho the orders they took at the CMI convention, a few weeks ago, exceeded all their expectations, more and more orders began to pour in after show was all over.

According to one of these men, "We now believe that the operators went home, after seeing the show, and thought over what they had seen. Discussed it amongst themselves. And then, made their decision. We were actually deluged with letters, wires and phone calls from all over the country, ordering more and still more of our 'Big Bronco' horses."

This man, and other executives of the firm. believe that the sales high which Exhibit Supply Company has reached for its "Big Bronco" is an all time high record for the firm.

Even Frank Mencuri, sales manager of the firm, who was in Tampa, Florida, displaying "Big Bronco" there, but was in constant touch with his office here stated:

"This beats all records for sales of any of our products."

There is no doubt, some of the executives of the firm stated, that they have plenty of hard work cut out for them for a long time to come to fill the orders they have already taken.

They are trying their best to meet all orders just as fast as they possibly can and are speeding up production every single day.

Please mention THE CASH BOX when answering ads-it proves you're a real coin machine man!



Just had a buzz from Tony Dallia at the sports center and Tony was giving Gottlieb's "Quartette" the rave notice. . . John Weisenberger of Kentucky Service Company, Covington, Kentucky, is having one big time in Nola, combining business with pleasure. . . Caught a glimpse of Ben Neubauer at F.A.B. Distributing Company. . . F. A. Blalock back from Washington, D. C. where he participated in the Bryson Bill hearing. . . City Hall has informed us that March 1st is the deadline for city license and every game must have one before this time. . . We had a great time with the Bally party at the Chez Paree in Chicago. We renewed acquaintances with our Texas friends whom we hadn't seen in a long while—Joe Steele, Al Shannon, Ray Wi'liams, Phil Weinberg & Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bybee. The rhumba dancer of the evening was Lou Boasberg. Ray Moloney and Cissie Gersh did an apache dance (I think) while Bill Gersh and Marian Jones kibitzed with The Ames Brothers. We could go on and on but space is running out.

have to admit that the Unicago weather was very agreeable to we rebels.



Back from the CMI Show was Jack Simon, who reported that Abe Chapman and he received a great reception from operators all over the country on their "Buccaroo" horse. Jack brought us a hello and best wishes from Bill Gersh, who Jack describes as the busiest man at the show, what with covering one and all for news and seeing that pictures were taken of all the folks and products of interest to the industry and readers of The Cash Box . . . Word has reached us that Chicago Coin showed a new game that looked good, though Phil Robinson wasn't yet back from Chicago to give us the details . . . Another new entry we heard fine reports on was Mike Munves' new basketball game, and of the several midget movie machines displayed at the affair, we gather one of the best is put out by the Capitol Projector Company, whose headman will be out here for some contacts next week.

Good news for music ops is that Bill Leuenhagen will be moving from his present location by the first of March to the former General Music spot at 2277 West Pico Boulevard, where Bill, Mary and Kay Solle will have much more room and a better laid out place to service their many customers . . . Also out of the CMI show comes word via Badger Sales' Ray Powers that Evans' new Century 100 record-phono will be available at Badger very soon. Ray tells us this one was a real surprise to many folks in the business, and that it was one of the big hits of the entire show . . . As to Royal's "Mustang," we gather its mfrs. have the same problem as the "Buccaroo" people: The demand for horses has already well exceeded production facilities, but both firms hope to catch up with demand soon.

We'll be missing Mrs. Louise Schmidt at Badger Sales since she swapped her typewriter for a crib, with husband Hank staying on in the shipping room as sole breadwinner for the family . . . It's a happy birthday for Lucille Laymon, about whom we can only say that she looks a year younger every year. And that's no gentlemanly malarkey, Lucille. Celebrating the occasion, Paul and Lucille will help inaugurate the new lanai room of Charlie Daniels, who's only hoping that the bamboo he used is as resistant to non-carbonated beverages as the man said it was . . . Over at Laymon's emporium, the Wurlitzers are maintaining their merry pace on new and old, with Bally's "Spot-Lite" still the fastest moving game and such 5-balls as Gottlieb's "All Star Basketball," Williams' "Horseshoes" and Genco's "Double Action" showing lively action. Another good item, Ed Wilkes tells us, is the "Smokeshop." ... Lyn Brown, back from the CMI Show, and a visit to his mother and brother in Philly before, tells that Exhibit's booth showing "Big Bronco" was the busiest of all who showed horses.

On the Row: S. S. Ketchersid of San Bernardino ... J. W. Robertson from Elsinore ... R. E. Brown of Bakersfield ... San Diego's M. P. Craver ... Allen McMahan of San Jacinto ... Inglewood's Carl Fisher and Gunter Olson ... Bill Ferguson of Hawthorne ... Johnny Huntsman of Tulare ... Visalia's Ivan Wilcox ... Mac McGlone from Santa Ana.



