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EDITORIAL

Look To The Future

The effort to get the ball rolling on the Philips/Sony Compact Digital Disc (CD) demands closer examination by the music industry. In line with the continuing trend towards miniaturization in electronic technology and the now-clear fact that the 12 inch disc is probably not the configuration that will carry this industry into the future, it seems imperative that labels today look carefully into the possibility of change.

Many label people today say that the costs inherent in a switch from the 12-inch disc to the 5-inch digital compact disc are too high at the moment. That may be so from a short-term point-of-view, but is it also a repeat of what the U.S. auto industry was saying about the switch to fuel efficient compact cars in the early '60s? How much subsequent grief for auto workers and manufacturers alike could have been prevented if executives had had the courage to make the necessary changes before it was too late.

Just like the case of the fuel efficient compacts vs. the American gas guzzlers, Europe and Japan again hold the technological and business edge in the implementation of the compact disc program. It has taken years for the American auto industry to re-tool to the point where it could compete on an even footing with the Volkswagens, Toyotas, Datsuns and Fiats - could it be that the American recorded music industry is headed toward the same fate?

Let's hope not. There is still time for American labels to absorb and implement the new technology before overseas companies cause a repeat of the auto industry fiasco. Times are hard enough now (especially clear when noticing the quiet layoffs at a number of labels); but let's not be so blinded bycurrent problems that we can't look to the future.

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ON THE COVER

Although primarily considered a black contemporary artist, Solar Records' Carrie Lucas recalls her earliest influences as MOR pop. "I was raised on pop music," said Lucas, whose song, "Show Me Where You're Coming From," en-tered the Top 40 on the Cash Box B/C singles chart this week. "The first person I can remember idolizing is Judy Garland. Barbra Strei-



sand's style also influenced me. I didn't get into R&B until years

When she finally did "get into" R&B, however, the California born 'n' bred lady won a wide following for her live performances, appearing with such well-known acts as Shalamar, The Whispers, Johnny "Guitar" Watson, The O'Jays and even a backup stint with Stevie Wonder during a mid-'70s concert tour of Japan. Her dues paid on the road helped launch a recording career that, to date, has seen five LPs, including her latest, "Still In Love," hit the stores. A creative lyricist as well as vocalist, Lucas' exuberant style embraces both the funk idiom and pop hook styles, emerging with a soulful, uptempo sound.

TOP POP DEBUTS

SINGLES

JACK & DIANE - John Cougar - Riva/PolyGram

ALBUMS

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LOVE WILL TURN YOU AROUND - Kenny Rogers - Liberty

POP SINGLE

HURTS SO GOOD John Cougar Riva/PolyGram

B/C SINGLE

Stevie Wonder Tamla/Motown

COUNTRY SINGLE

TIL YOU'RE GONE Barbara Mandrell MCA

JAZZ

OFFRAMP Pat Metheny Group ECM

NUMBER



John Cougar

POP ALBUM

ASIA Geffen

B/CALBUM

GAP BAND IV The Gap Band Total Experience/PolyGram

COUNTRY ALBUM

MOUNTAIN MUSIC Alabama RCA

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So next time you want to see more big boxes go out of your store, take the little ones out from behind your counter. The ones that say "Maxell" on them.



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17 TAKE ME DOWN ALABAMA (RCA PB-13245)	18	10
18 WASTED ON THE WAY CROSBY, STILLS & NASH (Atlentic 4058)	21	5
19 WHAT KIND OF FOOL AM I RICK SPRINGFIELD (RCA PB-13245)	19	8
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	35 PLAY THE GAME TONIGHT KANSAS (Kirshner/CBS ZS5 02903)	22	12
	36 KIDS IN AMERICA KIM WILDE (EMI America P-B-8110)	43	10
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(3)	38 THINK I'M IN LOVE EDDIE MONEY (Columbia 18-02964)	44	5
	39 HOOKED ON SWING LARRY ELGART AND HIS MANHATTAN SWING ORCHESTRA (RCA PB-13219)	41	8
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	41 ALWAYS ON MY MIND WILLIE NELSON (Columbia 18-02741)	37	20
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	57 (SITTIN' ON) THE DOCK OF THE		
	THE REDDINGS (Believe In A Dream/CBS ZS5 02836)	59	6
	58 BLUE EYES ELTON JOHN (Geffen 7-29954)	76	2
	59 THIS MAN IS MINE HEART (Epic 14-02925)	54	11
	60 TO DREAM THE DREAM FRANKIE MILLER (Capitol PB-5131)	62	6
	61 SOMEDAY, SOMEWAY MARSHALL CRENSHAW (Warner Bros. 7-29974)	72	3
	62 ANGEL IN BLUE THE J. GEILS BAND (EMI America P-B-8100)		10
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	66 DANCING IN THE STREET VAN HALEN (Warner Bros. 7-29986)	55	10
	67 MEGA FORCE 707 (Boardwalk NB7-11-146)	73	4

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	68 I REALLY DON'T NEED NO LIGHT JEFFREY OSBORNE (A&M 2410)	75	5
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	70 I RAN (SO FAR AWAY) AFLOCK OF SEAGULLS (Jive/Arista VS 102)	77	3
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	73 STREET CORNER ASHFORD & SIMPSON (Capitol P-B-5109)	74	5
	74 ENOUGH IS ENOUGH APRIL WINE (Cepitol B-5133)	80	3
	75 TOO GOOD TO TURN BACK NOW RICK BOWLES (Polydor/PolyGram PD 2209)	79	4
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	77 ISLAND OF LOST SOULS BLONDIE (Chrysal's 2603)	58	8
	78 LOVE OR LET ME BE LONELY		
	PAUL DAVIS (Ariste AS 0697) 79 RIGHT KIND OF LOVE	90	2
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Always On (Screen Gems — EMI/Rose Bridge —
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Break It Up (Somerset Songs/Evansongs Ltd. —
ASCAP) 97
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—ASCAP) 3
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(BMI))	Now Or Never (Bobnal — BMI)
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NEWS & REVIEWS

Reagan Tax Break Failing To Stimulate Sales, Investment

by Michael Martinez

LOS ANGELES - Record retailers generally feel that the recent 10% tax break received by consumers and businesses will have little effect on their sales or investment planning. Their attitude largely reflects the public's skepticism that the tax cut will reverse the slumping economy.

In a Cash Box survey of retailers,

most of those contacted regarded the tax cuts as too small to stimulate significantly more consumer traffic in their stores, nor did they feel the business tax credit substantial enough to provide added revenue for investment - two stated goals of the Reagan Administration's tax plan.

Although the business tax break is retroactive to the beginning of 1981, many economists have publicly stated that businesses have not reacted to the tax credits by pouring money into facilities, equipment or employment-creating new investments.

Though some contacted said it was too early to tell for sure, most retailers, in accordance with polls of public sentiment, felt that the personal income tax break, which

became effective July 1, will not fatten paychecks enough to prompt a burst of

Because of unemployment and the prices of living necessities rent/mortgage, clothing, utilities - most dealers felt that consumers are still reluctant to enthusiastically engage in leisure spending on records.

"If a guy has a couple of extra bucks a week to spend, I don't think that the first thing that comes to his mind is going to be records," exclaimed Martin Spector, head of the Florida-based Spec's Music chain, "I don't see it making much of an impact on my business at all.

Noting that Detroit's unemployment was running double the national average, Calvin Simpson, owner of Simpson's Wholesale/Bad Records, Inc., said, "If people get any extra money back from taxes, it'll be used to pay rent, buy food or pay bills. People are afraid right now because so many people are unemployed. As a result, they have a tendency to hold onto



MOTLEY BEATING -Elektra/Asylum recording group Motley Crue recently visited the label's Hollywood headquarters to discuss promotional efforts behind its "Too Fast For Love" LP, which will be re-released in early August. Pictured during the meeting are (I-r): Mick Mars, Vince Neil, Tommy Lee and Nikki Sixx of the group and Allan Coffman, Motley Crue manager. Pictured seated is Joe Smith, chairman, E/A.

One Stops Adjusting To The **Record Business Uncertainty**

NEW YORK - The current health of the one-stop business is such that where one operator can report improvement as high as 15% over a year ago, another will moan that he is 30% down. A Cash Box one-stop survey shows that several factors are affecting whether a particular operation is doing well or not. These include geographic location, quality of product being released and quantity of services provided. Many operators are voicing familiar complaints, with recent manufacturer price hikes being the most criticized. But all are adapting themselves to today's realities, be it by altering their buying habits or by expanding their product offerings.

Perhaps the biggest surprise is the positive outlook offered by several operators. One such operator is Bob Perloff, manager of Universal One-Stop and Rack Service in Philadelphia. "Last year was very successful for us," said Perloff, noting that the year ended June 30

showed business up in the area of 15-20%. "The record business has never had a dip so much as it has now, but business is still there. A lot of people are bad mouthing it, including a lot of us who are in it. In fact, we're our own worst enemies."

Charles Faison, general manager of Tidewater One Stop, which serves some 250 accounts within a two-day market from Norfolk, Va., is another operator with a positive outlook. "We're two or three percent ahead of last year," Faison said. "One month might drop a point or two, but the next might gain four. And the big season is yet to come. It should be a big time going down the end-of-the-year stretch."

In Los Angeles, Lou Fogelman, president of Show Industries, said that the company's City One Stop was "very strong," and that while some accounts were buying less, others had grown. "We were a little soft at the beginning this year, but the last couple of months we've been 10% better than last year," said Fogelman. "Overall we're very

pleased with the business.

But another Los Angeles one-stop operator, John's Music owner John L. Jackson, reported a 25-30% drop in volume over the last three months. In Chicago, Stan Meyers, vice president sales and marketing at Sound Video Unlimited, is experiencing his worst summer in memory. "I hope it's just summer doldrums," he said.

Tourism Down

In New York, Ben Karol, co-owner of King Karol, reported a 15% drop in business, largely due to a drop in tourism caused by the economy. George Weiss, vice president of Long Island's Win Records and Video, inc., showed a 20% decrease in record volume. And in Atlanta, Gwen Kessler, owner of Tara Records and Tape Distributor, Inc., is slowly coming out of what she termed an "awful" last month. "May and June started sliding real bad," she said, explaining that the South was beginning to feel the recession more strongly than

Kessler joined many one-stop operators in blaming increased manufacturer costs for causing decreased business. "After the RCA increase, dealers started lumping up and down they were so disturbed," said

Inconsistent Fill, Lowballing Hinder **Vid Game Sales**

by Michael Martinez

LOS ANGELES - Inconsistent product fill and escalating price competition are two major obstacles hindering record retailers' efforts to merchandise video games cartridges, according to a Cash Box survey. Dealers contacted who deal with such product generally believe that manufacturers of video game software have yet to acquaint themselves with record retail outlets and give distribution priority to the national department store chains and discount stores that comprise the market for a majority of their toy business.

At the same time, record merchandisers point out that price slashing by discount stores, toy stores and department stores has further complicated their merchandising plans.

Some dealers contacted strongly inferred that record retailers appeared to be a low priority in the distribution mix of video game cartridges, a condition they attribute to the sales practices of manufacturers, particularly Atari and Intellivision, the latter a product of the Mattel Electronics com-

"It's not so much a (fill) problem as it is sheer stupidity on the part of the manufacturers," asserted Bruce Shortz, general manager of the Amarillo, Tex.-based Hastings Books, Records and Video chain. "They just haven't figured out the deal with record retailers yet."

No Terms

With the absence of discount and dating or returns programs, record dealers are reluctant to buy in deeply on even the hottest game titles, for as one dealer put it, "you buy it, you own it." To date only Intellivision is openly considering a stock balancing program.

While those companies with a history of toy and electronics manufacturing were generally cited as the worst offenders in filling orders, conversely, companies that have recently been established to manufacture video games, without the advantage of built-in national accounts, have developed distribution ties from the ground up. Imagic and Activision were identified as two companies which have followed this

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PolyGram To **Bow CD Software** In U.S. In '83

NEW YORK — With several of the 41 worldwide licenses of the Philips/Sony compact disc hardware located here in the U.S., PolyGram U.S.A. has become the first American label to outline specific release plans for software in the new configuration.

With product launch scheduled for be-tween mid- and late-'83, Emiel Petrone, vice president, marketing, West Coast, for PolyGram reported that the label "really hasn't formed any distribution plans as yet." However, Petrone said that the company's product debut will coincide with the initial release of CD hardware in the U.S., scheduled to take place after the introduction of the new technology in Europe and

'We're launching It in Europe first," he said, "because Philips will be one of the first manufacturers to release hardware in Europe. After that, Japan will release it, and then it will come to the United States.'

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COLUMBIA SIGNS CYMONE — Columbia Records has signed Andre Cymone. Formerly with Prince, Cymone wrote, produced and played all instruments on "Livin' In The New Wave," his debut Columbia LP slated for release in a few weeks. The same named single is being released this week. Pictured at the signing are (I-r): Larkin Arnold, vice president/general manager, A&R, black music, CBS Records; Cymone; Al Teller, senior vice president/general manager, Columbia; and Myron Roth, senior vice president/general manager, West Coast operations, CBS Records.

BUSINESS NOTES

PolyGram Finalizes Acquisition Of 20th

LOS ANGELES — PolyGram Records last week purchased 20th Century-Fox Records for an undisclosed sum. In addition to purchasing the label and its catalog, PolyGram also entered into an agreement with 20th Century-Fox Film Corp. to release selected soundtracks from 20th Century-Fox films.

Under the terms of the deal, 20th Century-Fox product will be released under the Casablanca label. Among the acts currently on the 20th roster are: Stephanie Mills (who had her latest LP, "Tantalizingly Hot!," released this week on PolyGram), Jim Photoglo, Leon Haywood, Dusty Springfield, Jim Colucci and Carl Carlton (whose product will continue to be distributed for a while by RCA Records, which was 20th's distributor prior to the new deal).

Commenting on the new acquisition, PolyGram president/chief operating officer Guenter Hensler said, "We're excited about the prospect of adding 20th Century-Fox Records' artists and catalog to PolyGram, and have already seen the first fruits of this acquisition with the immediate acceptance of Stephanie Mills' single 'Last Night' from her new album ... We look forward to releasing the upcoming records from 20th Century artists, and similarly feel that the agreement with 20th Century-Fox Films offers great prospects for the future."

CBS Posts 2nd Quarter Decrease

NEW YORK — CBS, Inc. last week reported net income of \$46.1 million, or \$1.64 per share, for the second quarter 1982, a slight decline from last year's figures of \$46.8 million, or \$1.67 per share. The company also reported overall revenues of \$1.03 billion, a slight increase over the comparable period last year.

Despite decreases in net income and earnings per share, CBS/Records Group garnered a small profit in the second quarter of this year compared to losses incurred during the same period last year. "Although the revenue declined, when you subtract the difference, you come up with a profit," said CBS spokesman Ray Healey.

Revenues for the CBS/Columbia Group, which includes CBS Toys and the new CBS/Bally deal to produce home video game cartridges, declined 13% in the second quarter. The company attributed this to continuing softness in the consumer markets it serves. Both the musical instruments and specialty retailing operations reported losses, leading to an overall loss for the Group.

In addition, revenues for the CBS/Broadcast Group rose 12% over last year's second quarter, with those increases being spread relatively evenly throughout the group's operations. Profits for the group rose in spite of pressure exerted by the establishment of the Radioradio network and the start-up of additional news and sports programming.

Commenting on CBS Inc.'s overall performance, Thomas H. Wyman, president, CBS, Inc. said that "Given the poor economic climate in this country and abroad, we are satisfied with our first half results, particularly considering the substantially increased level of development activity we are expensing in 1982. At the same time, we continue to be apprehensive about the second half of 1982, should the projected recovery not materialize."

MCA Videocassette Bows Low Price

LOS ANGELES — Nearly one month after Paramount Home Video announced the lowering of rental surcharges on some 62 titles and the creation of the mid-priced Gateway Video Line, MCA Videocassette becomes the second home video softwaremanufacturer to decrease pricing on select titles in a move to help encourage sales. In conjunction, MCA is launching a full-scale marketing campaign on lowered product which will include national advertising.

"Collector's Choice," as the lower-priced MCA series has been dubbed, will initially include 30 previously announced programs, with one new title slated to be added each month. All titles in the line will carry a suggested list price of \$39,95. The two July titles added to Collector's Choice are Abbott and Costello Meet Frankenstein and Hot T-Shirts.

"In selecting the titles for the Collector's Choice series, we've been very careful to include programs which we feel are truly collector's items, such as *Duck Soup*, *To Kill A Mockingbird*, *My Little Chickadee* and *All Quiet On The Western Front*," said MCA Videocassette president Gene Giaquinto. "We believe that these are titles which, if the price is right, more consumers will want to own."

Included at present In the Collector's Choice series, in addition to the aforementioned titles, are Rooster Cogburn; Shenandoah: Schizoid; Loretta Lynn In Concert; A Change of Habit; The Happy Hooker Goes To Hollywood; Bedtime For Bonzo; The Killers; The Incredible Hulk; Scarface; Charade; Holliday Inn; Going My Way; Yum Yum Girls; Massage: Touch of Love; The State Of The Union; Neil Sedaka Concert; An Evening With Ray Charles; How To Watch Pro Football; Frankenstein; Dracula (1931); The Wiz; Frenzy; Mission Galactica/The Cylon Attack; Shogun Assassin; and Sgt. Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band.

The campalgn accompanying the debut of Collector's Choice, entitled "Reel Deal," will include special packaging by which all \$39.95 product will carry a sticker on the shrink wrap with the Reel Deal designation and a Collector's Choice tag on the cassette box.

Alfa Suspends U.S. Operations Indefinitely

LOS ANGELES — Alfa Records, U.S., has temporarily suspended operations "in order to re-evaluate its sales and marketing programs in relation to current conditions in the record industry marketplace," according to label president Bob Fead.

Fead indicated that Alfa's staff will be maintained to supervise day-to-day activities during the suspension period, which at this point is indefinite. He also noted that the label's roster, as of this date, is being maintained, while production and release schedules will be evaluated as part of "the overview process."

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CBS Records International (CRI) will continue to represent Alfa, U.S. outside the United States and Canada, while Alfa Records, Japan will continue normal operations in its home

Alfa was organized and began operations in the U.S. in July 1980, working from headquarters here. Artists currently represented on the Alfa roster are: The Monroes, Yukihiro, Takahashi, Casiopea, Yutaka Yokokura, Theresa T. Starley, The Corbin/Hanner Band, Lulu, Burton Cummings, Billy Vera, Bobbi Walker and Minakox.

Motown Rolls Back LP Prices

LOS ANGELES — Motown Records' decision to lower wholesale prices for albums and tapes will not only help to re-establish the value of prerecorded music in an era of dwindling discretionary Income, according to company president Jay Lasker, but also it should take away much of the incentive for consumers to home tape.

"By lowering our prices we have taken away a major reason for home taping," said Lasker. "If we can come in with more economical prices for albums, it will make them a more attractive buy to people who would have had the tendency to home tape."

To qualifying accounts, Motown is offering 10% discount and dating on all current albums and tapes, as well as its popular \$5.98 midline series. The sales program also includes extensive in-store merchandising support and special advertising

allowances for multi-media spots and layouts created by the label.

According to Lasker, the program will make it possible for dealers to sell \$8.98 list product for under six dollars and midlines for between \$3.50 and \$3.75.

He also pointed out that Motown's many in-store display materials will focus on the theme of lower prices for its albums and tapes. A generic midlines poster, for example, highlights the acts included in that series as priced at less than four dollars, while a separate poster for current frontline acts touts a price of under six dollars.

Additionally, Lasker said the campaign will try to tap the rapidly expanding tape market with a poster keyed to the mobility of personal and car stereo cassette players.

Lasker noted that Motown's acts and suppliers have been totally supportive of the program. "We will make less money per unit, but we all felt it was necessary in order to get people back into the stores," he explained. "Rather than sit back and wait for a miracle, we decided to take action now."

LeMel Named Boardwalk Sr. VP

LOS ANGELES — Gary LeMel was recently named to the post of senior vice president at the Boardwalk Entertainment Company, where he most recently served as vice president of A&R/publishing for the label. In addition to his duties overseeing artists signing and aspects of domestic and international affairs, LeMel will now assume a broader role in managing Boardwalk's West Coast office.

LeMel joined the company during its formative stages in 1980, serving as a creative liaison between the label and artists. He is credited with several producer/artist collaborations, including the pairing of Tierra and producer Freddle Perren and

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Gary LeMel

REVIEWS

ALBUMS OUT OF THE BOX



TANTALIZINGLY HOT — Stephanie Milis — Casablanca/PolyGram NBLP 7265 — Producer: Stephanie Milis — List: 8.98

Once strongly identified with her role as Dorothy in the all-black Broadway musical version of the Wizard of Oz, The Wiz, Mills has given her wholesome image a 180 degree spin, appearing as a steamy, sultry woman on the jacket art and singing almost exclusively about romance. "Still Lovin' You," "You Can't Run From My Love," "'Ole Love," "True Love Don't Come Easy," "Your Love Is Always New" and "I Can't Give Back the Love I Feel For You" are obsessed with interpersonal relationships, as is the funky single shouter, "Last Night," bulleting at #43 on the B/C charts. Writhing contemporary R&B sounds, with two prime cuts produced and accompanied by Ashford and Simpson.

FEATURE PICKS

POP

EDDIE MURPHY — Columbia FC 38180 — Producers: Eddie Murphy and Robert Wachs — List: None — Bar Coded

After achieving widespread notoriety as the funniest member of Saturday Night Live's revamped troupe of players, Murphy gets a chance to flex his comedic muscles in this live, stand-up performance recorded at New York City's Comedy Strip club. Barely out of his teens, the young talent comes across with a hilarious mastery of colloquialisms in the veln of Richard Pryor combined with the playfulness of Robin Williams. Whether tackling topical issues or inquiring about the nomenclature of Little Rascals characters like Buckwheat, Murphy's initial outing on vinyl and his upcoming role in the film 48 Hours should help nurture his already promising career.

THE PIRATE MOVIE — Original Soundtrack — Polydor PD-2-9503 — Producer: Warren Entner — List: 13.98

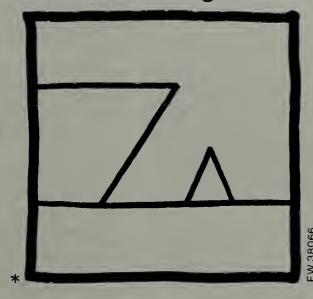
This swashbuckling two-LP soundtrack to the Kristy McNichol/Christopher Atkins movie musical opens with a disco march which sounds like The Village People meets Gilbert & Sullivan, and from there anything goes. There's an MOR duet between the film's stars, a new wave/new romantic anthem entitled "We Are the Pirates," and a risque romp by McNichol called "Pumpin' and Blowin'," among other catchy frivolities. Considering the Impressive chart movement of the Annie soundtrack, this family musical score could pick up action the orphan with the pooch leave in their wake. Kool & the Gang makes a guest appearance on one track, "Stand Up and Sing," for additional spice.

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From the Zappa album:

Ship Arriving Too Late To Save A Drowning Witch





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COUNTRY

IN THE JAILHOUSE NOW - Willie Nelson & Webb Pierce - Columbia PC 38095 -Producers: Wille Nelson, Chips Moman -List: none - Bar Coded

The latest of Nelson's collaborations with long-standing friends, this effort is a collection of standard country tunes given simple arrangements that rely heavily on traditional bar band instrumentation. The duo calls on a host of top-notch musicians. including Johnny Gimble, Jody Payne and Leon Russell, in covering such country jewels as "There Stands The Glass," "Slowly," and "I Don't Care."

AFTER ALL THESE YEARS - Tompall and the Glaser Brothers — Elektra 60148-1 — Producers: Jimmy Bowen, Joe Wilson - List: 8.98 - Bar Coded

The Glaser Brothers have chosen an appropriate title for their second release with the label; once the leading group in the country field, the act returned last year following a lengthy hiatus from the forefront of the genre. These are the same singers who backed up Marty Robbins' "El Paso" hit in the '60s, and their vocal combination is as strong and western-influenced as

BLACK CONTEMPORARY

LET ME TICKLE YOUR FANCY -Jermaine Jackson - Motown 6017ML -Producers: Jermaine Jackson and Berry Gordy - List: 8.98

The Motown member of the illustrious Jackson Five shows off his vocal, instrumental and composing skills with this collection of pop ballads and danceoriented funk-rockers. Don't let the 1950s style album cover fool you; Jackson isn't only inspired by his legacy but also by modern tunesmiths, as evidenced by the Prince overtones and backing vocals by "Spud & Pud" (Mark Mothersbaugh and Jerry Casale of Devo) on the title track. Outasight production work by the performer and Motown founder Berry Gordy enriches the quality of the selections here, making it a natural for B/C, DOR and club play.

SPECIAL — Jimmy Cliff — Columbia FC 38099 — Producer: Chrls Kimsey — List: None — Bar Coded

Cliff's latest explorations of love, revolution and social awareness in the uplifting roots rock reggae groove tower above most other artists currently in the genre, his spiritual vocals sincerely paired with thoughtful arrangements. A true poet/musician, like Dylan or Victor Jara, Cliff originally achieved notoriety as "Johnny Too Bad" in the Jamaican film The They Come, and with his newest disc living up to its title, it's hoped the artist will attract more listeners than just his small but loyal following in the U.S.

JAZZ LUNAR ECLIPSE — Tony Dagradi -Gramavision GR 8103 — Producer: Jonathan F.P. Rose — List: 8.98

Fans of Carla Bley and Professor Longhair should already be familiar with this New Orleans-based reedsman, but the level of musicianship Degradi demonstrates throughout Lunar Eclipse makes it clear that he is a musician deserving of widespread attention. His compositional and mechanical skills are outstanding, and his taste and approach broad yet personal. Emotive and intelligent from start to finish and completely devoid of any filler. Count on hearing more from Dagradi.

NEW AND DEVELOPING

SPYS - EMI America ST-17073 -Producer: Nell Kernon - List: 8.98 - Bar EMI America's entry into the '80s super-



group sweepstakes boasts two former members of AOR favorites Foreigner, screaming power chord action and even one of those science fiction paperback.

type cover designs sure to attract the attention of PDs and teen consumers alike. Plenty of marauding drum fills and special synth effects add to the excitement in numbers like "Ice Age," while rock balladeers will find "Hold On (When You Feel You're Falling)" engrossing fare. Ex-Foreigners Ed Gagliardi and Al Greenwood bring their acumen of commercial viability to this project and hardly intend to stay undercover

SCOTT BAIO — RCA NFLI-8025 — Producer: Nathan Lam — List: 6.98 — Bar Coded

TV Teen Dream Scott Baio, who won the hearts of 16 Magazine readers across America with his video performances on Happy Days and will soon co-star on the Joanie Loves Chachi series, sings with a youthfully mellow tone on his self-titled first foray into pop, and not surprisingly does best when covering "How Do You Talk To Girls," a tune written by another tube idol, Rick Springfield. Considering the mobs attending Baio's personal appearances at amusement parks, fairs and other venues, expect to see much better-than-usual sales on this highly visible, developing vocalist.

SINGLES

OUT OF THE BOX



JOHN COUGAR (Riva/PolyGram R-

Jack & Dlane (3:45) (Riva Music, Inc. -ASCAP) (J. Cougar Mellencamp) (Producers: J. Cougar Mellencamp, D. Gehman)

Jack & Diane, the main characters in this encore to Cougar's #1 "Hurts So Good," are two American kids growing up fast but "holding onto 16" for as long as they can. Not unusual, but this shuffling pop "ditty," as Cougar himself calls it, has a certain power that hits to the heartland with a warm, descriptive storyline that's both personal and

FEATURE PICKS

POP

ASIA (Warner Bros. 7-29970)

Only Time Will Tell (WB Music Corp./Almond Legg Music Corp., admin. by WB Music Corp./Ackee Music Inc. — ASCAP) (Wetton, Downes) (Producer: M. Stone)

A synthesized horn flourish trumpets the

NEW FACES TO WATCH



Stray Cats

In July 1980, a Long Island, N.Y.based band called the Tomcats got tired of playing small local venues and longed to find a place that would accept its neo-rockabilly style. "We used to play all these little places you never heard of," said bassist Lee Rocker. "The bigger places wouldn't have us because you'd have to have a big PA system, and you'd have to sound like a heavy metal

The group's first move was to neighboring New York City, where it enioved moderate success playing at such clubs as Max's Kansas City and Hurrah's. Still not completely satisfied, the trio made off for England to seek its fortune. "We had heard that rock 'n' roll was still big in France and England, and we wanted adventure," said lead guitarist Brian Setzer. "Since they speak English over there, we thought we'd give it a try.

Exactly two years later, the band is back in the States, having recently recorded "Built For Speed" for EMI America and is now in the early phases of a 50-date nationwide tour under the moniker The Stray Cats. The band has consciously bucked prevailing musical trends in America, preferring instead the ways of Gene Vincent, Eddie Cochran and Johnny Burnette. The Stray Cats even recorded "Baby Blue Eyes," one of the latter's songs, on "Built For Speed.

"We were sick of drugged-out people listening to synthesizers and thinking that they're getting cosmic," said Setzer. "We wanted to get back to dance music." On the LP, the group does just

that. Comprised mostly of Setzer's fast paced songs ranging thematically from the merits of 1957 Chevys to heavy partying, "Built For Speed" is redolent of music commonly heard 25 years ago.

In the same vein, "Lonely Summer Nights," the LP's lone slow ballad, is written in the 1957 genre in all aspects except the saxophone solo, whose flavor is definitely post-1950s. "I didn't think of it like that," said Setzer. "I just wanted to write a ballad that didn't sound like Neil Diamond."

Following a rough start, the band, which also includes drummer Slim Jim Phantom, enjoyed relatively quick success in England. "We supposedly had all these gigs set up but none of them materialized," said Setzer. "That didn't bother us until we found out that it is really hard to get gigs over there because they want tapes.

The group's fortunes took a turn for the better when the members met Claudine Riley, a British publicist who put them up in her offices and found them better gigs. In time, they began playing well-known halls such as The Venue and Dingwall's.

It was at the Venue that The Stray Cats made the acquaintances of Mick Jagger, Keith Richards and Charlie Watts. Sufficiently impressed by the Stray Cats' sound, the Stones invited the group to open three midwestern dates on the 1981 American Tour. In a similar fashion, the band also met Dave Edmunds, who, along with Hein Hovan, produced "Built For Speed." Edmunds also produced "Stray Cats" and "Gonna two LPs the group cut for Arista Records in England. "Everybody we met, we met at one of our gigs," said Rocker.

Although still not signed to an American record label, the Stray Cats' biggest coup came when, after having opened for the Stones, the group was invited to be the musical guests on ABC-TV's Fridays show. Several weeks later, the EMI America deal came up.

opening of Asia's second single and the follow-up to the smash "In The Heat Of The Moment." Like that song, it's a multilayered progressive rock production with a simple, easily flowing melody at its core, thus providing a little something for both the rock and pop fan.

TED NUGENT (Atlantic 7-89998)

Bound And Gagged (3:57) (Broadhead

Music — ASCAP) (Ted Nugent) (Producer: Ted Nugent)

Gonzo gun lover Nugent allows his weapons fetish to come to the fore here, as he pleads for wasting any nation that dares look cross-eyed at the U.S. of A. Features a strong hook, delivered with the patented Nugent wallop.

LOVERBOY (Columbia 18-03054)

Lucky Ones (3:49) (Blackwood Music, inc./ Dean of Music - BMI/April Music, Inc./ Duke Reno - ASCAP) (P. Dean, M. Reno, D. Thurlow, S. Smith) (Producers: B. Fairbairn, P. Dean)

A hard, pounding synthesizer rhythm rips out the beat for the rock hard title cut from the Canadian group's platinum-andstill-rising LP. With such Ironic lines as 'Don't look now but guess who hit the big time" walled against a wall of crunching riffs, it's not hard to see why AOR has played the grooves out of such tunes and pop should do the same.

BILLY SQUIER (Capitol 5235)

Emotions in Motion (3:48) (Songs of the Knight - BMI) (B: Squier) (Producers: Mack, Squier)

Led Zeppelin may be gone (for now), but there's still Robert Plant and Billy Squier. Rock radio purists will take heart in the fact that Squier hasn't defected in the direction of dance music, as Queen has, but instead preserves the heavy blues rock riffing 'n' wailing created by Zep. It also has the marching cadence of his last pop smash, "The Stroke." Sure to score big.

MERLE HAGGARD/GEORGE JONES (Epic 14-03072)

Yesterday's Wine (3:13) (Willie Nelson Music - BMI) (W. Nelson) (Producer: B.

For any country fan - staunch or nominal - this combination is almost too good to be true. The Hag and the Possum deliver their easily identifiable stylistic tendencies to a tune penned by the redheaded stranger, with the ensuing platter maintaining more of a country feel than any

record currently in circulation.

ANNE MURRAY (Capitol P-B-5145)

Heyl Babyl (2:47) (Le Bill Music, Inc./Unart Music Corp. — BMI) (B. Channel, M. Cobb) (Producer: J.E. Norman)

Anne Murray has been noted in the past for her ballads, but this cover of the Bruce Channel hit from the '60s is the second uptempo release the songstress has had consecutively. The tune's past acceptance alone should generate some enthusiasm among adult listeners, also eliciting a high degree of crossover potential.

JOHNNY CASH (Columbia 18-03058) Georgia On A Fast Train (2:36) (ATV Music Corp. - BMI) (B.J. Shaver) (Producer: J. Clement)

Cash has never been known for owning an outstanding vocal range, but the man in black actually opens this disc up with a surprisingly effective effort at yodeling, and closes it in the same manner. Sandwiched in between, however, is standard Cash fare, covering a simple country existence spread over a common chord progression that

CRYSTAL GAYLE (Columbia 18-03048) Livin' in These Troubled Times (3:27) (Roger Cook Music/Cookhouse Music -BMI) (R. Cook, P. Donnelly, S. Hogin) (Producer: A. Revnolds)

A mandolin and banjo after-beats accentuate the lily-throated singer's latest offering, an appropriately titled piece for the current state of much of the populace. Roger Cook, who has written several other songs for Gayle, has captured the flavor of

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	MIGHTY CLOUDS OF JOY (Myrrh MSB 6663) "Everybody Ought To Praise His Name"	13	5	15 BUBBLIN' HINSONS (Calvary STAV-5178) "God's Gonna Do The Same"	13	10

Last notation indicates the cut receiving the most airplay. The Cash Box Gospel chart is compiled from a broad cross-section of sales reports from national distributors and one-sto

Sparrow Offers \$7.47 Discount LP Program To Push New Product

NASHVILLE - In an effort to promote some of the label's upcoming new releases, Sparrow Records has designed a "Sparrow Special 7.47" plan, which offers retailers an 81/2% discount and a six-month return period. The discount is designed to allow retailers to price one Sparrow album per month at \$7.47 instead of the list price of \$8.98 in a custom-designed display center. According to Bill Hearn, vice president of

Priority Inks Clawson
NASHVILLE — Gospel artist Cynthia Clawson has signed an exclusive recording contract with Priority Records.

