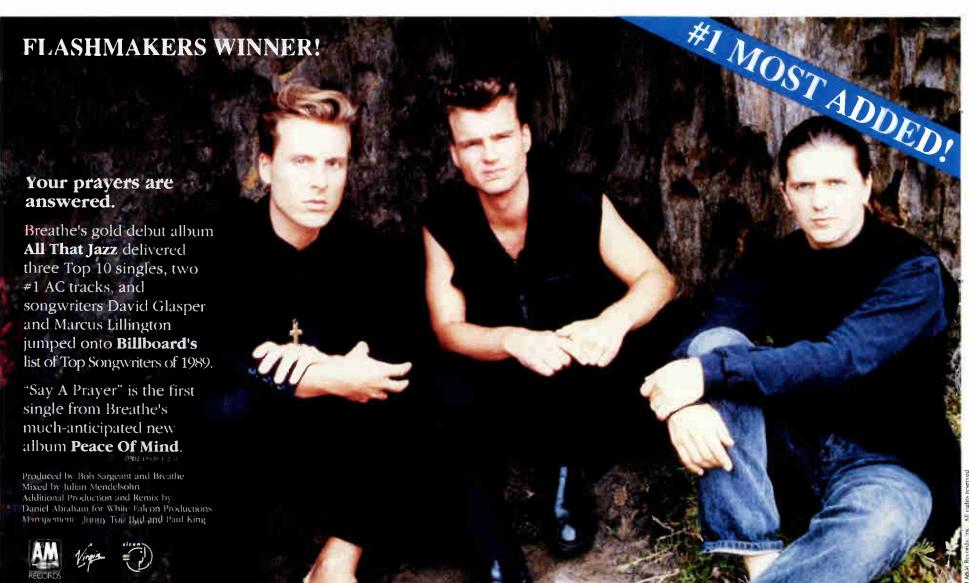


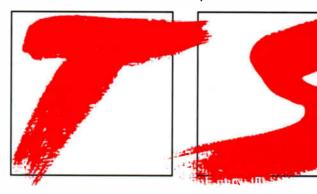
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SINGLES

Janet Jackson is back on top for the umpteenth time from her mega-hit album. Now if they'd only release "Black Cat" things would really get hopping. Next up? Bet on Sweet Sensation or Wilson Phillips.

JAMS

Explore the wonderful world of sales, sales, sales with JAMS' moneybags Graham Armstrong, who spotlights hot retail acts like Tony! Toni! Toné!

DIALOGUE

Spike Lee returns to share his always controversial opinions on jazz, basketball and other things (and to promote "Mo' Better Blues") with HITS' lumbering white guy Craig Modderno.

MCA's sales guru Luke Lewis has no idea who Pepino is, as he makes perfectly clear to HITS' Walter Brennan lookalike Michael Amicone.

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The Youth win again and finally make Buzz Bin. 52

ALBUMS

Nelson's getting bigger.

Here he comes, in a Blaze of Glory. That's right Jon Bon Jovi is back, he's solo and he's gunnin' (in a young sorta way) for the top. Debuting at #8 is a good start.

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Young Guns & Boggie Down.

Bitchin' Bisceglia



Fresh off his scintillating HITS dialogue. Arista Sr. VP of Promotion Rick Bisceglia's taking his troops to Key West. Fla., but it's not for rest, relaxation or to visit Bebe Rebozo. The tireless worker will employ his famed motivational pep talks and boundless enthusiasm at the label's annual confab to fire up his promo forces to continue their solid work in the field. They've busted Lisa Stansfield wide open and laid a strong foundation for international rave Sydney Youngblood, while such smashes as Snap and brandnew releases from Hall & Oates and Whitney Houston wait on deck. So who could blame the guy if he takes just a little time to work on his backhand?

On The Cover

Faith No More don their bulging Fruit-of-the-Looms and do their best Jim Palmer impressions for HITS' cover, as the group's "Epic" single and "The Real Thing" LP continue an inexorable climb to the top.





HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES

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Janet Jackson scores another #1 with the fifth cut off her album which is selling Top 25 again and gaining each week. The Jon Bon Jovi single moves from #14 to #8 this week, but the big story is his album which debuts at #8. As he

readies his new album for release, **Prince** moves 8 points to #19 with big single sales. There's big action at the bottom of the chart with 5 new debuts including **Lisa Stansfield** at #44 and last week's Wildcard, **James Ingram** at #47.

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5 3 2	SWEET SENSATON	IF WISHES CAME TRUE	Atco 3361-2	Solid increases
1 1 3	MARIAH CAREY	VISION OF LOVE	Columbia 73348	From Top 5 Lp
7 5 4	POISON	UNSKINNY BOP	Enigma/Capitol 44584	Continues gaining
12 8 5	WILSON PHILLIPS	RELEASE ME	SBK 07322	Lp pushes ahead to #2
8 6 6	MC HAMMER	HAVE YOU SEEN HER	Capitol 79146	Lp remains at #1
9 7 7	BELL BIV DEVOE	DO ME	MCA 53848	Lp also sits at #7
17 14 8	JON BON JOVI	BLAZE OF GLORY	Mercury 875-896-7	Lp debuts at #8
16 12 9	NEW KIDS ON THE	TONIGHT	Columbia 38T-73461	Huge increases
2 4 10	SNAP	THE POWER	Arista 2013	Peaked
10 9 11	SEDUCTION	COULD THIS BE LOVE	Vendetta/A&M 8082-2	Peaking
11 10 12	GO WEST	KING OF WISHFUL	EMI 94230	Peaking now
18 16 13	FAITH NO MORE	EPIC	Slash/Reprise 4071	Gaining each week
3 11 14	BILLY IDOL	CRADLE OF LOVE	Chrysalis 23509	Falling
14 15 15	KEITH SWEAT	MAKE YOU SWEAT	Elektra 66683	From Top 10 Lp
13 13 16	THE TIME	JERK OUT	Reprise 19750	From Top 20 Lp
22 18 17	STEVIE B	LOVE AND EMOTION	LMR/RCA 2645-7R	Building each week
6 17 18	JOHNNY GILL	RUB YOU THE RIGHT	Motown 6283	New single exploding
36 27 19	PRINCE	THIEVES IN THE	P Park/WB 1975	From forthcoming Lp
30 23 20	NELSON	CAN'T LIVE WITHOUT	DGC 4-19689	Leading smash Lp
26 25 21	AEROSMITH	THE OTHER SIDE	Geffen 4-24158	Building
32 29 22	MAXI PRIEST	CLOSE TO YOU	Charisma 4-98951	Building Top 40 & Urban
29 26 23	KYPER	TIC TAC TOE	Atlantic 4-87910	Hot dance record
40 34 24	PHIL COLLINS	SOMETHING HAPPENED	Atlantic 87885	Gaining quickly
38 31 25	PAUL YOUNG	OH GIRL	Columbia 73377	Gaining at Top 40



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"Early call-out shows good 25+ strength... Goes 17-11 on our chart!!"

- Lee Chestnut - MD, PWR 99

"Good mid-tempo rock record that's getting good call-out even with teens!!"

- Mike Snow - MD, KKBQ

"Cheap Trick is one of my hottest acult call-out records."

- Jim Ryan - PD, KXYQ

"WKTI needed a rock song that would fit... here it is!!"

John (Woody) Harrison - MD, WKTI

"A mass appeal hit for us, Cheap Trick is big in Norfolk!!"

- Beaver Cleaver - MD, WNVZ

"America's best rock 'n roll band does it again, pure power pop for today's Top 40's!" 48% MOVE 4 PTS. OR MORE!

- Tony Macrini - PD, WGH

101 HOT REPORTS!

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"Can't Stop Fallin' Into Love"

From the album Busted





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LABEL COMMENTS TITLE CAN'T STOP... Epic 34T-73444 Steady build

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Breaking big

ACROSS THE RIVER RCA 2621-7R Falling now **BRUCE HORNSBY POSSESSION Epic** 73398 Falling now **BAD ENGLISH BROTHER BEYOND** THE GIRL I ... EMI 50287 **Building Top 40 2 LIVE CREW** BANNED IN THE USA Atl/Luke 3484 Sales Columbia 38T-73342 MICHAEL BOLTON WHEN I'M BACK ON New single breaking Arista AS 2057 Kicking in fast at radio HEART OF STONE TAYLOR DAYNE **GLENN MEDEIROS** SHE AIN'T WORTH IT MCA 53831 New single breaking DON HENLEY HOW BAD DO YOU WANT Geffen 4-19699 Steady POLICY OF TRUTH Sire/Rep 19842 **DEPECHE MODE** Monster Decon/RCA 2628-2R Gaining Top 40 and Urban **BLACK BOX EVERYBODY** TELL ME SOMETHING MCA 53830 INDECENT OBSESSION Developing **AFTER 7** CAN'T STOP Virgin 98961 Breaking fast I DIDN'T WANT **HEART** Capitol 44553 Falling ROMEO Island 6633-2 Breaking big Top 40 **BABYFACE** MY KINDA GIRL Solar/Epic 45T-74510 Falling ST PAUL STRANGER TO LOVE Atlantic 4-87899 Peaked LISA STANSFIELD

THIS IS THE RIGHT. Arista AS2049 Hot on Top 40 radio TIME FOR LETTING GO Reprise 19743 Building at Top 40

ENJOY THE SILENCE Reprise 7-19985 New single breaking

I DON'T HAVE .. Q West/WB 19911 Breaking

Mercury 8758024 **DIRTY CASH** Building at Top 40

GIVING YOU THE .. MCA 79079 Breaking SLOW LOVE Motown 2028 Breaking

(Based on a combination of sales and airplay)