What with the coin machine show, vacations, and congressional activities, it seems that the operators were everywhere but at home tending to business and taking care of their routes . . . Among those who went to Washington to testify against the Bryson Bill, were Amos Heilicher, Advance Music Company; D. K. Carter, both of Minneapolis, and Art LaBeau, LaBeau Novelty and Sales Company of St. Paul, Minnesota . . . Esther Colyar of Eau Claire, Wis. was seen at the Coin Machine Show in Chicago and is coming to Minneapolis . . . We have word that Don Hazlewood and his family of Aitkin, are vacationing somewhere in Mexico; wish we were there! . . . Also on the vacationing list is Percy Villa of Minneapolis, who is in California . . . California is also the vacation spot for Al Plotnick and family of Minneapolis . . . Harry Nold and family have gone South and Harry says that just as long as it is South he is satisfied . . . John Chappel of Duluth, Minnesota, has just returned from a pleasant stay down in Phoenix, Arizona.

Among those who stayed home and tended to business and were seen in the Twin Cities here and there at the various record houses and distributors were: Andrew Markfelder of Staples; John Howe of Foley; Mark J. Coughlan of Mankato; Zol'ie Kelman of Great Falls, Montana; Joe Webber of Blue Earth; Al Eggermont of Marshall; H. J. Lynard of Kasson; Pete Vanderhyde of Dodge Center; and Ben Jahnke of Hutchinson... The South Dakota contingent who made the trip to the Twin Cities were the Nitterburg Brothers, Clair and John; Arnold K. Brevik, Watertown; and Bruce Windhurst, Huron. We were certainly glad to see Tomy Kady of Grand Forks, N. D. up and around again after being laid up for several months... In town for the first time in several months was Walter Fisher of Pipestone ... Some of the operators who made a quick trip into town and out again were Don Bolier of Baldwin, Wis.; Jeff Kost of St. Cloud; Frank Coubal of Bloomer, Wis.; Bob Cross of Jackson; Quentin Haroldson of Northwood, N. D.; and Morris Berger of Duluth.

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A LEADER TO PULL THE INDUSTRY TOGETHER AGAIN

Alright. Alright. We KNOW it's a touchy subject.

We also know that many won't even care to read much further than the above headline.

But, it's time that we said it over again, just as *The Cash Box* has said it for some years now, over and over and over again and again.

The time has come when a real leader (a man who can really gain and hold the complete confidence of all the manufacturers, in every division of this industry) came along to pull the industry together again.

Years ago, everyone in the field planned ahead for months and months, in fact from year to year, to be sure to have the proper room reservations and, in the case of manufacturers, the proper products to present, at each convention.

Why? Because there was only ONE CONVENTION.

That's where every single manufacturer, supplier, etc., etc., showed his wares ONE TIME DURING THE ENTIRE YEAR.

And, in those days, it looked, IT WAS—an industry.

Today—there's a special convention by NAMA (National Automatic Merchandising Association) and what happens?

The joint's dead. But, dead. The crowd's not there.

Each year the men who attend state, "Well, that's just what I expected. They'll never see me at one of these fiascos again."

Why? Because the guy's embarrassed. He spent his money to come to what he believed would be "the biggest turnout of coin operated machine men he's ever seen."

And, instead, he hears his heels echoing on the marble floor as he walks down among the lines of booths.

Then there's the MOA. Music Operators Of America is the automatic musical division of the industry. They don't want to become entangled with anything else in the field. Not even a peanut machine. And God forbid someone might mention an amusement game.

So, the MOA has held mighty successful conventions they, too, haven't been THE BIG SHOW.

Now that ACMMA is out of business (American Coin Machine Manufacturers Association), CMI (Coin Machine Institute), remains as the "amusement games manufacturers" division of the field.

With all due respect to CMI, its members have asked the other organizations to cooperate. They have even asked that *The Cash Box Plan* of: "ALL SHOWS SAME WEEK"; be adopted by all.

They were willing to segregate themselves, conduct their show in their own hotel and exhibits, with their amusement games, in the hope that the others: NAMA and MOA would also arrange to show the same week in the same city so that, once again, like in the old days, a big, big, tremendous crowd of coin machine people would be attracted to the town that one week.

Visit from spot to spot. From hotel to hotel. And everyone would save money, would economize, and would, all other things being equal, profit thereby.

The time has come when the members of this industry MUST STOP KIDDING THEMSELVES.

Personal feelings. Personal little "mads" at each other. Personal wishes and desires must be cast aside, in the interest of all.