Under the agreement, five of Clawson's previous releases — "In The Garden," "The Way I feel," "It Was His Love," "You're Welcome Here" and "Finest Hour" — will be re-released by the CBS-affiliated label in early September. Her first album of original material with Priority is scheduled for an October release date.

Clawson currently has a production pact with Elwyn Ramer of 19th Street Prods. She s managed by Linda Miller.

marketing with the label, Sparrow's campaign will cover new product by Phil Keaggy, Michael and Stormie Omartian and the 2nd Chapter of Acts, along with "Communion/Volume III" and a two-record Christmas collection. Participating record and bookstore outlets will receive advance shippings of the albums, with the "7.47" shipments going out approximately the seventh of the month preceding the record's official release.

Included with the records, which are sent in a set quantity agreed upon at the outset of the program by both Sparrow and retail participants, is a custom-designed display center incorporating the particular album within the program. Whereas the wholesale price of Sparrow product averages around \$5.10, retailers involved in the campaign will receive the albums for only \$4.67.

For more information on the program, contact Sparrow marketing vice president Bill Hearn, by writing to Sparrow Records, 8025 Deering Ave., Canoga Park, Calif. 91304 or by calling (213) 703-6599.

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REVIEWS

SINGLES

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her vocal abilities here.

BILL ANDERSON (Southern Tracks ST 1007)

Southern Fried (3:37) (Stallion Music, Inc./ Lowery Music Co., Inc. — BMI) (B. Anderson) (Producers: B. Anderson, M. Johnson)

The famed whisperer is backed by a punchy and spirited rhythm section on a tune that supports such Dixie stalwarts as Richard Petty, Loretta Lynn and "Kiss my grits!" The record's drive and inherent identification with the South are strong enough to make a listener want to move to L.A. (lower Alabama).

BLACK CONTEMPORARY DAZZ BAND (Motown 1622MF)

Keep It Live (On The K.I.L.) (Ujima Music/ Jobete Music Co., Inc./Three Go Music — ASCAP) (R. Andrews, B. Harris, K. Pettus, M. Wiley) (Producers: R. Andrews, Dazz)

"Romancin' and dancin' is the main thrust" of this percolating funk jam, the title track from the Dazz Band's LP and the follow-up to the #1 B/C dance hit "Let It Whip." Dazz keeps it live, all the way, with crowd and party noises surrounding the rhythm/chant. "On The K.I.L." is on the one. RICK JAMES (Motown 1634FG)

Hard To Get (3:45) (Jobete Music Corp., Inc./ Stone City Music Co. — ASCAP) (R. James) (Producer: R. James)

One thing that's not "hard to get" about the second single from the "Throwin' Down" LP is where the familiar rhythm arrangement comes from; it's right out of "Super Freak." It's also an appropriate segue from "Dance Wit Me," as it continues in the same dance-oriented vein.

THE FOUR TOPS (Casablanca/PolyGram NB 2353)

Sad Hearts (2:51) (MCA Music, a div. of MCA, Inc. — ASCAP) (Blatte, Gottlieb) (Producer: D. Wolfert)

On the heels of the *Grease 2* LP, which The Tops' material dominated, the classic and classy R&B vocal group bounces back with a slick R&B/pop offering from the team that provided the hit "When She Was My Girl." Levi Stubbs can still belt it out.

NEW AND DEVELOPING

THE HUMAN LEAGUE (A&M 2425)

Love Action (I Belleve in Love) (3:49) (Virgin Music, Inc./Dinsong, admin. in the U.S. by Chappell Music Co. — ASCAP)



(Oakey, Burden) (Producers: M. Rushent, The Human League)

If English synthesizer music has had any substantial impact on the American pop audience then

it's been due primarily to such songs as Soft Cell's "Tainted Love" and The Human League's "Don't You Want Me." The bottom line was those songs had memorable melodies and were extremely danceable. "Love Action" has these qualities as well. THE WAITRESSES (Polydor/PolyGram PD 2214)

No Gullt (It Wasn't The End Of The World) (3:47) (Merovingian Music/CRI CRI Music — BMI) (C. Butler) (Producers: K. Munkacsi, C. Butler)

A favorite new music cut on progressive AOR outlets for some time, its popularity can be attributed to a skipping ska-inspired beat and wry lyrics from a girl's viewpoint about her liberation from a relationship and consequent growth.

Fest, Van Hengel Named To Int'i Posts At EMI Cos.

LOS ANGELES — Helmut Fest has been named to the position of director, A&R and marketing, for EMI Music, Europe & International. Fest, currently vice president, international, for the Capitol/EMI America/Liberty Records Group, will relocate to London Oct. 1. He will be replaced in the U.S. by Kick Van Hengel, who will assume the title of general manager, international, Capitol/EMIA/Liberty.

In his new position, Fest will be responsible for the formulation and implementation of A&R and marketing strategies for European and other international markets. He will also be involved in the development and coordination of A&R and marketing functions at all EMI Music firms.

Fest will report directly to Ken East, president/chief operating officer, EMI Music. Europe & International.

Fest first joined the EMI organization in 1969, when he hooked up with EMI Electrola in his native Germany. He spent the next 11 years there in a variety of A&R and marketing functions. In 1979, he was transferred to the U.S., where he took over the international division at the Capitol/EMIA/Liberty Records Group.

Fest's replacement in the U.S., Van Hengel, will be based in Hollywood at the Capitol Tower, where he will report directly to Don Zimmermann, president, Capitol/EMIA/Liberty Records Group.

In his new position, which becomes effective Oct. 1, Van Hengel will be responsible for the worldwide exploitation of all North American-generated Capitol/EMIA/Liberty Records Group product.

Reporting to Van Hengel will be Frances Rogers, director, international administration; Rob Walker, director, Australasian & Latin America operations; and Harriet Brand, international promotion manager.

Van Hengel began his career with EMI Music U.K. in 1968

PolyGram CD

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While PolyGram's release plans call for a national introduction, the program will bow with 200 titles in the U.S., as compared with 600 titles in Europe. Petrone adds that the initial releases will be "a little bit more slanted towards our classical product" since the classical buyer is characteristically more affluent and willing to invest in new technology. The CD hardware is expected to initially retail for over \$700.

To introduce the new configuration, Petrone predicted there would "most likely" be multi-label CD demos. (A spokesman for A&M added that that company was meeting with Sony representatives last week to discuss its own CD demo, and would have a better idea of its plans in the next few weeks.)

While the PolyGram series will be classically oriented at the inception, Petrone said that the advantages of CD should enable it to grow quickly. "We feel the Compact Disc has five or six advantages," he said. "It's an optimal sound reproduction, it has 60 minutes of maximum playing time per side, offers complete protection against scratches and dust, it's pocket-sized, and there is the possibility for visuals also being stored on them."

While optimistic, Petrone sees little analogy between CDs and vinyl LPs, and cassettes and 8-tracks, i.e., the CD and standard LP can live side-by-side.

"We feel the compact disc will be a third world carrier," said Petrone. "In other words, product will be released on the normal analog LP, on the music cassette and on the compact disc. The 8-track was eliminated by the consumer."

EXECUTIVES ON THE MOVE

Greene Appointed — InterMagnetics Corp., a worldwide manufacturer of video equipment, has formed an international marketing company to sell video and audio cassette tape, computer tape and related electronic products to consumer and industrial markets. Russell C. Green, who has been in the magnetic tape industry for more than a decade, has been appointed president of Magnetic Tape International. He joins MTI after three years as executive vice president of SICO, of Gardena, Calif.

Cook Named At Blay — The Andre Blay Corporation, has announced the appointment of Bob Cook as vice president of sales for the company. He was most recently the national sales manager for Electro-Voice. From mid-1979 through February 1981, he was national sales manager of Magnetic Video.

LeVine Appointed At CBS — Barry LeVine has been appointed associated director, college marketing for CBS Records. Since 1980 he has been manager, college marketing, CBS Records. He joined CBS as a College Representative at the State University of New York at Albany.

Changes At WEA — The WEA Los Angeles regional branch has announced the appointment of Patricia Dignam as a video sales representative for the Hollywood, San Fernando Valley, Ventura County and Las Vegas territories. She joined WEA in January of 1979 as secretary to the national director of marketing services. In January of 1981, she was appointed video sales coordinator at the Los Angeles branch. Also announced was the appointment of Jim Fisher as sales manager of Video Products for the entire west coast, Hawaii and Alaska. In the fall of 1979, he joined the WEA Los Angeles branch as a Video Specialist handling all sales, marketing and merchandising of Warner Home Video product for the west coast, Texas, Hawaii and Alaska. And Cory Connery has been named as the branch marketing coordinator. He joined WEA in August of 1978 and has been promoted from mail room director to inventory representative and to singles action specialist for the entire branch sales territory. Also the appointment of Paul Newnham as national director of accounting has been announced. He joined WEA nine months ago as accounting manager for the Los Angeles branch. Prior to that he had been with Warner Communications as manager of financial planning and as a WCl auditor.

Mitchell Schnelder has left Solters/Roskin/Friedman. An account executive for the past three years in the firm's west coast music department, he has handled such artists as Melissa Manchester, Leo Sayer, ABBA and Hall & Oates. He can be reached at (213) 650-5925.

Harris Named Solar President

LOS ANGELES — Record industry veteran Ray Harris was recently named president of Solar Records and executive vice president of Dick Griffey Prods. (DGP).

Dick Griffey, who has served as president of the label since its inception in 1978, will now function as chairman of the board of the Dick Griffey Group of Companies in a move that coincides with corporate restructuring of DGP/Solar.

Commenting on Harris' appointment, Griffey said, "The move is a reflection of our growth. Ray is a vital force in the music industry and it is with pride that I welcome him to our family.

"His primary responsibility will be to coordinate and supervise the day to day marketing and administrative operations of the record company as well as assist in the various activities of DGP," continued Griffey. "This appointment was necessitated in order that I may remain closer to the creative aspects of DGP/Solar."

Harris, who will be based in the label's L.A. headquarters, comes to Solar from RCA Records, where he was most recently division vice president of black music. He started at RCA in 1974 as a product manager, eventually moving to his last position where he was responsible for overseeing A&R, marketing, product management, publicity and the profit and loss of the Black Music Product Center.

The new Solar president, who is also on the board of directors of the Black Music Assn. (BMA), worked with Griffey previously when Solar was distributed through RCA.

Boardwalk Names LeMel

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707 with Keith Olson, among others.

Commenting on LeMel's promotion, Irv Biegel, president, Boardwalk, said, "Gary LeMel, since the company's inception, has overseen the vital areas of A&R and publishing, and he's also been the primary executive for our foreign licensees.

"His position has always been a pivotal one at Boardwalk," Biegel continued, "and this new title reflects the depth as well as the breadth of his importance to us."

Klaassen, Minshull Named At Decca

NEW YORK — Reinhard Klaassen and Raymond P. Minshull have been named president and executive vice president, respectively, of Decca International, London. The appointments were announced by Dr. Werner Vogelsang, president, PolyGram Record Operations (PRO), to whom Klaassen and Minshull will report.

A 34-year veteran of the record industry. Klaassen was most recently commercial director and member of the board of the Decca Record Co., Ltd., and was entrusted with operational responsibilities for the London-based Decca International.

Klaassen began his career in 1948 as a sales assistant and representative of the Decca Dutch Supplies Company, where he was named sales manager in 1955. He rose to the position of deputy managing directo of Phonogram Amsterdam eight years later, and became managing director in 1968. In 1973 he was appointed vice president of Phonogram International, in which position he was responsible for the popular repertoire division. In 1978, he was named head of PRO's Area Office II.

Prior to his appointment as executive vice president, Minshull was director, classical recording, Decca Record Co., Ltd. and a member of the company's board. He joined Decca in 1957 as a member of the artists department, and was named manager of the classical artists department in 1967.

Wissert To Head A&R For MCA

LOS ANGELES — Joe Wissert has beer named to the post of vice president, A&R, a MCA Records. Wissert will be based a MCA's Universal City headquarters.

Wissert, a veteran producer, will be responsible for domestic signings for MCA. He will report directly to Bob Siner, president. MCA.

Prior to his new appointment at MCA. Wissert served for the last six years as executive producer of A&R at Columbia Records. He worked with Earth, Wind & Fire and has produced Boz Scaggs and the J. Gells Band.

Reagan Tax Break Failing To Stimulate Sales, Investment

Few see the tax break as negative, but as Harold Vogel, analyst with Merrill Lynch Pierce Fenner and Smith Inc., said, "The tax cut doesn't hurt, but it doesn't appear to be a long-term positive.

Too Small

In terms of the impact the tax break will have on businesses, retailers contacted said that high interest rates, the impact of soft sales and increased overhead generally combine to render the Reagan Administration's tax cut insignificant. "The 10% tax break is minimal, and it's pretty much wiped out by high interest rates, Spector, who reflected the attitude of several dealers contacted.

Jay Cox, controller at Associated Distributors based in Phoenix, Ariz., said, "We'll probably break even on taxes this year. The prevailing economic factor is that high interest rates are killing us.

An economic factor weighted near equally with the problem of high interest rates is unemployment and its impact on sales. Those contacted said that, in many cases, the tax credit would eventually be used to pay for regular operational expenses, easing the burden of rising overhead costs.

But the possibility of even greater dropoff in consumer spending has been identified as a major problem that could further diminish effects of the tax cut. "People without jobs are not going to spend money on records, so our income is going to drop off," explained Ted Hudson, head of Ted's One Stop/Hudson Embassy Stores in St. Louis. "No consumer means no income for us, and that means the tax break doesn't really exist. We're caught between a rock and a hard place."

'There's no real benefit from the Reagan tax cut, only for big businesses," asserted Bruce Webb, owner of Webb's Department Store in Philadelphia. "A company that grosses \$300,000 or less annually won't feel the effect of the tax cut in terms of having money to invest in the business," he explained. "The money saved in taxes might be just enough to pay for the increased operations costs such as gas and electric."

As Simpson put it, "The tax break is not significant enough to turn things around in Detroit. The tax break would have been more favorable to us three years ago, when we were making some money.

Despite the tax reductions granted both businesses and consumers, which were expected to spark consumer spending and business investment, they are adding to predicted federal budget deficits, which could raise the interest rates diagnosed as the cause of slow business growth.

According to figures in a recent U.S.

Commerce Department study, businesses have not used the tax break credit to create new jobs and have only increased spending on new facilities and equipment 8.7% over 1981 Projected new investment spending is expected to only rise 2.2% in 1982 to a predicted total of \$328.6 billion.

Public doubts that the Reagan Administration tax cut would have a significant positive effect on the economy were arnplified by a recent nationwide Los Angeles Times poll that revealed that 58% of those offering an opinion believed that the tax cut would not stimulate the economy, while 34% felt that it would.

Despite this bleak picture, there is some optimism regarding the long range benefits to businesses and hopes for renewed consumer enthusiasm represented by the tax

John Marmaduke said that the Reagan tax cut, as a "slow fix," rather than a fastacting solution, would offer some longrange help to the retail community. He said that accelerated depreciation on equipment and inventory aspects of the bill have "freed up some money," but that it is still too early to tell what impact it would have on business investments. Marmaduke said he felt that the reduction of inflation, coupled with larger take home pay checks for many consumers, could do more to boost the economy than the tax break.

From a consumer standpoint, we started reprojecting our potential sales picture for the summer in March," said Ralph King, vice president of marketing for the national Record Bar chain based in Durham, N.C.

We felt that, since the consumer had not really supported the Christmas sales season, high prices and unemployment keeping sales soft, the timing was right for a host of new superstar releases, plus the tax break to bring people back into the stores," King continued.

He added that "consumers are tired of holding on to money and are ready to spend money again," trying to cure themselves of consumer cabin fever. King added that June and, so far, July have been strong sales months for the chain and that he anticipated the consumer excitement and sales throughout August. But then he also foresees an obstacle to the turn-

"Hot selling product by superstar acts and the surprise success of some new artists have helped to build an excitement among consumers and served to get them enthused about buying records again," he said. "Without that excitement and with the possibility of interest rates climbing again, September could turn into another drought until the holiday sales season.'

Harris To Keynote VSDA Conference

LOS ANGELES - Mel Harris, president of Paramount Home Video, will be the keynote speaker for the Video Software Dealers Assn. (VSDA) conference at the Fairmont Hotel in Dallas, Texas, Aug. 29-31. Harris, who oversees program production and distribution for pay TV and all sup-plemental markets at Paramount as well as home video, is scheduled to deliver the keynote address at the Aug. 30 opening business session for the conference, themed "Building A Bright Future."
Following Harris' speech Aug. 30, a day-

long program of general business sessions is scheduled, featuring panel discussions comprised of and concerning video dealers and manufacturers, in addition to one on the mechanics of profitable rental programs in which retailers, distributors and manufacturers will participate.

The closing day's sessions, Aug. 31, will be directly aimed at such operational con-

cerns for dealers as creative in-store merchandising, motivations of sales personnel, inventory and financial management, newspaper advertising and security

Other highlights of the conference are spected to be the presentation of the 1982 VSDA Awards during the gala opening dinner on Aug. 29 and a Video Game Night the following evening, Aug. 30, which will be combined with a cocktall buffet. Another attraction of the conference will be the VSDA Video Store, a display set-up that will attempt to feature every piece of product currently available to the video dealer by participating software manufacturers.

Conference registration forms have been sent to all VSDA members. Others interested in affiliating with VSDA and attending the confab can contact VSDA at P.O. Box 1910, Cherry Hill, N.J. 08034 or by calling (609) 424-7117

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5	BREAKIN' AWAY ALJARREAU (Warner Bros, BSK 3576)	2	49	1
6	WE WANT MILES MII.ES DAVIS (Columbia C2 38005)	3	11	l
U	LITE ME UP HERBIE HANCOCK (Columbia FC 37928)	10	8	
8	MYSTICAL ADVENTURES JEAN-LUC PONTY (Atlantic SD 19333)	6	24	
9	LOVE NOTES CHUCK MANGIONE (Columbia FC 38101)	13	3	1
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0	LOOKING OUT McCOY TYNER (Columbia FC 38053)	19	3	
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19	AMERICAN CLASSIC DEXTER GORDON (Musiclan/Elektra E1-60126)	20	5
20	DIRECT HIT NOEL POINTER (Liberty LT-51123)	12	6
21	WYNTON MARSALIS (Columbia FC 37574)	17	25
22	OUT OF THE SHADOWS DAVE GRUSIN (GRP/Arista 5510)	_	1
23	RIO LEE RITENOUR (Musician/Elektra E1-60024)	22	20
24	IN LOVE'S THEME DAVE VALENTIN (GRP/Arista 5511)	-	1
25	FATHERS AND SONS (Columbia FC 37972)	23	12
26	FREE & EASY PHIL UPCHURCH (Jam 007)	30	2
27	DAN SIEGEL (Elektra E1-60037)	25	18
28	HOLLYWOOD MAYNARD FEPGUSON (Columbia FC 37713)	21	14
29	WE ARE ONE PIECES OF A DREAM (Elektra 9 60142-1)	_	1
30	WEATHER REPORT (ARC/Columbia FC 37616)	28	23

LONE STAR BLUES - Since commercial radio seems to have decided that nobody wants to hear blues records, aficionados of the artform can sometimes feel a little alone in this world. With blues clubs in the Northeast few and far between these days, blues sometimes appears destined for a museum existence, relying heavily on college and arts endowment sponsorship. But in Texas, blues can still pack 'em in, as the recent Juneteenth Blues Festival once again proved. The annual nine-day affair, which its sponsors claim is the world's largest blues festival, succeeded in drawing well over 100,000 to shows in Houston, San Antonio and Galveston with performances by Lonnie Brooks, Koko Taylor, Larry Davis, Percy Mayfield, Albert Collins, Milt Larkin's All Stars, Arnett



DESIRABLE EFFORT - Elektra/Musician recording artist Tom Scott recently finished a new, digitally-recorded LP, be released in August. Pictured are (I-r): Bruce Lundvall, president, Elektra/Musician; Scott; Ron Rainey, Scott's manager; and Jeff Weber, producer.

Cobb, Big Walter, and Johnny Copeland, as well as the premiere of an original play on Lightnin' Hopkins. Like the plethora of jazz festivals mounted this summer, Juneteenth, which celebrates the Emancipation Proclamation, relied heavily on corporate sponsorship, in this case from Miller Beer, Gulf, Exxon and Shell.
CONTEMPORARY MASTERS

Columbia Records has reactivated its Contemporary Masters Series, with six collections slated for release next week. Featured artists include Art Blakey & The Jazz Messengers, Duke Ellington ("The Girls Suite"/"The Perfume Suite"), Ornette Coleman ("Broken Shadows"), Thelonius Monk (previously unreleased live recordings), Roy Eldridge and a piano compilation en-

titled "They All Played Bebop." The compilation and Edridge LPs are double-record sets, the others singles. Columbia's Dr. George Butler tells us that the label will add two more batches of releases to the series in August and September and will debut a "Jazz Legends" series, with recordings from as far back as the '20s, next winter.

JAZZ WAVES - National Public Radio (NPR) will celebrate the fifth anniversary of its Jazz Alive program this fall, but the network is far from content to rest on its laurels. The following week, NPR will premiere a new 13-part series, Taylor Made Piano: A Jazz History With Dr. Billy Taylor. The series, based on Taylor's new book, Jazz Piano, will trace the history and development of jazz from traditional African music through to the avant garde. As host, Taylor will both narrate and demonstrate the elements and

changes of each styllstic development.

GREENWICH VILLAGE UPDATE — The producers for the first Greenwich Village Jazz Festival have announced a partial list of artists for the Aug. 30-Sept. 6 fest. Slated to appear at the participating downtown clubs are: Kenny Barron, Arthur Blythe, Joanne Brackeen, Ron Carter, Doc Cheatham, Honl Coles, Paquito D'Riviera, Al Foster, Frank

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One-Stops Adjust To Uncertainty

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Kessler, who responded by raising her prices 1.5 percent. "Some big accounts went shopping and didn't give us an order. It used to be that people wanted service, but now everybody's got records, so they're looking for price and there's always someone in the one-stop business who will give a better price."

Win's Weiss has also passed along the RCA hike. "If customers don't want to pay it, that's fine, I won't sell it. Why should I have to absorb the heat?"

Still, Weiss has had to absorb earlier price increases. "In New York, the competition is very tough, and this is a penny business. Every time I increased prices I was forced to back down. Even NARM's two cents for the 'Gift of Music' campaign; I passed it on and was told that no one else was doing it."

Many one-stops are joining retailers in resisting the RCA hikes. At John's Music, Jackson is refusing to bring RCA product in. "Every time they raise prices, we lose customers," he explained. "Here in L.A., black male unemployment is at 18-25% and black teen unemployment is 40-50%. Who is going to buy records?"

Fogelman has asked his one-stop accounts to support City One Stop in its boycott of RCA product (Cash Box, June

Satellite Networks Spur Move To National Shows

by Larry Riggs

NEW YORK - Satellite delivery systems, which enable radio networks to broadcast better quality sound than telephone linetransmitted programming, are beginning to spawn nationwide call-in shows using tollfree 800 area code numbers. Three major webs are already airing such shows, while others plan to debut them next year. The programs, ranging from call-ins that enable listeners to speak directly to musical artists to nationwide oldies request lines, all aim to build audience participation and loyalty. The existing programs all use the combination of music, host personality and the hope of speaking directly to celebrities to attain those ends.

One of the first such programs was RKO RadioShow's Solid Gold Saturday Night which premiered last January. It is hosted by Dlck Bartley, program director of A/C-formatted WFYR/Chicago, who is also an oldies maven.

"The show originated at WFYR, our o&o in Chicago," said Dan Griffin, vice president and program director, RKO Radio Networks. "We saw this nostalgia blanket going around the country, and we spoke to Dick about putting the show on the network for a straight five hours on Saturday night and he agreed to do it. So far, it has worked out well."

Solid Gold Saturday Night is transmitted from WFYR's Chicago studios to RKO's uplink facility in New York via two 15 kHz backhaul lines. The network then sends it to its over 100 affiliates via the satellite. Most of the stations taking this show are either Top 40 or A/C stations, although there are a few exceptions. "WVCG in Miami is an MOR station but they have the right demographic so they decided to take us," said Griffin.

The majority of the music requested on the show was popular during the 1960s. "The music runs from about 1957 to 1970 and, in fact, Dick is now in the process of compiling a list of the greatest 100 hits of all time via the requests," said Griffin, adding that Bartley announces in the style of disc jockeys today, rather than that of the time when the music was big. "Even though the music comes from that time frame, Dick uses a more contemporary approach," said (continued on page 18)

26). "Everybody is supportive so far, but if they want more than the top 10 hit titles we provide, they'll get them elsewhere."

Backs RCA

Ben Karol was the only operator who refused to quarrel with RCA. "I have no right to determine what a manufacturer has to charge for his product," he explained. "It's very presumptuous on the part of a buyer to tell a seller what he should sell his goods for. I don't know what his costs are, but I do know my costs of doing business in New York, and I get amazed when people tell me that my prices are too high. If a manufacturer continues to promote his product and gives me credit terms I can live with, I have no qualms about his price."

But Karol did complain about those companies whose credit terms are such that he has had to raise prices for their product. "MCA is so absolutely restrictive on credit that it lowered my limit by 75%, so now even though you're current they won't ship you unless you pay in advance. Capitol wants its money yesterday, and WEA is not far behind. Companies that cooperate with us are sold at a lower price, but those that walk out on us get raised on a very selective basis. So even with the RCA hike, we charge more on MCA product."

Win's Weiss mentioned the problem of obtaining product when distribution points close down. "RCA shut down a warehouse in Rockaway, making it a seven-day ship from Indianapolis. How can you anticipate the right amount to order when there's no turnaround time?"

Weiss also noted a more common complaint: lack of quality product. "What happened to people with ears? I never saw such a low for the record industry in the type of music out now!".

Broader Possibilities

"We have to broaden merchandise possibilities for for dealers out there, just as retailers themselves are doing," said Fogelman, whose City One Stop recently held its first video game fair (Cash Box, May 22) to introduce accounts to the home entertainment software line. Since Jan. 1, over 75 accounts have picked up on the games.

Fogelman is also trying to make his customers more aware of the benefits of the \$5.98 lines. Another record product line — oldies — is credited by Weiss for softening the blow of Win's 20% decrease in record volume. "We're doing a larger business in oldies than in current product," he said, speaking of the 25,000-30,000 oldies titles in stock. "That in itself tells me that current product is bad."

Win how has five people solely involved in oldies. But the company is also handling video tapes and games, which Weiss said helped make overall business better by 10% in the last year.

Ben Karol is one one-stop operator who has refused to diversify into video lines. "It's a waste of time," he asserted. "With over \$7 million a year in record business, we can't do enough business in tapes or games to make it worthwhile. At \$5 per rental, we maybe do \$300 a day. So we sell 10 to 20 games a day — it isn't even postage stamp money when we can sell a hundred pieces of new record product an hour at \$8 each."

However Karol, as with many operators, has made adjustments in other facets of his business operation. Six months ago he established a two-tiered price structure, one for COD orders and another for credit. "Credit costs are a bit higher to encourage greater cash flow to pay our bills faster," he explained.

And with all the current hardship and uncertainty facing all segments of the record industry, Charles Faison summed up the feelings of most operators.

"This is one of the best businesses to be in — still."

COAST TO COAST

EAST COASTINGS — Paul Simon is putting the finishing touches on a digital album here . . . The Police has set an August tour with dates in Toronto, Houston, Illinois, Baltimore, Los Angeles and San Francisco. Although a New York date had originally been scheduled for Aug. 18, F.B.I. considers the band overexposed in the Gotham market and will take a pass. Olngo Bolngo will open all dates . . . More from the Minnesota connection: Warner Bros. Is set to release the debut single by Vanity Six, a female trip ages 16-21. Titled "He's So Dull," the girls are backed by The Time, with production duties by Prince. Sources close to the group report that the single, culled from a forthcoming LP, is the disc's least risque offering, which also includes such titles as "Nasty Girls" and "Drive Me Wild." Would you expect anything less from a group that



THE POP TREATMENT — Andy Warhol (I) and Capitol recording artist Billy Squier recently unveiled this Warhol-painted portrait of Squier for the cover of his forthcoming LP, "Emotions In Motion." The album ships next week.

performs in camisoles? ... A&M has inked Janet Jackson of the Michael/Jermaine/LaToya/et al Jacksons . . . Island has released "Up Where We Belong," a duet by **Jo**e Cocker and Jennifer Warren recorded for the film An Officer And A Gentleman The B-52's are at Compass Point Studio in The Bahamas . . . Rounder Is set to go with "Make My Home Where I Hang My Hat" by Texas terror Johnny Copeland ... Hannibal Records is mult ... Hannibal Records Is mulling a midline series . . . With a full-scale blitz by Cairo Mgmt., The Press Office, Side One Marketing and Magna Booking, Allentown, Pa.'s Revenge is beginning to see some results on its Nile Records import EP...Two Views Dept.: Recent assaults on the East Coastings Command Post have included visita-

tions by England's Plgbag and hometown hero Ross The Boss, now fronting EMI's Manowar. In town for dates at The Peppermint Lounge, Pigbag was looking forward to its American appearance and upcoming Japanese tour in order to get a breather from the mayhem that has attended the band in the U.K., where its single, "Papa's Got A Brand New Pigbag," has experienced a very long (and strange) chart run. "It's kind of a weird situation over there," said group member Jim Johnstone. " 'Papa' has been out for a year-and-a-half, and it's just taken off in the last few months. It's given us a whole new audience who only know us from this record, which was done some time ago. In New York, I think most of the people who know about us have been listening a little bit longer. We've kind of changed since 'Papa' - we've swapped people and gotten a little bit more subtle." Although decidedly rock-oriented, Johnstone cited Ornette Coleman, Cecil Taylor, The Art Ensemble of Chicago and The World Saxophone Quartet among the horn band's primary influences. "When we first started, there wasn't any conscious decision to be anything," reflected Johnstone. "We had the horns and just learned as we went. We're young and white, and we just naturally wound up playing in rock venues The people who come to see us aren't into jazz — they don't hear us solo and say 'that's improvisation' -- but if it works, we take the audience with us, I'm really quite amazed sometimes. I look into the audience and see skinheads dancing. Yet if we called ourselves a jazz band, people wouldn't come out" . . . Manowar would never call themselves anything but a rock band. "This is a man's band," declared Ross The Boss. "All we have to offer other bands is crushing defeat. After we leave the stage in smoke and flame, they'll know who Manowar is." Obviously, the Bronx bomber and former Dictator pulls no punches. fred goodman

POINTS WEST - Pink Floyd's film of "The Wall" directed by Alan (Bugsy Malone, Fame, Shoot the Moon) Parker was screened in Los Angeles recently prior to its August opening. It's a depressing, spacy, fast-paced, bloody, loud, right-on, messagemongering, heavy, disorienting, timeless, spectacular, moody, hallucinogenic work, conjuring up memories of Tommy, Citizen Kane, Performance, The Man Who Fell to Earth, Stardust, Altered States, Last Night at Marienbad, If, The Devils and a slew of other sensory-overload pics. Floyd freeks will undoubtedly want to stock up on their tabs for this one, which stars The Boomtown Rats' Bob Geldorf, features the animation wizardry of Gerald Scarf, and seems destined for a mixed critical response and a large cult following. Special effects used in the rock 'n' roll tale are fantastic, with one scene portraying endless rows of children seated at their desks singing the title chant and another showing lead character Pink watching TV before suddenly being attacked by his own surreal paranoid delusions. All in all, a crazy but well-crafted movie. Just beware of those flashbacks they always warned you about...Look for Tom Petty's new Backstreet LP around the beginning of September, with one fan privvy to a few cuts describing the vocals as "a cross between Bob Dylan and the Everly Brothers." A very limited number of picture discs may also be pressed ... Mike Gormley and Miles Copeland's L.A.P.D. (Los Angeles Personal Direction) agency has signed technopopper Gary Numan for management in North America, and his fifth release is slated for late summer . . . An energetic girl group called Toxic Shock will appear at a benefit for the alternative newspaper Post-Amerikan held at Fink's in Bloomington, Ill., on July 31. Joining the combo will be Diatribe and the Post-Adolescent Blues Band Southern California's rockabilly boys The Blasters will perform at Hollywood's Palladium Aug. 6 before steppin' into the studio during October to lay tracks for their second album, due for an early 1983 shipping ... Over at 415, Romeo Void's "Nvr Say Nvr" platter, which scored so well as indie product, has been reissued by Columbia as part of its pact with the Howle Klein-run label. The band's follow-up recording, "Benefactor," should be out in August ... **Jon Lyons**, the bassplaying singer/songwriter who left **Tommy Tutone** following the explosive single success of "867-5309/Jenny" to pursue a solo career, talks about his past and present in the latest issue of Chic magazine . . Producer Val Garay just remixed John Hlatt's "I Look For Love" for a single, with the flipper Hiatt's version of "Take Time To Know Her," the Percy Sledge classic . . . Commemorating sales of Judi Shepard Missett's "Jazzercize" LP, the only album in the aerobics field certified gold, a demonstration of the exercise regimen was held July 19 at the Universal Studios parking lot in North Hollywood during the late afternoon. Fitness fans were bussed in from several jazzercise classes, for the celebratory event where the strongest drink around was fresh-squeezed o.j.

jeffrey ressner



TOP 30 IDEOCASSETTES

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1	STAR WARS 20th Century-Fox Home Video 1130	1	7	16	BODY HEAT Warner Home Video LD-70065	17	16
2	ON GOLDEN POND 20th Century-Fox Heme Video 9037	2	8	17	ROCKY II 20th Century-Fox Home Video 4565	19	7
3	ARTHUR Warner Home Video 72020	4	12	18	FOR YOUR EYES ONLY 20th Century-Fox Home Video 1128	20	17
4	STRIPES Columbia Pictures Home			19	MODERN PROBLEMS 20th Century-Fox Video 1129	15	10
5	Entertainment 10600 PRIVATE LESSONS	3	12	20	THE FRENCH LIEUTENANT'S WOMAN		
•	MCA Distribution Corporation 71008	6	5		20th Century-Fox Video 4868	16	15
6	ABSENCE OF MALICE Columbia Pictures Home Entertainment 10005	8	3	21	AN AMERICAN WEREWOLF IN LONDON Universal City Studios, Inc., MCA Distributing Corporation 77004	23	17
7	DRAGONSLAYER Paramount Home Video 1367	7	7	22	CLASH OF THE TITANS MGM/UA Home Video 700074	21	17
8	TIME BANDITS Paramount Horne Video 2310	9	11	23	MAKING LOVE 20th Century-Fox Video 1146		1
9	NEIGHBORS Columbia Pictures Home Entertainment VH/BE 10445	· 5	6	24	RICHARD PRYOR LIVE IN CONCERT Vestron VA-4000	24	17
10	SUPERMAN II Warner Home Video WB-61120	13	16	25	SO FINE Warner Home Video 11143	25	9
	RAGTIME Paramount Home Video 1486	18	2	26	ONLY WHEN I LAUGH Columbia Pictures Home Entertainment 10461	22	17
12	JANE FONDA'S WORKOUT KVC/RCA Karl Video Corporation 042	12	4	27	SHOOT THE MOON MGM/UA MVR/MBR 00141		1
13	GHOST STORY MCA Distributing Corporation 77006	10	9	28	HALLOWEEN II MGA Distributing Corporation 77065	26	13
14	WHOSE LIFE IS IT ANYWAY? MGM/UA MVR/MBR 00140	14	5	2.9	ATLANTIC CITY Paramount Pictures, Paramount Home Videc 1460	29	17
15	TAPS 20th Century-Fox Video 1128	11	10	30	GOLDFINGER 20th Century-Fox Video 4595		1

The Cash Box Top 30 Videocassettes chart is a compilation of the fastest moving titles in both Beta and VHS formats, based primarily on rental activity, as reported by leading accounts around the country. Accounts surveyed include. Video Plus-Chicago; Radio 437-Philadelphia; Classic Video-Oak Lawn; The Video Store-Cincinnati; Precision Video-Chicago; Entertainment Systems-Phoenix; Nickelodeon-Los Angeles; Everybodys'-Portland; Radio 437-Brila Cynwyd; American Tape & Video-Atlanta; Crazy Eddie-New York; The Cinema Store-Encino; Video Company-Larkspur; Video Studio-Farmington, Tyson Video-Atlanta; Video Library-San Diego; Video Media-Chatsworth; Wonderful World of Video-Chatsmooga; Boston Video-Boston; Wherehouse-National; Video Showroom-Louisville; Erol's Video Club-Springfield; New England Home Video-Groton; Movies Unlimited-Philadelphia; Video Showcase-Federal Way, Movies To Go —St. Louis.