NEXT UP

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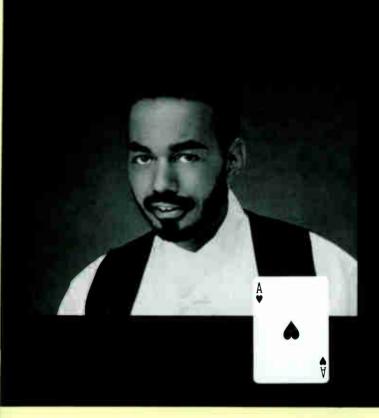
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KTMT	add	99KG	deb 38	WPLJ	35-31
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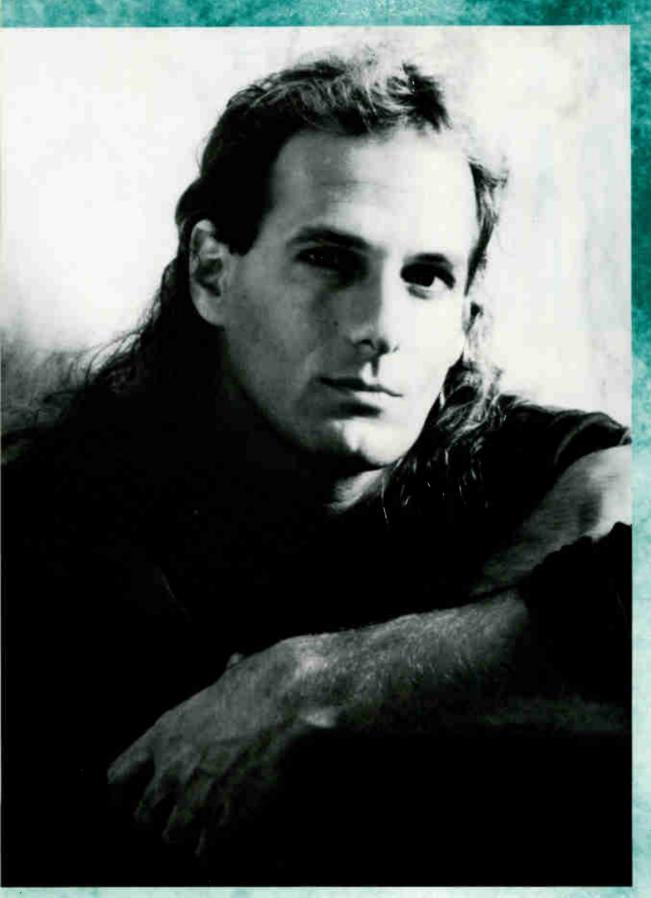




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Galante Assumes The Helm At RCA

Too Much Jail

Irving Azoff would be proud. His Giant Records recording act Too Much Joy was arrested by Broward County Police about 15 minutes after performing several 2 Live Crew songs in protest against free speech infringements at the Club Futura last Friday night (10th), the same Hollywood. Fla., venue where the rappers were also arrested.

Three members — singer Tim Quirk, bassist Sandy Smallens and guitarist Jay Blumenfield — were all arrested, as was club owner Ken Geringer, charged with promoting and giving an obscene performance, a first degree misdemeanor that carries with it up to a year in jail and a \$1,000 fine. Drummer Tom Vinton avoided prosecution by not singing. The other four spent the night in jail, led away by cops crooning "Banned In The USA."

A spokesperson for the band said, up until a few days before the show, they didn't think the police would make the arrests, but fears of a racial backlash spurred the local force into action. As for charges the show was an elaborate publicity stunt the media was out in full force — group publicist Continued on page 14

Ode To The Mode



Depeche Mode — The gloom zooms as this band just keeps on selling. Time to call them superstars?

revolvers and a fake hand grenade made off with over \$260,000 in cash from merchandising sales after a New Kids On The Block concert at Olympic Stadium Montreal attended by over 57,000 fans. Police described

Three armed robbers with the rip-off as a professional operation. Two weeks later, Iraqi troops invading Kuwait were spotted wearing "Step By Step" T-shirts. Coincidence or part of a master plan to outfit the Arab nation and finance a holy war? You be the judge.

"I haven't been back from Nashville long," said newly appointed RCA President Joe Galante. "But I've been back long enough to hate you guys. Hey, I've read Hit Men."

And with those immortal words, Joe "Don't Call Me Asti Spumanti" Galante officially assumes the throne at Nipper, following the departure of Bob Buziak.

"Which network was Dennis with — ABC, NBC, CBS or the exciting new Fox network?" queried the new executive.

Galante joined RCA in 1971 as a Budget Analyst, eventually assuming the helm of the label's lucrative Nashville Division. In addition to his new reponsibilities. Galante will continue to serve as President, RCA Nashville Music & Entertainment Operations.



Joe Galante: Looks a bit like Ernie of "My Three Sons."



The three music business gunslingers you see lounging around a pool at some elegant resort are none other than (1-r): Howard Rose. Freddy DeMann and barrister Paul Schindler, discussing some high power deals as only they know how. That day, the trio spent four hours trying unsuccessfully to float in the pool. They finally accomplished their goal when someone convinced them to part with their wallets.

MTV action this week includes adds on Rave Ups (Epic), Janet Jackson (A&M), INXS (Atlantic), Motley Crue (Elektra), Ratt (Atlantic), Lita Ford (RCA), Jude Cole (Reprise) and Brother Beyond (EMI). The Buzz Bin changes this week with the addition of Sonic Youth (DGC) to join Concrete Blonde (IRS) and Aztec Camera (Reprise). There are no changes in Stress.

RIGHTEOUS BROS.

Stations in all formats are receiving requests to "play that Ghost song," many callers not knowing it was a hit in '65. It jumps 27-15 PWR96, 17-13 KIIS, Deb 23 KWSS, Deb 28 KOY and scores majors at Z100, B94, B97, WPLJ, KKBQ, Y100, Y95, B104, KEGL, KUBE, Q105, Q106 and more. The Brothers are "Unchained" again and there's no stopping 'em now.

Quick Hits Whole Lot Of Nothin' Goin' On



Gary Wright (r) makes like Jerry Lee while demonstrating the latest in his exclusive Songwriter Aerobics Video line to a jocular crew who prove that misery loves company as they celebrate the purchase by MCA Music of several songs from his High Wave Music Catalog, including such hits as "Dream Weaver." Trying to remove their fingers from the piano top and play "Chopsticks" at the same time are the following publishing and legal yo-yo's, including (l-r): Evan Medow, attorney; Leeds Levy, President, MCA Music Publishing and Scott James, VP of Motion Picture and Television Music.

Latest Edition

The original New Edition will give a one-time-only reunion performance at the seventh annual "1990 MTV Video Music Awards" on September 6th. The band will reunite Bobby Brown, Ricky Bell, Michael "Biv" Bivins and Ronnie Devoe of Bell Biv Devoe, along with Johnny Gill and Ralph Tresvant. Five of the former members have experienced solo success, with Tresvant's debut album due this fall. The group will perform a medley of their current hits as well as a New Edition classic. Also on tap: The Beatles, Sex Pistols, Buffalo Springfield, **Television** and the original Solid Gold dancers, featuring Teri DeSario.

VH1 adds this week are Stansfield (Arista). Sydney Youngblood (Arista), Crosby, Stills & Nash (Atlantic) and Keith Sweat (Elektra). The Lisa Stansfield video goes right into Five **Star** rotation.



Glynice Moves At EMI Juan & Orlando Rate An Artist

Glynice First" Coleman has been promoted to Vice President. Urban Promotion, EMI, it was announced by the label's Ron Urban, Executive Vice President/General Manager, whom she will obviously promote and to whom she reports. What a coincidence, what delicious irony.... are we done yet? Not quite - now for the standard adulatory quote.

"Glynice Coleman has emerged as one of this industry's most talented and well-respected executives," said Urban. "Her knowledge of music and the industry. combined with an outstanding rapport with both artists and fellow staffers make her an obvious selection promote me, Ron Urban."

Prior to being named VP. Urban Promotion, the tenyear industry veteran held the position of National Director, East Coast Urban Promotion at EMI.

Added Coleman, "I am extremely appreciative of Ron Urban and Sal Licata for providing me with this opportunity to set a tone and guide EMI's Urban Prometion department towards its ultimate goal - to make Ron Urban the most recognizable name in the world. So take a hike and let me get a magazine with some real circulation on the phone."



Glynice Coleman: Doing Urban for Urban.

What happens when you're a red-hot new artist with a scorching new single that's getting alphabet soup at Top 40 radio? If you're Arista's Sydney Youngblood (c) you do the right thing and pay homage to legendary industry tastemakers and HITS parking engineers Juan & Orlando, who have taken time out from rubbing their faces on the bucket seats of a gnarly white Porsche long enough to give Sydney the big thumbs-up. That's Arista's Jon Klein (1) kissing up to the guys.

Two Togetherness Photos We Ran Together



The photo on the left shows the slightly talented (Ed Note: Let's not kid ourselves — he's talentless) MTV Programming dork Abbey "Don't Call Me Abraham" Konowitch rubbing his armpit on the shoulder of Shelli Azoff, who has graciously given us her husband's Laker tickets for the upcoming season.



As warm as that shot makes us feel, it pales in comparison to the warmth we experience when seeing Extreme's Pat Badger and Skid Row's Sebastian Bach flashing their IQ's at one of those fancy Hollywood parties these people always attend. As always, we hope you enjoy both these fine, fine photos.

Scoop's In The Loop

Despite our warnings, Ticketmaster CEO Fred Rosen has gone ahead and teamed with former MCA Executive Vice President Larry Solters to form Scoop Marketing, a marketing, promotion and publicity firm for the entertainment and business communities.

To illustrate just how important this venture is to him, Solters has made a dedicated effort to begin using silverware.

According to Rosen: "Larry's extensive background, creativity and experience in all facets of the music industry make him the perfect leader for this venture with Ticketmaster marketing." (Ed Note: Allow us to translate that for you: "The schmuck needed a gig and he was willing to work for next to nothing.")

Solters also served as Vice President at Front Line Management, where he pretty much hung out and got wasted with the artist roster.

According to Solters' spokesman, Irving Azoff: "Who?"

(Ed Note: Please understand, the reason we run such mundane news stories as this one is that no one reads this garbage anyway. Thank you.)



Larry Solters: Is more intelligent than he looks. But not that much more.

ON RECORDS By Lenny Beer

Chart Differences

BILLBOARD, R&R AND HITS: As both a student of and a participant in the field of charts, I feel that because of a recent change in the Billboard philosophy, this is an interesting time to take a look at three different systems for charting singles and how they are reflecting some of today's product.

Billboard has historically run a system in which both play and sales contribute to the positioning of records. A few years ago, they began to move away from their strategy and began to reflect airplay as a much more significant factor. Many, yours truly included, felt they were chasing R&R, whose charts have always been a 100% reflection of airplay. However, recent changes in the Billboard system, which now weighs heavily towards qualitative sales reports and includes unreported but monitored airplay, has returned the BB charts not only back toward sales, but even further so than before. This change has brought their numbers far more in line with the current HITS system, and often in complete polarization to the R&R numbers.