In short, every exhibitor whether he does, or does not, like his fellow manufacturing-exhibitor definitely should, in the interest of economy and better business, arrange to come together, at one and at the same time (in the same place if at all possible) so that all in the industry will be able to say: "We're going to our annual convention" (Period)

LET'S STOP KIDDING OURSELVES.

Let's get together again. And run shows like the shows that used to attract a registration of 7,000 and 10,000 the very first day. ALL BECAME RICH BECAUSE OF THOSE GRAND AND THRILLING REGISTRATION DAYS.

There's only ONE answer.

This industry desperately needs a LEADER.

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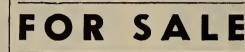
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Hideaway 146 \$225; Wurlitzer 1100
\$450; 1015 \$295; Wurlitzer Skee
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How To Use "The Confidential Price Lists"

FOREWORD: Many times, wide differences appear in the high and low prices of certain equipment. Like any true reporter "The Confidential Price Lists" can only feature the market prices as they are quoetd. "The Confidential Price Lists" acts exactly the same as the market quotation board at the Stock Exchange —posting the prices as they are quoted for the past week, regardless of how much they may seem to be out of line. Some prices do not change for months. "The Confidential Price Lists," rather than show no price, retain the last known quotations for such equipment so that the subscriber at least has the last known prices as a basis to work with. Prices may be very widely divergent. Someone on the West Coast may feel a certain machine worth \$150.00 whereas someone on the East Coast may think it worth but \$75.00. Of course, serial, someone on the East Coast may think it worth but \$75.00. Of course, serial, appearance, demand, territory, quantity, and condition of equipment must be taken into consideration. (Some equipment offered by outstanding firms, hav-ing a reputation for shipping completely reconditioned machines, will be offered at higher prices than others, due to the added costs of reconditioning.) "The Confidential Price Lists" reports each quotation exactly as it is made and dependences the subscriber to make average prices adjusted to ft the depends on the subscriber to make average price adjustments to fit the peculiarities of his territory. METHOD: "The Confidential Price Lists" should be read as follows: First price listed is lowest price for the week; Second price listed is highest price.