NEW VIDEO SOFTWARE RELEASES

This listing of new videocassette and videodisc software releases is designed to keep home video retailers and dealers abreast of the latest product available and can be used as an ordering aid. Product is separated into Cassette and Disc groups, followed by manufacturer, catalog number and price. Some product listed may not have been assigned either a catalog number or price at pressume.

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Butterfly

Vestron V 6007 No List Vestron V 5001 No List Cassette -

Vestron V 5003 No List



Benji

Hot T-Shirts

The Last Chase			
Cassette Vestron	V 5004	No	List

They All Laughed Cassette -- Vestron V 5005 No List Hokus, Pokus It's Magle Cassette -- Vestron V 5006 No List

Cat People Cassette - MCA Videocassette/MCA Distributing Corp. 77008 \$85.50

Abbott And Costello Meet Frankenstein Cassette - MCA Videocassette/MCA Distributing Corp. 55074 \$39.95

Hot T-Shirts

Cassette - MCA Videocassette/MCA Distributing Corp. 55025 \$39.95 Personal Best

Cassette - Warner Home Video 61242 Rental Only

Sharky's Machine Cassette - Warner Home Video 72024 Rental Only

Cassette - Warner Home Video 72022 Rental Only

Cassette - Warner Home Video The Grateful Dead: Dead Ahead

Cassette - Warner Home Video 34049 \$50.00 Heavy Traffic Cassette - Warner Home Video

\$60.00 Joni Mitchell: Shadows And Light Cassette -- Warner Home Video . \$50.00

The Music Of Melissa Manchester Cassette - Warner Home Video 34065 \$50.00

Cassette — Media Home Entertainment

M196 \$59.95
The Adventures Of The Wilderness Family Cassette - Media Home Entertainment M203



Amazing Dobermans Night of the Juggler Rumpelstiltskin

Cassette -- Unicorn M14..... \$59.95 Pinocchio - Unicorn M13 \$59.95 Cassette -Cassette - Unicorn M15..... \$59.95

SOUNDVIEWS

SUMMER SOFTWARE - Baseball and the beach are synonomous with summer for most Americans, so for those videophiles who can't get enough of either or both, the season brings two standout offerings of sport and surf — VCA Programs' *The Boys of* Summer and Pacific Arts' The Endless Summer. Boys, due in August, is a featurelength production based on Roger Kahn's classic story of the Brooklyn Dodgers, tracing the lives of eight players from the legendary team that ruled Ebbets Field and the National League in the early '50s. Under a unique co-production arrangement, VCA Programs will handle home video distribution, while Thorn EMI Video Programming Enterprises is marketing it to commercial and pay television. Bruce Brown's The End-



MTV'S IN THE PINK -- MTV Video Jockeys Alan Hunter (I) and Martha Quinn (r) recently selected 22-year-old Brian Jones as the winner in the cable network's "MTV Takes You To 'The Wall' " contest. Jones and a friend received a round-trip flight to London for the premiere of the movie Pink Floyd: The Wall.

less Summer, on Pacific Arts Video Records, is the classic 1966 surf film that follows a two-man surfing safari from the beaches of Malibu across Senegal, Ghana, Nigeria, South Africa, Australia, New Zealand, Tahiti, Hawaii and back to California. The Endless Summer is available in VHS and Beta cassette for now, with the videodisc release to follow . . . Annie's Sandy may be the latest dog star stealing hearts on the silver screen, but fellow mutt Benji is still the leading box office pooch and through a deal between Vestron Video and Mulberry Square Prods., his selftitled motion picture hit will be coming to home video in September on Vestron. The deal also includes the 1983 release of such other Mulberry Square offerings as For The Love of Benii, Benii At Work.

The Phenomenon of Benji and Benji's Very Own Christmas Story, in addition to such family-oriented comedies as Hawmps and The Double McGuttin. A major marketing and cross-merchandising campaign will accompany the Benji releases ... Videocassettes is readying the release of three new summer titles, Paul Schrader's recent update of Val Lewton's Cat People, starring Nastassia Kinski and Malcolm McDowell (and featuring music by Giorgio Moroder with lyrics and vocals by David Bowle); Abbott and Costello Meet Frankenstein, the 1948 Universal feature with Bela Lugosl and Lon Chaney, Jr.; and a drive-in type flick from Canon Films, Hot T-Shirts. The latter two carry a \$39.95 suggested list price, while Cat People goes for \$85.50 . . Media Home Entertainment ends summer with a little sizzle, as the Hollywood-based independent expects to begin shipping The Seduction, starring Morgan Fairchild (of Flamingo Road infamy), in September . . . Finally, The Nostalgia Merchant has tentatively planned to begin offering four titles from its recent deal with Viacom in mid-October. Included are Sam Peckinpah's war film *Cross of Iron*, with James Coburn and Maximillian Schell; the horror film The Uncanny with Peter Cushing and Ray Milland; the thriller Night of the Juggler with James Brolin; and The Amazing Dobermans, with Fred Astalre and Barbara Eden (but not Benji). All titles will carry a \$59.95 suggested list.

VIDEODISCS DOINGS - RCA SelectaVision VideoDisc, which recently celebrated the production of its five millionth disc some 16 months after the introduction of its CED system, has inked a licensing agreement with PolyGram Pictures for the motion picture titles American Werewolf in London and Endless Love with Brooke Shields. MCA Videocassette has had considerable success with the tape versions of both titles and RCA eagerly anticipates their planned fall disc releases (especially in light of the fact that previous Shields vehicles Blue Lagoon and Pretty Baby have consistently been among RCA's topselling discs, and it is felt that American Werewolf falls into the same comedy category as the immensely popular Airplanel). American Werewolf should be out in mid-October, with Endless Love to follow

MUSIC VIDEO — When the Chairman of the Board sings, people listen, and when Frank Sinatra opens the 5,000-seat amphitheater in the village of Altos de Chavon in the Dominican Republic Aug. 20, Paramount Video will be there to tape the show for pay television. Not surprising that Paramount got the nod to tape Ol' Blue Eyes' first ever special for pay TV; Altos de Chavon, which was conceived to generate and promote interest in Dominican art, was funded by Gulf & Western Industries, of which Paramount is a subsidiary . . . Gowers Fields Flattery has wrapped production on three separate projects, Fleetwood Mac's "Hold Me," a conceptual clip directed by Steve Barron (who did the Human League's "Don't You Want Me?"); an Ozzy Osbourne concert special taped at Southern California's Irvine Meadows for TV and home video use; and a Split Enz concert special taped in Hamilton, Ontario, which receives its premiere airing on Warner Amex's MTV . . . MCA Records has a batch of new videos available concurrently with new releases from such acts as Australia's The Swingers, L.A.'s The Alley Cats and The Grass Roots, in addition to England's The Fixx and, coming in early August, The Trees

CHRYSALIS VISUAL CLOSES WEST COAST OFFICES -- "We haven't been given a reason, except that the owners, Terry Ellis and Clive Walters, said it wasn't what they wanted," said a spokesman for Chrysalis Visual Programming Division last week following word that the two-year-old home video and cable/network TV production unit had shuttered its West Coast offices here in L.A. The general feeling, however, is that the closing was the result of a consolidation move centering the operation in London and New York, where Chrysalis recently entered into a new joint venture with independent producer **Linda Yellend**. The first scheduled production for the joint venture is reportedly a documentary video on Prince Charles and Lady Diana. Chrysalis Visual has only had three releases thus far (including The Best of Blondie, Slip Stream with Jethro Tull and Now You See It, Now You Don't, a how-to videogram on magic tricks featuring British illusionist Paul Danlels) and, according to sources close to the division, no new projects were in production at the time of the L.A. closing. Three staffers were let go, including general manager Linda Carhart, who'd been with Chrysalis for more than 10 years, heading up the record label's video department before moving over. Video production on label promotional clips will continue under the supervision of creative services vice president Roland Young, as will distribution and sales of current michael glynn Chrysalis Visual programs.

MERCHANDISING

TOP 200 ALBUMS

Plant LP Jumps 25 Points To #6 In Second Week Of Release

by Mark Albert and Ken Kirkwood

TOP STORY OF THE WEEK is Robert Plant, who takes a dynamic second week jump into the Top Ten at #6 bullet from #31. Excellent sales everywhere, led by the Midwest and East. Number one retail reports in Chicago, Cleveland, Cincinnati, Buffalo, Boston, Portland and Seattle. Look for this album to really kick in at the racks in the next couple of weeks.

TOP TEN HIGHLIGHTS -- Asia stays at #1 for the fourth consecutive week. . . The Rolling Stones remain at #2 bullet. The LP continues to gain momentum, but is still a little short. Jumping six points to #3 bullet is Fleetwood Mac. Outstanding retail action in all regions led by the West, South and the East. The "Hold Me" single moves to #5 bullet from #7 on the Cash Box Top 100 Singles chart. . . Toto inches up another notch to #5 bullet, thanks to an increase in activity at the rack level. . . John Cougar moves up a point to #9 bullet behind the strength of his #1 single, "Hurts So Good". . . REO Speedwagon cracks the Top Ten at #10 bullet, up from #12. Very strong sales out of the Midwest, South and West. Top 15 rack

TOP 100 HIGHLIGHTS — Survivor jumps to #12 bullet, up from #15. Strong retail action in the South, East and Midwest. Top 25 rack sales as well. Look for the Survivor single, "Eye Of The Tiger," at #2 bullet, to go to #1 next week. . . Steve Miller takes a nice 11-point jump to #13 bullet. Huge sales out of the West, South and Midwest. Starting to kick in at the rack level. The title single, "Abracadabra," goes to #8 bullet from #11 on the Top 100 Pop Singles chart. . . Pete Townshend goes to #27 bullet from #32 with good retail on the coasts. . . Crosby, Stills & Nash jump to #28 bullet, up from #46 in their second week. Doing quite well on the coasts and in the Midwest. The "Wasted On The Way" single breaks into the Top 20 at #18 bullet, up from #21... The Rocky III soundtrack jumps 10 points to #29 bullet with retail out of the East, South and Midwest. Top 30 item at the racks. . .Frank Zappa, #31 bullet, up from #34, is strong in the West, East and Midwest and continues to gain retail strength in the South. The "Valley Girl" single jumps to #71 bullet from #81...Larry Elgart's "Hooked On Swing" jumps to #32 bullet from #36. Exploded at the rack level this week, in some cases a Top Ten item. . . Chicago moves to #42 bullet from #48 with strong retail out of the Midwest, South and West. Making inroads in the East and at the racks as well. . . April Wine jumps 10 points to #45 bullet in its third week. Good sales in the

Midwest, West and South. . . The E.T. soundtrack moves to #47 bullet, up from #59, with best retail on the coasts and picking up in the Midwest. . .Glenn Frey goes to #48 bullet, up from #56, with good retail out of the West, Midwest and South. . .Jeffrey Osborne takes a nine-point jump to #51 bullet. Best sales out of the East, West and South. Jetrey Osborne takes a nine-point jump to #51 bullet. Best sales out of the East, West and South. His Top Five single, "I Really Don't Need No Light," on the Top 100 Black Contemporary Singles chart, is starting to cross over nicely, going to #68 bullet from #75. . .King Crimson goes to #58 bullet from #68 with moderate sales out of the West and Midwest. . .The soundtrack to Grease 2 remains a strong Top 15 rack seller . . . Elvis Costello moves 12 points in his second week to #74 bullet. Selling the best in the West, East and Midwest. . .Judas Priest jumps 23 points to #77 bullet in Its second week with strong retail in the South, West and Midwest. . . Eddie Money moves to #84 bullet from #96. Strong action out of the West and Midwest. His single, "Think I'm In Love," jumps to #38 bullet, up from #44 on the Top 100 Pop Singles chart. . . Leaping into the Top 100 is the soundtrack to Star Trek II. Good sales out of the Midwest and West. Look for this to do well at the racks in upcoming weeks. . . Joe Jackson pops into the Top 100 at #89 bullet, up from #108. Fair sales out of the West, East

101 TO 200 HIGHLIGHTS — David Sanborn moves to #105 bullet, up from #115 with retail action in the Midwest and West. . . Bloodstone takes a nice jump to #106 bullet from #117 with good sales out of the East and South. The LP jumped to #19 bullet from #34 on the Cash Box Top 75 B/C Albums chart. . .X moves up to #111 bullet from #126 with sales out on both coasts, primarily the West. . .The Pointer Sisters take a 22-point jump to #119 bullet with good sales out of the South, Midwest and West. . .Ted Nugent jumps to #122 bullet, up from #149, with good retail out of the Midwest and West.

DEBUTS - The top chart entry this week is Kenny Rogers at #76 bullet. Strong retail out of the South and Midwest with immediate rack action as well. . .He also jumps to #38 bullet from #54 on the Top 75 Country Albums chart. His "Love Will Turn You Around" single is #20 bullet on the Top 100 Country singles chart after only three weeks and is #27 bullet after only four weeks on the Top 100 Pop Singles chart. . . Pieces Of A Dream debuts this week at #158 bullet with retail out of the East and West. . . Black Uhuru comes in at #165 bullet with good response in the East and South. . . The last debut this week is Imagination



This listing of records outside the national Top 20 showing steady or upward movement is designed to keep retailers abreast of the latest regional sales trends.

REGIONAL ALBUM ANALYSIS

NATIONAL BREAKOUTS

- **ROCKY III**
- **CROSBY, STILLS & NASH**
- FRANK ZAPPA
- **JUDAS PRIEST**
- **KENNY ROGERS**
- **ELVIS COSTELLO**
- CHICAGO
- **8 PETE TOWNSHEND**
- 9 HOOKED ON SWING
- 10 APRIL WINE
- 11 ANNIE
- 12 GLENN FREY
- 13 ROXY MUSIC
- 14 JEFFREY OSBORNE
- 15 CLASH

NORTHEAST

- CROSBY, STILL & NASH
- ROCKY III
- PETE TOWNSHEND
- CLASH
- **ELVIS COSTELLO**
- ANNIE
- DREAMGIRLS
- HOOKED ON SWING
- KENNY ROGERS
- FRANK ZAPPA

SOUTHEAST

- CHICAGO
- **KENNY ROGERS**
- ROCKY III
- CROSBY, STILLS & NASH HOOKED ON SWING
- **GREASE 2**
- 7 FRANK ZAPPA 8 JEFFREY OSBORNE
- **ELVIS COSTELLO** 10 JUDAS PRIEST

BALTIMORE/ WASHINGTON

- DREAMGIRLS
- CROSBY, STILLS & NASH
- ROCKY III
- JUDAS PRIEST
- FRANK ZAPPA
- ANNIE
- HOOKED ON SWING JEFFREY OSBORNE
- KENNY ROGERS
- MARSHALL CRENSHAW

WEST

- CROSBY, STILLS & NASH PETE TOWNSHEND
- FRANK ZAPPA
- ROCKY III
- **ELVIS COSTELLO**
- JUDAS PRIEST EDDIE MONEY
- **ROXY MUSIC**
- E.T.

MIDWEST

- CHICAGO
- CROSBY, STILLS & NASH
- **ROCKY III**
- **APRIL WINE**
- FRANK ZAPPA
- JUDAS PRIEST
- GLENN FREY PETE TOWNSHEND
- **ROXY MUSIC**
- 10 KENNY ROGERS

NORTH CENTRAL 6.

- **ROCKY III**
- **HOOKED ON SWING**
- CHICAGO
- GREASE 2
- APRIL WINE
- KENNY ROGERS **GLENN FREY**

- 10 CROSBY, STILLS & NASH

DENVER/PHOENIX7.

- CROSBY, STILLS & NASH
- PETE TOWNSHEND
- **APRIL WINE**
- GLENN FREY
 JUDAS PRIEST
- ELVIS COSTELLO
- ROCKY III
- KING CRIMSON
- 10 JEFFREY OSBORNE

SOUTH CENTRAL

- ROCKY III
- JUDAS PRIEST
- FRANK ZAPPA KENNY ROGERS
- CROSBY, STILLS & NASH CHICAGO
- **APRIL WINE**
- POINTER SISTERS
- 10 ELVIS COSTELLO

WHAT'S IN-STORE

FOREGROUND TO THE STOREFRONT - Audio Environments Inc. (AEI), the supplier of foregound music to over 8,000 national accounts including airlines, restaurants, hotels, fashion stores and dental offices, has expanded its involvement in record promotion to the retail level (Cash Box, April 10), Eilen Neltlich, AEI director of promotions, reports that the company, which licenses original artist music from labels for inclusion in tapes distributed to its accounts, has its first tie-in with a record retailer in the current cross-merchandising campaign featuring four Arista acts with the Wild West clothing store chain. There are 35 of the stores in Southern California, which cater to teens and young adults, and all will feature Air Supply, Haircut 100, Alan Parsons and Melissa Manchester on their in-store sound systems. Display materials will also draw attention to these acts, with coupons attached to easelbacks offering a buck off on the artists' albums at any Music Plus outlet. Neitlich expects more retailer tie-ins in future promotions and is looking for a way to engage patrons at restaurant accounts in impluse buying at record stores.

50,000 TOTO POSTERS CAN'T BE WRONG -- Columbia Records has printed up 50,-000 **Toto** concert posters as prizes in retail and radio contests supporting the current "Toto IV" LP and summer tour. Already involved are Atlanta's **Turtles** chain and station Z93, and Cleveland's **Record Theatre** stores and station WGCL. Other markets where the contests will run are Washington, D.C., Chicago and Los Angeles. Additional prizes include Toto/Addidas warm-up jackets, Toto catalogs and special posters autographed by the band. Retailers interested in participating are asked to call Ron Oberman of Columbia at (213) 556-4700.

THE CAVAGE PATCH -- Cavages recently teamed with station "97 ROCK," WGRQ-FM in Buffalo, in a "Dancing in the Streets at the Worlds Fair" contest, which last week awarded the grand prize winner round trip airfare and hotel accommodations in Knoxville, Tenn., to see Van Halen in concert, as well as visit the 1982 World's Fair. Entry blanks were obtained at Cavages for random drawings at the station. The grand prize winner was given 97 minutes to call in and claim the prize following the specified drawing time. Other drawings were then held to give away 25 first prizes consisting of a 97 Rock/Van Halen beach towel and "Diver Down" LP, with winner call-ins not necessary . . . Cavages, along with station Z98, is also sponsoring a "Valley Girl Night" at Uncle Sam's nightclub in Buffalo. In searching for the "Valley Girl of Western New York," the stores are using large "Valley Girl" displays along with signs detailing the event, which calls for any girl interested to appear at the club and do a **Moon Unit Zappa** "Valley Girl" impersonation onstage. The grand prize winner gets a manicure, pedicure, body wrap and face lift free from Derwald's Head-To-Toe health center. The winner and runners-up get copies of the Frank Zappa "Ship Arriving Too Late To Save A Drowning Witch" album. As for that face life, Cavages John Grandoni insists that it will be included in the first prize "only if she wants it."

- Milwaukee's Radio Doctors recently celebrated the first anniversary of its classical outlet by opening the store a couple hours earlier than its regular 11 a.m. Sunday starting time to its 4,000 classical mailer customers. Invitations had been included in the mailer, and those that attended received coffee and donuts to sweeten the wholesale prices offered on classical product during the two-hour period. Merchandising coordinator Wendy Birky reports that "the cash register line ran around the store, with customers carrying half a dozen albums in their hands." A second register from the pop store had to rushed over to handle traffic . . . After several delays, Radio Doctors' aerobics promotion is finally taking place this week. The weeklong event will have various health-related demonstrations on a stage set across the street, and "anything remotely aerobic" will be put on sale ... Radio Doctors and Columbia Records are sending the winner of a drawing to the Hollywood Bowl to see Toto. To be eligible for the drawing, entrants must correctly identify scrambled bits of seven Toto songs played on station WKTI. jim bessman

Distributors Cautious With Country 45s In Face Of Economy, \$1.99 List Price

by Tom Roland

NASHVILLE - In the midst of a tight economy and a price hike on singles to \$1.99 list, record one-stops and rack jobbers have taken a more cautious approach in purchasing country 45s. Jukebox operators and consumers alike are spending less on singles, and the jukeboxes are waiting to buy country product (even with some name acts) until the record is a proven "hit."

Although record labels tend to agree that single sales are off, there is some disagreement as to how significant the decline actually is. While Joe Galante, vice president, marketing, for RCA, claims that sales are off as much as 30%, Roy Wunsch, vice president, marketing, for CBS and Tony Tamburrano, national promotion director for MCA, seem to feel that any drop in sales is of a less damaging nature.

Off 30%

"I'd say it's off a good 30%," said Galante, attributing most of the decline to the cautious attitude adopted by one-stops and jukebox operators. "I think it's a combination of the pricing and also the fact that they have video games in there, and that quarter now competes with the jukebox just as albums compete for dollar bills versus a lot of other home entertainment sources. You have the same thing in a bar where people are out their playing 'Galaxian' or 'Pac-Man' or 'Defender' versus playing a record."

With more quarters and dollars headed for alternative entertainment, Galante noted that declining sales have changed the buying habits of one-stops and distributors, making them more cautious of the product they are willing to stock. "With

Jammin Records, New **Production Unit Bow**

LOS ANGELES - Freelance Prods., Inc. and Jammin Records were formed recently by Will Kirkland. The initial release on Jammin will be "Sail Away," the first single from the upcoming "Big Train Rollin" "LP by the group Travis Moon.

The companies can be reached by mailing to P.O. Box 1561, Jupiter, Fla. 33458 or by calling (305) 746-2222.

interest rates being the way they are and business being slower," he said, "you're getting a slower turnover on your inventory, so people are being more cautious in terms of their buying habits in regard to singles. The other factor that's compounded this entire situation is radio. Playlists used to be a little bit larger so you could get a record started a little bit easier than you can today. Now it's taking more and more to get up there, and it's delaying some of the purchases that people ordinarily would have made out of the box."

As a result, very few new and developing artists are seeing an initial reaction to solid product until it has definitely proven its validity through radio airplay. "The smaller artists are definitely suffering," he commented. "There's no doubt about that, but even with the larger artists, you're not seeing the kind of volume that you would have on a #1 record. Where we used to be at 200,000 on a #1 record, now it's down to 150,000 and, for some records, 125,000."

Wunsch, however, stated that any drop in sales is of a more minimal proportion. "I'm finding that the hit single records are selling," he said. "I'm not seeing a dramatic decline of any type. I'm sure there is probably some loss due to the nature of the economy, but, from what I've been able to

determine, it hasn't been that significant."

CBS is the only major label not currently at the \$1.99 list price for singles, but Wunsch maintained that that should not make his sales dramatically different from any other labels. "I tend to think in general that an account that buys from us at one price and RCA or MCA at another tends to market their records at the same price," he said, "I'm speculating on that, I'm sure there are accounts who pass along that type of savings, but it seems a little difficult to believe that all of them do."

Whether or not singles overall are selling at a slower clip, Wunsch indicated that lesser-known artists are definitely being scrutinized more closely by the various links in the distribution network. "Records that don't make it or maybe make it to the midchart are selling less than they were a couple years ago or last year at this time," he noted. "In the past there were more ac-

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BREAKOUTS/PLUS PROFIT

TOP SELLING UDEO GAMES TOP SELLING ACCESSORIES *

DEFENDER Atari CX2609 CHOPPER COMMAND Activision AX015 PAC-MAN Atari CX2646 STARMASTER Activision AX016 YAR'S REVENGE Atari CX2655 **DEMON ATTACK Imagic 3200** STAR STRIKE Intellivision 5161 **HAUNTED HOUSE Atari CX2654** SPACE HAWK Intellivision 5136 SPACE INVADERS Atari CX2632 SPACE JOCKEY U.S. Games BC 1001 SUPER BREAKOUT Atari CX2608 KABOOM! Activision AG010 MISSLE COMMAND Atari CX2638

COMPILED FROM: Alta — Phoenix • Disc-O-Mat — New York • Sound Video, Unlintd. — Chicago • Musiclend — St. Louis • Everybody's — Portland • Licorice Pizza — Los Angeles • New England Home Video — Groton • Movies To Go — St. Louis • Sound Werehouse — San Antonio • Spec's — Miami • American Tape & Video — Atlenta • Nickelodeon — Los Angeles • Show Industries — National • Tower — Sacramento • Radio Doctors — Milwaukee • Crazy Eddie — New York • Video Store — Cincinnati • Turtles — Atlanta • Radio 437 — Bala Cynwyd, Stratford — New York.

Audio Technica Disc-Wisk (AT6010)

Audio Technica Sonic Broom (AT6012) **Bowers Outer LP Sleeves**

- Discwasher D-4 11/4 oz. Refill Fluid
- Discwasher D-4 System Kit Discwasher "Perfect Path" Cassette Cleaner Le-Bo Outer LP Sleeves Maxell LNC-90

Maxell UDXL II C-60

Maxell UDXL II C-90 Maxell UDXL II C-90 (2/Bag) Maxell T-120 (videocassette) Memorex T-120 (videocassette) **TDK Cassette Head Cleaner**

TDK DC-90

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COMPILED FROM: Tower Records — Secremento, Seattle * Dan Jay Music — Denver * Radio Doctors — Milwaukee * Sound Video, Unitd. — Chicago * Sound Warehouse — San Antonio * Caveges — Buffelc * Lieberman — Denver * Licorice Pizza — Los Angeles * Record Theatre — Cincinnati * Alta — Phoenix * Peaches — Cincinnett, Cleveland, Columbus * Big Apple Records — Denver * Karme — Indianepolls * Gery's — Virginia.

* Excludes T-Shirts & Paraphernalia

Heavy Sales

TOP SELLING MIDLINES

A Flock of Seagulis • Jive/Arista VA 66000 AC/DC • Let There Be Rock • Atco SD-3615 Tommy Bolin • Private Eyes • Columbia C-34329 Bow Wow Wow . Last of the Mohicans . RCA CLP1-4314

David Bowle • The Rise and Fall of Ziggy Stardust and the Spiders From Mars • RCA AYL1-3843

Crosby, Stills & Nash . Atlantic SD-8229 Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young . So Far . Atlantic

SD-15119 The Crusaders • Street Life • MCA 3094

- The Doors Elektra EKS 75007
- Haircut 100 Pelican West Arista AL 6600 Joe Jackson • Look Sharp! • A&M SP-4743 Quincy Jones • The Best • A&M SP-3200
- Missing Persons Capitol DLP-15001 The Monroes • Alfa AAE-15015

The Rolling Stones • Sucking In The Seventies • Rolling Stone/Atco COC-T6028

Spyro Gyra • Morning Dance • MCA 9004

COMPILED FROM: Record Theatre — Cincinnati • Dan Jay Music — Denver • Gary's — Virginia • Karma — Indianapolis • Big Apple Records — Denver • Peaches — Cincinnati, Columbus • Tower Records — Sacramento, San Diego, Seattle • Radio Doctors — Milwaukee • Sound Video, Unitd. — Chicago • Cavages — Buffalo • Sound Warehouse — San Antonio • Alta — Phoenix • Disc-O-Mat — New York City.

Satellite Webs Enabling Radio To Run National Call-Ins

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Griffin. "He's not just another doo-wop lock."

Another telephone call-in show that aimed for an A/C-type demographic is the 90-minute Barry Manilow special on CBS's Radioradio web on May 22, and combined his music with the calls. "The idea for starting this came from out of my head," said Leslie Corn, Radioradio program director. "We had wanted to offer something that none of the other networks were doing, and when I spoke to Barry, he really liked the idea so we went ahead with it."

The show, which was fed to 141 affiliates across the country, was hosted by Dave Prince, alr talent at A/C outlet WCZY/Detroit. Unlike Bartley at WFYR, Prince maintained a deliberately low profile. "He had a mandate to let his guest shine and to keep in the background," said Corn. "But what he did do was take the readings off of our computer that told where each listener was calling from and what his or her age was so that he could say over the air 'Hi, Is this so and so from Decatur, Illinois?' That way, we eliminated the problem of dead air or people going 'hello, hello' over the air."

Corn sees this type of show as a growing trend in radio, considering that satellite delivery now makes better, more cost effective transmission possible. "I've been talking to people who say that we're now ready for talk on FM stations," she said. "The thing that makes this different from ordinary talk shows is the audience participa-

Country, B/C Up In Houston, Down In Dallas Arbs

NEW YORK — Results of the Spring 1982 Arbitron rating period that ran from March 18 to June 9 reflect mixed results in AOR, country and B/C listenerships, with some Winter 1982 market leaders being supplanted by #2 stations.

Such was the case in the Dallas/Fort Worth market, where country shares were generally down but WBAP skyrocketed to 7.7 from 6.7. Listeners were perhaps wooed away from rival KSCS, which dropped to 7.3 from 8.4 during the same period. KPLX also plummeted to a modest 4.5 from 6.4.

AOR shares, conversely, gained overall as KZEW rose to 6.4 from 4.9, while KTXQ remained more or less the same, dropping one tenth of a point to 6.3. Top 40 outlet KVIL-FM also stayed at par, although it rose to 8.4 from 7.9, capturing the lead in the

Simultaneously, B/C outlet KKDA-FM fell to 5.2 from a Winter Book high of 6.6, while jazz outlet KSAX rose modestly to 1.4 from 1.0.

The Spring Book results in Houston were nearly the exact opposite of those in its northern neighbor, as the country and B/C formats gained, while AOR was mixed. Country outlet KILT-FM rose to 7.5 from a Winter Book share of 6.9, and KENR rose a half point to 1.9 during the same period. KIKK-FM also rose a full point to 8.8 from 7.8

Simultaneously, B/C station KMJQ rose a full point to 9.1 from 8.1, becoming the market leader, while urban contemporary outlet KRLY rose over a point to 6.5 from 5.3. AOR, however, posted mixed results as KLOL rose to 6.5 from 5.9 and KSRR to 3.5 from 3.4. KRBE fell to 5.7 from 6.0 during the same period.

All figures quoted here represent average quarter hours, all persons 12+ from 6 a.m. to midnight Monday to Sunday.

tion," added Corn. "And I think it could fit any format except beautiful music." While Radioradio has no further call-in shows scheduled for 1981, it has not written off the concept and Is looking to do others in 1983.

In the same vein, B/C station WBMX/Chicago very recently premiered Hollywood Live, a 90-minute call-in show produced by Sidney Miller and whose principal host is Frankie Crocker, PD at WBLS/New York. Other B/C air talents will also host the show. "I'm not the kind of radio programmer who likes to run a lot of syndicated shows. But this one, which is fed on satellite, seems to be the wave of the future," said Lee Michaels, program director at WBMX. Interestingly enough, he will be hosting one show on August 15. The show airs each Sunday night at 9:30 p.m. CDT.

On Hollywood Live, several musical artists, such as Quincy Jones, Ashford & Simpson, Stevie Wonder and the Tempations will talk about their music and listeners will call an 800 area code number and speak to them, much in the manner of the CBS special. "Even though we have cut back on talk at our station, I feel people can tolerate a little talk if they can participate in it," said Michaels. "What this show can do is make these superstars personal, and they can tell the young people what you have to do to get into the business and things like

Host Important

As with Solid Gold Saturday Night and the Barry Manilow special, the personality of the host is important, even though his role may not be that great. "You know, Frankie is Frankie," said Michaels. "He is always in control of the show and he does it with taste and professionalism so that nothing will get out of hand."