The HITS system also charts both sales and airplay to compile numbers. Airplay weighs heavily in the lower numbers, with sales, calculated from piece-counted retail and rack accounts, being the dominant factor at the top. Stations are not monitored, but reports are weighted toward major markets and station reach, based on population and Arbitron ratings.

A view of some current chart positions in last week's editions reflect the different systems. **Snap**, "The Power": peaked at #2 BB, #2 HITS,

#11 R&R. This enormous sales hit reached the major markets, yet lacked airplay in smaller markets tracked by R&R and hence fell short in their chart. Poison. "Unskinny Bop": BB #5, HITS #5, R&R #15. Another sales winner, trailing in R&Rdue to lack of play at urban stations. Bell Biv Devoe, "Do Me": BB #7, HITS #7, R&R #20. Another leading with sales and trailing at stations finding lyric objection. Faith No More, "Epic": BB #13, HITS #16, R&R #26. A rock rap record with big sales, possibly aided in BB by unreported play, but still trailing in R&R due to lack of sales tracking. Wilson Phillips, "Release Me": BB #12, HITS #8, R&R #4. A future #1 single originally held back by the late-blooming sales, now gaining quickly in retail strength but leading in R&R due to massive play. Luke, "Banned In The USA": BB #20, HITS #33, R&R not charted. A Top Ten sales hit with nearly no reported play has no chance in R&R and leads in BB due to unreported activity. Kyper, "Tic-Tac-Toe": BB #26, HITS #26, R&R #38: Leads in HITS and BB due to sales ahead of airplay. **Seduction**, "Could This Be Love": BB #14, HITS #9, R&R #6. Another whose sales are weaker than play, reflected highest in R&R. And finally, Don Henley, "How Bad Do You Want It": BB #54, HITS #36, R&R #37. Solid reported major market play here puts it on the bottom of the charts in R&R and enables it to chart in HITS, but lack of single sales hurts to a far greater degree in BB.

Is there a right or wrong here? No, just a better understanding of how things are done.

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RELEARNING THE SOUND OF HIS MASTER'S VOICE ...



DON'T WORRY, JOE, IT'S DORNEMANN'S TURN TO WALK HIM.....



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TIME FOR LETTING GO"

The New Single

"POLICY OF TRUTH"

The New Single

MOST ADDED! FLASHMAKERS WINNER! 43-36 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES! 15 HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS!

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vonda shepard

"I SHY AWAY"

The New Single

MOST ADDED POP/ADULT!
CROSSING TO TOP 40!









One Grins, The Other Doesn't Axl To Grind



Ever notice how MCA's Sr. VP of Promotion Billy Brill (second from left) and KMEL PD Keith Naftaly (right) look the same in every picture they take? The two are actually represented in all trade shots by body doubles like these whose job it is to impersonate them so they don't waste their time actually posing for stupid photos like this one with the members of MCA Records recording act Bell Biv Devoe during the band's recent headlining gig at KMEL's Summer Jam '90, a benefit dedicated to stopping street violence. While this pic was being snapped, the real Brill and Naftaly were in downtown S.F. robbing little old ladies of their handbags.

Too Much Jail

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Leyla Turkkan commented, "To see a group give a great concert, then get led away in handcuffs makes you realize what a sick and dangerous thing this is. It's pathetic if people view something as

serious as this in that way, but that's OK. This issue is not going away."

You can say that again. As long as you're not in **Broward County.**

The Week

This week's insult comes from a music industry vermin who truly epitomizes what's insulting in life. That's right, folks, it's Virgin Promotion loser Jeffrey Naumann, who is most accurately described as.... breathing. Here's Jeffster's insult:

"You bad-breathed tub of fly-covered pigeon bombs."

Thanks for the words Jeffee, but we think the photo's insulting enough.



Axl Rose filed his second complaint against the West Hollywood police department after officers allegedly broke into his apartment without a warrant and attempted to provoke him into a confronta-

Guns N' Roses lead singer tion. Rose called the action intimidation and a violation of his civil rights. The police insisted they were there because Axl was playing his "Kate Smith's Greatest Hits" album too loud, disturbing the neighbors.

A Bunch Of Wallies



It caused us great glee to receive this shot of these losers from Global Satellite Network (which broadcast Roger Waters' "The Wall" concert to 170 radio stations in the U.S. and Canada) standing in front of the Berlin Wall. Unfortunately, that glee was short-lived — they returned. Pictured asking, "Which way to the Wall?," is concert co-producer Mark Felsot (center) as (l-r): co-host Bob Coburn; production engineer John Valenzuela; co-host Ray White and co-host Jim Ladd consult their compasses only to find the thing's been in back of 'em all along. Where's Bald Eagle Scout Howie Gillman when you most need him?

Mary's Not Wells

Another music legend is in real need. Mary Wells, who is responsible for such hits as "My Guy," "Two Lovers" and "You Beat Me To The Punch," has begun six weeks of radiation treatment for throat cancer. As horrifying as that is, there's more. The singer has been evicted from her apartment and is without insurance because she could not qualify through AFTRA last year when the union raised its income quirements. Wells is appeal-

ing to any past employers to make sure her income was reported to AFTRA. In the meantime, The Rhythm & Blues Foundation is temporarily housing the singer in a hotel near the hospital. Fans wishing to help can send a check - specifying it's for Wells - to the Rhythm & Blues Foundation, C/O The Smithsonian Institute Museum Of American History, Constitution Northwest, Room 4603. Washington D.C. 20560.

EN VOGUE "lies"

MOST ADDED! EARPICKS WINNER! CROSSOVER!

28 HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS!

9*-6* URBAN!

WCKZ

ALBUM: 875,000 SOLD!



from the album BORN TO SING

EARLY ACTION AT:

add 34

WPGC add KITY deb 18 **KMEL** 16-13 **BREAKING AT:** HOT97.7 add KGGI KROY deb 20 25-17 **HOT97** FM102 add 19 (HOT) **KKFR KJMZ** 21-18 **HOT105** deb 30 WTIC add Q106 26-23 KOY



from the album IN THE HEART OF THE YOUNG

MAJOR ACTION AT:

PIRATE KSAQ WDFX WZPL WHYT B94 KXYQ WKBQ 92X

WINGER "can't get enuff"

MTV HEAVY!

CROSSOVERS WINNER

10*- 7* ALBUM TRACKS!

17 HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS!
ALBUM: GOLD PLUS!
HOT PHONES & SALES!





We New Kid You Not



Breaking the long-standing HITS mark in the Guinness Book for "Most Meaningless Photos With Radio Weasels Published In One Year" set by Debbie Gibson back in 1986 is the following group of glad-handers from KC101 in New Haven, who attended a recent New Kids show in that fair burgh, where they mistook Donnie Wahlberg (second from r.) for AxI Rose in a leather bib. After the picture was taken, the entire group donned funny hats and danced the hora. (From 1-r): Charlie Walk, Local Promo Rep., Columbia; Jerry Blair, Nat'l Singles Dir., Columbia; Tom Poleman, KC101 Ass't PD/MD; Kelly Nash, KC101 night jock; Donny; and Stef Rybak, KC101 PD.

QUICK Hits

The Most Added singles this week at Top 40 radio are Breathe (A&M), #2 Michael Bolton (Columbia). Pebbles (MCA), #4 Mode Depeche (Sire/and #5 Reprise) Lisa Stansfield (Arista). Strong

weeks were also turned in by last week's Wildcard James Ingram (WB), the international smash from Sydney Youngblood (Arista) and the Righteous Bros. (Verve/-Polydor).

MOVIE SCORES

TITLE	WEEKEND GROSS	PER SCREEN AVERAGE	TOTAL GROSS	SOUND TRACK
1 FLATLINERS	10.0m	7608	10.0m	-
2 GHOST	9.5m	5353	85.5m	Varese
3 AIR AMERICA	8.1m	4240	8.lm	-
4 PRESUMED INNOCENT	7.9m	5446	42.0m	Varese
5 PROBLEM CHILD	4.8m	2740	31.2m	RCA
6 YOUNG GUNS 2	4.7m	2661	21.3m	Mercury
7 TWO JAKES	3.7m	3092	3.7m	-
8 ARACHNOPHOBIA	3.6m	1976	41.2m I	follywood
9 DIE HARDER	3.lm	1822	101.2m	Varese
10 DUCKTALES	2.6m	1681	9.3m	_

a rundown of executives on the move









Archer

Bays

Jamie "The Zen" Archer has been appointed Vice President/Special Projects for MCA Records, it was announced by Ernie Singleton, President, Black Music Division, for the label. She comes to the company from Warner Bros., where she played the part popularized by Jonathan Pryce in "Miss Saigon".... Michael Bays "City Rollers" has been promoted to Vice President of Creative Services for PolyGram Records Inc., by Ed Eckstine, Executive VP, Talent & Creative Affairs, for the label and GM of Wing. "Michael's an artist, he don't look back," said Ed. Ricky "Is He A Breath or A Candy" Mintz has been tapped for the post of Director of Creative Merchandising, Creative Services, at Capitol Records, it was announced Marcia by Edelstein, Vice President, Creative Services, for the label, who said, "Unbutton that button, you geek. Whaddya think this is? A&R?"..... Jayne Grodd "Dammit" was promoted to Director, A&R Administration, for **EMI** Records, according to reliable reports from Tim Mandelbaum "Those Iragis To Kingdom Come," VP, Business Affairs for the company, who praised "her understanding of the intricacies of every

aspect of A&R, from saying

Jacobson

Cepeda

Mintz

Grodd

no to asking what others think... she's a Groddess." Ouch.... Tanya "I Dare You Call Me Orlando" Cepeda has been named National Director of Promotion for 4th & Broadway Records, it was announced by "Standing" Pat Monaco, VP, 4th & Broadway/VP, Independent Label Distribution. Said Tanya: "I should be in the Baseball Hall of Fame, drug bust or no drug bust."... At Elektra Entertainment, where the slogan is "B. Kras Now!," Beth "Your Bottom Dollar" **Jacobson** has been promoted to Director, Press & Media Relations, by Sherry Ring "O-Levio" Ginsberg, VP, Press & Media Relations, for the company, who said, "The guys in Mötley Crüe gave her their personal recommendation, and that was enough for me."....M. C. Troi C. Torain "Or Not To Rain, That Is The Question" was appointed National Alternative R&B Promotion at Virgin Records, it was announced by Sharon Heyward, VP, R&B Promotion & Marketing for the label HITS Senior Editor Roy Trakin promoted to nothing this week, but will be completely immersed in concrete and buried in the end zone at Giants Stadium to play the title role in the new Jimmy Hoffa movie.