EXPLANATION

- 1. Prices UP 2. Prices DOWN Prices UP and DOWN 4. No change from Last Week
- 5. No quotations Last 2 to 4 Weeks
 6. No quotations 4 Weeks or Longer
 7. Machines Just Added
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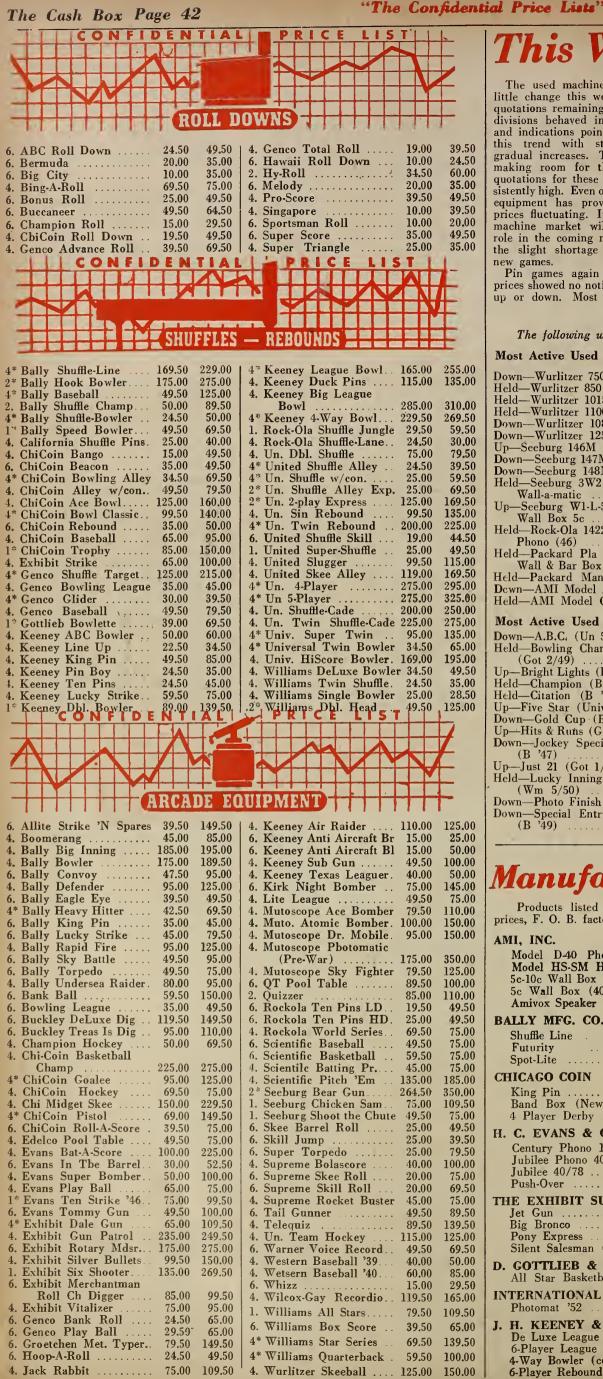
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Wire	9.95	4* Pla Mor Wall & Bar	6. Flamingo (Wm 7/47) 15.00 19.50 4. Floating Power	4. Rondevoo (Un 5/48) 30.00 39.50
Wireless 6.95	9.95	Box 7.95 22.00 4* Manhattan 89.00 169.50	4. Flying Saucers	4. Rose Bowl (Got 10/51) 175.00 259.50 4. Round Up (Got 11/48) 50.00 75.00
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4* 3W2 Wall-a-Matic 15.00	27.00	4. Hideaway Model 400 69.00 95.00 4. 1000 Speaker	(Got 9/47) 10.00 19.50	4. Samba 25.00 59.50
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5, 10, 25c 39.50	47.50	6. Chestnut Adaptor 15.00 25.00 6. Cedar Adaptor 15.00 29.50	4. Freshie (Wm 9/49) 59.50 114.50	6. Score-A-Line 20.00 39.50
4. W4L-56 37.00 4. W6-L56-5/10/25	44.50	6. Poplar Adaptor 15.00 27.50	4. Georgia (Wm 9/50) 99.50 144.50 6. Ginger (Wm 10/47) 10.00 15.00	4. Screwball 39.50 45.00 6. Sea Hawk 15.00 22.00
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6. Tear Drop Speaker 12.50	11.00	6. Elm Adaptor 15.00 25.00	4. Gizmo (Wm 8/48) 39.50 45.00 6. Glamour	4. Select-A-Card (Got 4/50) 49.50 79.50 4. Serenade (Un 12/48) 29.50 39.50
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6. Imperial 20 24.50	49.50	6. Spruce Adaptor 17.50 29.50	6. Gold Mine 29.50 49.50 4. Golden Gloves (CC 7/49) 94.50 115.00	4. Shantytown 99.00 109.50 4. Shoo Shoo (Wm 2/51) 125.00 159.50
6. Imperial 16 25.00 6. Windsor 29.50	49.50 40.00	6. Ash Adaptor 15.00 25.00 6. Walnut Adaptor 17.50 25.00	4. Gondola 34.50 44.50	6. Shooting Stars 19.50 35.00
6. Monarch 25.00	49.50	6. Lily Adaptor 10.00 12.50	4. Grand Award (CC 1/49) 38.00 80.00 4. Harvest Moon	4. Short Stop 25.00 45.00 4. Show Boat (Un 1/49) 39.50 69.50
6. Std. Dial-A-Tone 39.50 4. '40 Super Rockolite 39.50	40.00 49.50	6. Violet Speaker 10.00 15.00 6. Orchid Speaker 19.50 22.50	(Got 12/48) 49.00 69.50	6. Silver Spray 14.50 24.50
6. Counter '39 ` 19.50	49.50	MILLS	4. Harvest Time (Ge 9/50) 90.00 129.50 4. Hawaii (Un 8/47) 20.00 29.50	6. Silver Streak (B 47) 14.50 19.50 4. Singapore (Un 11/47) 23.50 29.50
4. '39 Standard 39.50 4. '39 DeLuxe 39.50	69.00 65.00		4. Hayburner (Wm 7/51) 285.00 325.00	6. Sky Lark 39.50 59.50
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6. '40 Counter	49.50 54.50	4. Throne of Music 25.00 69.50 4. Empress 39.00 69.50	1* Hits & Runs (Ge 5/51) 89.50 135.00 4. Holiday (CC 12/48) 42.50 69.50	6. Slugger 14.50 19.50