Although Michaels alleged that WBMX is the #1 black station in Chicago on Sunday nights anyway, he said that Hollywood Live has enabled him to remain so and he will continue to broadcast this show. Like CBS's Corn, he sees the call-in show as growing trend. "I don't think we could have done this show without the satellite because it probably would have been too expensive," he said.

NBC, however, is waiting until 1983, when all of its satellites will be in place before it launches any call-in show on The Source. "We were considering the possibility of syndicating Dr. Ruth Westheimer on The Source," said Frank Cody affiliate relations and program development director at The Source. "I think her show would appeal to the AOR audience of The Source, and our polls show us that stations would like it." Dr. Ruth Westheimer is a New York-based psychologist who hosts Sexually Speaking each Sunday night on A/C outlet WYNY/New York. On the show, listeners call in with sexual problems, and she attempts to help them.

"This show could really work because the AOR audience likes sex, drugs and rock 'n' roll," Cody continued. "We can't advocate the use of drugs on the air, and we already provide lots of rock programming so that leaves sex. Besides, people can feel as if they are eavesdropping when they hear it"

Cody said that The Source is going to test market Sexually Speaking in the Fall, with an eye to premiering it in 1983. "The only problem we have, I think, is with some local station management people who might not like the idea," he said.

It is too early to tell if these national call-in shows signify a trend as yet. But, since two networks have already run such programs and another is planning to in 1983, they just may be a wave of the future.

AIRPLAY

SETTING A TREND? — Now that it has won \$10 million in damages from its anti-trust suit against the American Federation of Television and Radio Artists (AFTRA) (Cash Box, July 17), Tuesday Prods., the San Diego-based commercial production company, has filed suit against the Screen Actors Guild (SAG) for the same reason — namely, that the union engaged in a group boycott against the firm. While no monetary figure was named in the suit, filed in U.S. District Court for the Southern District of California, Tuesday seeks damages for lost profits in the past, future profits and for increased expenses resulting from the boycott. John D. Collins, Tuesday's counsel explained the basis of the suit: "Since the SAG and AFTRA agreements are identical, we felt this action was a logical outgrowth of the AFTRA suit," he said in a prepared statement. AFTRA apparently lost the lawsuit, because judge Judith N. Keep of the Federal Court ruled that several provisions in the AFTRA contract were illegal.

FACE-OFF ON DEREGULATION — The National Radio Broadcasters Assn. (NRBA) recently went before the House Telecommunications subcommittee to propose that radio broadcasters pay a flat fee, say one percent of their yearly gross, to help subsidize public broadcasting and to extend the terms of radio broadcasting licenses from seven to 50 years. Last year, an amendment to the Omnibus Budget Act provided for radio the terms of licenses to seven from three years (Cash Box, Dec. 26, 1981). "What we're suggesting is, in place of a license, broadcasters be given a 50 year contract permitting them to use the frequency which they could lease, sub-let or do whatever they want," said Abe Voron, NRBA executive vice president. "It would then be a property right and would eliminate all regulation except technical regulation, the Fairness Doctrine and the Equal Time Clause. In return, those stations would be forced to pay one percent of their gross sales to the U.S. Treasury, which would be earmarking those funds for noncommercial radio." This proposal, which has been around in various forms for the past



FOR YOUR EARS ONLY — After her concert at San Diego's Fox Theater was taped for CBS's Radioradio network, EMI America recording artist Sheena Easton (r) chatted with Leslie Corn, the web's program director. Easton's 90-minute debut radio concert is set to air Aug. 7.

five years, is being revived in an apparent attempt to get some form of broadcasting deregulation passed in this Congressional session. The fee is called a Spectrum fee, and the NRBA feels it is a valid trade-off for broadcasting deregulation. "Our philosophy is that if you have a contract for oil rights on a piece of land, you have to pay something for the right to drill and that is the theory behind this proposal," continued Voron. The National Assn. of Broadcasters (NAB), however, disagrees philosophically with the concept of a flat fee for broadcasting licenses. "We don't feel that commercial radio stations should be obligated to pay for a station that could be their competitor," said Spencer Dennis, executive director, political education, NAB. "We view

such a fee as a tax and imposing a tax is something the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) couldn't do." At issue are the different views of each organization on the likelihood of passage of broadcasting deregulation during the current Congressional session, particularly S. 1629, the broadcasting deregulation bill that passed the Senate in the beginning of April, but is sitting in the Telecommunications subcommittee while Rep. Tlmothy Wirth, the subcommittee chairman, deals with common carrier bills and other legislative matters; some have viewed this as a stalling tactic in this election year. "The NRBA is anxious to get broadcast deregulation a fait accompli," said the NAB's Dennis. "But we think the price they're asking is too high." All their efforts may be for naught, however, because, although the NRBA proposed the concept to Wirth and Rep. John Dingell (D-Mich.), chairman of the House Commerce Committee, no solid bill has been proposed, and no subcommittee member has announced his intention of doing so.

STATION TO STATION -- EMI recording artist Gary U.S. Bonds will be playing five concert dates at New York's Bottom Line July 20-24, and AOR outlet WNEW-FM will be broadcasting the July 21 show at 8:30 p.m. Simultaneously, the station will give away prizes commemorative for the week, dubbed "Gary U.S. Bonds Week." A different jock will introduce the comeback king each night, and the concert broadcast will include an on-air history of Bonds. What makes this concert series special is that it is the first five night stand given by a rock artist in nearly as many years . . . In Chicago, meanwhile, Top 40 outlet WLS-FM has added Cross Current to its public affairs broadcasting inventory. The show, slated to run each Monday from 5-5:30 a.m., is a countdown of the best-selling contemporary Christian music. Presented in four segments, the first week features the top 10 songs as compiled by a Christian music magazine. The second week focuses on the top five songs in their entirety as well as a new release. The third week sees an in-depth profile of an individual artist or group while the fourth week's show reviews the top 10 songs heard in week one. The show will also contain background info on featured artists and stories associated with certain songs... Mike Phillips has been named program director at A/C-formatted KIOI/San Francisco. He was formerly vice president of the NBC FM Group and an independent radio consultant. A 22-year radio veteran, Philips has also done such things as bring KYUU into the A/C market and guide KFRC to higher numbers in the Arbitron ratings . . . Jim Davis, program director at AOR outlet WFBQ/Indianapolis, is rumored to be the next PD at the station. The station's last PD, Joe Krause, left recently to become assistant program director at neophyte New York AOR station WAPP... Steven Goldstein, program director at A/C outlet WTIC-FM/Hartford, Ct., recently copped two Clio awards for promotional spots he wrote for WABC/New York ... This just in: Rick Carroll, the PD at KROQ/Los Angeles, whose Top 40 new wave format earned him a 3.7 in the Spring Arbitron book, making KROQ #3 music station in the City of Angels, has officially left the station to form his own consultancy. He will be replaced by Freddy Snakeskin, the afternoon drive jock who will remain at that post. Carroll is currently seeking other stations to consult besides KROQ. The country may indeed by ready for his brand of radio station that, of late, has broken such acts as A&M/I.R.S.'s The Go-Go's, Bomp/Elektra recording artist Josle Cotton and, of course, Moon Unit Zappa.

larry riggs

CASH BOX ROCK ALBUM RADIO REPORT



ADDS: KBPI, KMET, WKLS, WMMS, KLOL, KSHE, WABX, WLIR, WOUR, KNCN. HOTS: None. MEDIUMS: None, PREFERRED TRACKS: Open. SALES: Just shipped.



SURVIVOR . EYE OF THE TIGER . SCOTTI BROS./CBS ADDS: None. HOTS: WCCC, KBPI, KMET, WSHE, WYFE, WNEW, WKLS, WMMS, WGRQ, KMGN, WBLM, KSHE, WABX, WLIR. MEDIUMS: KNCN, WOUR, KLOL, KZAM, PREFERRED TRACKS: Title. SALES: Good in all regions.

1 MOST ADDED

5 MOST ADDED =

70 A FLOCK OF SEAGULLS • JIVE/ARISTA
ADDS: KZAM, WBLM. HOTS: KMET, KNAC, KROQ,
WHFS, WLIR. MEDIUMS: KBPI, WSHE, WYFE, WNEW,
WKLS, WGRQ, KLOL, WOUR, KNCN. PREFERRED
TRACKS: I Ran, Telecommunications, Space. SALES: Moderate to fair in all regions; strongest in West.

45 APRIL WINE • POWER PLAY • CAPITOL ADDS: WABX. HOTS: KBPI, WNEW, WMMS, WGRQ, KLOL, KSHE, WLIR. MEDIUMS: KMET, WSHE, WYFE, WBLM, WCCC. PREFERRED TRACKS: Enough. SALES: Moderate in Midwest and West; fair in others.

ASIA • GEFFEN ADDS: None. HOTS: KBPI, KMET, WSHE, WNEW, WKLS, WMMS, KMGN, WBLM, KLOL, KSHE, KZAM, WABX, WLIR, KNCN. MEDIUMS: WCCC. PREFERRED TRACKS: Only, Heat, Sole, SALES: Good in all regions

GARY U.S. BONDS . ON THE LINE . EMI AMERICA ADDS: None. HOTS: WNEW, WMMS. MEDIUMS: KMET, WSHE, WKLS, WBLM, KZAM, WLIR, WOUR. PREFERRED TRACKS: Work, Rendezvous. SALES: Moderate to fair in all regions; strongest in Midwest.

4 MOST ADDED =

ELVIS COSTELLO & THE ATTRACTIONS • IMPERIAL BEDROOM • COLUMBIA

ADDS: KNCN, KSHE, KROQ. HOTS: KNAC, WHFS. MEDIUMS: WLIR, WOUR. PREFERRED TRACKS: Little

Fool, Man.
SALES: Moderate in all regions.

JOHN COUGAR . AMERICAN FOOL .

ADDS: WGRQ. HOTS: KBPI, KMET, WSHE, WNEW, WKLS, WMMS, KMGN, WBLM, WABX, WOUR, KNCN. MEDIUMS: KLOL, KSHE, WLIR. PREFERRED TRACKS: Jack, Hurts.

SALES: Good to moderate in all regions.

MARSHALL CRENSHAW • WARNER BROS.
ADDS: KZAM, KROQ. HOTS: WHFS, WLIR, WOUR.
MEDIUMS: KBPI, WNEW, WBLM, KLOL, KNX.
PREFERRED TRACKS: Cynical, Someday, There.
SALES: Weak in West; fair in others.

CROSBY, STILLS & NASH . DAYLIGHT AGAIN .

ATLANTIC
ADDS: None. HOTS: KNCN, KNX, KBPI, WNEW, WGRQ,
KLOL, KZAM. MEDIUMS: WOUR, WLIR, WABX, KMET,
WSHE, WYFE, WMMS, KMGN, WBLM, KSHE.
PREFERRED TRACKS: Wasted.
SALES: Good to moderate in all regions.

FLEETWOOD MAC • MIRAGE • WARNER BROS.
ADDS: None. HOTS: WCCC, KNCN, WABX, KNX, KBPI,
KMET, WSHE, WYFE, WNEW, WKLS, WMMS, WGRQ,
KMGN, WHFS, KSHE, KZAM. MEDIUMS: WOUR, WBLM,
KLOL. PREFERRED TRACKS: Hold.
SALES: Good in all regions.

GLENN FREY • NO FUN ALOUD • ASYLUM ADDS: None, HOTS: KMET, WSHE, WNEW, WKLS, WMMS, WGRQ, WBLM, WLIR, KNCN, MEDIUMS: WYFE, KLOL. PREFERRED TRACKS: Partytown, Found, One. SALES: Moderate in West and Midwest; fair in others. 48

20 GENESIS . THREE SIDES LIVE . ATLANTIC ADDS: None. HOTS: WOUR, WLIR, KMET, WSHE, WNEW, WMMS, WGRQ, WBLM, WHFS, KSHE. MEDIUMS: WCCC, KNCN, WABX, KBPI, KNAC, WYFE, KROQ, WKLS, KMGN, KZAM. PREFERRED TRACKS: Paperlate, Misunderstanding.

SALES: Good to moderate in all regions.

3 MOST ADDED =

77 JUDAS PRIEST . SCREAMING FOR VENGEANCE . ADDS: KNCN, WKLS, KMET. HOTS: WGRQ, WLIR. MEDIUMS: WMMS, KLOL, KSHE, WOUR, WCCC. PREFERRED TRACKS: Bloodstone, Title, Pain. SALES: Moderate in all regions; weakest in South.

KANSAS • VINYL CONFESSIONS • KIRSHNER/CBS ANDS: None. HOTS: KBPI, KMET, WSHE, KMGN, WBLM, KLOL, KSHE. MEDIUMS: WNEW, WKLS, WMMS, WABX. PREFERRED TRACKS: Play, Right. SALES: Moderate to fair in all regions.

MEN AT WORK • BUSINESS AS USUAL • COLUMBIA ADDS: WOUR, WGRQ. HOTS: KLOL, KNX. MEDIUMS: KBPI, WSHE, WYFE, WNEW, KROQ, WKLS, WABX, WLIR. PREFERRED TRACKS: Who Can, Down Under. SALES: Fair in West and Midwest; weak in others.

THE STEVE MILLER BAND . ABRACADABRA . CAPITOL

ADDS: None. HOTS: KBPI, WSHE, WYFE, WNEW, WMMS, WGRQ, KZAM, KNX, WLIR. MEDIUMS: KROQ, WKLS, KMGN, WBLM, KNCN. PREFERRED TRACKS:

SALES: Good to moderate in all regions.

EDDIE MONEY • NO CONTROL • COLUMBIA ADDS: None. HOTS: WCCC, WOUR, WYFE, WNEW, WKLS, WGRQ, KLOL, WLIR. MEDIUMS: KNCN, KBPI, KMET, WSHE, KROQ, WMMS, WBLM, KSHE, KZAM, WABX, PREFERRED TRACKS: Shakin', Take, Title. SALES: Moderate to fair in all regions.

THE MOTELS • ALL FOUR ONE • CAPITOL ADDS: None. HOTS: KBPI, KMET, WSHE, KNAC, WNEW, WMMS, KMGN, WHFS, KZAM, WLIR. MEDIUMS: KROQ, WKLS, WBLM, WOUR, WCCC. PREFERRED TRACKS: Lonely, Over, Art.

SALES: Good to moderate in all regions.

TED NUGENT • NUGENT • ATLANTIC ADDS: None. HOTS: None. MEDIUMS: KBPI, KMET, WSHE, WNEW, WMMS, WGRQ, KLOL, KSHE, WOUR. PREFERRED TRACKS: Bound. SALES: Moderate in Midwest and West; fair in others. # 1 MOST ACTIVE

THE ALAN PARSONS PROJECT • EYE IN THE SKY • ARISTA

ANDS: None. HOTS: WSHE, WNEW, WKLS, WGRQ, WOUR, KNCN. MEDIUMS: KBPi, KMET, WYFE, WMMS, WBLM, KLOL, KZAM, WLIR. PREFERRED TRACKS: Title, Fingers, Psychobabble. SALES: Good to moderate in all regions.

ROBERT PLANT . PICTURES AT ELEVEN . SWAN

ADDS: None. HOTS: WCCC, KBPI, KMET, WSHE, WYFE, WKLS, WMMS, WGRQ, KMGN, KLOL, KSHE, WLIR, KNCN. MEDIUMS: WNEW, WBLM, WABX. PREFERRED TRACKS: Open.

SALES: Good in all regions.

REO SPEEDWAGON • GOOD TROUBLE • EPIC ADDS: None. HOTS: KBPI, KMET, WSHE, WYFE, WNEW, WKLS, WMMS, WGRQ, KMGN, WBLM, KSHE, KNCN, WCCC. MEDIUMS: KLOL, WABX. PREFERRED TRACKS: Fire.

SALES: Good to moderate in all regions.

THE ROLLING STONES . STILL LIFE . ROLLING

STONES/ATCO
ADDS: None. HOTS: WCCC, KNCN, KBPI, KMET, WSHE, KNAC, WNEW, KROQ, WMMS, WGRQ, KMGN, WLIR. MEDIUMS: WKLS, WBLM, KSHE, WOUR. PREFERRED TRACKS: Thumb, Go-Go, Shattered. SALES: Good in all regions.

.38 SPECIAL • SPECIAL FORCES • A&M ADDS: None. HOTS: KNCN, KBPI, KMET, WSHE, WNEW, WKLS, WMMS, WGRQ, KMGN, WBLM, KLOL, KSHE, WABX. MEDIUMS: WYFE, KZAM. PREFERRED TRACKS: Caught, Chains.
SALES: Good to moderate in all regions.

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TORONTO • GET IT ON CREDIT • NETWORK/ELEKTRA ADDS: WOUR, WBLM, WGRQ, WNEW, KMET, KBPI. HOTS: None. MEDIUMS: WMMS. PREFERRED TRACKS: Open

SALES: Fair initial response in Midwest; weak in others.

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ADDS: None. HOTS: KMET, KMGN, KNX. MEDIUMS:
KBPI, WNEW, WKLS, WMMS, WBLM, KSHE.
PREFERRED TRACKS: Rosanna, Afraid, Africa. SALES: Good in all regions.

PETE TOWNSHEND • ALL THE BEST COWBOYS ...

ADDS: None. HOTS: KNCN, WOUR, WLIR, KBPI, WSHE, WNEW, WKLS, WMMS, WGRQ, WHFS, KSHE. MEDIUMS: WCCC, KNX, KMET, KNAC, WYFE, KROQ, WBLM, KLOL. PREFERRED TRACKS: Skirts, Face,

SALES: Good to moderate in all regions.

14 VAN HALEN • DIVER DAN • WARNER BROS.
ADDS: None. HOTS: KMET, WSHE, WYFE, WNEW,
WKLS, WMMS, WGRQ, WBLM, WLIR. MEDIUMS: KMGN,
KLOL, KSHE. PREFERRED TRACKS: Dancing, Where. SALES: Good to moderate in all regions.

Distributors Cautious With Country 45s In Face Of Economy, \$1.99 List Price

counts and one-stops in general that were willing to take a little risk earlier on records like that, but they're probably less prone to take those early risks now. With developing acts, there's no doubt about it; they will wait to see the confirmation of a hit.

Like Galante, Wunsch felt that jukeboxes will be programmed in the near-future, if not already, in a pattern similar to the programming tendencies of radio. "In a whole lot of markets, there's a high impact of oldies on radio playlists," he commented, "so I think you're going to see a higher degree of oldies staying on a jukebox. A jukebox operator, like a one-stop, has a risky business. His job is to pull quarters and half-dollars, so he wants a high rate of a sure thing as far as that playlist on the box is concerned. I think that strictly goes along with what radio is playing. Radio is playing a high degree of oldies, so jukeboxes will have a high degree of oldies on their lists."

Changing Patterns

According to Tony Tamburrano, distributors are exercising a heavier reorder pattern. "They're ordering just what they have to have," he said. "If a one-stop orders 100 Kenny Rogers records and that day he sells 100, instead of ordering 500, he'll order 100 a day for five days."

While country singles constitute some 80% of sales of 45s for Seaport in Portland, Gina Esmino noted that orders are not as brisk as they were two or three years ago. She said that many establishments that previously owned jukeboxes, because of the royalties they had been forced to pay through a Copyright Royalty Tribunal ruling, had changed their musical entertainment sources and were relying on radios in their stores. The jukebox operators who remain are much less prone to purchase a single "out of the box." "Because of the price increase, they're being a lot more careful about what they buy," she stated. "Before they would just buy it if it was on the charts; now they more or less have to listen

Predictably, Seaport has become more cautious in its buying habits. "On a new artist I usually don't buy it right away unless I've heard it and I think it's going to do well," she said. "With an established artist I'll buy it, but it depends on who the artist is. On a Willie Nelson, of course I'm going to buy it, but as far as quantity goes, I'll buy maybe 200 to begin with. Two years ago I probably would have doubled it. With the price increases and the budget I can only buy so much.

Mile High in Denver has been selling mostly to specialty shops, but with fewer purchases being made and a high rate of returns, Tim Stephenson has reduced his purchase quantities by 50%. "Two years

ago I might have started out with 1,000," said Stephenson. "Now maybe I'll go 500 and see how it goes. I can always reorder. A couple years ago, I would have gone on more right out of the box. We have so many returns that a lot of times I wonder why we even do it; but I think that's because American pressings are just shitty. The quality's terrible, especially on singles."

Rack jobbing operations, such as Lieberman's In Chicago, have always been cautious, but single buyer Adrienne Neumann insisted that she has had to tighten her belt even more because of the economy and the price of singles. "I'm a little leery to go on records unless they've got a lot of airplay," she said. "Even with a known artist, I'll wait for the airplay in my marketplace. I've always done that, but sometimes when it was a known artist like Kenny Rogers, I'd go on it right away. Now I wait for the airplay. If I don't have the airplay, I don't sell records, and, at \$1.99 a record, that's a lot of money to have

The only distributor reached who had not experienced a decline In volume of country product was Central South in Nashville, "It seems like our one-stop has been selling just as many and maybe more country singles," said Becky Woo. "I won't say that's true on the pop side, but we sell country singles real well. I'm not sure whether that's just our customers, the areas they're in, or what it is, but we've always sold country well, and I haven't seen any drop, maybe even a small increase.'

Even so, Central South is stocking smaller quantities of singles. "We've cut back on even the name artists, so that we don't get stuck with a lot because of the returns policies," she said. "We're maybe being a little more conservative in general."

Mandrell, Davis Back As CMA Co-Hosts

NASHVILLE - Barbara Mandrell and Mac Davis have been tabbed for the third consecutive year as co-hosts of the Country Music Assn. (CMA) awards show, scheduled for Oct. 11. Sponsored by Kraft, Inc., the nationally televised ceremonies, which emanate from the Grand Ole Opry, will begin at 8:30 p.m. Central Standard

"With the professionalism of our hosts and with the wide variety of talent of the major stars, all of us are enthused about the production values inherent in this fall's awards show," said Irving Waugh, executive producer and CMA television committee chairman.

Mandrell is the only artist who has won the CMA entertainer of the year award



NARAS SETS NASHVILLE OFFICERS — The Nashville office of the National Academy of Recording Arts and Sciences (NARAS) recently elected seven officers. Pictured in the front row are (I-r): Jim Black, first vice president; Bob Farnsworth, third vice president; Joe Moscheo, president; Charlie Fach, treasurer; and John Sturdivant, second vice president and national trustee. Pictured in the back row are: Don Butler, trustee; and Fred Vail, secretary.



STATLERS HOST BIGGEST 4TH YET - Some 65,000 fans from 45 states and 10 foreign countries attended the Statler Brothers' 13th annual Happy Birthday U.S.A. celebration in the group's hometown of Stanton, Va. Jerry Reed was the special guest for the festivities, which also included a host of events such as a morning parade, softball and appearances by local entertainers, including group member Harold Reid's daughters, Kim and Karmen. During a tour of their offices, two members of the act pointed out various gifts from fans that adorned the office walls to producer Jerry Kennedy. Pictured are (I-r): Kennedy; and Statler Brothers Don Reid and Phil Balsley.

STATION PROFILE

WWNC/Asheville: Bringing In The Numbers With A 'Down Home' Style

by Tom Roland

NASHVILLE — Operating with a format that music director Wiley Carpenter calls a "throwback" to the earlier days of radio when the medium was a more personal and looser formatted communication venue. WWNC/Asheville, N.C., has maintained the #1 ranking in its market since 1969, currently holding down a 39.2 share of the western North Carolina market's audience.

Behind the guidance of general manager/vice president Sheldon Summerlin and program director Dave Clements, the Multimedia-owned station has worked hard to maintain its status as the market's top dog by emphasizing an awareness of its mountain community. "We've always tried to be a leader rather than a follower," says Carpenter. "We don't listen to another radio station and say, 'We're gonna do it like they did it.' What we're trying to do is shape our sound to the audience that we work with. We get out into the area and find out what people are thinking and what they like in a radio station, and that's what we try to do."

Personality Stressed
As a result, WWNC has stressed personality in its programming, developing a number of broadcast characters (which some of the listening audience perceives as real) who "come by the station regularly," such as Danny, an aspiring superstar who leads a band called the Repulsives, and a cleaning lady named Bertha who is constantly annoying Scotty Rhodarmer, the station's morning man. The maintenance man also gives his "Cloudy Callman Weather Forecast," every afternoon, even though the audience is well aware that he is not a meteorologist.

The characters are just a small part of the station's efforts to cater to the community and keep in close touch with its citizens, an effort that begins at the top of the management structure. "Our station manager puts on his jeans and visits restaurants all over western North Carolina and just listens to people," comments Carpenter of Summerlin. "He's very into this thing, and he works hard at it. He's not afraid to experiment; he will listen to people on the street and he'll listen to us."
'Fun' Station

As a result, WWNC has become somewhat of a "Fun" station, incorporating amusing points into much of its programming. A recent typical promotion was developed as a joke on the air while one of the DJs was talking about ugly pickup trucks. An ensuing "Ugly Pickup Truck Contest" brought 82 entries with dilapidated vehicles in a promotion that ensured that the contestants would have a good time. "We feel like all our contests should be fun," explains Carpenter, 'something that most people can get involved with and have fun. Everything we do, we think of the audience first."

After examining the audience, they discovered that the region has a strong taste for southern gospel music, and, subsequently, the station plays one or two

Lively Agenda Set For Talent Buyers Seminar

NASHVILLE - Six 90-minute panels on a variety of topics ranging from artists' concerns to the role of the road manager to the ins-and-outs of satellite technology for radio will highlight the 1982 Country Music Assn. (CMA) Talent Buyers Seminar. Set for Oct. 8-12 at the Hyatt Regency Hotel here, the Talent Buyers Seminar will also feature a mini-seminar, a "rap" session and over six hours of country showcases.

Panels include: "If We Make It Through December," moderated by Wayne McCary, Eastern States Exposition, and covering the changing economic climate for certain venues; "I Never Promised You A Rose Garden," a session on the manager's role moderated by Jim Halsey; "Someday Soon," a panel on the developing cable and satellite industries co-hosted by Bud Wendell, chairman of the board, WSM, Inc., and Bob Cole, WPKX-FM/Alexandria, Va.; "When You're Hot, You're Hot," an artist's panel led by Lynn Schults, Capitol/EMI America; and "Help Me Make It Through The Night," addressing the logistics of concert coordination and led by Sonny Anderson, Disney World.

Other panels include: "King of the Road," a panel by Stan Moress that covers the role of the road manager; "You Can't Be A Beacon (If Your Light Doesn't Shine)," a session on concert promotion led by Joe Sullivan, Sound Seventy Prods.; and "What A Difference You've Made In My Life," the rap session.

Registration forms have been mailed out, according to Bette Kaye, chairman of the event. Registration is \$150 for the event, but \$100 for registrations in before Sept. 3. For additional information, contact Kaye by writing to: Talent Buyers Seminar, Country Music Assn., P.O. Box 22299, Nashville. Tenn. 37202, or by calling (615) 383-2127.

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3	ALWAYS ON MY MIND WILLIE NELSON (Columbia FC 37951)	2	19	41	BET YOUR HEART ON ME JOHNNY LEE		
4	IN BLACK & WHITE BARBARA MANDRELL (MCA-5295)	4	19	42	(Full Moon/Asylum 5E-541) THE FAMILY'S FINE, BUT	41	4
5	BIG CITY MERLE HAGGARD (Epic FE 37593)	5	38		THIS ONE'S ALL MINE! DAVID FRIZZELL	45	
6	INSIDE RONNIE MILSAP (RCA AHL1-4311)	7	5	43	(Warner/Viva 23688-1) STEP BY STEP	45	
7	HIGH NOTES HANK WILLIAMS, JR.			44	THE LEGEND GOES ON	44	4
٥	(Elektra/Curb E1-60100) HEARTBREAK EXPRESS	6	14		THE STALER BROTHERS (Mercury/PolyGram SRM-1-4048)	48	
Å	DOLLY PARTON (RCA AHL 1-4289)	8	14		AMAZING GRACE CRISTY LANE (Liberty/LS LT-51117)	47	
	DON WILLIAMS (MCA-5306)	9	15	46	WHEN A MAN LOVES A WOMAN		
10	QUIET LIES JUICE NEWTON (Capitol ST-12210)	10	9	47	JACK GRAYSON (Koala KOA 15751) STRAIT COUNTRY	42	
11	NUMBER ONES CONWAY TWITTY (MCA-5318)	12	9		GEORGE STRAIT (MCA 5348) SEASONS OF THE HEART	43	4
12	SOMEWHERE IN THE				JOHN DENVER (RCA AFL1-4256)	38	1
13	ROSANNE CASH (Columbia FC 37570)	15	5		GEORGE JONES (Epic FE 36586)	52	1
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14	INSIDE AND OUT LEE GREENWOOD (MCA-5305)	11	13		(Warner Bros. BSK 3599)	53	3
15	BOBBIE SUE OAK RIDGE BOYS (MCA 5294)	14	23	51	JUICE NEWTON (Capitol ST 12136)	49	7
16	WILLIE NELSON'S GREATEST HITS (AND			52	CIMARRON EMMYLOU HARRIS (Warner Bros. BSK 3803)	50	
	SOME THAT WILL BE) WILLIE NELSON			53	GREATEST HITS JIM REEVES & PATSY CLINE		
17	(Columbia KC2 37542) BUSTED	18	34	54	(RCA AHL1-4127) TOO GOOD TO HURRY	51	•
 18	JOHN CONLEE (MCA 5310) WHEN WE WERE BOYS	17	15		CHARLY McCLAIN (Epic FE 38064) I'M GOIN' HURTIN'	57	
•	THE BELLAMY BROTHERS (Elektra £1-60019)	22	13		JOE STAMPLEY (Epic FE 37927) TAKE ME TO THE	48	•
19	JUST SYLVIA SYLVIA (RCA AHL1-4312)	21	16	30	COUNTRY MEL McDANIEL (Capitol ST-12208)	55	
20	FEELS SO RIGHT ALABAMA (RCA AHL 1-3930)	20	70	57	QUIET MAN JOHN SCHNEIDER	•	
21	FINALLYI T.G. SHEPPARD			58	(Scotti Bros./CBS FZ 37956) SHARE YOUR LOVE	59	,
22	(Warner/Curb BSK 3600) SHE'S NOT REALLY	23	26		KENNY ROGERS (Liberty LOO-1108) 58	3 2
	CHEATIN' MOE BANDY (Columbia FC 38009)	24	6	59	DESPERATE DREAMS EDDY RAVEN (Elektra 5E-545)	64	:
23	GARY STEWART & DEAN DILLON			60	GREATEST HITS OAK RIDGE BOYS (MCA 5150)	56	, 4
24	(RCA AHL 1-4310) STRAIT FROM THE HEART	16	10	61	REBA MCENTIRE		
25	SOUTHERN COMFORT	28	4	62	(Mercury/PolyGram SRM-1-4047) THE SINGING COWBOY	66	j
26	CONWAY TWITTY (Elektra E1-60005) CHARLEY SINGS	19	26		REX ALLEN, JR. (Warner Bros. BSK 3671)	67	•
	EVERYBODY'S CHOICE CHARLEY PRIDE (RCA AHL1-4287)	26	16	63	WHISKEY BENT AND HEL BOUND	L	
27	THE PRESSURE IS ON HANK WILLIAMS, JR.				HANK WILLIAMS, JR. (Elektra/Curb 6E-237)	68	5
28	(Elektra/Curb E1-60019) WINDOWS	27	46		GREATEST HITS RONNIE MILSAP (RCA AHL 1-3722)	60	, .
	THE CHARLIE DANIELS BAND (Epic FE 37694)	25	17	65	OAK RIDGE BOYS (MCA 5209)	61	i :
29	SOME DAYS IT RAINS ALL NIGHT LONG			66	THE SURVIVORS JOHNNY CASH/JERRY LEE		
30	LAST TRAIN TO HEAVEN	29	8	-	LEWIS/CARL PERKINS (Columbia FC 37961)	62	, .
	BOXCAR WILLIE (Main Street ST730001)	30	12	6/	SEVEN YEAR ACHE ROSANNE CASH (Columbia JC-36965)	69	, ;
31	GEORGE JONES (Epic FE 37106)	31	34	68	FAMILY & FRIENDS RICKY SKAGGS (Rounder 0151)	70	
32	THE DUKES OF HAZZARD VARIOUS ARTISTS (Scottl Bros./CBS E237712)	32	17	69	KENNY ROGERS		
33	AIN'T GOT NOTHING TO	32	"		GREATEST HITS KENNY ROGERS (Liberty LOO 1072)	63	3 7
	BOBBY BARE (Columbia FC 37719)	33	15	70	LIVE TANYA TUCKER (MCA-5299)	68	3
34	THE DAVID FRIZZELL AND SHELLY WEST ALBUM			71	FEELIN' RIGHT RAZZY BAILEY (RCA AHL1-4228)	71	
35	(Warner Bros./Viva BSK 3643) PISTOL PACKIN' MAMA	34	25	72	I LIE LORETTA LYNN (MCA 5293)	72	2 :
36	LOVE TO BURN	35	8	73	YEARS AGO STATLER BROTHERS		
37	SOFT TOUCH	37	4	74	(Mercury/PolyGram SRM-1-6002) ME AND MY R.C.	73	3 4
38	TAMMY WYNETTE (Epic FE 37980) LOVE WILL TURN YOU	39	8		LOUISE MANDRELL AND R.C. BANNON (RCA AHL 1-4059)	74	1 :
w w	AROUND KENNY ROGERS (Liberty I O-51124)	54	2	75	LIVE BARBARA MANDRELL (MCA 5243)	79	

THE COUNTRY COLUMN

FIFTEEN VIE FOR HALL OF FAME INDUCTION - Fifteen candidates have been selected as finalists for the Country Hall of Fame in 1982, from which three will actually be inducted during the 16th annual Country Music Assn. (CMA) awards show Oct. 11. Founded in 1961, the hall currently includes 35 members, selected each year by an anonymous panel of 200 electors who have been involved in country music for at least 15 years. Nominees this year include country comic Rod Brasfield, bluegrass legends Lester Flatt and Earl Scruggs, Lefty Frizzell, George Morgan, Ernest "Pop" Stoneman, publishing exec Roy Horton, John Lair, producer Don Law, publishing giant Wesley Rose, songwriter Cindy Walker, Jimmy Dickens, comedian Benny "Whitey" Ford, Bradley Kincald, Marty Robbins and Floyd Tillman.