Torain

Trakin



GHANN MEDELROS

"All I'm Missing is You"

MOST ADDED!

FLASHMAKER!

НОТ97	add	KBFM	add						BREAKIN	IG AT:
WKBQ	add	KZ93	add	HOT94.9	deb	24			WPLJ	WIOQ
KZBS	add	WAYS	add	KRBE	deb	29	WMJQ	23-20	KKBQ	B97
KZZU	add	WCGQ	add	WNVZ	deb	29	KHTK	28-22	Q107	X100
WANS	add	WSPK	add	WXKS	deb	31	KKRZ	29-26	KHMX	KXXR
FM104	add	WVSR	add	Y107	deb	31	B93	37-28	KUBE	Q106
KGOT	add	WWCK	add	KKFR	deb	33	WLOL	34-31	PRO-FM	KROY
95XIL	add	WWFX	add	WTIC	deb	33	WCKZ	39-33	Q105	KWOD

"Tell Me Something"

From the album INDECENT OBSESSION



FLASHMAKER!

40-38 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES! MTV BREAKOUT!

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Q105	add	WFMF	add	KUBE	deb	26	B93	29-23			WXKS	KXYQ
Q106	add	KIX106	add	WRVQ	deb	31	WMJQ	27-24	WVBS	33-28	WZOU	KXXII
XL106	add	Z102	add				WKEE	35-24	WGY	34-28	KRBE	WKBQ
WAPE	add	WKZL	add	KSAQ	20-13	}	93Q	34-26	WPFR	36-31	KDWB	KROY
KSMB	add	KAY107	add	HOT94.9	20-14		KKRZ	30-27	KTUX	39-31	WLOL	WNVZ
KTXY	add	KQMQ	add	KKBQ	23-19		KISN	32-27	Y107	35-32	Y100	Y108
WOVV	add	KBOZ	add	K98	24-21		95XXX	33-28	WTIC	39-36	B97	WGH-FM



IGHTNING SEEDS

"All I Want"

CLOUDCUCKOOLANS

EARPICKS WINNER! CROSSOVER!

KSAQ add HOT94.9 add WYCR add 99KG add Q104 add WBNQ add

WJMX add WKPE add

.MCA RECORDS



NEAR TRUTHS

By I. B. Bad, Los Angeles

Major rumblings among industry tongue-waggers over what future plans Walter Yetnikoff has in mind. Lots of folks are talking about a selfimposed diminishing role at CBS, with some even speculating an eventual voluntary resignation. While nothing's even close to clear yet, any move by one of the most important record men of the modern era would more than shake things up a little. Stay tuned on this one folks Is Don Passman starting to the **Janet** seriously shop Jackson deal?.... Those much-desired Red Hot Chili Peppers are in negotiations with Geffen, Epic and Warner Bros. Could the numbers reach a guaranteed \$6 mill for three albums?.... What will the name of Rick Dobbis' Poly label be when he finally does make the move from Nipper? Look for that label to handle the flow of product from Poly U.K., London U.K. and Smash in the U.S. Meanwhile there are still unnamed entities from Terry Ellis' BMG venture, as well as the Jim Mazza-helmed project, which could be called Morgan Creek if the deal with that company goes down..... Speaking of RCA, look for Randy Goodman to relocate

What's Up?



Walter Yetnikoff — Tonguewaggers are wagging overtime.

to New York from Nashville, and Randy Miller to make the trip from L.A. to restructure the label's marketing, merchandising, video and product management areas.... And do the recent changes at Nipper mean Skip Miller will become a free agent?.... A recent split between management and band was supposedly caused by the lead singer's chemical dependency..... A&M will be shuttering the Vendetta label and taking over its artist roster as Larry Yasgar exits..... Mike Gormley is now managing Concrete Blonde Two industry gunslingers have signed deals as Konowitch and David Leach re-up with MTV and Mercury respectively..... Geffen will not be releasing the Geto Boys project on Rick Rubin's Def America. Look for the project to remain on the shelf for the forseeable future.... And if there is truth to the rumors of Time-Warner selling 49% of its music operations to a Japanese company, what does that do to the much-hyped, "Great American Entertainment Company"?..... Geffen and MCA look like they're about to finalize international distribution with BMG And what successful act is so incensed with their head of they're Promotion that the threatening label?..... Manager Nick Wechsler and much-soughtafter artist Chris Whitley decide on Columbia for creative ("not just financial") Mitchell reasons..... making the move from Disney to a West Coast A&R VP slot at EMI Names in the Rumor Mill this week include: Sean Renet, Mark Gorlick, Perry Farrell, George Wilson and Bob Gibson.

MINI MUGS



KNISHES AND SYMPATHY: What were Arista President Clive Davis and recording superstar Dionne Warwick doing in the Carnegie Deli on 57th Street and Manhattan you ask? Why, they were celebrating the release of the legendary diva's latest effort, "Dionne Warwick Sings Cole Porter in Yiddish," which includes the soon-to-be-hit single, "The Night They Invented Pastrami," a duet with 2 Live Jews, natch. Shortly after this shot was taken, Clive and Dionne fought over the check and ended up numbling into the matzoh ball soup. Oy vey!!



HIXS LIX NIX PIX IN HITS: We have no idea what that means, but it does give us an opportunity to write a Variety-styled headline about Polydor local rube Bruce Hixs (second from 1.), so it can't be all bad. The occasion was a free concert by sizzling trish band Hothouse Flowers in Union Square in S.F., hosted by radio station LIVE-105, and attended by over 5,000 out-of-work fans. (L-r): Jerry Fehily, band; Hixs: Leo Barnes, band; Steve Masters, LIVE 105 MD; Peter O' Toole, band; Julie Bruzzone-Galliani, LIVE 105 Promo Div.; Liam O'Maonlaí, band; Fia O'Braonáin, band; and Richard Sands, LIVE 105 PD.



HAVING CHINESE: Shortly before OD'ing on MSG poisoning from the China Club's otherwise scrumptious eggrolls, these three heavies flash pearly-whites for the ubiquitous Mini-Mug photographer, who exists only in our imaginations. (L-r): Gap Band's Charlie Wilson, Rick James and Nile Rodgers make like chuns totally unaware that James is about to leave them with the check.



LETTERS

Port(land) Whine

Dear Editor of HITS:

So what's the deal? In Issue 198's PoMo Mugs, you guys could not slam Portland, Oregon enough!!! Being a Portland native and damn proud of it, I found this drunken foray into pseudojournalism completely disgusting. For your information, many fine, upstanding individuals have been born and raised in Portland, includ-Margaux Hemingway, Howard Hesseman, Brent Musberger, Jane Powell, Doc Severinsen, Sally Struthers, Matt Groening, Neil Lomax and of course, the Portland Trailbrazers.

> Respectfully yours, Joe Kelly Somewhere in N. Calif.

Editor of HITS replies: Hey, if you love Portland so much, how come you moved to California? And what kind of town booster takes credit for Brent Musberger and leaves out Gus Van Sant and Robert Cray? Are you sure you're not from Eugene?

Kaz-ualty

Dear Bud:

To be compared in any way to Virgin Music's Kaz is by far the greatest compliment I have received in the seven years I've been in the music industry. Thank you.

All The Best, Nanci M. Walker BMG Songs Beverly Hills, CA

Bud replies: Sorry Nanc, but I actually compared you to "Maz" or Bill Mazeroski, the now-retired second baseman for the Pittsburgh Pirates who hit one of the most unlikely home runs in history to beat the Yankees in the 1960 World Series and whom I haven't forgiven since.

Stoned!

Dear Roy:

I've sent you a piece of the Berlin Wall, where Roger Waters just performed his classic "The Wall." Of course, I didn't break it off myself. I bought it from a Turk on the west side who said, "Psssst, wanna see my rocks?" Yes, it's small, but as you've probably heard before, it isn't the size that counts!

Ellen Zoe Golden Columbia Records N.Y.C.

Roy replies: You got ripped off, Ellen. This isn't real. I tried to smoke it in my pipe and all I got was a headache.

Ghost Writer

Dear HITS:

Here is a haunted picture. I found it a month ago and it's brought me nothing but bad luck. Maybe if you print it in HITS, the picture's evil power could be dispelled or at least diluted. Just don't carry it around with you.

You could write in the caption that this is Roy Trakin, Rupert Perry without a beard or Alannah Myles from her "Sinead period." Good luck (you'll need it).

Keith Brown Montreal, Quebec

HITS replies: Thanks a lot, Keith. Since running this shot of Lenny Beer at his bar mitzvah, Murphy has turned into a tree and our editorial staff now consists of two swans and a toad.



FAR TRUTHS

By Danny Fields, New York

Kicking off the big pre-fall season with a bang and splash was Capitol's soirce celebrating the release of Duran Duran's new "Liberty" LP and the first of what looks to be many hit singles in "Violence of Summer." Held in a suite at Giambelli's, one of the city's most deluxe Northern Italian bistros, the event attracted N.Y.'s innermost media A-list, including MTV's Steve Leeds. Spin's Mark Blackwell, Rolling Stone's Sheila Rogers, Music Express' Tina Clarke, the Post's Lisa Robinson and Details' David Keeps, as well as retail giganteans from all over. Labelistos Domenique Leomporra, Joanne Brown, Josh Deutsch, Leigh Lust, Frank Murray, Laura G. and Tony Chalmers joined band members Simon LeBon (with mega-model wife Yasmine). John Taylor, Nick Rhodes, Warren Cuccurullo and Sterling Campbell, along with famed manager Peter Rudge and wife Joyce in encouraging the guests to finish off cases of Tattinger's champagne and a spectacular feast of mousse, cold antipasti, hot shellfish and desserts aplenty. Women swooned, retailers snapped instamatics and men wished they looked like the band, or at least could get away with dressing like them Elektra took over Emerald City on the ineffably Far West Side to mark the release of Dece-Lite's debut album, "World Clique," enlisting the services partygiver Suzanne Bartsch, who rounded up Gotham's more reliable drag queens and downtown dresseruppers to give the night a proper spin. Munching on crudites, barbecued chicken wings and baked ziti were Elektrafiers Aaron Howard Thompson, Nancy Jeffries (who signed the artistes in question), Kenny Ham-

lin, David Bither, Elizabeth

Bang and Splash!