4. '41 Premier 49.50	69.50	6. Panoram 10 Wall Box 5.00 8.50	4. Holiday (CC 12/48) 42.50 69.50 4. Hot Rods (B '49) 69.50 124.50	6. Smarty (Wm 12/46) 14.50 25.00 6. Smoky 12.50 19.50
6. Wall Box 4.00 6. Bar Box 4.00	9.50 9.50	6. Panoram Peek (Con) . 195.00 295.00 6. Conv. for Panoram	4. Humpty Dumpty (Cot 10(47) 20.50 40.50	4. South Pacific (Ge 3/50) 50.00 109.50
6. Spectravox '41 15.00	29.50	Peek 10.00 29.50	(Got 10/47) 29.50 49.50 4. Jack 'N Jill (Got 4/48) 49.00 55.00	6. South Paw 15.00 19.50 6. South Seas 10.00 17.50
6. Glamour Tone Column 30.00 6. Modern Tone Column. 32.50	35.00 40.00	5. Constellation 150.00 175.00	4. Jalopy (Wm 9/51) 295.00 369.50 6. Jamboree 25.00 39.50	2* Special Entry (B '49) 25.00 54.50
4. Playmaster & Spectra-		AMI	4. Jeanie (Ex 7/50) 99.50 125.00	6. Speed Ball 14.50 32.50 6. Speed Demon 15.00 29.50
vox	69.00 79.50	6. Hi-Boy (302) 49.50 55.00 4. Singing Towers (201) 49.50 99.50	2* Jockey Special (B '47) 30.00 65.00 4. Joker (Got 11/50) 145.00 164.50	4. Speedway (Wm 9/48) 25.00 45.00
6. Playboy 25.00	30.00	6. Streamliner 5, 10, 25 39.50 79.50	4. Judy (Ex 7/50) 95.00 119.50	6. Spellbound (CC 5/46). 10.00 14.50 4. Spinball (CC 5/48) 29.50 49.50
	45.00 150.00	6. Top Flight 25.00 39.50	1* Just 21 (Got 1/50) 54.50 79.50 4. K. C. Jones 75.00 89.50	4. Spot Bowler (Got 10/50) 108.00 154.50
4. 1424 Phono (Hideaway) 139.00	169.00	2* Model A '46 275.00 375.00	4. Kilroy (CC 1/47) 10.00 16.50	6. Sport Event 19.50 29.50 6. Sport Special 17.50 30.00
	179.50 300.00	4. Model B '48 429.50 445.00 4* Model C 449.00 549.00	2. King Arthur (Got 10/49) 70.00 119.50 4. King Cole (Got 5/48) 28.50 49.00	6. Sports 19.50 25.00
6. 1501 Wall Box 3.00	7.50	AIREON	4. Knockout (Got 1/51) 99.50 154.50	6. Sports Parade 12.50 15.00 6. Spot-A-Card 25.00 29.50
6. 1502 Bar Box 5.00 6. 1503 Wall Box 12.50	7.50 15.00		4. Lady Robin Hood (Got 1/48) 39.50 49.50	6. Spot Pool 19.50 29.50 6. Stage Door Canteen 10.00 14.50
6. 1504 Bar Box 8.50	17.50	4. Super DeLuxe ('46) 25.00 49.00 6. Blonde Bomber 75.00 129.50	4. Leap Year 25.00 39.50	6. Stage Door Canteen .10.00 14.50 6. Stars
6. 1510 Bar Box 15.00 6. 1525 Wall Box 10.00	20.00 15.00	4. Fiesta 69.00 125.00	4. Line Up 25.50 34.50 4* Lucky Inning (Wm 5/50) 69.50 99.50	4. Stardust (Un 5/48) 29.50 49.50 6. Starlite 10.00 49.50
6. 1526 Bar Box 15.00	19.50	6. '47 Hideaway 119.50 195.00 4. '48 Coronet 400 79.00 159.00	4. Lucky Star (Got 5/47) 29.50 50.00	6. Starlite 10.00 49.50 6. State Fair 10.00 14.50
6. 1530 Wall Box 10.00 6. 1805 Organ Speaker 24.50	25.00 29.00	4. '49 Coronet 100 125.00 169.50	1. Mad. Sq. Garden (Got 6/50) 130.00 149.50	6. Step Up 10.00 14.50 4. Stop & Go (Ge 3/51) 125.00 139.50
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BUCKLEY		2. Chicago Coin Hit	6. Maisie (Got 3/47) 14.50 25.50 4. Majors '49 (CC 2/49) 49.50 79.50	6. Stratoliner 14.50 17.50 6. Streamliner 10.00 14.50