WSM FIGHTS FOR OPRY TRADEMARK -- WSM, Inc., which owns the Grand Ole Opry, began a battle in Kansas City recently over the rights to the term "opry" in a legal confrontation with **Dennis Hilton**, who owns the Country Shindig Opry at Lake of the Ozarks in Missouri. WSM, with the support of witnesses **Roy Acuff**, **Minnie Pearl** and

GREENWOOD, STRAIT SIGN UP - MCA artists Lee Greenwood (I) and George Strait signed copies of their latest albums during a recent in-store appearance at the Record Bar in Nashville. Strait's current single, "Fool-Hearted Memory," is #14 on the Cash

Porter Wagoner, is contending that the connotations of Hilton's terminology are a misrepresentation and that general public is likely to believe that the Grand Ole Opry is in some way connected with Hilton's enterprise.
FIRST BLUEGRASS DJ CONVENTION

SET FOR SEPTEMBER -- The first national Bluegrass Music Disc Jockey Convention and Bluegrass Music Awards have been set for Sept. 22-27 in Lexington, Ky. featuring bluegrass seminars and workshops for both artists and disc jockeys and performances by some of the nation's top bluegrass performers. The event culminates with the presentation of the Bluegrass Music Awards Sept. 27. For more information, call the convention headquarters at the "Fool-Hearted Memory," is #14 on the Cash
Box country chart after just six weeks out.

HALL SETS TAPINGS FOR COUNTRY CLUB SHOW — Tom T. Hall's television show,

Pop! Goes The Country, recently began tapings for some new segments with a new name, Tom T.'s Pop Goes The Country Club. Reportedly, the show will feature a wider variety of guest performers and will take on a club atmosphere from its new shooting location at Opryland's Gaslight Theatre. Artists who were taped recently include Sylvia, John Conlee, Randy Parton, Chet Atkins, Kippi Brannon, Boots Randolph, Minnie Pearl, Mel Tillis, Reba McEntire, Wendy Holcombe and Con Hunley. Hail's syndicated program is currently in its ninth year of production under the guidance of Show Biz-Multimedia

FORMER CASH BOX WRITER TAKES FIRST NEJA AWARD -- The first National Fntertainment Journalists Assn. (NEJA) award for top trade journalist was shared by Jennifer Bohler and Ed Morris. Bohler, former Nashville editor for Cash Box, was touted in the organization's ceremony at the Hall of Fame Motor Inn July 8.

SINGLES TO WATCH

BILLY PARKER & FRIEND — If I Ever Need A Lady — (Soundwaves NSD/SW-4678)

RAY PRICE - Those Bridges Are Gone - (Dimension DS 1035)

WAYNE MASSEY -- It Should Have Been Easy -- (MCA MCA-52082)

TOMMY BELL - Every Now And Then - (Gold Sound GS-8011)



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ALABAMA (RCA PB-13210) 3 I DON'T CARE
RICKY SKAGGS (Epic 14-02931) ARE THE GOOD TIMES REALLY
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MERLE HAGGARD (Epic 14-02894) 6 11 5 HONKY TONKIN' HANK WILLIAMS, JR. (Elektra E-47462) 12 6 BORN TO RUN EMMYLOU HARRIS (Warner Bros. 7-29993) 11 10 HEARTBREAK EXPRESS
DOLLY PARTON (RCA PB-13234) 14 9

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JOHNNY LEE (Full Moon/Asylum E-47444) 8 11 9 I JUST CUT MYSELF
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ROSANNE CASH (Columbia 18-02937) 19 13 I'M GONNA HIRE A WINO TO DECORATE OUR HOME
DAVID FRIZZELL (Warner/Viva WBS 50063) 21 10
14 FOOL HEARTED MEMORY
GEORGE STRAIT (MCA-52066) 23 6 15 SOME MEMORIES JUST WON'T DIE MARTY ROBBINS (Columbia 18-02854) 22 11 16 I DON'T THINK SHE'S IN LOVE

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JANIE FRICKE (Columbia 18-02859) 5 22 SLOW DOWN
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(Columbia 18-02910) 25

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PRICE (Columbia 18-02681) 30 26 SHE'S PLAYING HARD TO FORGET EDDY RAVEN (Elektra E-47469) 31 27 SO FINE OAK RIDGE BOYS (MCA-52065) 18 SHE'S NOT REALLY CHEATIN'
MOE BANDY (Columbia 18-02966) 33 DANCING YOUR MEMORY

CHARLY McCLAIN (Epic 14-02975) 36 5 30 I STILL LOVE YOU
TOMPALL & THE GLASER BROS.
(Elektra E-47461) 32 31 WHAT'S FOREVER FOR
MICHAEL MURPHY (Liberty P-B-1466) 37
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E HAGGARD (Epic 14-02894)	6	11	MEL McDANIEL (Capitol P-B-5138) 46 4
IKIN' LIAMS, JR. (Elektra E-47462)	12	9	NOTHING BEHIND YOU,
UN RRIS (Warner Bros. 7-29993)	11	10	JOHN CONLEE (MCA-52070) 45 5 39 SHE GOT THE GOLDMINE
AK EXPRESS LY PARTON (RCA PB-13234)	14	9	JERRY REED (RCA PB-13268) 49 3 40 LOVE'S FOUND YOU AND ME ED BRUCE (MCA-52036) 9 14
FALL IN LOVE (Full Moon/Asylum E-47444)	8	11	41 DREAMS DIE HARD GARY MORRIS (Warner Bros. 7-29967) 57 3
MYSELF McDOWELL (Epic 14-02884)	10	12	42 THE HIGH COST OF LOVING CHARLIE ROSS (Townhouse R-1057) 44 9
SYLVIA (RCA PB-13223)	17	8	43 TALK TO ME LONELINESS CINDY HURT (Churchill CR 94004) 43 8
(Warner Bros. WBS 50058)	16	10	BLUE RENDEZVOUS LLOYD DAVID FOSTER (MCA-52061) 53 6
ONEY CASH (Columbia 18-02937)	19	9	45 ANY DAY NOW RONNIE MILSAP (RCA PB-13216) 15 13
HIRE A WINO TO			46 NOTHING BUT THE RADIO ON YOUNGER BROTHERS (MCA-52076) 56 4
L (Warner/Viva WBS 50063) TED MEMORY	21	10	47 I'M TAKIN' A HEART BREAK TERRY GREGORY (Handshake WS9 02959) 50 5
ORGE STRAIT (MCA-52066) ORIES JUST WON'T	23	6	48 I THINK ABOUT YOUR LOVIN' THE OSMONDS (Elektra E-47438) 20 13
BBINS (Columbia 18-02854)	22	11	49 IF YOU AIN'T GOT NOTHIN' (YOU AIN'T GOT NOTHIN' TO LOSE)
NK SHE'S IN LOVE LEY PRIDE (RCA PB-13096)		14	BOBBY BARE (Columbia 18-02895) 27 10 50 FRAULEIN
KNOW HOW TO		14	JOE SUN with SHOTGUN (Elektra E-47467) 52 6 51 DON'T WE BELONG IN LOVE
JENNINGS (RCA PB-13257)	26	5	STEPHANIE WINSLOW (Primero PR-1007) 60 5 52 SLOW HAND THE STAND TO
REBA McENTIRE (Mercury/PolyGram 76157)	24	9	CONWAY TWITTY (Elektra E-47443) 35 14 53 IT'S HARD TO BE THE DREAMER DONNA FARGO (RCA PB-13264) 62 4
CATCH A FALLING			54 PEPSI MAN BOBBY MACKEY (Moon Shine MS 3007) 54 8
JOHN ANDERSON (Warner Bros. WBS 50043)	4	16	55 I'LL BE YOUR MAN AROUND THE HOUSE
ROGERS (Liberty P-B-1471)	29	3	KIERAN KANE (Elektra E-47478) 67 3
RY 'BOUT ME BABY RICKE (Columbia 18-02859)	5	12	CHANTILLY (Jaroco JR-51282) 66 5 57 FIRST TIME AROUND
ALTON (Columbia 18-02847)	13	14	RONNIE ROGERS (Lifesong LS 45116) 58 7 58 GET INTO REGGAE COWBOY
O SING ON SUNDAY & THE GATLIN BROS, BAND (Columbia 18-02910)	25	9	THE BELLAMY BROTHERS (Elektra/Curb 7-29999) 71 2
BODIES IS CONLEY (RCA PB-13246)	28	7	DAVID FRIZZELL & SHELLY WEST (Warner/Viva 7-29980) 72 2
S & WILLIE NELSON W/RAY			60 I'LL BE LOVING YOU BIG AL DOWNING (Team TRS1001AS) 70 4
PRICE (Columbia 18-02681)	30	7	61 LOVE'S BEEN A LITTLE BIT HARD ON ME
DY RAVEN (Elektra E-47469)	31	6	JUICE NEWTON (Capitol P-B-5120) 47 11 62 SHE IS THE WOMAN
(RIDGE BOYS (MCA-52065)	18	8	SUPER GRIT COWBOY BAND (Hoodswamp HS-8005) 63 4
REALLY CHEATIN' BANDY (Columbia 18-02966)	33	6	BILLY "CRASH" CRADDOCK (Capitol P-B-5139) 75 2
OUR MEMORY		_	(Capitol P-B-5139) 75 2 64 NORTH WIND JIM, JESSE & CHARLIE LOUVIN
LY McCLAIN (Epic 14-02975) E YOU	36	5	(Soundwaves NSD/W4671) 64 8
PALL & THE GLASER BROS. (Elektra E-47461) REVER FOR	32	7	BREAK A BROKEN HEART JOE STAMPLEY (Epic 14-03016) — 1
MURPHY (Liberty P-B-1466) PRAYER	37	6	66 SUNDAY GO TO CHEATIN' CLOTHES
(Mercury/PolyGram 76155)	34	8	DARLENE AUSTIN (Myrtle NSD/M 1002) 68 7 67 TAKE THE MEM'RY WHEN YOU
THE STATLER BROTHERS (Mercury/PolyGram 76162)	40	4	GO JACKY WARD (Asylum E-47468) 76 3
ALPHABI	ETIC	CAL.	TOP 100 COUNTRY SINGLES (INCLUDING PUBLISHERS AND LIC
ASCAPI 12 Didr	't Kn	ow (Ba	aray/Mullet — BMI) 65 Love's Been A (Bobby Goldsboro/House of Gold –

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68 YOUR BEDROOM EYES		nari
VERN GOSDIN (AMI 1307AA) 69 KEEPING ME WARM FOR YOU	79	2
BRENDA LEE (MCA-52060) 70 BACK IN DEBBIE'S ARMS	69	6
TOM CARLILE (Door Knob DK 82-180) ROLL OVER BEETHOVEN	81	2
72 WALKIN' AFTER MIDNIGHT	80	2
CALAMITY JANE (Columbia 18-02958) 73 COWBOY IN A THREE PIECE BUSINESS UIT	73	6
REX ALLEN, JR. (Warner Bros. 7-29968) REVER-LOVIN' WOMAN	77	3
MARLOW TACKETT (RCA PB-13255) 75 MIDNIGHT FLYER	85	3
DON HAYES (Adamas AD-102) 76 RODEO CLOWN	78	4
MAC DAVIS (Casablanca/PolyGram NB 2350)	41	9
77 RING ON HER FINGER, TIME ON HER HANDS	46	40
78 SOME OF MY BEST FRIENDS	48	18
ARE OLD SONGS LOUISE MANDRELL (RCA PB-13728)	_	1
79 WE MADE MEMORIES BOXCAR WILLIE & PENNY DEHAVEN (Main Street B952)	84	4
80 RAGIN' CAJUN THE CHARLIE DANIELS BAND (Epic 14-02995)	83	3
81 MORE NIGHTS LANE BRODY (Liberty P-B-1470)	_	1
82 THERE AIN'T NO WAY LOU HOBBS (Lobo IX)	82	3
83 COUNTRY BOY'S SONG KAREN TAYLOR (Mesa NSD/M 1112)	_	1
84 LOVE NEVER DIES GARY WOLF (Columbia 18-02986)		2
85 I'M DRINKIN' CANADA DRY BURRITO BROTHERS (Curb ZS 5 03023)	_	1
86 WELCOME BACK TO MY HEART BILLY WALKER (Tail Texas TTR 56)	86	;
87 MORNING, NOON AND NIGHT ORION (Sun 7-1978-S)	94	;
88 I'LL HAVE TO SAY I LOVE YOU IN A SONG VINCE & DIANNE HATFIELD (Bluemoon		
MBP 112) OPERATOR TENNESSEE EXPRESS (RCA PB-13265)		1
90 UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF YOU	_	
BUFFALO & BRANDY (KM 2004)	92	2
91 WE'VE GOT TO START MEETING LIKE THIS	02	
JOHN WESLEY RYLES (Primero PR 1004) 92 TONIGHT I'M FEELING YOU JACK GRAYSON (Joe-Wes JW-81000)	93	8
93 THE ONE THAT GOT AWAY MEL TILLIS (Elektra E-47453)		9
94 CHEATERS PARADISE BILLY JOE BURNETTE (Westward Ho WH 101)		
95 LISTEN TO THE RADIO DON WILLIAMS (MCA-52037)		15
96 I FALL TO PIECES PATSY CLINE/JIM REEVES (MCA-52052)	61	9
97 DRINKING HER GONE AGAIN RONNIE RENO (King J 0002)	65	7
98 PLAY THIS OLD WORKING DAY AWAY		
DEAN DILLON (RCA PB-13208) 99 I DON'T KNOW WHERE TO START	74	6
EDDIE RABBITT (Elektra E-47435)	87	17
100 JUST LIKE A COUPLE OF KIDS STEVE MANTELLI (Picap P-0007) ENSEES)	88	5

Ain't No Money (Coolwell/Granite — ASCAP)	12
Any Day Now (Intersong — ASCAP)	45
Are The Good Times (Shade Tree — BMI)	4
Back In Debbie's Arms (Opa-Locka — ASCAP)	70
Big Ole Brew (Blendingwell/Bad Ju-Ju — ASCAP)	37
Blue Rendezvous (House of Gold — BMI)	44
Born To Run (Rondor (London-PRS) adm in the	
U.S. & Canada by Irving — BMI)	6
Cheaters Paradise (Western Pride/lightswitch —	~ .
BMI)	
Cheater's Prayer (Old Friends — BMI)	
Country Boy's Song (BII-Kar—SESAC/Sparks Gotta	
—BMI)	83
Cowboy In A (Peso/Wallet — BMI)	
Dancing Your Memory (Barnwood — BMI)	
Don't Worry About (Old Friends/Tree/Duchess-	31
MCA/Posey — BMI)	21
Dreams Die Hard (Jensing/Chick Rains — BMI)	
Drinking Her Gone Again (Shady Del — ASCAP)	
Ever-Lovin' Woman (Combine — BMI/Music City —	
ASCAP)	
First Time Around (New Keys — BMI)	
Fool Hearted Memory (Make Relievus/Welheck —	

Fraulein (Unart — BMI) 50
Get Into Reggae (Bellamy Bros./Famous — ASCAP) 58
Heartbreak Express (Velvet Apple — BMI) 7
Heavenly Bodies (Blue Moon/Merilark/April — ASCAP) 24
Honky Tonkin' (Fred Rose/Hiram/Rightsong — BMI) 5

Didn't Know (Baray/Mullet — BMI) 65
Don't Care (Cedarwood — BMI)
Don't Know (Briarpatch/DebDave - BMI) 99
Don't Think (Royal Haven - BMI)
Fall To Pieces (Tree — BMI)
Just (Hall-Clement c/o Welk - BMI) 59
Just Cut Myself (This Side Up (div. of Prestige)/
Cross Keys — ASCAP) 9
Still Love You (Milene — ASCAP)
Think About (Blackwood/Magic Castle - BMI) 48
You Ain't (Tree - BMI/Cross Key - ASCAP) 49
Il Be Loving You (Metaphor — BMI) 60
II Be Your (Cross Keys — ASCAP)
II Have To (Blendingwell — ASCAP)
m Drinkin' (Ensign — BMI/Colgems-EMI — ASCAP)85
m Gonna Hire A Wino (Peso/Wallet — BMI) 13
m Not That (Swallowfork — ASCAP)
m Takin (Easy Listening — ASCAP/Algee/Al Galico —
BMI)
i's Hard To Be (Galleon — ASCAP/Algee — BMI) . 53
ust Hooked (Medley — Various Publishers) 36
ust Like (Onhison — BMI/Robchris — BMI) 100
keep Me Warm For You (Great Foreign/Skin Deep — ASCAP/BMI)
isten To (Southwest Words and Music — BMI) 95
ove Busted (Tree — BMI)
ove Never Dies (Galleon — BMI)
.ove Will Turn (Lionsmate/DebDave/Briarpatch —
ASCAP/BMI)

= Exceptionally heavy radio activity this week

So Fine (Eldorado — BMI)	27
Some Memories Just (House of Gold — BMI)	15
Some Of My Best (Tree - BMI)	
Stumblin' In (Chinnichap - adm. in U.S. & Can. by	
Careers — BMI)	56
Sunday Go To Cheatin' Clothes (I.S.P.D ASCAP)66
Take Me Down (Chinnichap adm. in U.S. & Can. by	
Careers/Irving/Down 'N Dixie — BMI)	2
Take The Mem'ry (Colgems - EMI - ASCAP)	67
Talk To Me (Leona — ASCAP)	43
The High Cost Of Loving (Rick Hall - ASCAP)	42
The One That Got Away (Sawgrass - BMI)	93
There Ain't No Way (Famous - ASCAP)	
This Dream's On Me (Coal Miners - BMI)	
'Til You're Gone (Rick Hall - ASCAP)	1
Tonight I'm (Loyd of Nashville/Hinsdale/	
Plum Creek — BMI)	92
Under The (Am-Li — ASCAP/Burning River/Sip-N-	Sol
Songs — BMI)	90
Walkin' After Midnight (4-Star - BMI)	72
We Made Memories (Column II/Sage Hen — BMI)	79
Welcome Back To My Heart (Acuff-Rose - BMI)	86
We've Got To (Hall/Clement c/o Welk - BMI)	91
Whatever (American Cowboy Music — BMI)	33
What's Forever For (Tree - BMI)	31
When You Fall (Sweet Baby — BMI/Music City — ASCAP)	8
Women Do Know (Waylon Jennings/Vogue & Baby Chick c/o Welk — BMI)	17
Would You Catch A Falling Star (Tree - BMI)	19
You Turn Me On (Crazy Crow - BMI)	34
Your Bedroom Eyes (Nub-Pub - ASCAP)	68

THE COUNTRY MIKE

CHARLOTTE COUNTRY GOES TO SATELLITE - WIST/Charlotte recently made the move away from live country radio in favor of the Burkhardt/Abrahms' Satellite Music Network and at the same time reduced its daily air time to 18 hours. Past WIST PD Bob Grayson sees the shift as another management decision to go with outside consultants who favor the streamlined satellite approach instead of live personalities to steer the station. Grayson is now in the market for a similar position at another station. He can be reached at (704) 542-6412.

PROGRAMMER PROFILE - While she was a student at the University of Texas at Arlington, Cathy Martindale took a clerical job at a local broadcasting school and dis-



covered that radio could be a bit more exciting than typing. So she decided to try to get on the air and applied at her favorite station at the time, KSCS/Ft. Worth, where she was promptly hired. From that day in 1974 until late 1975, Martindale held down an unusual four-day, nine-hour shift at KSCS. In early 1976 she was named program director for the Texas station along with keeping her midday air shift. After three years as PD, Martindale decided to get her license for realty and at the same time work as a general contractor. During this period she also worked part-time at KBOX/Dallas when she wasn't building

Cathy Martindale and/or selling homes. Then in January of this year, Martindale applied at KLIF/Dallas-Ft. Worth where her credentials impressed Danny McDuff enough to give her a shot at middays on the AM station. At present, Martindale works 1-3 p.m. weekdays with a noon-1 p.m. team show with McDuff at KLIF. In addition to working with operations manager Dan Halyburton on promotional events and station personalities appearances, Martindale likes to snow ski and also do a little writing in her limited spare time

DENVER TO CHEYENNE TREK — Country KBRQ/Denver prepares to once again host a double busload trip up to Wyoming for the Cheyenne Frontier Days festivities to be held this month. Award-winning listeners from the Denver area will load up two busloads bound for Cheyenne and view a KBRQ-sponsored concert by Barbara

Mandrell and T.G. Sheppard.

VIACOM BORN TO RUN — Eighteen members of the Viacom Broadcasting chain took part in the manufacturers' Hanover Corporate Challenge, a three-and-one-half mile race held in Central Park in New York July 7. WKHK/New York music director John Brejot, who currently runs 36 miles a week as training for the New York Marathon in October, led the Viacom team with a time of 25:03. Cash Box staff writer Tom Roland, an unofficial entry in the field of 8,000, outpaced the remainder of the Viacom squad, coming in

NEW MANAGEMENT FOR BOSTON STATION - WDLW/Boston will chart the station course under the new management of the Acton Corp., which recently acquired the Boston country outlet. According to **Duncan Stewart**, the new management plans to make no changes in the station's format or air personalities, but will work to improve the station's promotional events and advertising functions.

LOUISIANA STATION JOINS NBC RADIO — KPAL-AM/Pineville, La. has become an affiliate with the NBC Radio Network according to Meredith Woodyard of NBC. The Sunbelt Broadcasting station will carry regular news broadcasts and network features to add to the station's modern country format.

WILLIAMS NAMED NEW MD AT KOKE - Tim Williams, former Cash Box Country chart editor, has been named the new music director for KOKE/Austin, according to operations manager MIke Richardson. Williams will handle his new position along with retaining his 10 a.m.-2 p.m. daily on-air program and asks that any music calls use

KOKE's separate music line at (512) 454-7940.

CLEVELAND COUNTRY LOOKS FOR THE 'UGLIEST' — In association with the National Multiple Sclerosis Society, WHK/Cleveland has started the station's search for the "ugliest" bartender in the north Ohio area. Bartenders in a four-county area receive one vote for every 25 cents collected. The bartender who collects the most money for MS will be named the "ugliest" bartender of the area and receive a grand prize of a trip

	PROGRAMMERS PICKS						
Don Walton	KFH/Wichita	I Just Came Here To Dance — David Frizzell & Shelly West — Warner/Viva					
Kevin Ireland	WNWN/Coldwater	Love Busted Billy "Crash" Craddock Capitol					
Al Hamilton	KEBC/Oklahoma City	Are They Gonna Make Us Outlaws Again — James Talley — Oak/Curb					
Stan Davis	WVAM/Altoona	If My Heart Had Windows — Amy Wooley — MCA					
Dan Hollander	WDXE/Lawrenceburg	Lovin' Our Lives Away — Dave Rowland — Elektra					
Glen Garrett	WCOS/Columbia	Put Your Dreams Away — Mickey Gilley — Epic					
Tom "Cat" Reeder	WKCW/Warrenton	Operator — Tennessee Express — RCA					
David Haley	WJQS/Jackson	New Way Out Karen Brooks Warner Bros.					
Jerry Adams	KFDI/Wichita	Song Of The South — Tom T. Hall & Earl Scruggs — Columbia					
Buddy Covington	KNUZ/Houston	I'm Drinkin' Canada Dry — Burrito Brothers — Curb					
Kevin Herring	www/Detroit	Dreams Die Hard — Gary Morris — Warner Bros.					
Pam Green	WHN/New York City	It Should've Been Easy — Wayne Massey — MCA					

MOST ADDED COUNTRY SINGLES 1. I DIDN'T KNOW YOU COULD BREAK A BROKEN HEART — JOE STAMPLEY — EPIC — 22 ADDS 2. DREAMS DIE HARD — GARY MORRIS — WARNER BROS. — 17 ADDS 3. GET INTO REGGAE COWBOY — THE BELLAMY BROTHERS — ELEKTRA

- 15 ADDS
 LOVE BUSTED BILLY "CRASH" CRADDOCK CAPITOL 15 ADDS
 I JUST CAME HERE TO DANCE DAVID FRIZZELL & SHELLY WEST WARNER/VIVA 14 ADDS
 SHE GOT THE GOLDMINE JERRY REED RCA 13 ADDS
 I'M DRINKIN' CANADA DRY BURRITO BROTHERS CURB 13 ADDS
 THIS DREAM'S ON ME GENE WATSON MCA 12 ADDS
 I'LL BE YOUR MAN AROUND THE HOUSE KIERAN KANE ELEKTRA

- 12 ADDS
 SOME OF MY BEST FRIENDS ARE OLD SONGS LOUISE MANDRELL —

MOST ACTIVE COUNTRY SINGLES

- LOVE WILL TURN YOU AROUND KENNY ROGERS LIBERTY 55
- WOMEN DO KNOW HOW TO CARY ON WAYLON JENNINGS RCA -
- FOOL HEARTED MEMORY GEORGE STRAIT MCA 44 REPORTS
 DANCING YOUR MEMORY AWAY CHARLY McCLAIN EPIC 42
- REPORTS
 WHATEVER THE STATLER BROTHERS MERCURY/POLYGRAM 39

- REPORTS

 BIG OLE BREW MEL McDANIEL CAPITOL 39 REPORTS

 YOU TURN ME ON I'M A RADIO GAIL DAVIES WARNER BROS. 37
- SHE'S PLAYING HARD TO FORGET EDDY RAVEN ELEKTRA 36
- REPORTS
 WHAT'S FOREVER FOR MICHAEL MURPHY LIBERTY 36 REPORTS
 SHE'S NOT REALLY CHEATIN' MOE BANDY COLUMBIA 34

WWNC/Asheville: Bringing In The Numbers With A 'Down Home' Style

southern gospel cuts every hour, and on Tuesday and Thursday evenings, sponsors a three-hour gospel show, which was named "Good Newsday Tuesday" and "Good Newsday Thursday" by the audience in another promotional scheme. Carpenter also emphasizes that most of the country outlet's listeners were rock listeners in the '50s and '60s, so that station has added "Century Gold," early rock hits that are played every 90 minutes.

The station's current rotation, however, is a fairly sizeable one - 57 numbered titles on the playlist plus 30-40 extras. According to Carpenter, the records still receive a substantial rotation. "During the daytime it does get a little tight because we do have a lot of commercials," admits Carpenter. "That always goes with success, but at night and overnight we have a lot of time to experiment and play with records.

WWNC's share of the market sounds unbelievable when one realizes that the town also boasts another country station, WRAQ, and that WESC/Greenville, S.C. penetrates the market with its signal. Between the three of them, country's share of Asheville listenership is somewhere

around 50%, and, in the mornings, Rhodarmer's share alone is a whopping 58%.

Unconventional Approach

"He breaks probably every rule that modern broadcasters say you shouldn't, notes Carpenter, "and people love it. He reads the obituary column from the morning newspaper, and the first 30 minutes he's on the air he does not play a single record. He takes important things from the paper and reads them. It's been a tradition

Even though the station enjoys an overwhelming popularity within the community, Carpenter is quick to point out that the management team takes a careful look at everything that goes over the air. "You have to be a part of the community," he insists. "You don't put yourself above it. We are very strict about what we do play on the

air."
The Radio Ranch is the site for a diverse lineup of jocks behind the mike. Rhodarmer, who has been with the station for 20 years, is followed in the morning by 64-year-old Fred Brown. Randy Houston takes on the afternoon drive shift, while 21-yearold John Anderson handles the mike during the late evenings, and 65-year-old Bill Hancock does the all-night segment.



SHAVER MEETS 'AUNT ELOISE' — During his recent 18-city promotional trek in support of his current single, "Amtrak (And Ain't Coming Back)," Billy Joe Shaver stopped in at WMC/Memphis, where he was introduced to fictitious morning air personality "Aunt Eloise." Pictured at the family reunion are (I-r): Les Acree, program director, WMC; Aunt Eloise; Shaver; and Tom Chaltas, local promotion manager, Columbia.

BLACK CONTEMPORARY



Columbia recording artist Deniece Williams recently stopped by the Disc-O-Mat store in Manhattan to sign autographs and greet numerous fans. Williams "Niecy" LP and the new "Waiting By The Hot Line" single were particular favorites among the fans. Pictured behind the counter are (I-r): Williams; Fred Richardson, regional promotion manager, Columbia; and Gloria Barley, local promotion manager, Columbia.

THE RHYTHM SECTION

EBONY ROCKERS — The continuing fusion of black music and rock is becoming more evident as artists that have remained true to the traditional values of both sounds are finding room for each in their music. Prince, Cameo, the Bar-Kays, Rick James and others have remained on the forefront of the music crossover from black music to rock, while the Talking Heads, The Clash, The Police and King Crimson have successfully cross-pollinated black music sounds with their rock. The newest entry in this amalgamation derby is none other than Motown's Jermaine Jackson, whose "Let Me Tickle Your Fancy," the title track from his new LP, literally combines the smooth crooner delivery of Jackson with the quirky new music sensibilities of Spudtown faves Devo. A harder-edged offering than Jackson has delivered in the past, the song, which recently shipped as the first single from the LP, represents a departure from his ballad material and fuses a refreshing energy to the music aboard the backing vocals by Devo members. The project's genesis was in New York last November where Jackson met with Devo members Jerry Casale and Mark Mothersbaugh. All three were at the NBC Live At Five studios where they were to be interviewed. In a conversation prior to the interview, Casale and Mothersbaugh asked Jackson why he had never asked them to perform on one of his LPs - since he liked their music so much. That planted the seed and later Jackson did ask the Rubber City New Traditionalists to perform on the LP. History was made, indeed. But Jackson is not alone in his quest for music variety and freedom, as other black artists are preparing to ply their crafts with a hard rock edge. Fresh from tours with Prince's band as a bassist, Andre Symone recently signed to Columbia Records, which released his "Livin' In The New Wave," the title track from his debut album, last week. Like Jackson, Symone fuses the finer points of R&B with the energy of rock, old and new, for stimulating results. Also like Jackson, Symone includes the traditional ballad on his album, showing variety of purpose. But even these crossover rock forays are not alone in the ebony rock derby. A&M Records recently released a self-titled LP by Willie Phoenix. This Dayton, Ohio native set his sights on rock at about age six or seven when he saw ElvIs Presley on TV. He went on to front several rock bands in the Ohio area, developing a style crossing the new wave posture with E Street Band energy. From his album cover, first impressions identify him as a Rastafarian, given his dreadlocks and Coventry rocker garb. But this is rock, pure and uncut. And just as we thought that the madcap, inspired band **The Busboys** had slipped off to obscurity to toil in a bohemian kitchen, they are back with their second Arista LP, "American Workers," a dying breed. While pop and AOR radio has continually ignored black rockers, the spirit of those adventurous enough to record the music is enduring. More on this one later.