Duran Duran: Champagne wishes, jack mousse dreams.

Bailey, Cynthia Leu, Sherry Ring Ginsberg and Gary Casson. Dee Lite performed while everyone got to witness the world premiere of their "Groove Is In The Heart" vid Expatriates Ultra Vivid Scene returned to promote their debut 4AD/Columbia album, "Joy 1967-1990," Hosting a bash for them was the label's Howard Wuelfing, who took over a large part of Albuquerque East for the evening, during which media-Resnicoff Musician, and MTV To Go's very inebriated David Sprague joined UVS' Kurt Ralske and Collin Rae in consuming the bar's famous pink lemonade margueritas.... Glasgow's brilliant Blue Nile brought their third show ever to the Bottom Line, where lines around the block late on a Monday night gave proof to the enormous esteem in which this group which has released two albums on A&M five years apart - is held. Unending ovations extended the evening into the next morning, but no one appeared to mind, as lead singer Paul Buchanan and his band enraptured the crowd with their musicianship. Labelosities Wayne Isaak, Chuck Bliziotis, Mike Regan, Jon Mchugh and Kevin Hardt, along with proud managers Steve Addabbo and

Ron Fierstein, beamed along.

STATSHEET

ARTIST	AVERAGE MOVE	AGGRESSIVES (4 or more)	TOP 10	TOP 5	REQUESTS (1 to 10)	Lp SALES (1 to 10)	45 SALES (1 to 10)
RIGHTEOUS BROTHERS	6.25	3	0	0	8	3	
PRINCE	4.94	132	6	0	7	-	9
PHIL COLLINS	4.87	126	2	0	2	9	1
TONY TONI TONE	4.25	4	1	0	5	6	7
NELSON	4,17	77	42	12	10	8	9
THE BOYS	4,17	4	1	0	4	-	7
EN VOGUE	4.00	5	1	0	3	8	4
TAYLOR DAYNE	3.71	82	0	0	3	5	1
CHEAP TRICK	3.67	82	17	4	4	5	7
DINO	3.60	59	0	0	6	- 1	1
BLACK BOX	3.45	22	1	1	4	3	5
NEW KIDS	3.40	81	71	23	10	10	9
MAXI PRIEST	3.34	72	21	5	3	2	6
JOHNNY GILL	3.28	33	9	2	7	10	8
JAMES INGRAM	3.10	25	2	0	3	1	11
PAUL YOUNG	3.03	:51	13	3	1	1	:4
AFTER 7	2.93	27	8	1	3	7	6
WINGER	2.90	22	4	1	9	9	6
DEPECHE MODE	2.88	31	5	0	5	9	3
LISA STANSFIELD	2.87	29	0	0	3	6	1
JUDE COLE	2.81	33	0	0	1	1	1
STEVIE B.	2.77	47	35	11	4	2	7
INDECENT OBSESSION	2.76	40	0	0	2	-	.5
TKA	2.69	6	1	0	3		1
CONCRETE BLONDE	2.58	10	3	0	3	5	1_
STEVIE V.	2.29	17	2	1	6	1	3
GLENN MEDEIROS	2.22	23	0	0	2	2	1
FAITH NO MORE	2.14	38	40	19	10	9	10
DON HENLEY	2.04	22	4	0	1.,	7	1
GEORGE LAMOND	2.00	6	0	0	3	3	1

Average Move: The average upward radio playlist movement of the single.

Aggressive Moves: The number of key reporters moving the single up four or more positions on their playlist.

Top 10/Top 5: The number of reporting playlists showing Top 10 and Top 5 positioning.

Requests: Based on hot phone mentions from our reporters, listed on a 1-10 scale, 10 being strongest.

Lp Sales: Piece count reports from leading merchandisers on a 1-10 scale.

45 Sales: Based on reports from key retailers and one-stops. Info is on a 1-10 scale.

WOLFICE OF SUMMER (LUVE'S TAKING OVER)

DURAN



MOST A FLASHI EARPIC	MAKER!			KRZR KZZU	add add	95XXX G98	add add	KTMT KZOZ OK95 Q104	add add
KEGL KUBE	add add	WEGX KITS KWSS KISN	add add	KF95 K106 B98	add add add	KFTZ KKHT KMOK	add add add	SLY96 WCIL WHTO WWCK ZFUN	add add add

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FLASHMAKERS

Singles that have experienced a tremendous initial response at radio and/or retail.

A great week for artists old and new this week as we see **Depeche Mode**'s current mega-hit single skyrocket past some pretty tough competition, and newcomer **Lisa Stansfield** manages to hold her own with the latest from

her awsome debut. **Dino**'s new one still building and setting the pace for his forthcoming album...And **Pebbles** returns and shakes things up with a sizzling new single.



DEPECHE MODE POLICY OF SIRE/REP

Singles: 36* Albums: 15 Avg Move: 2.91 Aggrssv: 31 This one is so hot, you couldn't stop it if you tried! They're getting tons of instant requests and the single and album are going strong. Going on at PWR96, KKRZ, KZZP, WTIC, WGH-FM, K98, WRVQ, 99KG, KCMQ, KFBQ, KHTY, KKRD, KKSS, KQCR, KQIZ, KSMB, KTRS, KWTX, WAYS, WCGQ, WHTO, WKEE, WKPE, WKSF, WNYP, WVSR, WYKS, Y94, 95XXX, WWFX and KFTZ. Hot jumps at KRBE 16-9, KKBQ 12-8, KSAQ 10-7, HOT94.9 24-6, KIIS 25-21, PWR106 22-18, KEGL 23-18, KXYQ 29-25, PWR99 29-24, HOT102 28-24, KROY 27-23, B93 38-29, KLUC 23-17, KMOK 26-21 and KZ93 30-25.



LISA STANSFIELD THIS IS ARISTA

Singles: 44* Albums: 43 Avg Move: 2.85 Aggrssv: 28

The English Soulstress continues her hot streak gaining momentum this week with strong moves and new VH1 support and these adds: KIIS, B96, Q107, PWR96, B94, WLOL, KKFR, HOT102, B104, KHTK, WGH-FM, KXX106, KC101, KFBQ, KHTY, KIXY, KKSS, KLYV, KQIZ, KWNZ, KZIO, OK95, WAZY, WBNQ, WBWB, WHOT, WJAD, WLRW, WPFR, WSPK and WVBS. Gaining momentum at Z100 29-25, WEGX 30-24, PWR99 27-23, Q105 30-26, WMJQ 30-25, WDBR 40-30, WJMX 40-35, WWFX 39-34 and WNNK 35-29.



DINO ROMEO ISLAND

Singles: 41* Albums: — Avg Move: 3.63 Aggrssv: 59
The powerful new dance hit is scoring with positive early play and getting solid phone action. Going on this week at KEGL, KRBE, PWR96, KBEQ, Y108, WGH-FM, WKSE, WRVQ, KWNZ, WAZY, WKPE, WOVV, WVIC, Z103, WWFX, WBWB, KRQ, Z104, WRQN, JET-FM, WANS, KTUX and FM104. Moving 34-29 at WPLJ, 32-27 WXKS, 23-17 WLOL, 30-26 KMEL, 24-20 KDWB, 23-16 HOT97.7, 29-24 KROY, 38-22 WKBQ, 26-20 KHTK, 35-27 WTIC, 36-27 B93, 26-22 WMJQ, 30-22 WCKZ, 32-25 Y107 and 28-21 KJ103.



PEBBLES GIVING YOU MCA

Singles: 49* Albums: —

Last week's Crossovers winner is going crazy at Top 40 with killer early action and strong adds including B96, WPGC, KRBE, WUSL, KWOD, KHTK, Y108, WKSE, KXX106, K98, WMJQ, B93, WRVQ, KZBS, 95XXX, 999KHI, G98, KCMQ, KFBQ, KFTZ, KKRD, KWTX, KZ93, WAZY, WBWB, WGRD, WHHY, WPRR, WSPK, WVBS and WYKS. Making jumps like 29-22 at Q105, 34-29 WWCK, 38-33 KBOS, 33-29 G105 and many more.



KYPER TIC TAC ATLANTIC

Singles: 23* Albums: —

These guys are kicking butt and taking names as their debut single storms through Top 40 and picks up new supporters at WOVV, K92, Z104, KKYK and others. Making solid jumps at B96 5-3, Y95 7-2, KEGL 8-4, KKFR 12-10, HOT102 12-8, KXXR 14-10, KHTK 2-1, KS104 4-3, WPHR 15-9 and WMJQ 11-10.



PAUL YOUNG OH GIRL COLUMBIA

Singles: 25* Albums: — Avg Move: 3.01 Aggrssv: 50 The first from the new album continues to grow this week with steady adcs and developing single sales. New this week for KIIS, FM100, WOVV, KZOU and more. Scoring with jumps like 9-7 at Q95, 13-8 KWSS, 11-9 KSAQ, 15-8 WAPI, 10-7 KISN, 13-10 MIX105, 17-10 WKZL, 14-9 999KHI, 15-10 KNIN, 14-9 B98 and 4-2 WKQB.



INDECENT OBSESSION TELL ME SO MCA

Singles: 38* Albums: — Avg Move: 2.75 Aggrssv: 39
This one is getting even hotter as phones pick up and singles sales grow. Scoring adds this week at Q105, Q106, XL106, KSMB, KTXY, WOVV, WAPE and more. Strong jumps at KKBQ 23-19, KSAQ 20-13, B93 29-23, HOT94.9 20-14. KISN 32-27, WKEE 35-24, 93Q 34-26, WOMP 35-28, WHHY 30-24, 95XXX 33-28, KLYV 30-25, KYYY 32-27 and KZOZ 27-22.