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			4. Manhattan (Un 2/48) 25.00 34.50 4. Mardi Gras 25.00 45.00	6. Sun Beam 19.50 29.50 4. Sunny (Wm 12/47) 25.00 49.50
CONFIDENT		PRICELIST	6. Marjorie (Got 7/47). 19.50 29.50	4. Supercharger 19.50 24.50
			4. Maryland (Wm 4/49) 49.50 99.50 4. Merry Widow 29.50 39.50	4. Super Hockey 59.50 70.00 6. Superliner (Got 7/46) 10.00 17.50
			2. Melody (B 47) 25.00 39.50 4. Mercury (Ge) 67.50 114.50	6. Superscore (CC 10/46) 10.00 24.50
			4. Mermaid (Got 6/51) 175.00 199.50	6. Surf Queen (B '46) 10.00 15.00 6. Suspense (Wm 2/46) 29.50 49.50
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		release listed. Code: (B) Bally; (CC)	6. Miami Beach 15.95 19.50	4. Sweetheart (Wm 7/50) 99.50 134.50 4. Tahiti (CC 10/49) 85.00 109.50
Chicago Coin; (Ex) Exhibit;		Genco; (Got) Gottlieb; (Un) United;	4. Minstrel Man (Got 3/51) 109.50 150.00 6. Miss America (Got 1/47) 10.00 24.50	6. Tally Ho 15.00 39.50
(Wm) Williams. 6. ABC Bowler 25.00	29.50	6. Caribbean (Un 3/48) . 15.00 28.50	6. Monicker 10.00 17.50	6. Target Skill 12.50 19.50
2* A.B.C. (Un 5/51) 275.00	295.00	4. Carnival (B '48) 39.00 55.00	4. Monterrey (Un 5/48) 29.50 40.00 4. Moon Glow (Un 12/48) 39.50 49.50	4. Telecard (Got 1/49) 49.50 79.50 4. Temptation 25.00 59.50
4. Ali Baba (Got 6/48) 28.50 4. Alice (Got 8/48) 39.50	49.50 45.00	2. Carolina (Un 3/49) 42.50 49.50 4. Carousel 15.00 29.50	4. Morocco 25.00 49.50	4. Tennessee (Wm 2/48). 29.50 49.50
6. Amber (Wm 1/47) 19.50	35.00 89.50	4. Catalina (CC 2/48) 25.00 49.50	6. Mystery 10.00 15.00 4. Nevada (Un 10/47) 15.00 29.50	4. Thing (CC 2/51) 69.50 119.50 4. Three Feathers 69.50 79.50
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4. Baby Face (Un 1/49) 29.50 6. Baffle Card (Got 10/46) 10.00	45.00 17.50	6. Chico 39.50 69.50 4. Cinderella (Got 3/47) 39.50 49.50	6. Oh Boy 15.00 29.50	(Un 10/51) 265.00 275.00 4. Three Musketeers
4. Ballerina (B 48) 27.50	49.50	4* Citation (B/48) 40.00 134.50	4. Oklahoma (Un 6/49) 79.50 85.00 4. Old Faithful (Got 1/50) 85.00 144.50	(Got 7/49) 85.00 115.00
6. Ballyhoo (B 47) 19.50 6. Band Leader 39.50	29.50 59.50	4. Cleopatra 25.00 39.50 6. Club Trophy 29.50 49.50	4. One Two Three 49.50 59.00	6. Topic 10.00 17.50
4. Banjo 25.00	49.50	4. College Daze (Got 8/49) 89.50 109.50	6. Opportunity 14.50 19.50 6. Oscar 19.50 25.00	6. Tornado (Wm 4/47) 12.50 17.50 6. Torchy (Wm 6/47) 10.00 35.00
4. Bank-A-Ball (Got) 89.50 4. Barnacle Bill (Got 8/48) 39.50	119.50 50.00	2. Coney Island (B 9/51) 395.00 425.00 4. Contact 39.50 44.50	4. Paradise (Un 7/48) 25.00 49.50	6. Towers 12.50 15.00
4. Basketball (Got 10/49) 70.00	134.50 115.00	6. Contest 29.50 39.50	4. Phoenix 49.00 69.50 2* Photo Finish 50.00 139.50	4. Trade Winds 27.50 49.50 4. Treasure Chest 14.50 30.00