PENINSULA JAZZ — The folks who put on the Monterey Jazz Festival have a special treat for jazz patrons this year. Celebrating its Silver Anniversary and 25 years of promoting jazz as a non-profit venture, the Monterey Jazz Festival board of directors, led by festival founder and general manager Jimmy Lyons and executive director Ruth Robey, have set Thursday, Sept. 16, for a special dinner/concert party at the Monterey County Fairgrounds. The first 500 ticket requests for the event will be treated to a fine spread of prime rib, king crab and giant prawns set against a backdrop of some equally fine music. Additionally, attendees will be treated to performances by Bay Area-based Brazilian dance/music troupe Batucaje, which returns to the festival after a dazzling show last year; veteran Monterey performer Ray Plzzi of woodwind fame with Ron McRoby; former Cal Tjader Band percussionist Poncho Sanchez; Gerald Wilson with his orchestra; and Carmen McRae. Tickets for the Silver Anniversary Gala Celebration Showcase Concert are \$10, while the dinner tickets are \$25. Festival officials report that all shows for the regular festival event are sold out and that acts signed to appear will be announced this week

SHORT CUTS - The Budweiser Superfest will descend upon the Rose Bowl in Pasadena, Calif., Aug. 1, featuring pretty much the same line-up as other Superfests thus far, including maestro Quincy Jones with Pattl Austin and James Ingram; Ashford and Simpson; and Frankle Beverly with Maze. Added to the L.A.-area show are Stevie Wonder, Aretha Franklin, Luther Vandross and reggae band Third World. Charles show is also on the road in Europe, where the R&B/blues legend will travel to Spain, Austria, France, Israel, Germany, Switzerland and England ... The One Foot label has been bowed by Gramavision, Inc., which plans to release 12" dance singles through the label. First releases include singles by Cosmetic (featuring Ornette Coleman bassist Jamaaldeen Tacuma) and Oliver Lake & Jump Up. Both releases are due July 21 . . . Stevie Wonder's video featuring him performing "Do I Do" is set to air July 24 on Dick Clark's American Bandstand over the ABC-TV network

michael martinez

TOP 75 LBUMS

_	. 7	/17	Weeks On Chart	
O	GAP BAND IV THE GAP BAND (Totel Experience/ PolyGram TE 13001)	2	7	3
2	THROWIN' DOWN RICK JAMES (Gordy/Motown 6005GL)	1	8	3
3	STEVIE WONDER'S ORIGINAL MUSIQUARIUM I			4
	STEVIE WONDER (Tamla/Motown 6002TL2)	3	9	4
4	STREET OPERA ASHFORD & SIMPSON (Capitol ST-12207)	4	9	4
5	DREAMGIRLS ORIGINAL BROADWAY CAST	•	•	4
6	(Geffen GHSP 2007) KEEP IT LIVE	6	9	4
Ô	JEFFREY OSBORNE	5	19	
8	(A&M SP-4896) STRAIGHT FROM THE	8	6	4
	HEART PATRICE RUSHEN (Elektra E1-60015)	7	14	
9	BRILLIANCE ATLANTIC STARR (A&M SP 4883)	10	18	4
10	REUNION THE TEMPTATIONS (Gordy/Motown 6008GL)	9	13	4
11	MY FAVORITE PERSON THE O'JAYS	Ĭ		4
12	(Philadelphia Int'i./CBS FZ 37999) THE OTHER WOMAN	11	11	5
	RAY PARKER, JR. (Arista AL 9590)	12	14	5
B	POBERTA FLACK (Atlantic SD 19354)	15	6	5
14	WHO'S FOOLIN' WHO ONE WAY (MCA-5279)	13	19	_
U	CHERYL LYNN (Columbia FC 38057)	31	3	5
16	WAR (RCA AFL1-4208)	16	20	6
17	Ji JUNIOR (Mercury/PolyGram SRM-1-4043)	17	13	5
18	SOONER OR LATER LARRY GRAHAM			5
19	(Warner Bros, BSK 3668) WE GO A LONG WAY BACK	18	6	
20	BLOODSTONE (T-Neck/CBS FZ 38115)	34	3	5
20	WINDSONG RANDY CRAWFORD (Warner Bros. 9 23687-1)	20	6	5
	"D" TRAIN (Prelude PRL 14105)	23	14	(
22	TRUST ME JEAN CARN (Motown 6010ML)	22	7	6
23	ALLIGATOR WOMAN CAMEO (Chocolate City/PolyGram CCLP 2021)	19	16	6
24	NIECY DENIECE WILLIAMS			6
25	(ARC/Columbia FC 37952)	14	15	6
26	ODYSSEY (RCA AFL1-4240) DOWN HOME	28	5	6
27	ZZ HILL (Malaco MAL 7406) FRIENDS	24	24	6
. 28	SHALAMAR (Solar/Elektra S-28) STEAMIN' HOT	21	23	6
•	THE REDDINGS (Believe In A Dream/CBS FZ 37974)	25	9	
. 29	SOUP FOR ONE ORIGINAL SOUNDTRACK (Mirage/Atco WTG 19353)	30	6	6
30	LITE ME UP HERBIE HANCOCK			6
31	(Columbia FC 37928) NEW DIMENSIONS	32	9	
32	THE DRAMATICS (Capitol ST-12205) CURRENT	33	8	6
33	LOVE IS WHERE YOU FIND	38	4	7
2.4	THE WHISPERS (Solar/Elektra S-27)	27	28	7
34	THE ONE GIVETH, THE COUNT TAKETH AWAY WILLIAM "BOOTSY" COLLINS			7
35	(Warner Bros. BSK 3667) WISE GUY	35	10	7
	KID CREOLE AND THE COCONUTS (Ze/Sire ARK 3681)	40	5	_
36	CHANGE (RFC/Atlantic SD 19342)	26	12	7
37	STRONGER THAN EVER ROSE ROYCE (Epic FE 37939)	39	8	7

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TOP 100 BLACK CONTEMPORARY SINGLES

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	7/17	Chart
DO I DO STEVIE WONDER (Tamla/Motown 1612TF)	4	8
2 EARLY IN THE MORNING THE GAP BAND		
(Total Experience/PolyGram TE-8201) 3 LET IT WHIP	2	14
DAZZ BAND (Motown 1609MF)	1	20
5 I REALLY DON'T NEED NO LIGHT	6	12
6 AND I AM TELLING YOU I'M NOT	5	12
GOING JENNIFER HOLLIDAY (Geffan 7-29983)	8	8
7 DANCE WIT' ME RICK JAMES (Gordy/Motown 1619GF)	3	11
8 TOO LATE JUNIOR (Mercury/PolyGrem 76150)	9	- 11
9 PLANET ROCK SOUL SONIC FORCE (Tommy Boy TB-823)	11	8
10 SOUP FOR ONE CHIC (Mirage/Atlantic WTG 4032)	10	13
11 LOVE IS IN CONTROL (FINGER ON		
THE TRIGGER) DONNA SUMMER (Gaffen 7-29982)	16	4
12 STREET CORNER ASHFORD & SIMPSON (Capitol P-B-5109)	7	15
13 KEEP ON "D" TRAIN (Praiude PRL 8049)	14	9
14 WE GO A LONG WAY BACK BLOODSTONE (T-Neck/CBS ZS5 02825)	12	17
CAMEO (Chocolate City/PolyGram CC 3233)	17	7
16 THE REAL DEAL THE ISLEY BROTHERS (T-Nack/CBS ZS5 C2985)	22	5
17 FORGET ME NOTS PATRICE RUSHEN (Elektra E-47427)	15	20
18 OUTLAW WAR (RCA PB-13238)	23	7
19 (SITTIN' ON) THE DOCK OF THE		
THE REDDINGS (Balleva In A Dream/CBS 7S5 02836) 20 STILL WATER (LOVE) O'BRYAN (Capitol P-B-5117)	19	9
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ATLANTIC STARR (A&M 2420)	25	7
RAY PARKER JR. (Ariste AS 0695) 23 OLD FASHIONED LOVE	29	6
SMOKEY ROBINSON (Tamla/Motown 1815TF)	21	15
24 STANDING ON THE TOP — PART 1 THE TEMPTATIONS featuring RICK JAMES (Gordy/Motown 1616GF)	13	14
25 INSTANT LOVE CHERYL LYNN (Columbia 18-02905)	31	8
26 I'LL DO MY BEST (FOR YOU BABY) RITCHIE FAMILY (RCA PB-13092)	26	11
27 IT'S GONNA TAKE A MIRACLE DENIECE WILLIAMS (ARC/Columbie 18-02812)	18	19
28 INSIDE OUT ODYSSEY (RCA PB-13217)	33	7
29 JUMP TO IT	35	4
30 THANKS TO YOU SINNAMON (Becket BKD 508)	30	10
31 CHEATING IN THE NEXT ROOM ZZ HILL (Malaco 2079)	28	12
32 DANCE FLOOR (Part 1) ZAPP (Warner Bros. 7-29961)		3
33 SO FINE HOWARD JOHNSON (A&M 2415)		5

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34 EBONY AND IVORY PAUL McCARTNEY (Columbia 18-02860)	27	15
35 HOT FUN IN THE SUMMERTIME DAYTON (Liberty P-B-1468)	45	6
36 TAKING APPLICATIONS RICHARD "DIMPLES" FIELDS (Boerdwalk NB7-11-143) 37 I DON'T NEED YOUR LOVE	39	6
37 I DON'T NEED YOUR LOVE SEQUENCE (Sugar Hill SH-783) 38 FEMMES FATALES	37	9
33 JUST AN ILLUSION	38	11
imagination (MCA-52067) 40 SHOW ME WHERE YOU'RE	41	7
COMING FROM CARRIE LUCAS (Soler/Elektra S-48010)	43	9
41 THE OTHER WOMAN RAY PARKER, JR. (Arista AS 0669)	24	19
42 YOUR BODY'S HERE WITH ME THE O'JAYS (Phile, Int'I./CBS ZS5 03009)	58	3
43 LAST NIGHT STEPHANIE MILLS (Casablance/PolyGram NB 2352)		3
44 DON'T STOP WHEN YOU'RE HOT LARRY GRAHAM (Warner Bros. WBS 50068)		12
45 I'M A WONDERFUL THING, BABY KID CREOLE & THE COCONUTS (SITE SRE 50069)		9
46 ONE HELLO RANDY CRAWFORD (Werner Bros. 7-29998)		8
47 WHEN YOU TOUCH ME SKYY (Salsoul/RCA S7 7029)	54	. 5
48 EMERGENCY WHISPERS (Solar/Elektra S-48008)	32	13
49 AMERICAN MUSIC POINTER SISTERS (Planet/RCA JH-13254)	64	. 4
50 ON THE FLOOR FATBACK (Spring/PolyGram SP 3025)	59	5
51 FEELIN' LUCKY LATELY HIGH FASHION (Capitol P-B-5104)	40	11
52 I CAN MAKE YOU FEEL GOOD SHALAMAR (Solar/Eiektra S-48013)	70	4
53 DON'T THROW IT ALL AWAY STACY LATTISAW (Cotillion/Atco 47011) 54 SHOUT FOR JOY	68	3
54 SHOUT FOR JOY DUNN & BRUCE STREET (Devakl/Mirus DK 1009)		. 4
55 TAKE SOME TIME OUT (FOR LOVE) THE SALSOUL ORCHESTRA (Salsoul/RCA S7 7026)	57	8
56 DON'T HOLD BACK MIKE AND BRENDA SUTTON (Sam 82-5028)		7
TONY TROUTMAN (T. Main L-200)	63	6
58 PRESIDENT'S RAP RICH LITTLE (Boardwalk NB9-99901) 59 I'M THE ONE	60	7
69 I'M THE ONE ROBERTA FLACK (Atlantic 4068)	74	. 2
60 THANG (GIMME SOME OF THAT THANG)		
VIDEEC (Houston Connaction 4W9 02923)		7
JEAN CARN (Motown 1620MF) WAITING BY THE HOTLINE		
63 FLAMETHROWER RAP		
FELIX AND JARVIS (RFC/Quality 014) 64 IT'S ALRIGHT GIND SOCCIO (RFC/Atlantic 4052)		
65 BURNIN' LOVE PLUSH (RCA PB-13228)		5
66 WHY CAN'T WE LIVE TOGETHER ILLUSION (Sugar Hill SH-785)		5

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		hart
67 SOONER OR LATER LARRY GRAHAM (Warner Bros. 7-29956)	86	2
68 I SPECIALIZE IN LOVE		
SHARON BROWN (Profile PRO-5006)		15
GIRL. YOU ARE THE ONE		1
KEEP IN TOUCH (BODY TO BODY)		1
72 STRAIGHT FROM THE HEART		3
73 WE GOT THE GROOVE		6
74 ELECTROPHONIC PHUNK		4
75 LOVE CHANGES		10
76 YOUR IMAGINATION		
DARYL HALL & JOHN OATES (RCA PB-13252		2
JERRY BUTLER (Fountain FR 82-400		3
HERBIE HANCOCK (Columbia 18-03004		2
THE B.B. & Q. BAND (Capitol P-B-5118) —	1
WILL YOU KISS ME ONE MORE TIME LOU RAWLS (Epic 14-02999) 87	2
81. THE LOVER IN YOU THE SUGAR HILL GANG (Sugar HIII SH-786		2
82 GIVE YOUR LOVE TO ME BILL SUMMERS AND SUMMERS HEA		
BACK TRACK		2
83 BACK TRACK CERRONE (Pevillion/CBS ZS5 02962 84 HAPPY HOUR	2) 89	2
BEODATO (Warner Bros. 7-29984		3
AMUZEMENT PARK (Our Gang/Mirus OG 1008		1
CHANGE (RFC/Atiantic 4063		1
BARRY WHITE (Unlimited Gold/CBS ZS5 02956		1
RICK JAMES (Gordy/Motown 1634GF		1
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92 LETTIN' IT LOOSE HEATWAVE (Epic 14-02904	i) 55	9
93 BODY LANGUAGE QUEEN (Elaktra E-47452		11
94 OVER LIKE A FAT RAT FONDA RAE (Venguard SPV-58		3
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MOST ADDED SINGLES

IT'S NOT ME YOU LOVE — CLIFF DAWSON — BOARDWALK
WJLB, WCIN, V103, WAMO, WJMO, KACE, WDAO, WAIL, KATZ, WRBD,
WUFO, WLLE, WILD, WGPR-FM, WLOU, WEDR, WWRL, WWIN, OK100,
WYLD-FM, WDAS-FM.
 GIRL, YOU ARE THE ONE — ALFONZO — JOE-WES
WNNC, WZEN, KPRS, OK100, KOKA, WPAL, V103, WATV, WAWA, WLOU,
WHRK, WEDR, KDKO, WWRL, WILD, WGCI, WTLC, WDAS-FM, WGIV, KGFJ.
 IMAGINATION — THE B.B. & Q. BAND — CAPITOL
WATV, WIGO, WBMX, WTLC, WGCI, V103, KDAY, WENZ, WNHC, WLUM,
PROS, WCIN, WRBD, WOKB, WPAL, KGFJ, WGPR-FM.
 GROOVE YOUR BLUES AWAY — AMUZEMENT PARK — OUR GANG
WILD, WRBD, WWIN, KPRS, WZEN, KATZ, WAWA, WUFO, WDAS-FM, WTLC,
V103, WPAL, WLOU, WBMX, WGCI, WYLD-FM.
 CHANGE — BARRY WHITE — UNLIMITED GOLD
WHRK, WGCI, WGPR-FM, WLLE, KACE, OK100, WNHC, WYLD-FM, KGFJ,
WZEN, WSOK, WDAS-FM, WWRL, KPRS, WLUM
 HARD TIMES — CHANGE — RFC/ATLANTIC
WIGO, WOKB, WDAO, WSOK, WGPR-FM, WRBD, WATV, WWIN, WGCI,
WPAL, WYLD-FM, WAWA, WLUM, KDKO

MOST ADDED ALBUMS

SO EXCITED — THE POINTER SISTERS — PLANET/RCA KATZ, KDKO, WDAO, WLLE, WPAL, WEDR
 CUPID'S IN FASHION — AVERAGE WHITE BAND — ARISTA WZEN, KPRS, KDKO, WDAO, WGCI, WWDM
 HAPPY HOUR — DEODATO — WARNER BROS. WEDR, WGCI, WDAO, KDKO, WZEN

UP AND COMING

THE MESSAGE -- GRAND MASTER FLASH -- SUGAR HILL LET ME TICKLE YOUR FANCY - JERMAINE JACKSON - MOTOWN DO SOMETHING - GOODIE - TOTAL EXPERIENCE/POLYGRAM LET'S ROCK - FEEL - SUTRA

BLACK RADIO HIGHLIGHTS

V103 — ATLANTA — SCOTTY ANDREWS, PD — #1 — J. HOLLIDAY
HOTS: Dazz Band, Gap Band, R. Parker, J. Osborne, One Way, O'Jays, Shotgun, Carneo, St. Tropez, S.
Wonder, D. Summer, A. Franklin, Sequence, Felix & Jarvis, Odyssey, War, Isley Brothers, Videeo, R.
Crawford, Zapp. ADDS: R. James, Dazz Band, M. Walden, Cliff Dawson, Grand Master Flash, General
Caine, B.B.&Q. Band, J. Jackson, Alfonzo, D. Sanborn. LP ADDS: D. Sanborn.

WIGO — ATLANTA — MIKE ROBERTS, PD — #1 — SOUL SONIC FORCE HOTS: War, J. Osborne, J. Holliday, S. Wonder, Junior, C. Lynn, R. Parker, Cameo, D. Summer, A. Franklin. ADDS: Shades Of Love, L. Graham, B.B.&Q. Band, Change, Dazz Band, Shalamar, B.

WWIN — BALTIMORE — CURTIS ANDERSON, PD — #1 — SINNAMON
HOTS: J. Holliday, L. Taylor, S. Mills, Sequence, A. Franklin, Peech Boys, J. Osborne, R. James, "D"
Train, Cooper & Ross, Human League, Reddings, Stylistics, Dazz Band, P. Rushen, Isley Brothers,
Goodie, Aurra, Feel, L. Rawls, H. Johnson. ADDS: Amuzement Park, P. Rushen, G. Duke, M. Lance,
New Jersey Connection, B.T. Express, Midnight Star. LP ADDS: Pieces Of A Dream, One Way.

WILD — BOSTON — STEVE CRUMBLEY, PD — #1 — GAP BAND

JUMPS: 5To 2 — J. Holliday, 13 To 9 — Soul Sonic Force, 16 To 10 — H. Johnson, 14 To 11 — Odyssey,
21 To 12 — Cameo, 19 To 13 — Con Funk Shun, 20 To 14 — D. Summer, 25 To 18 — Imagination, 29 To
19 — A. Franklin, 28 To 21 — Dayton, Ex To 22 — Zapp, Ex To 24 — L. Graham, Ex To 23 — Shades Of
Love, Ex To 25 — O'Jays, Ex To 29 — S. Mills, Ex To 30 — Hall & Oates, ADDS: Blaze, ZZ Hill,
Amuzement Park, Midnight Star, R. Flack, Brass Construction, The System. LP ADDS: J. Simon, J.
Carn, Bohannon, D. Sanborn, G. Bonds.

WGIV — CHARLOTTE — CHRIS TURNER, PD — #1 — SOUL SONIC FORCE
HOTS: R. James, S. Wonder, Cameo, D. Summer, C. Lynn, Zapp, J. Osborne, Green's III, Atlantic Starr,
Kld Creole & The Coconuts, R. Parker, Sequence, Illusion, Aurra. ADDS: B. Preston, J. Jackson, Grand
Master Flash, Magic Lady, Brass Construction, Goodie, Klique.

WBMX — CHICAGO — LEE MICHAELS, PD — #1 — CON FUNK SHUN
HOTS: Gap Band, ZZ Hill, S. Wonder, Sinnamon, J. Osborne, Imagination, "D" Train, One Way,
Ashford & Simpson, Odyssey, Atlantic Starr, Bar-Kays, R. Parker, Felix & Jarvis, D. Summer, O'Bryan,
Thompson Twins, War, L. Graham, G. Soccio. ADDS: Pointer Sisters, J. Jackson, Feel, S. Lattisaw,
Shock, Midnight Star, B.B.&Q. Band, Grand Master Flash.

WGCI — CHICAGO — PAM WELLES, PD — #1 — ODYSSEY
HOTS: R. James, R. Parker, Soul Sonic Force, Time Bandits, Sinnamon, Zapp, Kid Creole & The
Coconuts, Gap Band, H. Johnson. ADDS: H. Alpert, F. James, Third World, S. Mills, R. James,
Temptations, B.B.&Q. Band, K. Burke, B. White, Klique. LP ADDS: Average White Band, Deodato, D.

WCIN — CINCINNATI — EVERETT CORK, PD — #1 — CAMEO HOTS: Atlantic Starr, War, Heatwave, R. James, Junior, One Way, Reddings, C. Lynn, Soul Sonic Force, O'Bryan, S. Wonder, J. Holliday. ADDS: Kid Creole & The Coconuts, R. Flack, C. Dawson, Aurra, Pointer Sisters, T. Troutman, Dazz Band. LP ADDS: Reddings.

WJMO — CLEVELAND — ERIC STONE, PD — #1 — GAP BAND HOTS: J. Osborne, Junior, S. Wonder, Sequence, Soul Sonic Force, Atlantic Starr, J. Holliday, O'Bryan, Reddings. ADDS: Shalamar, Eye To Eye, J. Carr, Skys The Limit, Starpoint, Sugar Hill Gang, Orange Krush, Pointer Sisters, R. Flack, S. Mills, Murphys, D. Summer, Dunn & Bruce Street, C.

WGPR-FM — DETROIT — JOE SPENCER, PD — #1 — J. OSBORNE
HOTS: Soul Sonic Force, Sinnamon, S. Wonder, H. Johnson, D. Summer, St. Tropez, Legacy, Zapp, A. Franklin, Change. ADDS: Sound Troope, B. White, Reddings, Pleasure, Fatback, L. Graham, Brass Construction, Bloodstone. LP ADDS: Valentine Brothers, H. Johnson, Sequence, M. Tyner.

WDAO — DAYTON — LANKFORD STEPHENS, PD — #1 — ZZ HILL.
HOTS: J. Holliday, Cameo, War, R. Parker, S. Wonder, Isley Brothers, Atlantic Starr, Dayton, Soul Sonic Force. ADDS: Dazz Band, Pieces Of A Dream, J. Jackson, Odyssey, R. James, Shock, C. Dawson, Aurra, H. Hancock, V. Burch, Change, H. Johnson, Sinnamon. LP ADDS: B. Ocean, Average White Band, Pointer Sisters, Deodato.

WJLB — DETROIT — JOHN EDWARDS, PD — #1 — ASHFORD & SIMPSON HOTS: Odyssey, Ritchie Family, High Fashion, Junior, McCrarys, H. Hancock, Skyy, S. Wonder, Chic, R. James, J. Holliday, Dayton, "D" Train, L. Graham, Sinnamon, Imagination, H. Johnson, Soul Sonic Force, J. Osborne. ADDS: C. Dawson, Dramatics.

KMJQ — HOUSTON — ROSS HOLLAND, MD — #1 — J. HOLLIDAY

JUMPS: 10 To 5 — Cameo, 14 To 7 — J. Osborne, 26 To 9 — Zapp, 18 To 10 — Felix & Jarvis, 20 To 12 —

Junior, 22 To 14 — ZZ Hill, 28 To 17 — O'Jays, 24 To 21 — Isley Brothers, Ex To 19 — Superior Movement, 30 To 25 — Atlantic Starr, Ex To 34 — R. Parker, Ex To 40 — "D" Train. ADDS: A. Franklin,

WTLC-FM — INDIANAPOLIS — KELLY CARSON, PD — #1 — SOUL SONIC FORCE
HOTS: One Way, Felix & Jarvis, High Fashion, J. Holliday, Cameo, Murphys, Heatwave, Con Funk
Shun, General Caine, Isley Brothers, Kid Creole & The Coconuts, Reddings, St. Tropez, C. Lucas,
Candela, Superlor Movement, D. Summer, C. Lynn, B. Ocean, Chi-Lites. ADDS: B.B.&Q. Band, Brass
Construction, Goodie, J. Jackson. LP ADDS: R. Cameron, B. Ocean, Shock, H. Johnson, F. Parris,

KPRS — KANSAS CITY — DELL RICE, PD — #1 — GAP BAND

JUMPS: 13 To 7 — H. Johnson, 14 To 9 — Reddings, 18 To 8 — "D" Train, 15 To 10 — Max Groove, 16

To 11 — Atlantic Starr, 17 To 13 — A. Edwards, 19 To 14 — Candela, 20 To 15 — Heatwave, 21 To 16 —

Video, 22 To 12 — Fatback, 23 To 17 — S. Wonder, 24 To 18 — J. Butler, 25 To 19 — J. Holliday, 31 To

20 — Murphys, 32 To 21 — Cameo, 33 To 22 — McCrarys, 34 To 23 — Isley Brothers, 36 To 24 — R.

Parker, 37 To 25 — Felix & Jarvis, 38 To 26 — Kid Creole — The Coconuts, 39 To 27 — N. Pointer, Ex To

28 — M. Sadane, Ex To 29 — Taste Of Honey, Ex To 31 — Odyssey, Ex To 33 — Sho Nuff, Ex To 32 — C.

Beverly, Ex To 34 — M. Wycoff, Ex To 36 — Rose Royce, Ex To 37 — Third World, Ex To 38 — Plush, Ex

To 39 — Cerrone, Ex To 40 — A. Anthony. ADDS: Dunn & Bruce Street, Soul Sonic Force, J. Jackson, R.

James, Alfonzo, Brass Construction, Bohannon, B. Griffin, T. Gengis, Amuzement Park, Nighthawk,
Bloodstone, War, Illusion, L.J. Reynolds. LP ADDS: Average White Band, D. Valentin.

KDAY — LOS ANGELES — JON BADEAUX, PD — #1 — J. HOLLIDAY HOTS: S. Wonder, J. Osborne, Kid Creole & The Coconuts, Whispers, Cameo, Atlantic Starr, Videeo, C. Lynn, D. Summer. ADDS: J. Jackson, R. James, B.B.&Q. Band, Zapp.

KGFJ — LOS ANGELES — GEORGE MOORE, PD — #1 — J. OSBORNE HOTS: S. Wonder, Cameo, Atlantic Starr, Shalamar, H. Hancock, Junior, Odyssey, Ritchie Family, Kid Creole & The Coconuts. ADDS: Goodie, Dunn & Bruce Street, B. Griffin, O'Jays, J. Jackson, Grand Master Flash. LP ADDS: Pieces Of A Dream.

WDIA — MEMPHIS — CARL CONNER, PD
HOTS: Soul Sonic Force, Isley Brothers, Temptations, O'Jays, R. James, Gap Band, Zapp, Sister Sledge, J. Osborne, R. James, S. Wonder, War, R. Parker, D. Summer, Dazz Band. ADDS: Felix & Jarvis, Odyssey, Temptations, Grand Master Flash. LP ADDS: J. Osborne.

WEDR — MIAMI — GEORGE JONES, MD — #1 — ASHFORD & SIMPSON
HOTS: R. James, Junior, R.J.'s Latest Arrival, One Way, O'Bryan, J. Osborne, Trauma, L.A.
Connection, R. Little, H. Johnson, J. Holliday, Isley Brothers, C. Lynn, Cameo, A. Franklin, Skyy, T.
Troutman, M. Wells, Chic, Reddings, ADDS: P. Funk All Stars, Stargard, Starpoint, Midnight Starr,
Plush, D. Williams, R. Cameron, J. Carn, B. Preston. LP ADDS: Gap Band, Change, G. Soccio,
Sequence, L. Ware, Pointer Sisters, Deodato, Oliver.

WAIL — NEW ORLEANS — BARRY RICHARDS, PD — #1 — SOUL SONIC FORCE
HOTS: S. Wonder, J. Osborne, One Way, Gap Band, Hall & Oates, Zapp, D. Summer, Reddings, R.
Little, "D" Train, Time Bandits, R. Parker, J. Holliday, O'Jays, C. Lynn, G. Bonds, C. Lynn, Odyssey, P.
Rushen, Cameo, A. Franklin. ADDS: C. Dawson, L. Taylor, Pointer Sisters, Survivor, Cerrone, War, J.

WYLD-FM — NEW ORLEANS — TONY BROWN, PD — #1 — WINDJAMMER HOTS: S. Wonder, J. Holliday, J. Osborne, Dazz Band, Junior, R. Jarnes, Gap Band, Temptations, Chic. ADDS: P. Rushen, Lakeside, B. Summers, B. White, Superior Movement, Midnight Star, T. Troutman. LP ADDS: Pieces Of A Dream.

WRKS — NEW YORK — BARRY MAYO, ASST. PD — #1 — J. HOLLIDAY
JUMPS: 12 To 7 — F. Rae, 17 To 8 — Odyssey, 15 To 12 — Ritchie Family, 19 To 15 — H. Johnson, 20 To
17 — J. Osborne, 24 To 19 — Shades Of Love, Ex To 24 — A. Franklin, 29 To 26 — D. Summer, Ex To 30
— C. Lucas. ADDS: Yazoo, Dayton, Aurra, R. Parker. LP ADDS: High Fashion, Dazz Band.

WWRL — NEW YORK — BOBBY JAY, MD — #1 — J. HOLLIDAY
HOTS: C. Lynn, A. Franklin, Ritchie Family, Ashford & Simpson, R. James, Booker T., Dazz Band, J.
Osborne, Junior, F. Rae, "D" Train, Atlantic Starr, S. Wonder, Odyssey, H. Johnson. ADDS: V.
Robinson, Soul Sonic Force, Third World, D. Williams.

WRAP — NORFOLK — JIMMY WILLIAMS, PD — #1 — GAP BAND HOTS: One Way, Reddings, R. James, ZZ Hill, Soul Sonic Force, Cameo, J. Holliday, S. Wonder, Ashford & Simpson, J. Osborne, Temptations, Atlantic Starr, Isley Brothers, Dazz Band, Bloodstone, War, "D" Train, Junior, P. McCartney. ADDS: R. Crawford, H. Johnson, Dunn & Bruce Street, T. Troutman, Goodie, Aurra, B. Collins, R. Fields, Odyssey, Salsoul Orchestra. LP ADDS: B. Collins, Odyssey, J. Osborne.

WOKB — ORLANDO — BILLIE LOVE, PD — #1 — J. OSBORNE

JUMPS: 7 To 4 — Junior, 9 To 6 — Felix & Jarvis, 11 To 7 — Atlantic Starr, 13 To 10 — J. Holliday, 15 To
12 — R. Parker, 31 To 13 — Zapp, Ex To 15 — Murphys, 22 To 19 — Prince, Ex To 21 — O'Jays, 29 To 22
— Chi-Lites, 27 To 23 — Collage, 40 To 28 — Isley Brothers, 36 To 26 — B. Ocean, 27 To 26 — B. Collins, Ex To 35 — Dazz Band, Ex To 37 — G. Soccio, Ex To 38 — A. Franklin, Ex To 39 — D. Summer, Ex To 40
— T. Troutman. ADDS: Change, S. Mills, Dunn & Bruce Street, Shalamar, Dayton, Brass Construction.
LP ADDS: Bloodstone, Odyssey.

WAMO — PITTSBURGH — J.C. FLOYD, PD — #1 — S. WONDER
JUMPS: 9 To 5 — Cameo, 10 To 6 — War, 17 To 10 — Kid Creole & The Coconuts, 21 To 18 — Isley
Brothers, 23 To 20 — Shock, 24 To 21 — Dayton, 25 To 22 — Pointer Sisters, 27 To 23 — D. Summer, Ex
To 24 — Atlantic Starr, 30 To 25 — R. Parker, 33 To 26 — C. Simon, 31 To 27 — R. Fields, 40 To 28 — P.
Rushen, 35 To 29 — H. Johnson, 34 To 31 — A. Franklin, 38 To 32 — O'Bryan, 36 To 33 — Dunn & Bruce
Street, 37 To 34 — R. Dyson, 39 To 35 — St. Tropez, Ex To 36 — Odyssey, Ex To 37 — Fatback, Ex To 38
— Zapp, Ex To 39 — Aurra. ADDS: S. Mills, C. Dawson, System, J. Jackson, S. Lattisaw. L.P. ADDS: B.
James, C. Lynn, D. Grusin, L. Graham, Bloodstone.

KATZ — ST. LOUIS — BERNIE HAYES, MD — #1— J. BUTLER
JUMPS: 11 To 3 — St. Tropez, 20 To 9 — O.C. Smith, 9 To 2 — J. Holliday, 26 To 18 — M. Wycoff, 17 To 8
— Jones Girls, 15 To 4 — R. Crawford. ADDS: Plush, W. Hart, Amuzement Park, D. Ross, Brass
Construction, B. White, C. Dawson, S. Mills, D. Williams, S. Lattisaw. LP ADDS: Jewel, Pointer Sisters,
C. Lynn, Superior Movement, Bohannon, High Inergy, H. Johnson, O'Bryan, Plush.

KSOL — SAN FRANCISCO — MARVIN ROBINSON, PD — #1 — S. WONDER HOTS: Atlantic Starr, J. Osborne, Reddings, Soul Sonic Force, "D" Train, Junior, J. Holliday, Gap Band, D. Summer. ADDS: Shalamar, R. Flack, R. James, L. Graham, Dayton, S. Lattisaw, Deodato.

WSOK — SAVANNAH — JAY BRYANT, PD — #1 — S. WONDER
JUMPS: 7 To 4 — J. Osborne, 13 To 10 — War, 17 To 11 — J. Holliday, 16 To 12 — Isley Brothers, 19 To
13 — Cameo, 18 To 14 — J. Carn, 21 To 15 — Illusion, 22 To 16 — Odyssey, 20 To 17 — Fatback, 24 To
18 — Zapp, 25 To 19 — D. Summer, 26 To 20 — A. Franklin, 27 To 21 — Change, 29 To 22 — S. Mills, 30
To 25 — Taste Of Honey, Ex To 23 — S. Lattisaw, Ex To 24 — L. Graham, Ex To 27 — Dayton, Ex To 28 —
D. Williams, Ex To 29 — Third World, Ex To 27 — Dayton, Ex To 28 — D. Williams, Ex To 29 — Third
World, Ex To 30 — G. Bonds. ADDS: R. James, Dazz Band, M. Sadane, Stargard, R. Flack, Platters. LP
ADDS: Stargard, J. McDuff, Fatback.

KOKA — SHREVEPORT — B.B. DAVIS, PD — #1 — GAP BAND
HOTS: Dazz Band, One Way, S. Wonder, J. Holliday, Soul Sonic Force, Cameo, War, ZZ Hill, R. Parker,
Temptations, J. Osborne, D. Summer, Atlantic Starr, O'Bryan, C. Lynn, Dayton, Odyssey, Pointer
Sisters, Sinnamon, G. Bonds. ADDS: R. Crawford, Fatback, Zapp, S. Lattisaw, R. Flack, Alfonzo, S. Mills G Soccio

WWDM — SUMTER — BARBARA TAYLOR, PD
HOTS: Gap Band, J. Osborne, One Way, S. Wonder, J. Holliday, T. Troutman, Con Funk Shun, "D"
Train, L. Graham, Felix & Jarvis. ADDS: J. Jackson, A. Anthony, H. Johnson, Candela, F. Rae, Forrrce,
R. Little, P. Rushen, Shades Of Love, Redd Hott, G. Bonds. LP ADDS: Average White Band, High
Fashion, G. Soccio, D. Valentin, D. Grusin, G. Bonds.

OK 100 — WASHINGTON, D.C. — JOHN TURK, MD — #1 — C. LYNN
HOTS: "D" Train, Atlantic Starr, One Way, Ritchie Family, Junior, J. Osborne, Candela, Clausel, Imagination, D. Summer, S. Mills, S. Wonder, Reddings, Dayton, Isley Brothers, Odyssey, C. Lucas. ADDS: R. Cameron, H. Johnson, Goodie, Shades Of Love, Alfonzo, B. White, Fatback, Sugar Hill Gang.

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OTTAWA -- E/A Music of Canda Ltd. has launched a significant marketing and promotional campaign - likely its largest ever for a debut domestic artist release in support of David Roberts' Elektra album, "All Dressed Up," issued this month by the label in Canada and scheduled for imminent United States release. Marketing information from the company indicates Roberts is considered a long-term signing to be nurtured and developed slowly, which is perhaps a telling sign of just how the firm will treat the 23-year-old Toronto singersongwriter. Company executives would be among the first to admit that recent domestic signings have not always fared well, but in Roberts E/A appears to have a bonafide commercial success. Bolstered by Los Angeles session men and a classy packaging, the album has a sheen simply not evident on most domestic albums these days. The debut single, "Boys Of Autumn," has been released to good initial radio reaction, and comes in a four-color sleeve. Roberts' "Anywhere You Run To" was recorded by Diana Ross for her next disc. A tour this autumn is possible, but all indications are E/A will play it patiently in developing the chock-full-of-hooks com-.. Both Nick Garbene at A&M and poser Svivle Bronetta at E/A. veteran promotional representatives, have left their respective companies this past month Attic Records has scored two major platinum discs for rather unusual artists. The Pylons, the Toronto-based a capella band, becomes the first such group to score a platinum disc for its self-titled debut on the label, while Plastic Bertrand, the Belgian pop-rock singer, has gone platinum on his single, "Stop Our Encore."

Italy

MILAN - The Italian summer season of tours began in July with many important foreign artists: Frank Zappa, the Police, Rory Gallagher and Jackson Browne have been scheduled in Milan, while the Rolling Stones are expected in Turin (on July 11-12) and in Naples. Among the Italian artists who started series of concerts in this period are Patty Pravo, Claudio Baglioni, Edoardo Bennato, the Pooh and Ornella Vanoni.