AFTER 7 CAN'T STOP VIRGIN

Singles: 39* Albums: 40* Avg Move: 2.97 Aggrssv: 27 They're making a lot of noise at plenty of formats with the latest from their debut release that's going on this week at Q102, WPHR, KISN, B93, WBNQ, WCIL, WSPK and WYYS. Gaining 9-6 at KJMZ, 9-7 KMEL, 16-9 KWOD, 10-7 KROY, 14-7 KS104, 15-9 KZBS, 12-9 KIKI, 34-30 PWR106, 18-13 WPGC, 31-27 KKFR 28-17 HOT97.7 and 23-17 KXXR.



JUDE COLE TIME FOR REPRISE

Singles: 45* Albums: — Avg Move: 2.81 Aggrssv: 33

The follow up to his debut hit is getting lots of early action as it crosses ever and continues its run at Top 40. Gaining support from WXKS, KKBQ, KHMX, Q105, KQCR, WCIL, WLRW, WPXR and others. Scoring at KUBE 29-24, KISN 39-31, WAPI 23-18, 999KHI 29-19, WWFX 35-28, WZOK 22-15, KTMT 29-23, KZOZ 32-25, WDBR 31-25, WCGQ 39-34, WHHY 33-28 and WPRR 29-24. Great for afternoon listeners.



Produced by James Carmichael

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"SLOW LOVE"

HYPER-ACTIVE PHONES!

BREAKING AT

35-27 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES!
10 HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS!

FLASHMAKER!

DEBUT 50 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES!

B96	add	KWOD	2-1	KITY	12-9	HOT97	WCKZ
WPGC	add	KGGI	1-1	KTFM	12-9	WXKS	K106
WTIC	add	KOY	7-4	KBOS	16-10	WHYT	KPRR
WKSE	add	Q106	5-4	HOT97.7	15-12	HOT105	KIKI
Y107	add	KMEL	8-5	KS104	23-17	WIOQ	WYYS
WQXA	add	KKFR	7-5	KZZP	26-22	KXXR	KBFM
WGRD				HOT99.9			KDON
KQMQ	add	KROY	6-6	KRQ	29-25	KJ103	



Produced by LA & Babytace for La Face, Inc.

JOHNNY GILL

"MY, MY, MY"

23 NEW INCLUDING:

deb 27

PWR106 deb 34

KIIS

KRBE	add	WPGC	6-3	KGGI	9-8	KTFM	19-14	KWOD	27-24
KKRZ	add	KJMZ	6-4	KMEL	11-9	KKFR	18-15	WXKS	30-26
HOT97.7	add	HOT105	6-6	KS104	13-9	Q105	20-15	WZOU	29-26
		FM102	10-7	KROY	16-12	KHTK	24-15	WAVA	29-26
WEGX	deb 25	Y108	13-8	WTIC	19-12	Z100	23-20	WPLJ	32-28
HOT102	deb 26	Q106	10-8	KITY	24-13	KEGL	24-21	HOT97	34-31
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 AVERAGE NOVE
 AGRESSIVES NOVE
 TOP 100 Nove (4 or more)
 TOP 100 Nove (1 to 10)
 REQUESTS (1 to 10)
 Lp SALES (1 to 10)
 45 SALES (1 to 10)

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MOST ADDED!

1.5 MILLION SOLD!





FLASHMAKERS

Singles that have experienced a tremendous initial response at radio or retail.

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STEVIE V. DIRTY CASH MERCURY

Singles: 48* Albums: — Avg Move: 2.32 Aggrssv: 17

A killer Crossover that's smoking through Top 40 and picking up strong phone support. New believers this week: Z100, KBFM, KZOU, KISR and more. Gaining 8-6 at HOT97, 5-4 WXKS, 27-22 PWR106, 19-15 WPLJ, 22-15 B96, 29-23 WPGC. 26-21 KKBQ, 21-17 KHTK, 23-12 KITY and 22-15 WTIC.



DOC BOX SLOW LOVE MOTOWN

Singles: 50* Albums: —

The Motown hot streak continues with this killer new band and a killer new single that radio loves! Check out the latest adds: B96, WPGC, WTIC, WKSE, Y107, WGRD and WQXA. Moving at KMEL 8-5, KOY 7-4, KKFR 7-5, FM102 6-5, KWOD 2-1, KITY 12-9, KTFM 12-9, Q106 5-4 and KBOS 16-10.



BREATHE SAY A PRAY A&M

Can you say smash? Early action indicates a good run for the latest from these lads as they grab these hot adds out of the box: KIIS, WPLJ, WXKS, KRBE, KHMX, Q95, KUBE, KPLZ, KMEL, Q105, WKTI, KXXR, KWSS, KROY, KWOD, WKBQ, Q106, WNVZ, Y108, WGH-FM, KSAQ, WKSE, KISN, KXX106, K98, KCPX, WMJQ, HOT94.9, WAPI, XL106 and Y107.



MICHAEL BOLTON GEORGIA COL

Singles: — Albums: 14

As usual a great performance from this guy along with some help from Kenny G., both in the song and the video in Five Star rotation at VH1. Going on at WPLJ, KEGL, Q95, KUBE, KPLZ, B94, KXYQ, KWSS, KWOD, Q102, WGH-FM, KSAQ, WNCI, KITY, WPHR, KXX106, KCPX, KISN, WAPI, MIX105, WRVQ, WZPL, Y107, FM100, WKZL, 99KG, KC101, KCHX, KCMQ and KFBQ.



VIXEN HOW MUCH LOVE EMIL

The leading ladies of leather have returned to rock you with their latest album breaking out and this one going straight on at KUBE, 92X, XL106, KQIZ, KTMT, WKPE, 98PXY, WERZ, JET-FM and B98. Moving 14-9 at WZZU. 17-11 WAAF, 34-28 WDBR, 38-34 95XXX, 36-32 999KHI, 38-34 KYYY and more.



GLENN MEDEIROS ALL I'M MCA

Singles: — Albums: — Avg Move: 2.25 Aggrssv: 22

Hot on the heels of his Number One monster, this one is getting great early action like these hot adds: HOT97, WKBQ, KZBS, 95XIL, KBFM, KZ93, WAYS, WCGQ, WSPK, WVSR, WWFX, WWCK, KZZU, WANS, FM104 and KGOT.



TOMMY PAGE TURN ON SIRE/WB

Scoring with another one as his latest climbs the Top 40 latter with ease. New now at KKRZ, G98, KFTZ, WJMX, WERZ, WGY, WKQB and more. Debuting at KMOK and Z104.



FAVORITE ANGEL ONLY WOMEN COL.

They've done a great job covering this Alice Cooper song and it hasn't gone unnoticed, Just check out these adds: WDFX, WGH-FM, KITY, 95XIL, KFBQ, KNIN, KWTX, G105, WFLY, WKRZ, WRCK and more. Gaining 28-22 at WEGX, 30-22 999KHI, 36-29 KYYY, 35-29 WDBR, 40-35 WBNQ, 40-35 WCGQ, 37-33 KMOK, 40-35 WBBQ, 32-27 WERZ and 40-36 KSND.



S. YOUNGBLOOD I'D RATHER ARISTA

This killer Terence sound-a-like is scoring big here in the states with one of his international hits and it's going on out of the box at WPGC, KRBE, HOT97.7, KROY, Q105, PWR99, Q106, WTIC, KTFM, KITY, HOT94.9, WAPI, XL106, WCKZ, 999KHI, KBFM, KKRD, KKSS, KLUC, KMOK, KQIZ, KSMB, KTMT, Q104, SLY96, WAYS, WCGQ, WHHY, WVSR, KBOS and K92.



AIGHTEOUS B. UNCHAINED VERVE/POLY

Singles:— Albums:— Avg Move: 6.25 Aggrssv: 3
The movie "Ghost" has revived this classic and this week's Wildcard scores with adds at Z100, WPLJ, WZOU, KEGL, KKBQ, Y95, KHMX, Y100, KUBE, KPLZ, B94, Q105, KWOD, B97, B104, Q106, KITY, MIX105, WKZL, KJ103, WCKZ, WCIL, WOVV, KZ93, KKSS, KGGI, WAPE, WPST, KKYK, WANS and WNOK. Phones!



LOUIE LOUIE I WANNA WTG.

Still growing with strong weekly action and phones building for those playing it. New now at KKBQ, WLOL, Y108, KBFM, KCMQ, KFTZ, KKHT, KMOK, KSMB, KTRS, OK95, WBNQ, WCIL, WHOT, WPFR, WVSR, WDBR, KZZU, WBBQ, B98, WQXA and WYYS. Moving 25-21 at HOT94.9, 33-27 Y107 and more.



TRICIA L. FISHER EMPTY. ATCO

She's cute, she's talented and she's well bred...What more could you ask for? A hit single? Well, she's got that too and it's on at KXXR, KKSS, WAYS, WHOT, WKEE, ZFUN, KBOS, K92, WGY and others. Heating things up at KISN 40-36 and KLYV 39-34. And new at HOT97.7, KTFM, KZBS, Y107 and many more.



DURAN DURAN VIOLENCE CAPITOL

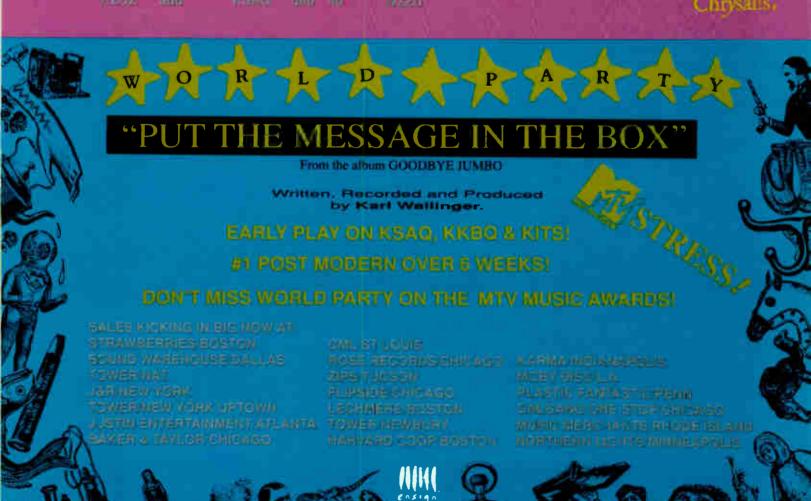
They're back with a hot one for radio to kick off the new album due shortly. Already picking up adds from WPLJ, KEGL, KUBE, KPLZ, WEGX, KITS, KWSS, KISN, B93, 95XXX, G98, KBFM, KFBQ, KFTZ, KKHT, KMOK, KNIN, KTMT, KZOZ, OK95, Q104, SLY96, WCIL, ZFUN, WHTO, WWCK, KRZR, KZZU and more.