2. Bermuda (CC 11/47) 25.00	34.50	4. Control Tower (Wm 4/51) 130.00 175.00	6. Pimlico	4. Trinidad (CC 3/48) 24.50 49.50
6. Big League (B 46) 14.50 6. Big Prize 10.00	19.50 30.00	4. Cover Girl 24.50 45.00 4. Crazy Ball (CC 7/48) 29.50 45.00	4. Pinch Hitter (Un 5/49) 29.50 55.00	4. Triple Action 29.50 49.50 4. Triplets (Got 7/50) 129.50 149.50
6. Big Time 32.50	39.50	4. Cyclone (Got 5/51) 159.50 175.00	4. Pinky (Wm 10/50) 109.50 125.00 6. Pin Up Girl 15.00 29.50	2* Tri-Score (Ge 1/51) 85.00 119.50
4. Big Top 42.50 4. Black Gold 49.50	79.50 69.50	4. Dallas (Wm 2/49) 49.50 79.50 6. Dark Horse 10.00 15.00	2. Play Ball (CC 1/51) 29.50 75.00	6. Tropicana (Un 1/48) 10.00 34.50
4. Blue Skies (Un 11/48) 25.00	54.50	4. De Icer (Wm 11/49) 99.50 119.50	6. Play Boy (CC 5/47) 25.00 45.00 4. Playland (Ex 8/50) 90.00 124.50	4. Tucson (Wm 1/49) 69.50 89.50 4. Tumbleweed 59.50 104.50
4. Bomber (CC 5/51) 69.50 1 4. Bonanza (Wm 11/47) 12.50	124.50 29.50	4. Dew Wa Ditty (Wm 6/48) 39.50 45.00	4. Playtime (Ex) 40.00 84.50	6. Turf Champ 24.50 39.50
4. Boston (Wm 5/49) 79.50	99.50	6. Double Barrel (B 47) 10.00 19.50	4. Puddin Head 25.00 59.00 4. Punchy (CC 11/50) 145.00 165.00	2* Turf King (B 6/50) 179.50 345.00 4. Utah (Un 8/49) 85.00 94.50
4* Bowling Champ (Got 2/49) 57.50	85.00	4. Dbl Feature (Got 12/50) 110.00 164.50	4. Rag Mop (Wm 11/50) 120.00 149.00	6. Vanities 10.00 25.00
4. Bowling League (Got 8/47) 10.00	24.50	4. Double Shuffle	4. Rainbow (Wm 9/48) 39.00 45.00 4. Ramona (Un 2/49) 40.00 55.00	4. Victory Special (B '46) 25.00 49.50 4. Virginia (Wm 3/48) 29.50 45.00
1* Bright Lights (B 5/51) 310.00	395.00	4. Dreamy (Wm 3/50) 99.50 124.50	2. Rancho (B '48) 39.50 49.00 6. Ranger 15.00 19.50	2. Watch My Line
6. Broncho 19.50 1. Buffalo Bill (Got 5/50) 60.00	35.00 79.50	6. Drum Major 25.00 34.50 6. Dynamite (Wm 10/46) 10.00 14.50	6. Record Time 22.50 59.50	(Got 9/51) 135.00 175.00 6. West Wind 15.00 19.50
4. Buccaneer (Got 10/48) 35.00	69.50	6. Entry (B '47) 35.00 65.00	4. Red Shoes (Un 12/50) 99.50 135.00 6. Repeater 17.50 29.50	6. Wild Fire
4. Build Up 25.00 4. Buttons & Bows	34.50	4. El Paso (Wm 11/48) 49.50 74.50 6. 6. Fast Ball 10.00 15.00<	6. Rio (Un 12/46) 15.00 20.00	4. Wisconsin (Un 3/48) 25.00 49.50
(Got 3/49) 55.00	79.50	6. Fiesta 15.00 19.50	4. Rip Snorter (Ge) 50.00 95.00 6. Riviera 14.50 25.00	6. Yankee Doodle 15.00 19.50 4. Yanks (Wm 4/48) 34.50 40.00
4. Camel Caravan 69.50 4. Canasta (Ge 7/50) 99.00	85.00 119.50	4. Fighting Irish (CC 10/50) 89.50 139.50	6. Riviera 14.50 25.00 2. Rocket (Ge 5/50) 79.50 119.50	4. Yanks (Wm 4/48) 34.50 40.00 6. Zig Zag
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February 23, 1952 This Week's Used Market