Many LPs and cassettes, including compilations of new and old hits, have been released in this period by the Italian companies. Among them "Nostalgia" and "Stars '81" (on K-tel), "Mistomare" and "Booms Anni '60" (on Durium), "Succosa" (on EMI), "16 Rounds n.2" and "30 X 60 n.2" (on CGD), "Il tempo dell'amore" (on RCA), "Tilt" (on PolyGram) and "I Campionissimi" (on CBS). In the last weeks, the new entries in the charts concentrated on compilations releases.

The Fa-Do label, previously distributed by Dischi Ricordi, is now distributed by CGD. Among the latest releases of the label there is an album by the new group Tempi

Franco Crepax, managing director of CGD-Messagerie Musicali group, announced the appointment of Daniele Dogllo at the post of administration manager at CGD Dischi . . . Pippo La Rosa will now be responsible for the inter-national department at Fonit Cetra, after the resignation of Luigi Arduino Stefano Micocci and Michele Mondella created in Rom a new promotion agency, Media, which will follow artists like Lucio Dalla, Francesco De Gregori and others.

mario de luigi

Japan

TOKYO - On a recent visit to Japan to attend a jazz convention sponsored by Warner/Pioneer, Elektra/Musician president and Elektra/Asylum vice president Bruce Lundvall found some time to speak a while with Cash Box Tokyo. While he was primarily in Japan to familiarize people with his Elektra/Musician label, Lundvall also spoke on a variety of industry-related topics. Among his comments:

On his move from president of CBS Records Division to Elektra:

'I was ready for a new challenge, that's the primary reason. In other words, for a long time, I wanted to get another chance to do creative work again. The Musician label was the answer to my dreams. I'm really enjoying my work here, trying to make Musician a label with a high visibility.

On his expectations for Musician:

"My initial goals are rather modest. I would like to reach about two-to-three million dollars in wholesale in the beginning. Within two or three years, I'd like to reach about five or six million dollars annually. Jazz is currently about 10% of the American market and it is growing steadily, so I think the goals are realistic.'

On home taping (a big problem in both the United States and Japan):

"This is a very difficult question. One answer is legal control and another is technical, that is, developing some method to make it impossible to copy something. In the U.S. right now, new legislation is under discussion in Congress. However, new technology to fight taping is still lacking at this time, so home taping seems to expand continuously.'

On the record rental business, which has spread throughout Japan:

"It's a very important problem, I think. The same thing is beginning to happen in the U.S. too; recently, some dealers have opened up rental corners. However, the problem is so much bigger here (in Japan) that severe control methods, I think, are needed. kozo otsuka

Canadian Copyright Appeal Board Revises Broadcasting Royalty Formula

by Kirk LaPointe

OTTAWA - The federal Copyright Appeal Board last week announced revisions to broadcasting royalty distribution among the country's two performing rights

Somewhat convinced that Performing Rights Organization (PRO) of Canada Ltd. deserved a larger slice of the royalty pie. the board maintained the current level of overall payments by radio stations - set at 3.2% of gross revenue - but ot gave PRO Canada Ltd. a total of .09% more

PRO Canada now will get 1.54% of radio grosses, while the Composers, Artists and Publishers Assn. of Canada (CAPAC) will earn 1.56%. PRO Canada previously earned 1.45%, while CAPAC earned 1.75%.

Although the board agreed with PRO that

'Juice,' 'Classics' Top June CRIA Certifications

TORONTO — Triple platinum awards signifying sales of 300,000 units for Juice Newton's "Juice" on Capitol and "Hooked On Classics" by the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra on RCA topped the Canadian Recording Industry Assn. (CRIA) album certifications for June. In addition to the awards for Newton and the Royal Philharmonic, two double platinums, three platinums and 13 golds were given for albums, as well as one double platinum and two platinums for singles.

Double platinum album certifications, signifying sales of 200,000 units, went to the Chariots Of Fire soundtrack by Vangelis on PolyGram and Joan Jett & The Blackhearts' "I Love Rock 'N Roll" on CBS. Platinum album award winners (100,000 units) were "J'Suis Ton Amie" by Chantal Pary on Kebec Disc, "Success Hasn't Spoiled Me by Rick Springfield on RCA and Streetheart's self-titled LP on Capitol.

Gold album certifications, signifying sales of 50,000 units, went to "Bobbie Sue" by the Oak Ridge Boys and Don Williams' "I Believe In You," both on MCA; "Small Change" by Prism, "Streetheart" and Iron Maiden's "The Number Of The Beast," all on Capitol; Springfield's "Success Hasn't Spoiled Me Yet," and Alabama's "Feels So Right" & "Mountain Music" on RCA; "Time & Tide" by Split Enz on A&M; Black Sabbath's "Heaven & Hell" on WEA Music; Men At Work's "Business As Usual" on CBS; Ballroom Orchestra's self-titled LP on PolyGram; and Pary's "J'Suis Ton Amie" on Kebec Disc.

'I Love Rock 'N Roll" by Joan Jett & The Blackhearts was the top singles certification with a double platinum award signifying sales of 200,000 units. "Queen Of Hearts" by Juice Newton on Capitol and "Stop Our Encore" by Plastic Bertrand on Attic garnered platinum awards for sales of 100 000 units

its 11,404 writers and 2,151 affiliated publishers in Canada represented a greater amount of the overall music performed than the organization had been earning, it did not go so far as to grant PRO parity with CAPAC or acceed to its request at board hearings earlier this year for 1.75% of radio grosses.

Still, the concession by the board which operates under the federal Consumer and Corporate Affairs Department represents a victory of sorts. The extra percentage could give PRO Canada about \$420,000 in additional royalties this year, even though CAPAC has estimated the loss to them at about \$360,000.

The rates are retroactive to Jan. 1. CAPAC, with some 9,520 writers and 7,-220 publishers affiliated in Canada, earned about \$21 million in total license fees last

PRO Canada, meanwhile, netted about \$15.8 million in overall license fees.

Both societies represent thousands of international composers and publishers, and a considerable amount - perhaps as high as 70% - of their license fees flowed from the country last year. Conversely, the success of several Canadian performers abroad earned PRO and CAPAC members significant amounts of money

The two societies each fall arque before the three-member board for a larger share of the royalty split. Interested parties, such as broadcasters, intervene at the hearings in an attempt to hold down the royalty rate.

This year, it seems the broadcasters successfully held the board's attention and kept it from raising the overall levy.

Tougher Piracy Law Approved In The U.K.

LONDON - An amendment to the Copyright Act increasing the penalties for piracy and counterfeiting of copyrighted works was passed last week in the House of Commons. The bill is expected to have a strong impact on piracy in the videocassette business, where up to 75% (or an estimated \$150-\$200 million) of the industry's revenues go to pirates and their distributors.

Under the new law, which will go into effect at the end of the month, those who sell or rent unauthorized copies of copyrighted material will be subject to fines of up to \$1,-700 per offense and/or two years in jail. Prior to the new amendment, maximum criminal penalty under the Copyright Act was \$85, although civil courts have awarded stiffer damage judgements in infringe-ment cases, as well as search-and-seize or-

In addition, many feel that the new amendment will also make it easier to prosecute suspected pirates and their distributors.

'INTERN*a*tional bestsellers'

Argentina

- TOP TEN 45s

 1 Puerto Pollensa Sandra Mihanovich Microfon
 2 Solo Le Pido A Dios Leon Gieco Music Hall
 3 SI La Vieras Con Mis Ojos Dyango EMI
 4 Cama Y Mesa Roberto Carlos CBS
 5 Ayer Te VI Luisa Maria Guell Music Hall
 6 Lluvla Luis Angel Interdisc
 7 Mentira Valeria Lynch PolyGram
 8 La Gata Bajo La Lluvla Rocio Durcal Microfon
 9 Yo Querla Ser Mayor Roque Narvaja Discosa/Interdisc
 10 Gente Del Futuro Cantilo y Punch Music Hall

- PTEN LPs
 En Argentina Mercedes Sosa PolyGram
 No Liores Por Mi Argentina Seru Giran Interdisc
 Los 15 Maximos various artists PolyGram
 Estillo Maria Martha Serra Lima CBS
 Tlempos Dificiles Juan Carlos Baglietto EMI
 Las Aventuras De . . . Parchis Tonodisc
 Clemente Interdisc
 Entre Una Espada Y La Pared Dyango EMI
 Dolcissimo various artists Interdisc
 Balance Provisional Roque Narvaja Discosa/Interdisc
 Prensario

Japan

- TOP TEN 45s

 1 Selbotachi No Rarabye Hiromi Iwazaki Victor

 2 Kitasakaba Takashi Hosokawa Nippon Columbia

 3 Natsu No Heroine Nahoko Kawai Nippon Columbia

 4 Sekidokomachi Dokki Kumiko Yamashita N

- Columbia
 Omaeni Check In Kenji Sawada Polydor
 Yes Yes Yes Of Course Toshiba/EMI
 Silhouette Romance Junko Ohashi Nippon Phonogram
 Otoko No Kunsho Daisuke Shima King
 Hyakuman Doller Baby Johnny King
 Amaku Kikenna Kaori Tatsuro Yamashita RVC

- 1 Pineapple Seiko Matsuda CBS/Sony
 2 Pearl Pierce Yumi Matsutoya Toshiba/EMI
 3 Now And Forever Air Supply Nippon Phonogram
 4 Concert in Central Park Simon & Garfunkel CBS/Sony
 5 Oolnaru Alyo Yumeyo Chiharu Matsuyama News
 6 Niagara Triangle Vol. 2 CBS/Sony
 7 Tug Of War Paul McCartney Toshiba/EMI
 8 Biography II Takao Kisugi Kitty
 9 Someday Motoharu Sano Epic/Sony
 10 Still Life Rolling Stones Toshiba/EMI
 — Cash Box of Japan

United Kingdom

- TOP TEN 45s

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 1 Fame Irene Cara RSO
 2 Happy Talk Captain Sensible A&M
 3 Abracadabra The Steve Miller Band Mercury
 4 A Night To Remember Shalamar Solar
 5 Inside Out Odyssey RCA
 6 Music And Light Imagination R&B
 7 No Regrets Midge Ure Chrysalis
 8 Just Who Is The 5 O'Clock Hero? The Jam Polydor
 9 Now Those Days Are Gone Bucks Fizz RCA
 10 Shy Boy Bananarama London

- TOP TEN LPs

 1 Lexicon Of Love ABC Neutron

 2 Avalon Roxy Music Polydor

 3 Tropical Gangsters Kid Creole & The Coconuts Ze

 4 Still Life The Rolling Stones Rolling Stones

 5 Complete Madness Madness Stiff

 6 Non-Stop Ecstatic Dancing Soft Cell Some Bizzare

 7 Abracadabra The Steve Miller Band Mercury

 8 Pictures At Eleven Robert Plant Swan Song

 9 Imperial Bedroom Eivis Costello & The Attractions F-Beat

 10 Rio Duran Duran EMI

 —Melody Maker

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1 ASIA 8.98 (Geffan SHS 2008) WEA 1 1	7	33 SUCCESS HASN'T SPOILED ME YET 8.98		67 ON THE LINE 8.98 GARY U.S. BONDS (EMI America SO-17068) CAP 72 5
2 STILL LIFE (AMERICAN	Ш	RICK SPRINGFIELD (RCA AFL 1-4125) RCA 34 MOUNTAIN MUSIC 8.98	23 18	68 HOOKED ON CLASSICS 8.98 LOUIS CLARK conducts THE ROYAL PHILHARMONIC
CONCERT 1981) 9.98 THE ROLLING STONES (Rolling Stones/Atco COC 39113) WEA 2	5	ALABAMA (RCA AHL1-4229) RCA	26 20	ORCHESTRA (RCA AFL1-4194) RCA 84 36 69 HOT SPACE 8.98
3 MIRAGE 8.98 FLEETWOOD MAC (Warner Bros. 23607-1) WEA 9	2	35 COMBAT ROCK THE CLASH (Epic FE 37689) CBS	37 7	QUEEN (Elektra E1-60128) WEA 54 9
4 ALWAYS ON MY MIND WILLIE NELSON (Columbia FC 37951) CBS 3	9	36 REACH 10.98 RICHARD SIMMONS (Elektra E1-60122F) WEA	33 8	(Jiva/Arista VA 66000) ND 80 10
5 IV TOTO (Columbia FC 37728) CBS 6	5	37 ESCAPE JOURNEY (Columbia TC 37408) CBS	29 51	71 WHO'S FOOLIN' WHO ONE WAY (MCA-5279) MCA 69 18
6 PICTURES AT ELEVEN ROBERT PLANT (Swan Song/Atco SS 8512) WEA 31	,	38 JANE FONDA'S WORKOUT RECORD		72 STRAIGHT BETWEEN THE EYES 8.98 RA!NBOW (Mercury SRM-1-4041) POL 67 13
7 GET LUCKY -		(Columbia CX2 38054) CBS 39 CHARIOTS OF FIRE 8.98	42 9	73 AEROBIC SHAPE UP B.98 JOANIE GREGGAINS (Parade/Peter Pan 104) IND 73 15
8 TUG OF WAR	1	ORIGINAL SOUNDTRACK MUSIC BY VANGELIS (Polydor PD-1-6335) POL	30 41	74 IMPERIAL BEDROOM ELVIS COSTELLO and THE ATTRACTIONS (Columbia FC 38157) CBS 86 2
PAUL McCARTNEY (Columbia TC 37462) CBS 4	1	40 BLACKOUT 8.98 SCORPIONS (Marcury SRM-1-4039) POL	38 18	75 4 8.98 FOREIGNER (Atlantic SD 16999) WEA 70 53
9 AMERICAN FOOL JOHN COUGAR (Riva RVL 7501) POL 10	3	41 THE OTHER WOMAN RAY PARKER, JR. (Arista AL 9590) IND	35 15	76 LOVE WILL TURN YOU AROUND 8.98
10 GOOD TROUBLE REO SPEEDWAGON (Epic FE 38100) CBS 12	3	42 CHICAGO 16 8.98 CHICAGO (Full Moon/Warner Bros. 9 23689-1) WEA	48 6	KENNY ROGERS (Liberty LO-51124) CAP - 1 77 SCREAMING FOR VENGEANCE -
11 DARE 6.98 THE HUMAN LEAGUE (Virgin/A&M SP-6-4892) RCA 5	2	43 SWEETS FROM A STRANGER 8,98 SOUEEZE (A&M SP-4899) RCA	44 9	JUDAS PRIEST (Columbia FC 38160) CBS 100 2 78 ALLIGATOR WOMAN 8.98
12 EYE OF THE TIGER SURVIVOR (Scotti Bros. FZ 38062) CBS 15	5	44 AVALON 8.98	49 6	CAMEO (Chocolata City CCLP 2021) POL 74 16 79 BRILLIANCE 8.98
13 ABRACADABRA THE STEVE MILLER BAND (Capitol ST-12216) CAP 24	5	45 POWER PLAY 8.98	55 3	ATLANTIC STARR (A&M SP-4883) RCA 76 18
14 DIVER DOWN 8.98 VAN HALEN (Warnar Bros. BSK 3677) WEA 8	2	46 I LOVE ROCK 'N ROLL 8.98	55 3	THE POLICE (A&M SP-3730) RCA 77 40
15 THROWIN' DOWN RICK JAMES (Gordy/Motown 6005GL) IND 11	8	42 P.T. THE PYTRATEROCOTOLS	40 33	81 KIM WILDE 8.98 (EMI Amarica ST-17065) CAP 90 11
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17 NOW AND FOREVER AIR SUPPLY (Arista AL 9587) IND 18	6	49 NON-STOP EROTIC CABARET SOFT CELL (Sire SRK 3647) WEA	50 27	84 NO CONTROL EDDIE MONEY (Columbia FC 37960) CBS 96 3
18 SPECIAL FORCES 8.98 .38 SPECIAL (A&M SP-4888) RCA 13	9	50 ALDO NOVA (Portrait ZRR 37498) CBS	43 23	85 WALT DISNEY PRODUCTIONS' MOUSERCISE 7.98
19 ALL FOUR ONE THE MOTELS (Capitol S-12177) CAP 21	13	51 JEFFREY OSBORNE (A&M SP-4896) RCA	60 6	(Disnayland 62516) IND 81 19
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22 VINYL CONFESSIONS _		54 PRIVATE AUDITION _	41 7	88 WINDSONG RANDY CRAWFORD (Warner Bros. 9 23687-1) WEA 94 6
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MUSIQUARIUM I 13.98 STEVIE WONDER (Tamia/Motown 8002TL2) IND 17	9	56 STREET OPERA 8.98	51 52	90 OUTLAW 8.98 WAR (RCA AFL1-4208) RCA 91 20
24 ANNIE — ORIGINAL SOUNDTRACK (Columbia JS 38000) CBS 28	0	57 PELICAN WEST 8.98	53 9	91 FEELS SO RIGHT 8.98 ALABAMA (RCA AHL 1-3930) RCA 85 72
25 QUIET LIES JUICE NEWTON (Capitol ST-12210) CAP 20	9	HAIRCUT 100 (Arista AL 6600) IND	58 16	92 INSIDE 8.98 RONNIE MILSAP (RCA AHL1-4311) RCA 93 5
26 DREAMGIRLS ORIGINAL BROADWAY CAST		KING CRIMSON (Warnar Bros. 9 23692-1) WEA	68 4	93 INSTANT LOVE CHERYL LYNN (Columbia FC 38057) CBS 103 3
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Lowballing, Inconsistent Fill Plague Stores Selling Home Video Games

As David Diamond, president of Costa Mesa, Calif.-based Middle West Distributors, Inc., explained it, video games makers have been more vigorously dealing with electronic and computer outlets than record dealers because of the uncertain economy of the record industry at present. He said companies like Mattel ship onethird of their video games product to stores like K mart and other national chain accounts, noting that such outlets get first priority in shipping.

Diamond also noted that if all outlets were serviced simultaneously, then pricing problems could be curbed. He said that if major discount and department store chains receive their games product first, of-ten to the point of saturation, then such stores are inclined to sell the games at low prices. "By the time the little dealer gets his order," Diamond asserted, "they have to sell at higher prices."

Although Diamond maintains that record dealers must learn how to deal with video game manufacturers, he said that the retail aspect of the business resembles record merchandising in that it's a title business, where hot titles sell in larger volume due to increased demand. But he cautioned that buying of catalog titles should be done with more prudence.

Many dealers also noted a glaring absence of effective merchandising materials available in support of the games, with Atari and Activision doing the best job of providing such materials.

But clearly the primary concern among record dealers is being able to have the product in-store. "Fill, what fill?" asked

CBS Declares Dividend

NEW YORK - CBS Inc.'s board of directors last week declared a cash dividend of 70 cents per share on CBS common stock payable Sept. 12, 1982 to shareholders of record at the close of business on Aug. 25,

Shortz rhetorically, saying that trying to obtain hit product such as Atari's "Pac-Man" and "Invaders" was a near impossible task.

Hit Titles

Echoing this attitude was Mitch Perliss, director of buying for Show Industries, which operates the L.A.-based City One Stop and Music Plus chain, who said, "On catalog there's been no product fill problem," he said, explaining that the store buys direct from Intellivision and Imagic while Atari and Activision come to the chain through a distributor.

"But new releases are a different story," according to Perliss. "There's just not enough out there. There is always a high demand and low availability on the hotter titles." he said.

Some retailers noted that by the time they do get a title, it may have reached its sales peak, leaving retailers with essentially dormant merchandise. "Video game software is very similar to LPs," explained Shortz, who added, "It can be a hot title at first but it dies a swift death."

"Most of the better selling video game titles peak in about six to eight weeks," said Vicki Kost, general manager and video buyer for the Seattle-based D.J.'s Sound City. "If you're going to do any volume business on a title you've got to have it when it first hits the market."

A drawback to effective video game merchandising is the practice by some manufacturers of shipping to their established accounts in one region ex-clusively at the expense of another market region. "A company could ship a full allotment of a game title back east to the point of saturation," said Middle West's Diamond. 'They may get loaded back east, but the West Coast could be starving for the product.'

While many manufacturers were reticent to discuss their marketing and distribution attitudes as they pertain to record retailers, some game makers contacted said there was no discrimination in distribution of their

"Except on hot titles, our inventory is always in good shape," said Jerry Michaelson, vice president of marketing for the Odyssey 2 video game/computer system manufactured by North American Philips. "All orders that come in are handled on sequence of receipt. We don't put record retailers in a particular category; we evaluate each account.'

"Ideally, record retailers would appear to be most adaptable to our software," noted Bob Faught, vice president of sales for Activision. He said that Activision is striving for 24-hour turnaround on the product, although dealing with the electronics distributors presents a problem.

"Electronics distributors are used to dealing with hardware items and have no software philosophy in terms of distribu-tion," Faught said. "We are continually trying to educate our distributors to begin dealing with the demands of software distribution among record dealers.'

Alternatives

One way to circumvent problems posed by an inexperienced distribution outlet is to buy the video game cartridges from a variety of distributors and/or factory direct. "Fill has not really been a problem for us because we have four or five various sources of distribution for the games," said Dwight Montjar, video director at the Canton, Ohio-based Stark/Camelot chain.

He said the chain employs a combination of manufacturer direct and distribution buying to keep the software in-store, giving each distributor used a "fair amount of

"Toy stores, drug stores and discount outlets are running sales on titles so low there is no way to compete with their prices," noted D.J.'s Kost, who added that during the first six months of the year lowballing was not a problem, but that the situation is changing.

Lee Cohen, vice president of marketing for the L.A.-based Licorice Pizza chain, said that demand for games software has kept the chain's prices at profitable levels. 'We've had sales with advertising but they are designed to attract customers to the stores." Cohen said.

Cautioning that lowballing is not the major problem many dealers perceive it to be, Ira Heilcher, head of the Minneapolisbased Great American Music and Wax Museum stores, said, "Summer is not the time to sell video. Do shoe stores stock outdoor jogging shoes in January and February if you live in an area of harsh win-

'There is a glut of product because everybody bought and bought and bought because of the successful sales of video games in March," added Heilcher. "Personally, I think people are panicking over this price cutting thing. Record dealers are just experiencing a seasonal product. If price cutting is still happening in the fall, then we'll know if there is a pricing issue or

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AROUND THE ROUTE

by Camille Compasio

Bally Midway's advertising and sales promotion manager Jim Jarocki clued us in on a recently launched promo effort, the "Ms. Pac-Man" Championship Tournament, which is being held in cooperation with the Six Flags theme parks. Event began on June 27 and will run through the end of August at the various parks across the country. A caravan of about 50 machines is being transported from park to park for regional competition at each location for one week periods, and play is open to all park visitors. Special arcade areas are set up in each instance to accommodate contestants and there'll be a number of prizes awarded. Regional winners will receive all expenses paid trips (for players and their families) to Los Angeles to compete in the finals, which will be covered by the popular That's Incredible ABC-TV show for airing sometime this fall. Jim said early response to the tournament has been terrific and it is doing much towards conveying a wholesome industry image and attracting a wide range of players, in terms of age and social background. "You'd be amazed at the different types of people who are playing," Jim said. He also noted that the event is enjoying a

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Coin Industry Image Boosted Due To 'Tron' Cross-Promotions

by Jeffrey Ressner

LOS ANGELES — Boasting innovative computer-generated imagery and other visually compelling special-effects, Walt Disney Production's video game fantasy film *Tron* opened in over 1,000 theaters nationwide on July 9, accompanied by a massive media campaign and several tie-in promotions with well-known consumer products. Besides boosting the Disney studio's credibility with contemporary movie audiences, the electronic epic's marketing blitz could also enhance the video amusement industry's collections and image.

In the coin-operated game field, Bally Midway is currently enjoying the success of its *Tron* upright model, which actually uses specific scenes from the film in its play design. The video manufacturer introduced the model through a competition at its 400 Alladin's Castle arcade centers on May 24, with 16 finalists ranging in age from 13 to 33 duking it out with joysticks during playoffs at Madison Square Garden's Felt Forum July 7 in New York. A celebrity tournament held prior to the finals at the midtown New York arena drew such contestants as Willie Mays, Hank Aaron, Barbara Eden, *Tron's* stars David Warner and Cindy Morgan, along with other TV and film personalities.

The winner of the *Tron* video game tourney was Richard Ross of Jacksonville, Fla., a 29-year-old science enthusiast who attended graduate school at the University of Hawaii and is now working on his doctorate in

chemistry. Ross' high score reached 3,958,-901, and he was rewarded with a new *Tron* coin-op machine, a Commodore Home Computer system, an Intellivision home vid game

Congress Proposes 10% Excise Tax On Amusement Games

CH1CAGO — As a potential source of revenue for the new Reagan Administration budget, the Joint Committee on Taxation of the U.S. Congress has proposed a 10% excise tax on certain "luxury items" including coinoperated amusement devices. Glenn Braswell, the new executive director of the Amusement Game Manufacturers Assn., alerted the industry to this proposal in his introductory newsletter, which was issued when the association relocated its headquarters from Chicago to the Washington, D.C. area.

In his report, Braswell indicated the possibility of a "lack of information by certain committee members about the coin-operated amusement industry," stressing that the committee could be confusing it with videocassette recorders, which recently have been the subject of highly publicized hearings.

The industry will be challenged to identify and distinguish itself, he noted, and along these lines AGMA has already put the wheels (continued on page 37)

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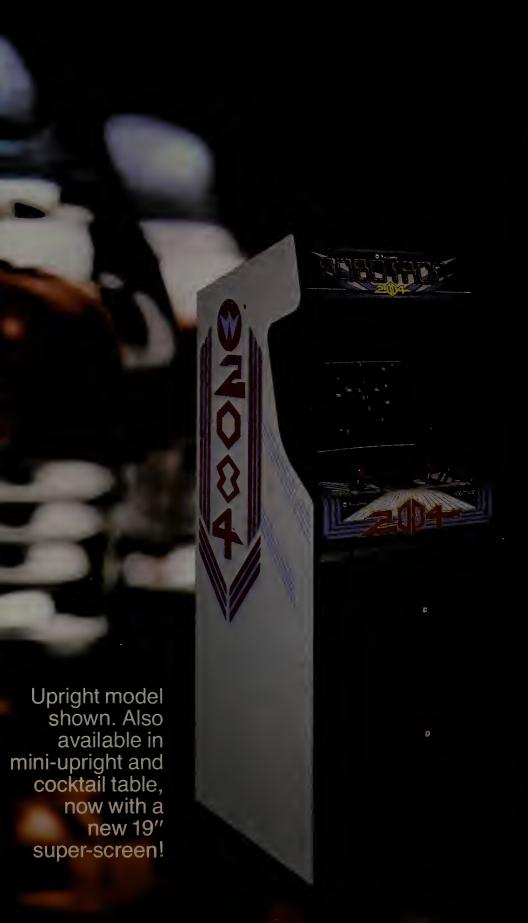




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INDUSTRY NEWS

L.A. City Council Rejects Bid To Place Games Tax On Ballot

by Jeffrey Ressner

LOS ANGELES — A proposal that would have put the question of instituting a \$250 per machine annual tax on video game machines in arcades before Los Angeles voters in the November election was soundly defeated by the City Council July 13. The proposal, which needed City Council approval to be included on the November ballot, was voted down unanimously after an emotional dialogue between operators and council members that eventually had everyone agreeing that such a tax would be unfair to and severely damage the local amusement game industry.

Councilman Hal Bernson (12th District) originally suggested the tax proposal be placed on the November ballot, where it would require two-thirds of the voters' support to be enacted. However, at the Council meeting, he received little positive response from his peers and later joined in the unanimous vote against the proposal. Bernson explained that he had submitted the proposal in response to complaints from constituents in his district who claimed some electronic game parlors breed traffic, noise and crime, which then require major policing efforts. The tax, said Bernson, would have paid for additional police protection of arcades and generated additional revenue to the city.

Many councilmen spoke out strongly against he measure, with Dave Cunningham, who represents Southwest Los Angeles, calling on the video game industry to avoid the "insane approach" to taxation and advised them not to "kowtow" by agreeing to any form of "rank blackmail." Councilman Arthur K. Snyder referred to the proposal as "a sin tax," adding, "I can think of lots worse sins going on in this city."

Currently in L.A., arcade operators who handle five or more units pay up to \$3,000 in one-time licensing fees, \$102 for an annual police permit, and an \$18.75 per year business

tax no matter how many machines are at each location. Ops and distributors have long felt the financial sting of local taxation, but the proposed \$250 per machine charge would have devastated several businesses, testified arcade owners and their attorneys at council meeting. After the council voted down the measure, however, Bernson said a lower fee might still be discussed with officials from the video amusement industry. Neal Papiano, an attorney representing coin-op distribs, said his clients may possible agree to pay a \$25.00 business tax instead of the \$18.75 charge now in effect.

Bernson later said he would take into consideration an option extending the Conditional Use provision over video game arcades that has been operative in L.A. for the last year, which maintains game room owners must show proof of their responsibility to the community as an upright commercial venture with proper crowd control capability. Although all arcades opened in the area over the past year requires a Conditional Use Permit, those which have been around prior to that time do not, and Bernson says he might favor all video game hall owners requiring the special permit to establish they haven't been a public nuisance, adding this action may have to be taken over the course of a one or two

As the issue now stands, there will be no proposal to tax video games placed on the November ballot, and it seems unlikely that one will be enacted in the near future. However, if the proposal is introduced again as a license "fee" rather than a "tax," it could very well be approved on the City Council level without going to the voters. However, judging from the City Council's reluctance to act on the original proposal, it is again unlikely that it will be submitted again without substantial modifications.

Bally Opens 'Pac-Man' Palace Eatery

CHICAGO — Bally's Aladdin's Castle, Inc., recently opened the doors to Bally's Pac-Man Palace, a modern family entertainment center which offers a limited fast food menu. The center, which is located in Kalamazoo, Michigan, features the latest in coin-operated games, including a large selection of Bally Midway's "Pac-Man" and "Ms. Pac-Man," along with Bally Pinball Division's "Mr. and Mrs. Pac-Man" pinball machines.

Pac-Man is a trademark of Bally Midway Mfg. Co., licensed for limited use to Bally's Aladdin's Castle.

With the establishment of the new center Bill O'Donnell, Jr., president of Bally's Aladdin's Castle and vice president of Bally Manufacturing Corp., feels that it is one additional concept which meets the growth requirements of amusement centers for the 1980s





OLYMPIAN EFFORT — In support of the California State Special Olympics, held June 25-29 at UCLA, Atari, Inc. donated \$2,500 to the Special Olympics Committee and took active part in the event itself. In addition to providing Dig Dug, Pac Man and other video game characters to march in the opening day parade, Atari also provided games for the contestants and celebrity instructors like Matthew Laborteaux (I), one of the stars of NBC-TV's Little House On The Prairie

Variety Of New Video Game Promotional Materials Offered By Cinematronics

EL CAJON, Calif. — Cinematronics, Inc. has introduced a colorful decal that portrays a scene from the firm's recently released video game "Jack the Giantkiller." The decal pictures Jack and the goose fleeing from the chasing giant. It affixes easily to any surface and can be removed and re-used.

The company is also offering "Jack the Giantkiller" tip cards and holders. The cards include introductory hints on game play and are geared to enhance the excitement of the game for the player.

The accompanying tip card holder is designed with self-adhesive backing, can be easily secured to any surface and just as easily removed and re-used for other games.

To order the cards and obtain additional information contact the Cinematronics sales department at (714) 562-7000.

High Score Awards

Skillful players may now achieve high score awards for their achievements on Cinematronics' games. These awards are in the form of certificates or "diplomas of the video game industry," as the company refers to them. There is space provided for the player's name, the high score achieved and the name of the game on which the high score was made.

The awards were designed to encourage players to develop their skills and to generate repeat play. Operators can increase the number of replays per video game by offering certificates to their expert players.

Following is the current list of record holders on Cinematronics games: Robert Summers and Greg Smith of Euclid, Ohio with a score of 64,790 points in a doubles game of "Rip-Off"; Jon Weeks of Londonderry, changing video game market, we're pleased to have someone whose background is as diverse as Mark's."

Commenting on his new appointment, McCleskey stated, "We have many exciting new games under development with the next release being readied for shipment to our distributors. Presently our 'Mission-X' is proving to be a strong, consistent earner, and is the

New Hampshire, who scored 7,601,110 points

on "Star Castle"; John Hooper and Dennis

Smith of Lakewood, Calif., with a score of

716,950 points in a two-player "Armor At-

tack" game and John Hooper who took solo

honors with 319,670 points. Cinematronics in-

vites any players who have beaten these scores

CHICAGO - Robert E. Lloyd, executive

vice president-general manager of Santa

Clara, Calif.-based Data East, Inc., announced the appointment of Mark McClesky

as vice president-sales. "Mark brings to Data

East a strong understanding of

our business from his experience as both a dis1

tributor and a manufacturer," according to

Lloyd. "He spent six years at the distributor

level and most recently was national sales manager for Universal U.S.A. In today's

to contact the factory's sales department.

McCleskey Named

At Data East

most successful interchangeable game ever introduced by Data East."

McCleskey holds a B.S. Degree from the University of Tennessee and currently resides in Los Gatos, Calif.

Lloyd also announced that Data East has begun the manufacturing of its machines at the firm's headquarters. This step was taken, he explained, to assure timely and efficient, delivery of both conventional and interchangeable Data East games.

CALENDAR

Sept. 10-12: North & South Carolina state associations joint meeting; Radisson Plaza Hotel; Charlotte.

sept. 24-25: West Virginia Music & Vending, Assn.; annual convention; Ramada Inn; South Charleston.

Oct. 7-10: NAMA national convention; The Rivergate; New Orleans.

Nov. 17-20: AMOA International convention; Hyatt Regency Hotel; Chicago.

Nov. 18-20: IAAPA annual convention; Bartle Hall; Kansas City.