MS.ADVENTURES UNDENIABLE ATCO

Singles: — Albums: — Avg Move: 4.33 Aggrssv: 2
These young babes are tantalizing people everywhere with a killer debut single. On already at PWR106, WXKS, KMEL, KKRZ, HOT97.7, KROY, WTIC, KS104, KITY, HOT94.9, KZBS, KLUC, KLYV, KCAQ, K106, KPRR, KZFM, KIKI and KYRK.









REQUESTS

Things remain pretty close this week as **Poison** takes the lead over **Bon Jovi** while **Nelson**'s debut single is performing at radio and is developing into one of the biggest phone records in the nation. Programmers are reporting big

phones on **Wilson Phillips** second single even though the first one is still getting calls. Also, watch out for the **Righteous Bros**. track from "Ghost," already generating phones and getting ready to explode.



POISON UNSKINNY BOP CAPITOL

This hot summer rocker continues to be huge at the cash register and on the airwaves. Smokin' the phones this week at 92X, 95XIL, B94, JETFM, K106, KAKS, KBFM, KDWZ, KF95, KFQX, KISR, KJ103, KKSS, KNIN, KQCR, KWNZ, KWTX, KYRK, KYYY, KZII, PIRATE, Q104, Q107, WBNQ, WBWB, WCIL, WDBR, WGTZ, WIKZ, WKSE, WLRW, WRVQ, WTFX, WYYS, WZOK, Y95 and ZFUN.



JON BON JOVI BLAZE OF GLORY MERCURY

Huge power ballad leads as the album debuts this week at number 8 on the Top Fifty Albums Chart. Hot this week include: 92X, 95XIL, B104, B93, B94, JETFM, K106, KAKS, KBFM, KDWZ, KF95, KFQX, KISR, KJ103, KKRD, KYRK, KYYY, KZ93, KZII, PIRATE, Q104, Q107, WBWB, WCIL, WGTZ, WIKZ, WKSE, WLRW, WNOK, WNVZ, WOMP, WPRR, WRVQ, WZOK, Y95 and ZFUN.



NEW KIDS TONIGHT COLUMBIA

N. w Kid-mania continues as hot reports come in this week from B104, B93, JETFM, KBFM, KCPX, KF95, KFQX, KKSS, KNIN, KQCR, KTRS, KWNZ, KWTX, KYRK, KYYY, Q104, Q107, WCIL, WJMX, WKSS, WLRW, WMJQ, WNOK, WQXA, WTFX, WZOK, XL106, Y95 and ZFUN.



NELSON LOVE & AFFECTION DGC

Solid sales continue to tell the story along with huge phones wherever played. Smokin' the switchboards this week at 92X, 95XIL, B94, K106, KAKS, KATM, KBFM, KCPX, KDWZ, KKRD, KNIN, KQCR, KTRS, KYRK, KYYY, KZII, Q107, WBNQ, WCIL, WDBR, WJMX, WLRW, WOMP, WPHR, WRQN, WRVQ, WZOK, ZFUN and more.



MC HAMMER HAVE YOU SEEN HER CAPITOL

Huge media blitz continues with the album showing no signs of slowing down. Burning up the phones this week at B104, B93, B94, H0T97, HT999, JETFM, K106, KBFM, KCPX, KKSS, KTRS, KYYY, KZ93, WBWB, WCIL, WGTZ, WIKZ, WKSE, WKSS, WLRW, WNVZ, WOMP, WQXA, WRVQ, WTFX, XL106 and Y95.



FAITH NO MORE EPIC SLASH/REPE

Rock monster performing great at both radio and retail as it continues picking up huge phones this week at 92X, B94, JETFM, KAKS, KDWZ, KISR, KKRD, KNIN, KWTX, KYYY, Q107, WAPE, WBNQ, WBWB, WCIL, WGTZ, WIKZ, WOMP, WRQN, WRVQ, WYYS, WZOK, Y95 and ZFUN.



BELL BIV DEVOE DO ME MCA

With two smashes in a row and big success at retail, what will they "do" next? This week's hot mentions include: B93, B94, HT999, K106, KAKS, KFQX, KKRD, Q104, WBWB, WGTZ, WKSE, WKSS, WLRW, WMJQ, WNOK, WQXA, WRQN, WTFX and Y95.



KYPER TIC TAC TOE ATLANTIC

Killer techno/dance/rap continues to pick up major phones where played. Big request action this week at B93, HT999, K106, KBFM, KF95, KISR, KYRK, WGTZ, WKSE, WKSS, WMJQ, WNOK, WQXA, WRQN, WTFX, WTIC and Y95.



WILSON PHILLIPS RELEASE ME SBK

Huge phones, solid video rotation and huge sales. Can you say smash? Hct mentions this week from B104, K106, KBFM, KCPX, KKSS, KTRS, Q107, WAPE, WJMX, WLRW, WNVZ, WOMP, WPRR, WQXA and Y95. First hit is also still pulling calls.



WINGER CAN'T GET ENUFF ATLANTIC

This hot rocker is pulling major night time phones along with solid video play and giant album sales. Hots this week include: 92X, B94, KATM, KTRS, Q104, WCIL, WLRW, WPRR and WRQN.



S SENSATION IF WISHES CAME... ATCO

Huge ballad continues to get major phones from all demos and in all dayparts as it jumps to number two this week on the Top Fifty Singles Chart. This week's hots include: 95XIL, B94, KKRD, KTRS, KZII, WBNQ. WDBR and XL106.



PRINCE THIEVES IN... P PK/WB

With "Graffitti Bridge" due out 8/21, expect to see a plethora of breakout reports the week of 8/27. "Thieves" continues to keep the switchboards busy this week at B94, K106, KFQX, KTRS, KZII, Q104, WLRW and WNVZ.



2 LIVE CREW BANNED IN THE USA LUKE/ATL

Media maddness continues to catapult album sales. Big phones this week at B93, K106, KWNZ, KYRK, WNOK, WTFX and ZFUN.

ALSO GAINING REQUEST MOMENTUN

STEVIE V. JOHNNY GILL DINO DIRTY CASH MY, MY, MY ROMEO MERCURY MOTOWN 4BWY/ISL RIGHTEOUS BROS. SLAUGHTER PEBBLES UNCHAINED... FLY TO... GIVING YOU... VERVE/POLY CHRYSALIS MCA

CROSSOVER! BREAKOUTS WINNER!

KUBE	add	B98	add
92X	add	KQIZ	add
XL106	add	KTMT	add
98PXY	add	WKPE	add
WERZ	add	KIX106	add
JET-FM	add	KNOE	add

KRZR	deb	19
FM104	deb	26
KLYV	deb	35
WZOK	deb	35
KSND	deb	37
KCMQ	deb	38
KFBQ	deb	38
KZIO	deb	38
WHTO	deb	38
93Q	deb	40
KFTZ	deb	40
KNIN	deb	40
KQCR	deb	40

deb

WBNQ



"how much love"

FROM THE ALBUM REVITUP



WZZU 14-9 WAAF 17-11 KATM 22-17 **KDWZ** 29-23 29-26 WOKI **WDBR** 34-28 KTUX 36-30 36-32 999KHI 36-33 KSAQ 37-33 KISR 38-34 95XXX KYYY 38-34 **WPFR** 38-35 **WWFX** 38-35

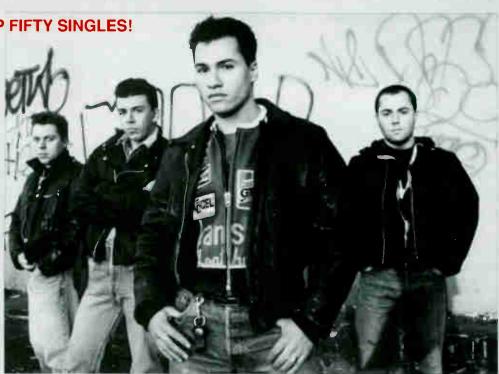
ALBUM BREAKING BIG AT: Musicland National Transworld/Albany Lieberman/National S W Wholesalers/Houston Strawberries/Boston Nat'l Record Mart/Pitt Sam Goody West Pacific Coast One-Stop/L A Baker & Taylor/Chicago

32-30 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES!

K98 add MIX105 add 95XIL add **KLUC** add **WPHR** deb 27 **KJ103** deb 27 deb 28 Z102 **B94** deb 29 **WBLI** deb 30 Y108 deb 30 WGTZ deb 30 **WKRZ** 7-3 WJAD 12-5 WKBQ 6-6 **KCPX** 8-6 WOMP 8-6 WBNQ 12-7 HOT99.9 7-7 KTUX 10-7 KFRX 8-8

WZOK

8-8



"the girl i used to know"

FROM THE ALBUM TRUST

X100 11-9 **KWSS** 10-9 **WPXR** 13-9 **KKHT** 10-9 **WDJX** 9-9 KISR 12-9 **KDWB** 10-10 95XXX 11-10 KFTZ 11-10 **Y94** 11-10 **B98** 15-11 KUBE 18-13 HOT94.9 17-13 HOT97.7 19-14 WMJQ 20-17 XL106 20-17 WZPL 24-20 KQIZ 27-22 Q102 27-23 **KZZP** 27-24 Y107 28-24 WPST 27-24 WKEE 32-26 WVBS 30-26 K92 30-27 WINK 32-28

brother beyond





CROSSOVERS

Records that Top 40 radio should be considering based upon significant airplay & sales success in other formats.

Well, last week's Wildcard James Ingram jumps to the lead spot this week with good moves and phones while Winger continues to gain calls with steady Lp sales. Black Box is spreading out now with good moves and

lots of major market play while **Slaughter** album sales are back up from video play and requests are starting. Watch for **Vanilla Ice** now on SBK. It's already selling and on **KMEL** & **Y95**.