The used machine market showed very little change this week, with activity and quotations remaining almost constant. All divisions behaved in this general pattern and indications point to a continuation of this trend with strong possibilities of gradual increases. The present market is making room for the newer pieces and quotations for these pieces have been con-sistently high. Even older and more dormant equipment has proved quite active with prices fluctuating. It seems that the used machine market will play an important role in the coming months especially with the slight shortage that exists with the new games.

Pin games again reacted actively and prices showed no noticeable tendency either up or down. Most machines were active with the popular items continuing to draw exceptionally well. The weeks trading in this division brought about a status quo condition, but this will change in the next few weeks with prices due to spiral again.

Music also behaved accordingly at the end of the weeks bartering with action and askings holding their own. This section of the market has recently enjoyed a period of prosperity and all factors point to a continuation of the trend.

Arcade games and shuffle pieces once again reacted as a representative group of the entire used machine market. Popular items moved well and action maintained its steady pace. As was the case in the other divisions, the price range here too did not point up any startling changes.

The following was the most active equipment in this week's used market:

Most Active Used Music	Down
Down-Wurlitzer 750E\$ 69.50-\$109.50	Down
Held—Wurlitzer 850 44.50- 69.50	Held–
Held—Wurlitzer 1015 159.50- 310.00	Most
Held—Wurlitzer 1100 315.00- 450.00	most
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Down—Wurlitzer 1080 159.50- 225.00 Down—Wurlitzer 1250 449.00- 500.00	Down-
Up—Seeburg 146M 135.00- 195.00	Held-
Down—Seeburg 147M 137.50- 249.00	Held-
Down—Seeburg 141M	Up-I
Held—Seeburg 3W2	Held-
Wall-a-matic 15.00- 27.00	A
Up—Seeburg W1-L-56	Held-
Wall Box 5c 12.50- 24.00	Up(
Held—Rock-Ola 1422	Held-
Phono (46)	Held-
Held—Packard Pla Mor	Up(
Wall & Bar Box 7.95- 22.00	Up-H
Held—Packard Manhattan 89.00- 169.50	Held-
Dcwn—AMI Model A '46. 275.00- 375.00	Held-
Held—AMI Model C 449.00- 549.00	Held-
	Held-
Most Active Used Pin Games	Down-
Down—A.B.C. (Un 5/51) \$275.00-\$295.00	Down-
Held-Bowling Champ	Held-
(Got 2/49) 57.50 85.00	Held-
Up-Bright Lights (B/5/51) 310.00- 395.00	Held-
Held-Champion (B '48) 60.00- 159.00	Held-
Held-Citation (B '48) 40.00 134.50	·Held–
Up-Five Star (Univ 5/51) 175.00- 279.00	В
Down—Gold Cup (B 48) 39.50- 84.50	Down-
Up—Hits & Runs (Ge 5/51) 89.50-135.00	Mart
Down—Jockey Special	Most
(B '47) 30.00- 65.00	Held-
Up-Just 21 (Got $1/50$) 54.50- 79.50	Held-
Held—Lucky Inning	Held-
(Wm 5/50) 69.50- 99.50	Held-
Down—Photo Finish 50.00- 139.50	Down
Down-Special Entry	Held–
(B '49) 25.00- 54.50	Held

-Bally Shuffle-Line ... \$169.50-\$229.00 -Bally Hook Bowler. 175.00- 275.00 -Bally Baseball -Bally Shuffle Bowler 49.50- 125.00 24.50- 50.00 49.50-69.50 Alley —ChiCoin Bowl Classic 34.50-69.50 99.50- 140.00 ChiCoin Trophy 85.00- 150.00 —Genco Shuffle Target 125.00- 215.00 85.00- 150.00 -Genco Glider 39.50 30.00-Gottlieb Bowlette 39.00-69.50 Keeney Dbl. Bowler. 89.00-139.50 -Keeney League Bowl 165.00- 255.00 -Keeney 4-Way Bowl 229.50- 269.50 -United Shuffle Alley. 24.50- 39.50 -Un. Shuffle w/con 25.00-59.50 -U. Shuffle Alley Exp 69.50 25.00 -Un. 2-Play Express. 125.00- 169.50 -Un. Twin Rebound ... 200.00- 225.00 -Un. 4 Player 275.00-295.00 -Un. 5 Player 275.00- 325.00 -Univ. Super Twin. 95.00-135.00 -Universal Twin

34.50-65.00 Bowler -Williams Dbl. Head 49.50- 125.00

Most	Active	Used	Arcade	e Equi	pment
Held-	-Bally H	Ieavy	Hitter	\$ 42.50-	\$ 69.50
Held-	-ChiĆoir	Goal	lee	95.00-	125.00
Held-	-ChiCoir	Pisto	ol	69.00-	149.50
Held-	-Exhibit	Dale	Gun	65.00-	109.50
			r Gun.	264.50-	350.00
Held-	-William	is Sta	r Series	69.50-	139.50
			rterback		

Manufacturers New Equipment

Products listed here are currently in production. Prices are manufacturers' list prices, F. O. B. factory.

ModelD40Phonograph\$795.00ModelHS-SMHideaway575.00Sc. Wall Box (40 Selections)59.50Sc. Wall Box (40 Selections)53.50Amivox Speaker27.50BALLY MFG. CO.Shuffle Line\$439.00Shuffle Line\$439.00Futurity735.00Spot-Lite629.50CHICAGO COIN\$399.50King Pin\$399.50King Pin\$399.50A Player Derby550.00H. C. EVANS & CO.RISTAUCRAT, INC.Century Phono 100/45\$1050.00Jubilee 40/78795.00Push-Over385.00File Gun\$379.50Jet Gun\$329.50INTERNATIONAL MUTO. CORP.Photomat '52J. H. KEENEY & CO., INC.De Luxe League Bowler\$469.506-Player League Bowler\$469.506-Pla		
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