Mark McCleskey

PINBALL **MACHINES**

BALLY
Ground Shaker (1/80)
Silverball Mania (3/80)
Space Invaders (3/80)
Rolling Stones (5/80)
Mystic (6/80)
Hot Doggin' (7/80)
Viking (8/80)
Skateball (10/80)
Frontier (11/80)
Xenon (11/80)
Fiash Gordon (2/81)
Eight Ball Deluxe (4/81)
Fireball II (5/81)
Embryon, w.b. (7/81)
Fathom (8/81)
Medusa (10/81)
Centaur (10/81)
Elektra (12/81)
Vector (2/82)
Mr & Mrs. Pac-Man (5/82)
Rapid Fire (5/82)

GAME PLAN

GAME PLAN Coney Island (3/80) Super Nova (4/80) Lizard (6/80)

Lizard (6/80)

GOTTLIEB

Roller Disco, w.b., (1/80)
Torch (2/80)
Spider Man (3/80)
Circus, w.b. (4/80)
Panthera (6/80)
Counterforce (8/80)
Star Race, w.b. (9/80)
James Bond (10/80)
Time Line (11/80)
Force II (1/81)
Pink Panther (3/81)
Mars (6/81)
Volcano (8/81)
Black Hole (10/81)
Haunted House (2/82)
Devil's Dare (4/82)
Caveman pin/video (5/82)
STERN

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STERN
Big Game, w.b. (3/80)
Ali (4/80)
Cheetah, w.b. (6/80)
Quicksilver (7/80)
Star Gazer (7/80)
Flight 2000 (9/80)
Nine Ball (1/81)
Free Fall (2/81)
Lightning (4/81)
Split Second (7/81)
Catacomb (9/81)
Viper (11/81)
Orbitor I (4/82)
WILLIAMS

Orbitor I (4/82)
WILLIAMS
Gorgar (1/80)
Laser Ball, w.b. (1/80)
Firepower (3/80)
Blackout (9/80)
Scorpion, w.b. (9/80)
Alien Poker (10/80)
Black Knight (12/80)
Jungle Lord (4/81)
Pharaoh (7/81)
Solar Fire (9/81)
Barracora (10/81)
Hyperball pin/video (2/82)
Cosmic Gunfight (7/82)

VIDEO GAMES (upright)

AMSTAR Laser Base (7/81)

Laser Base (7/81)

ATARI

Monte Carlo (4/80)

Asteroids Cabaret (5/80)

Missile Command (8/80)

Battlezone (11/80)

Battlezone Cabaret (11/80)

Asteroids Deluxe (4/81)

Asteroids Deluxe Cabaret (4/81)

Centipede (6/81)

Centipede (6/81)

Red Baron (8/81)

Red Baron, sit-down (8/81)

Tempest (10/81)

Tempest (10/81)

Tempest (2abaret (10/81)

Dig Dug (4/82)

Dig Dug Cabaret (4/82)

Kid Kangaroo (6/82) Kid Kangaroo (6/82)

MANUFACTURERS EQUIPMENT

A compilation of music and games equipment (new and used) with approximate production dates included in most cases.

CENTURI
Eagle (10/80)
Eagle Maxi (10/80)
Phoenix (1/81)
Route 16 (4/81)
Route 16 Elite (4/81)
Pleiades (7/81)
Vanguard (9/81)
Challenger (11/81)
The Pit (3/82)
Loco-Motion (3/82)
D-Day (3/82)

CINEMATRONICS
Tailgunner (3/80)
Rip Off (3/80)
Star Castle
Armor Attack (5/81)
Solar Quest (10/81)
Jack The Giantkiller (4/82)
Naughty Boy (5/82)

DYNAMO Lil Hustler (12/81)

EXIDY

EXIDY
Bandido (1/80)
Tailgunner 2 (2/80)
Targ (6/80)
Spectar (1/81)
Venture (8/81)
Mousetrap (12/81)
Victory (2/82)
Pepper II (6/82)

GAME PLAN Intruder (2/81) Tank Battalion (3/81) Killer Comet (4/81) Megatack (9/81) King And Balloon (10/81) Enigma II (10/81) Kaos (11/81)

GAMETECNIKS Tri-Pool (1/82)

GDI

Red Alert (10/81)

GOTTLIEB No Man's Land (12/80) New York, New York (2/81) Reactor (7/82)

GREMLIN/SEGA
Monaco GP (2/80)
Mini Monaco GP (5/80)
Astro Fighter (2/80)
Car Hunt (5/80)
Digger (7/80)
Carnival (8/80)
Tranquilizer Gun (8/80)
Moon Cresta (10/80)
Space Firebird (12/80)
Astro Blaster (3/81)
Pulsar (4/81)
Space Odyssey (7/81)
Space Fury (7/81)
Frogger (9/81)
Eliminator (12/81)
Turbo (1/82)
005 (1/82)
Diliminator 4-player (2/82)
Zaxxon (4/82)
Turbo Mini-Upright (5/82)

MIDWAY
Deluxe Space Invaders (1/80)
Galaxian (4/80)
Extra Bases (5/80)
Space Encounters (8/80)
Space Encounters Mini-Myte (9/80)
Space Zap (10/80)
Space Zap Mini-Myte (10/80)
Pac-Man (11/80)

Pac-Man Mini-Myte (11/80)
Rally-X (2/81)
Rally-X Mini-Myte (2/81)
Gorf (4/81)
Gorf (4/81)
Wizard of Wor (6/81)
Wizard of Wor Mini-Myte (6/81)
Omega Race (8/81)
Omega Race (8/81)
Omega Race sit-in capsule (8/81)
Galaga (11/81)
Galaga Mini-Myte (11/81)
Kick-Man (1-82)
Kick-Man Mini-Myte (1/82)
Ms. Pac-Man Mini-Myte (2/82)
Bosconian (2/82)
Bosconian Mini-Myte (2/82)

NAMCO AMERICA Sweet Licks (4/82)

NINTENDO Donkey Kong (9/81)

ROCK-OLA Warp-Warp (9/81)

Launcher Z (12/81) Rolling Star Fire (12/81)

STERN
Astro Invader (8/80)
Berzerk (1/81)
The End (3/81)
Scramble (4/81)
Super Cobra (7/81)
Moon War (10/81)
Turtles (11/81)
Strategy X (11/81)
Jungler (2/82)
Frenzy (5/82)
Tazz-Mania (5/82)

TAITO AMERICA
Space Chaser (2/80)
Stratovox (9/80)
Polaris (12/80)
Space Invaders Trimline (2/81)
Crazy Climber (3/81)
Crazy Climber Trimline (3/81)
Zarzon (5/81)
Zarzon Trimline (5/81)
Colony 7 (7/81)
Colony 7 Trimline (7/81)
Moon Shuttle (8/81)
Moon Shuttle (8/81)
Qix (10/81) Moon Shuttle Trimline (8/ Qix (10/81) Qix Trimline (10/81) Lock 'N Chase (10/81) Grand Champion (12/81) Alpine Ski (3/82) Wild Western (5/82) Electric Yo-Yo (5/82) Kram (5/82)

THOMAS AUTOMATICS Triple Punch (6/82)

UNIVERSAL USA Cheekie Mouse (5/80) Magical Spot (10/80) Zero Hour (1/81) Space Panic (1/81) Cosmic Avenger (8/81) Lady Bug (12/81)

U.S. BILLIARDS Quasar (4/81)

WILLIAMS Defender (12/80) Stargate (10/81) Make Trax (10/81) Robotron 2084 (3/82)

COCKTAIL TABLES

AMSTAR Phoenix

ATARI
Soccer (4/80)
Asteroids (4/80)
Missile Command (8/80)
Football (7/80)
Asteroids Deluxe (4/81)
Centipede (6/81)
Tempest (10/81)
Dig Dug (4/82)

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Targ (10/80)
Route 16 (4/81)
Pleiades (7/81)

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GAME PLAN Shark Attack (5/81)

GAMETECNIKS Tri-Pool (1/82)

GDI

The Thief (4/82)

GOTTLIEB New York, New York (3/81)

GREMLIN/SEGA

Carnival Space Firebird Astro Blaster (4/81) Frogger (11/81) Zaxxon (5/82)

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STERN

Astro Invader (11/80) The End (1/81) Berzerk (2/81) Scramble (5/81)

TAITO AMERICA Space Invaders II (2/80) Polaris (12/80) Crazy Climber (5/81) Zarzon (5/81) Qix (10/81)

THOMAS AUTOMATICS Triple Punch (6/82)

WILLIAMS Defender (4/81)

PHONOGRAPHS

Centuri 2001
Lowen-NSM Consul Clar sic
Lowen-NSM Prestige ES-2
Lowen-NSM Festival
Rock-Ola Grand Salon II Console (9/80)
Rock-Ola 484 (11/80)
Rock-Ola 481 Max 2 (1/81)
Rowe R-85 (10/80)
Rowe Jewel
Seeburg Phoenix (12/80)
Stern/Seeburg DaVinci (7/81)
Stern/Seeburg VMC (11/81)
Wurlitzer Cabarina
Wurlitzer Tarock
Wurlitzer Silhouette

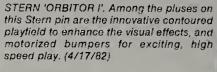
POOL TABLES & FOOSBALL

Irving Kaye Silver Shadow Irving Kaye Lion's Head Dynamo Model 37 Dynamo-The Tournament foosball (5/82) TS Tournament Eight Ball U.B.I. Bronco Valley Cougar Valley Tiger Cat bumper pool (6/82)



IN REVIEW: A photographic lineup of some of the amusement machines introduced by the various games manufacturers and dated according to their exposure in Cash Box.

SEGA/GREMLIN 'ZAXXON'. A space action video game with unique dimensional effects, great color and sound; plus challenging skill factors and obstacles for wide player appeal. (4/10/82)







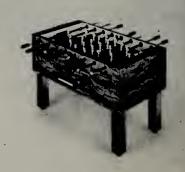
GDI 'THE THIEF'. Game theme involves a heated car chase with police in pursuit of the Thief (who is the player). Sixteen crime levels from amateur to pro add challenge to the game. (4/24/82)



NAMCO AMERICA 'SWEET LICKS'. A funfilled single player where 8 cake monsters pop up from holes on the base and must be bumped back in. Colorful graphics, lively music and flashing lights. (4/24/82)



ATARI 'DIG DUG'. An interesting maze game with the player controlling a miner who must avoid a colorful variety of obstacles like dragons and ghosts, of different point values. (5/1/82)



DYNAMO 'THE TOURNAMENT'. The latest Dynamo foosball table features several new design and construction improvements including one-piece reinforced cabinets and special corner ramps. (5/15/82)



STERN'FRENZY'. In this 1 or 2 player video, the player maneuvers a humanoid through a series of mazes, avoiding various obstacles along the way. Dynamic action and sound. (5/8/82)



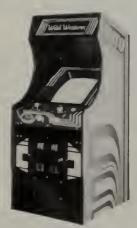
BALLY 'MR. & MRS. PAC-MAN PINBALL'. A pin version of the historic video game, containing the basic elements of the maze concept in a pinball format with plenty of scoring moves. (5/15/82)



CINEMATRONICS JACK THE GIANT-KILLER'. A video version of the popular storybook scenario. Six different screens and twelve difficulty levels make for a game of challenge and fun (5/1/82)



BALLY 'RAPID FIRE'. Among the unique features of this pin is a gun mechanism that shoots balls for explosive action, and a playfield of advancing lights and stationary' targets. (6/5/82)



TAITO AMERICA 'WILD WESTERN'. The theme here reflects the excitement of the Old West, with shootouts, a train robbery, and lots of good guys/bad guys play action. Exciting sound accompaniment. (6/5/82)



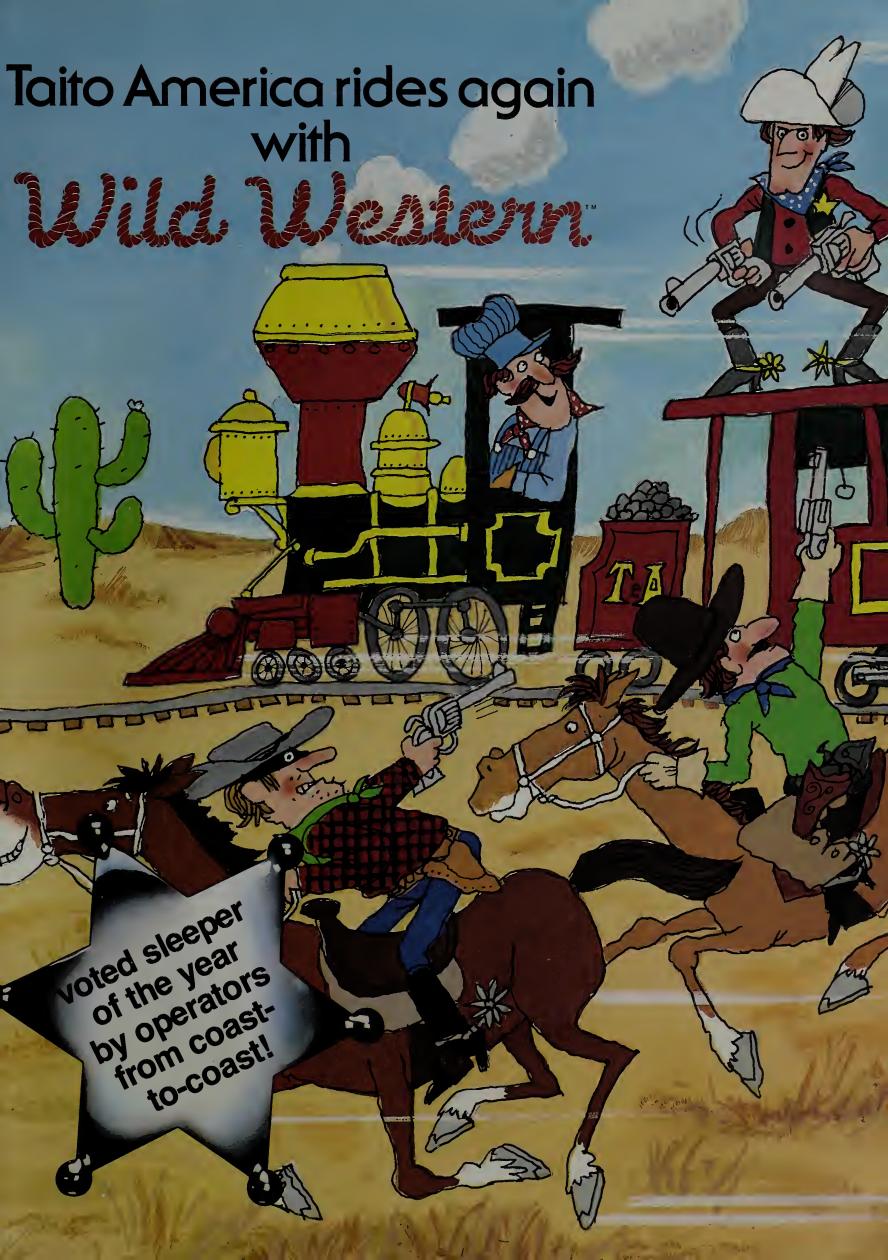
GOTTLIEB 'CAVEMAN'. This is the factory's integrated pinball/video game which focuses on a prehistoric chase where the player moves from the pinball playfield to the video maze section during play. (6/5/82)



TAITO AMERICA 'KRAM'. The factory's newest video game incorporates the popular maze concept with innovative sound accompaniment. Numerous play variations for one or two players.(6/12/82).



STERN 'TAZZ-MANIA'. The main character in this one or two player video is a hip-shooting devil who scores points by destroying a room full of bouncing creatures. New, slim cabinet design. (6/12/82).



How the West (and wild profits) are won:









For happy trails and happy players, it's



1 or 2 player upright: Depth: Crated Weight: 16 c/m 126 kg. 30") (280 lbs.)

Can law and order prevail in this thrilling tale of yesteryear? You'll soon find out because player after player will line up to see if, as Sheriff, their badge, their skill and their six-shooter can stand between the train getting through and bands of outlaws set to ambush it! Simplicity of play concept combines with a constant variation of elements and exciting action to assure never-ending play appeal.

Players can't shoot over the train, but they can fall back and get the bandits from behind, gallop hard to get ahead of the train and shoot over their shoulder and even cross the tracks for an all-out shoot-out complete with ricocheting bullets!

Players can maneuver in 8 directions and aim and fire in 8 directions. A bullet will do them in and so will riding recklessly into a cactus, rock, riderless horses, the train itself or the fort walls, or riding off the bridge into the river.

If a low-down varmint jumps on top of the train, the only way players can get him is to jump on the train themselves and gun him down. But if the train's passing a low water pipe, players must quickly lie down or be thrown from the train. When their horse gallops close to the train, they can jump back in the saddle again. If 3 hombres get on top of the train or players get knocked off their horse 3 times (adjustable) in this saddle-up shoot-'em-up, it's Boot Hill!

Each time players wipe out a band of outlaws, they get to practice their aim. Their horse will toss a silver dollar in the air and they'll get 1 chance to shoot it for bonus points. A total of 50,000 points (adjustable) earns them another chance to knock out the gunslingers.



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INDUSTRY NEWS-

AROUND THE ROUTE

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great deal of mass media exposure, which will certainly benefit the entire industry. The "Eyes" have it! With the recent

resumption of production following the annual summer vacation shutdown at Rock-Ola Mfg. Corp., a top priority item currently in delivery is the newly in-troduced "Eyes" video game. The model tested out "superbly well," according to Ron Moskal, vice president of sales, and is fast becoming an in-demand piece. Might also mention that Rock-Ola donated a "Jump Bug" video game as part of its participation in the annual "Empire Follies" sponsored by Bally Midwest in Livonia, Mich., with all proceeds going to the children of the Int'l Order of Alhambra. Ron said over 800 people attended this year's function and more than \$4500 was raised for the children. Hats off to Bally Midwest's Hank Heiser who's been running the follies from the very start.

On to Washington: As of July 6, the Amusement Game Manufacturers Assn. (formerly Amusement Device Manufacturers Assn.) is operating out of its newly established office in our nation's capital. Address and phone number are: 205 The Strand, Suite 3, Alexandria, Va. 22314; telephone is (703) 548-8044. The association's former office in Chicago was closed on June 28. AGMA's new executive director is Glenn E. Braswell; administrative assistant is Eleanor M. Nash. Braswell invites association members. potential members and interested individuals in the coin machine industry to visit the new office whenever they are in Washington and to direct any comments or suggestions they might have to his at-

State Association News: Among the latest to join the growing number of newly organized state associations is the Puerto Rico Coin Machine Operators Assn., established just a couple of months ago and already boasting a membership of 75. Association headquarters are being set up in San Juan, Puerto Rico . . Maryland operators have also joined forces to form the Maryland Amusement Operators Assn., which started out with six members and has already increased the ranks to over 50. The fledgling organization is currently addressing a local move to raise the state amusement tax and is working with the full support of Baltimore area distributors. According to an AMOA tally, this brings the total number of active state associations to 42.

Stern Taps Bird Dist.

CHICAGO — The appointment of Bird Distributors, Inc. as a distributor of Stern games was recently announced by Tom Campbell, director of marketing at Stern Electronics, Inc. Campbell stated that the Stern organization feels that the addition of Bird Distributors, with branches in both Merriam and Manhattan, Kan., will give added exposure to the Stern product line in the Kansas market.

the Stern product line in the Kansas market.
The Bird premises in Merriam are located at 5161 Merriam Drive (Merriam, Kan. 66203) and its Manhattan address is 101 Poyntz Ave. (Manhattan, Kan. 66502).

Coin Industry Image Receives Boost From 'Tron' Promotions

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console complete with a selection of cartridges, an Ideal Tron board game, a handheld Tomy Tron game, a digital watch by Bradley featuring scenes from the movie, five dollars each week in Alladin's Castle tokens for a full year, and an all-expenses paid trip to Manhattan for the finals courtesy of Eastern Airlines and Hyatt Hotels. The contest spawned two runner-ups — 19-year-old Scott Katkin, a freshman at Rhode Island Community College, and 18-year-old Sterling Ouchi from Torrance, Calif, who attends California State University at Long Beach—both of whom won the same prizes as the first place victor with the exception of the Commodore computer unit.

According to Bernie Powers, director of Bally's arcade operation, all 400 branches of Alladin's Castle took part in the tournament, with *Tron* T-shirts, stickers, competition posters and entry blank displays featured in the game centers, and heavy advertising, primarily on radio, spotlighting the preliminary rounds.

"No one else in this business has had such a successful competition," said Powers, "and all the attention has really helped out collections. One exceptionally important factor was that the prizes all tied in names such as Mattel, Ideal, Hyatt Hotels and Eastern that are familiar in households, rather than merely offering something like a \$50,000 cash award. So far, the *Tron* machines are doing terrific in our locations and we're looking forward to seeing the first week collections after the film has opened."

Besides Bally Midway, other companies including Coca-Cola, Scott Paper, Smuckers, and Armour-Dial are involved in extensive promotional tie-ins for the futuristic feature. Coke's campaign consists of an in-theatre promotion featuring a free cup and popcorn pitcher offer, and the soft drink firm also plans a Tron drive at fast food convenience stores to be announced shortly. Scott Paper products started its *Tron* cross-promotion during May via radio spots, TV ads and point-of-purchase materials announcing a sweepstakes along with a free iron-on sticker offer at participating stores. Smuckers offers free with purchase of their products a Tron Futuristic Adventure Book by means of a seven foot high POP display, with two million of the books printed and 15,000 displays being made available to retailers.

Armour-Dial is running three different Tron promos from May through August, using 30,000 seven-foot high point-of-purchase modules at supermarkets nationwide. In late May the company began advertising a beach towel premium supported by four-color, full-page ads in consumer magazines. Another self-liquidating premium offers a soundtrack album to the film and, finally, Armour-Dial will feature a giveaway of book cover items.

Mattel Electronics is due to spend \$1.5 million on ads for its three *Tron* home video game cartridges used with its Intellivision line, including 8,000 displays describing the various carts — "Deadly Disc," Mazeatron" and "Solar Sailer." In addition to marketing character and vehicular figurines from the film, Tomy is set to produce a hand-held electronic game based on the flick, with a \$2 million TV ad campaign backing its efforts.

CBS Records has been licensed to release the soundtrack album featuring a score by classical synth composer Wendy Carlos and two tunes, "1990s Theme" and "Only Solutions" performed by the multi-platinum rock group Journey. Alladin's Castle director Powers claims the first 250,000 albums sold will include coupons redeemable for two play

tokens at any of the Bally arcade centers good on any machine in the game rooms.

To date, Walt Disney Productions has granted in excess of 40 licenses for producing Tron merchandise, and sources at the studio say there are new offers pouring in daily since the movie's first three days garnered \$4.8 million in ticket sales, a respectable but not overwhelming figure these days for box office receipts of a major motion picture. Within the coming months, if not sooner, expect to see Tshirts, sweatshirts, posters, costume jewelry, pins, sleeping bags, wallets, activewear, soap, pajamas, playsuits, hats, cards, balloons, sunglasses, viewmaster slides, yo-yos, frisbees, jigsaw puzzles, socks, stationery, storybooks, magazines and more all based on elements of the man versus computer plotline. Publication of sundry books will be handled by Simon & Shuster, Ballentine and Paradise Press, while King Features Syndicate has been running a Tron comic strip since Jan. 24 in 30 newspapers across the country.

Besides newspapers giving major coverage to the film's new visual techniques, scores of magazines and television programs have focused on Disney's celluloid rebirth. Time and Newsweek both scheduled Tron as its cover story during the week of June 21, but the resignation of Secretary of State Alexander Haig bumped the video game warriors off the prime spot, leaving only the long, colorful spreads remaining intact. Omni, Rolling Stone, US, Electronic Games, Video Gaming, Mechanix Illustrated, Home Video, Film Comment, Smithsonian, American Cinematographer, Life, Games, Twilight Zone, Progressive Media, Scholastic, Video Systems and a score of more computer-oriented magazines are scheduled to publish articles about the film over the summer months.

Television programs dealing with the *Tron* phenomenon include the *Today Show*, which ran during the week of July 4, a half-hour segment of *Good Morning America* which aired last week and an upcoming 30-minute portion of *Walter Cronkite's Universe* that will explore the picture's graphics on an episode slotted for July 20. Disney's own TV paid advertising budget totals \$5 million, and radio features will be broadcast in the top 25 markets. Dozens of stories have appeared in local newspapers since the film's opening, with at least 100 breaks and features appearing prior to the July 9 premiere date.

And that's not all.

In the weeks to come, undoubtedly more and more of the public will be made aware of the video game pic through the extensive media coverage and various merchandising drives, all pointing towards wider acceptance of arcades and amusement machines in the American consciousness which, at a time when many operators and distributors are being burdened with restrictive legislation, heavy taxation and other financial woes, has the potential to lift the coin-op industry to even greater popularity.

Amusement Game Tax Proposed By Congress

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in motion for the preparation of a "white paper" to serve as a guideline for industry members in addressing this legislative threat.

Also under consideration at present is a 10% tax proposal on video games by the Washington, D.C. City Council, according to Braswell. AGMA was successful in securing a postponement of the originally scheduled June 24 hearing on the matter and will continue to work closely with Washington area distributors and operators in monitoring this and other industry related legislation.



CONGRATULATIONS — Chet McMurdie, president of Bally Advance in San Francisco, and Don Osborne, vice president of sales and marketing for the Coin-Operated Games Division of Atari, Inc., display commendations they received from the city of San Jose for their participation in San Jose's Youth Month. Atari presented a check for \$2,000 to the City Council during the ceremony, matching the amount of money raised for youth programs through the use of Atari coin-operated video games.

'Zaxxon' TV Blitz Brings Results

LOS ANGELES — The Sega offices here are being flooded with calls from players, arcade owners and operators in the Los Angeles area as a result of the firm's recently !aunched "Zaxxon" TV campaign (Cash Box, July 10), according to Bob Rosenbaum, a vice president of Sega.

The program consists of a series of outstanding 30-second spot commercials on "Zaxxon," utilizing state-of-the-art computer-generated graphics, being aired in Los Angeles, Chicago, New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania. The initial feedback in the Los Angeles market brought such comments as "income has doubled over a weekend period" as a direct result of the television exposure, according to Rosenbaum who told Cash Box that arcade owners who are familiar with their regular patrons reported that, since the commercials started, "many new faces are coming in" to play the games and "people are specifically asking for Zaxxon."

Following the initial airing in Los Angeles, the timetable for the spots will run from July 11 through July 25 in Chicago and from July 12 through July 25 in New York, Northern New Jersey, Philadelphia and Southern New

Dynamo Named 'Manufacturer Of Year' By AMOT

LOS ANGELES — Dynamo Corp., the Great Prairie, Texas-based manufacturer of coin-operated pool table and soccer games, as well as electronic video games, was named Manufacturer of the Year by the Amusement and Music Operators of Texas (AMOT). The award was presented by Bobby Minnick, president, AMOT.

The announcement of the award, made at Dynamo's annual convention recently in Ft. Worth, cited the firm's continuing support of the Texas 8-ball pool league and tournament sponsored annually by the AMOT. In addition to its contributions to the league, Dynamo's "Big D" coin-operated pool tables were often provided for league play and the championship tournament in Austin.

In accepting the award on behalf of Dynamo, Bill Rickett, president of the company, said, "We are privileged to have been selected for such a prestigious award from this fine organization."

* indicates new entry

POP

- 1 HURTS SO GOOD
 - JOHN COUGAR (Riva/PolyGram R 209)
- 2 EYE OF THE TIGER
 SURVIVOR (Scotti Bros./CBS ZS5-02912)
- 3 DON'T YOU WANT ME THE HUMAN LEAGUE (A&M/Virgin 2397)
- 4 CAUGHT UP IN YOU
- **5 ONLY THE LONELY**
- THE MOTELS (Capitol PB-5114)
- 6 ROSANNA
- TOTO (Columbia 18-02811)
- 7 KEEP THE FIRE BURNIN' REO SPEEDWAGON (Epic 14-02967) FLEETWOOD MAC (Warner Bros. 7-29966)
- 8 HOLD ME
- 9 GOING TO A GO-GO
 THE ROLLING STONES (Rolling Stones/Atco RS 21301) 10 TAINTED LOVE
- 11 LET IT WHIP
- SOFT CELL (Size SRF 40655) DAZZ BAND (Motown 1609MF)
- 12 DO I DO
- STEVIE WONDER (Tamla/Motown 1612TF) 13 ALWAYS ON MY MIND
 - WILLIE NELSON (Columbia 18-02741)
- 14 WASTED ON THE WAY
 CROSBY, STILLS & NASH (Atlantic 4058)
- 16 I FOUND SOMEBODY
 - GLENN FREY (Asylum E-47466)
- 17 PERSONALLY
- KARLA BONOFF (Columbia 18-02805)
- 18 LOVE'S BEEN A LITTLE BIT HARD ON ME JUICE NEWTON (Capitol P-B-5120)
- 19 HARD TO SAY I'M SORRY CHICAGO (Full Moon/Warner Bros. 7-29979)
- 20 YOU SHOULD HEAR HOW SHE TALKS
- - MELISSA MANCHESTER (Arista AS 0676)
- 21 PLAY THE GAME TONIGHT
 KANSAS (Kirshner/CBS ZS5-02903)
- 22 VACATION
- GO-GO's (I.R.S./A&M IR-9907)
- 23 LOVE IS IN CONTROL (FINGER ON THE TRIGGER)
 - DONNA SUMMER (Geffen 7-29982)
- 24 EBONY AND IVORY PAUL McCARTNEY (Columbia 18-02860)
- 25 AMERICAN MUSIC*
 POINTER SISTERS (Planet/RCA YB-13254) 26 IF YOU WANT MY LOVE
- 27 TAKE IT AWAY*
 - CHEAP TRICK (Epic 14-02968) PAUL McCARTNEY (Columbia 18-03018)

- 28 I RAN (SO FAR AWAY)
 A FLOCK OF SEAGULLS (Jive/Arista VS 102)
- 29 LOVE WILL TURN YOU AROUND*

 KENNY ROGERS (Liberty P-B-1471)
- 30 DANCING IN THE STREET VAN HALEN (Warner Bros. WBS 7-29986)

COUNTRY

- 1 TAKE ME DOWN
- ALABAMA (RCA PB-13210)
- 2 HONKY TONKIN'
- HANK WILLIAMS, JR. (Elektra E-47462)
- 3 ARE THE GOOD TIMES REALLY OVER
 MERLE HAGGARD (Epic 14-02894)
- 4 'TIL YOU'RE GONE
- BARBARA MANDRELL (MCA-52038)
- 5 NOBODY
- SYLVIA (RCA PB-13223)
- 6 I DON'T CARE
- RICKY SCAGGS (Epic 14-02931)
- 7 I DON'T THINK SHE'S IN LOVE ANYMORE CHARLEY PRIDE (RCA PB-13036)
- 8 HEARTBREAK EXPRESS DOLLY PARTON (RCA PB-13234)
- 9 LOVE'S BEEN A LITTLE BIT HARD ON ME JUICE NEWTON (Capitol P-B-5120)
- 10 AIN'T NO MONEY
- ROSANNE CASH (Columbia 18-02937)
- HEAVENLY BODIES

 EARL THOMAS CONLEY (RCA PB-13246)

- 12 ANY DAY NOW
- **RONNIE MILSAP (RCA PB-13216)**
- 13 WOMEN DO KNOW HOW TO CARRY ON WAYLON JENNINGS (RCA PB-13257)
- 14 BORN TO RUN
 - EMMYLOU HARRIS (Warner Bros. 7-29993)
- 15 DON'T WORRY 'BOUT ME BABY
 JANIE FRICKE (Columbia 18-02859)
- 16 FOOL HEARTED MEMORY GEORGE STRAIT (MCA-52066)
- 17 LOVE WILL TURN YOU AROUND
 KENNY ROGERS (Liberty P-B-1471)
- CON HUNLEY (Warner Bros. WBS 50058)
- 19 I'M GONNA HIRE A WINO TO DECORATE **OUR HOME**
- 20 WHATEVER
 THE STATLER BROTHERS (Mercury/PolyGram 76162) 21 WOULD YOU CATCH A FALLING STAR
 JOHN ANDERSON (Warner Bros. WBS 50043)

- OAK RIDGE BOYS (MCA-52065) 23 YOU TURN ME ON I'M A RADIO GAIL DAVIES (Warner Bros. 7-29972)
- 24 SHE'S NOT REALLY CHEATIN'
 MOE BANDY (Columbia 18-02966)
- 25 DANCING YOUR MEMORY AWAY
 CHARLY McLAIN (Epic 14-02975)
- 26 THIS DREAM'S ON ME*
- GENE WATSON (MCA-52074) 27 SHE GOT THE GOLDMINE* JERRY REED (RCA PB-13268)
- 28 SLOW DOWN
- LACY J. DALTON (Columbia 18-02847)
- 29 I'M NOT THAT LONELY YET*
 REBA McENT(RE (Mercury/PolyGram 7615?)
- 30 SLOW HAND
- CONWAY TWITTY (Elektra E-47443)

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- 1 DO I DO
- STEVIE WONDER (Tamia/Motown 1612TF)
- 2 EARLY IN THE MORNING THE GAP BAND (Total Experience/PolyGram TE-8201)
- 3 CUTIE PIE
- ONE WAY (MCA 5204)
- 4 AND I AM TELLING YOU I'M NOT GOING
 JENNIFER HOLLIDAY (Geffen 7-25
- 5 LET IT WHIP DAZZ BAND (Motown 1609MF
- 6 I REALLY DON'T NEED NO LIGHT
 JEFFREY OSBORNE (A&M 2410) 7 TOO LATE
- 8 KEEP ON
- JUNIOR (Mercury/PolyGram 7615 "D" TRAIN (Prelude PRL 8049)
- 9 LOVE ME DOWN
- ATLANTIC STARR (A&M 2420) 10 LOVE IS IN CONTROL (FINGER ON THE
- TRIGGER) DONNA SUMMER (Geffen 7-2998 11 FLIRT
- 12 DANCE WIT' ME
- RICK JAMES (Gordy/Motown 1819GF)
- 13 THE REAL DEAL THE ISLEY EROTHERS (T-Neck/CBS ZSS-02985)
- 14 STREET CORNER ASHFORD & SIMPSON (Capitel P-B-5109
- 15 LET ME GO
- 16 (SITTIN' ON) THE DOCK OF THE BAY
 THE REDDINGS (Believe in A Dream/CBS 256-02836
- 17 JUST AN ILLUSION
- 18 SOUP FOR ONE
 - CHIC (Mirage/Atlantic WTG 4032)

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- 19 AMERICAN MUSIC
 POINTER SISTERS (Planet/RCA JH-152540)
- 20 JUMP TO IT
 - ARETHA FRANKLIN (Arista AS 0699)
- 21 WE GO A LONG WAY BACK BLOODSTONE (T-Neck/CBS ZS5-02825 22 YOUR BODY'S HERE WITH ME
 THE O'JAYS (Phila.
- 23 ON THE FLOOR
- FATBACK (Spring/PolyGram SP 3025
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- 27 EMERGENCY
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