BLACK/DANCE

BLACK BOX EVERYBODY EVERYBODY DECON/ROA

Singles: 37* Albums: — Avg Move: 3.45 Aggrssv: 22 Breaking out of majors with good moves and new play at KKBQ, HOT102, KWOD, KKSS, KSMB, WDBR, WOVV, WBBQ and WQXA. Jumps 33-27 PWR106, 16-11 Z100, 30-25 WPLJ. 28-19 B96. 30-20 WPGC, 19-13 WXKS, 30-25 KRBE, 33-22 PWR96, 25-14 WEGX, 18-14 KMEL. 28-24 WLOL and 30-23 WTIC.

WHISPERS INNOCENT CAPITOL

Single is making gains at Top 40 with new support from WLOL, PWR99, HOT94.9, 999KHI, KSMB, WBBQ, HOT99.9 and KISR. Moving at Y108 12-9. HOT97.7 26-18, KDON 19-12, KF95 39-33. WGY 35-29, KZFM 31-26 and KIKI 27-23.

TKA I WONT GIVE UP ON YOU T.BOY/WB

Singles: — Albums: — Avg Move: 2.69 Aggrssv: 6
Picking up momentum with new play in Boston & Chicago.
New adds at B96, WXKS and KOY. Jumps 15-10 KITY, 29-24
WPLJ, 30-20 HOT97.7, 40-28 WTIC and 33-22 KZFM.

GEORGE LAMOND LOOK INTO COLUMBIA

Second single is going at major markets and gains new adds at B96, KKRZ, KKFR, FM102, HOT102, WCKZ, KSMB, KZOZ, KCAQ and WOKI. Moves for HOT97 22-18 and WWCK 40-36.

BEATS INT'L SHE WON'T ELEKTRA

New single goes right on the radio with early strength in Denver. Adds at WPGC, KOY, HOT97.7, KXXR, KROY, Q105, KS104, KTFM, HOT94.9, Y107 and KZFM. Moving 28-23 Y108.

EN VOGUE LIES ATLANTIC

Singles: — Albums: 23 Avg Move: 4.00 Aggrssv: 5
Top 10 at Black radio and on out of the box at WPGC, HOT97.7,
FM102, WTIC, WCKZ, 999KHI, KLUC, KDON, KCAQ and WQXA.
Moves at WUSL 11-9, KROY 25-17 and KITY Deb 18.

TONY TONI TONE FEELS GOOD WING/POLY

Singles: — Albums: 49* Avg Move: 4.25 Aggrssv: 4
Early moves and sales with adds from KJMZ, KXXR, WCKZ and KLUC. Jumps 12-8 WUSL, 24-17 WPGC and 19-15 KMEL.

ALBUM/ROCK

WINGER CANTIGET ENUFF ATLANTIC

Singles:— Albums: 17 Avg Move: 2.90 Aggrssv: 22
Lp sales continue steady with MTV play helping phones. New at B94, 95XXX, G98, KBFM, KHTY, KIXY, KMOK, KZIO, KZOZ and KSND. Jumps at WAAF 12-8, KRZR 5-2, KATM 11-6, KDWZ 14-10, WKBQ 37-33, KFBQ 32-26, KTRS 40-34, WHTO 40-34, WPFR 30-24, ZFUN 21-15, WBNQ 34-29, KKHT 23-19, SLY96 30-26, WDLX 22-18 and JET-FM 23-19.

SLAUGHTER FLY TO THE ANGELS CHRYSALIS

Singles: — Albums: 25*

Album sales kick in again from MTV play and requests have already begun. New believers at WKBQ, WRVQ, 99KG, KCHX, KFBQ, KNIN and WYYS. Jumps at WAAF 11-6, WPXR 30-26, KATM 25-20, PIRATE Deb 19, WDFX Deb 24 and B94 Deb 28.

STRYPER SHINING STAR ENIGMA

Starting to generate phones and MTV play should help. New for KQIZ, KTRS, WCGQ, WVSR, KQKQ, WAPE, K106 and WYYS. Moves for KTUX 40-34. On at KSAQ, WPFR, KNIN and 999KHI.

LITA FORD LISA RCA

Making gains with new play at MTV, KMOK, WHTO, WPFR, WDBR, WSKZ and KISR. Jumps 30-25 KATM and Deb 36 KSAQ.

JOHN HIATT CHILD OF A&M

Top 20 Rock track and spreading with new adds at WOMP, KRZR and KISR. On at WJMX, KYYY and KTUX.

LONDON QUIREBOYS I DON'T LOVE CAPITOL

Rock 40 play leads with the second single going on at G98, WSKZ and KATM. Moves at KISR 39-35 and PIRATE Deb 20.

POP/ADULT

JAMES INGRAM I DON'T HAVE THE HEART QWEST/WB

Singles: 47* Albums: — Avg Move: 3.10 Aggrssv: 25
Big week at radio with good moves and requests with new play at WZOU, KEGL, KRBE, KUBE, KPLZ, KMEL, PWR99, Q102, Q105, B104, KHTK, KISN, WMJQ, WOVV and ZFUN. Moving at WNCI 8-6, WPLJ 35-31, WBLI 27-23, KXYQ 28-24, KROY 23-15, B97 25-21, FM100 20-16, WOMP 30-21, WZOK 34-25 and WCIL 25-19.

POST MODERN

CONCRETE BLONDE JOEY IRS

Singles: — Albums: — Avg Move: 2.58 Aggrssv: 10 Lp sales are kicking in with MTV Buzz Bin play helping. New for KISN, 999KHI, KBFM, KHTY, KTRS, WBBQ and WPST. Jumps at KSAQ 12-8, KRZR 11-10, FM104 11-8, WXKS 29-23, G98 31-27, KNIN 32-28, KTUX 37-33 and KATM 20-14.

GENE LOVES JEZEBEL JEALOUS GEFFEN

Huge PoMo record is crossing with new adds at 99KG, KKHT, KQIZ, KZOZ, WAYS, WJMX, WWFX and KTUX. Jumps 28-22 WAPI, 33-25 ZFUN, 20-13 KRZR, 25-19 WZZU and 40-35 KZZU.

LIGHTNING SEEDS ALL I WANT MCA

New single goes on out of the box at KSAQ, HOT94.9, 99KG, Q104, WBNQ, WJMX, WKPE and WYCR.

"Close to You"

From the album BONAFIDE

IF YOU NEED A PROVEN ADULT HIT....
THIS IS THE ONE....

WORKING FOR STATIONS FOR 12 WEEKS!

TREMENDOUS 18-34 CALLOUT!

ALREADY TOP 10 IN 21 MARKETS!

AVERAGE MOVE: 3.34

X100 10-4

KRBE 14-5 WTIC 10-8

KUBE 13-9

KKRZ 14-9

PWR9915-10

KOY 23-17

Q102 31-25



MOST ADDED!

29-22 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES!

VH-1 FIVE STAR VIDEO!
MTV ACTIVE!

PROPAGANDA

"Heaven Give Me Words"

TOP 15 ADULT HIT!!
ON YOUR DESK NOW!



HITS August 20, 1990

SPIKE SPEAKS

When Spike Lee told filmgoers to "Do The Right Thing" last summer, few people expected his picture about racial tension in Brooklyn would be the most critically acclaimed and profitable (cost \$4.5 million, grossed \$28.6 million) movie of the year. But the intense, high-vis filmmaker, who also wrote, directed, produced and co-starred in "She's Gotta Have It" and "School Daze," has always challenged his everwidening audience. Now the diminutive Lee, who's the creative force behind Michael Jordan's Nike commercials, is once again attacking racial stereotypes. His new film, "Mo' Better Blues," stars last year's Oscar winner Denzel Washington as Bleek Gilliam, a talented but self-centered jazz trumpet player who is faced with the conflict between his private and public lives. A more personal, less controversial film than "Do The Right Thing," "Mo' Better Blues" features incredible camerawork by Lee's longtime cinematographer Ernest Dickerson, an impressive soundtrack out on Columbia Records, a touch of erotica and some wonderful repartee, including Spike's opinionated sports raps as a habitual gambler down on his luck — the same position HITS' own deadbeat Craig Modderno found himself in when he spoke with the mercurial director.

What didn't you like about jazz movies in the past?

The jazz musicians were always alcoholics or drug addicts. In "Bird," every scene was either too dark or it was raining. My dad [film composer Bill Lee] and I are good friends with Max Roach. and he wanted to make sure the musicians in my film had senses of humor. Both "Bird" and "Round Midnight" were set in the past. My film shows contemporary jazz musicians actually composing and rehearsing. In those other films, you never saw anyone practice. The same thing applies to athletes. You always hear an announcer like Dick Stockton say, "Larry Bird was here practicing for the past five hours." Do they think every black pro basketball player doesn't have to practice when they make the pros because of their natural ability?

Your original title for the film was "A Love Supreme," after the John Coltrane piece. Why did you change it?

"A Love Supreme" is still the best title, but John Coltrane's widow Alice didn't want me to use it. She could have stopped me from using the song itself, too. I had a choice between using his song or the title, so I chose the song. I thought it was very important that we end the film with "A Love Supreme, Part 1." The song has four parts, but only the first part fit the long montage at the end of the movie.

You wrote one pop song in the movie that obviously satirizes how musicians are forced to write down to an audience to be successful commercially.

"Pop Top 40" is about how horrible radio is, and I'm including black radio. Every song on there is about love, love, love, baby, baby — that "I can't live without you" rap. And it sucks. The song epitomizes the sad state of music today.

Do you buy the theory that today's hip-hop music is yesterday's jazz?

No, though I think they're all related. Rappers are good at what they do, but they're not musicians. As much as I like Chuck D, he's not a Duke Ellington or anyone like that.

There's a natural feel to the backstage scenes between Bleek and his band members. Was that scripted or improvised?

Mostly improvised. We had a

three-week rehearsal period. Everybody got along well. We knew the actors couldn't learn their instruments, but at least we wanted them to look real. They had a prerecorded tape of all the music in the film. Denzel took trumpet lessons before we started shooting so he would look good. The guys in the band went to some New York clubs during production and got mistaken for a real group. It was like, if this was a sports film, then you would be hanging out in the locker room. We always see the game, but we don't really see or know the athletes. That's the part I find fascinating.

There are some very sensual

of late to complain since those scenes were in the script from the beginning.

How do you choose the subjects for your movies?

It may seem like I choose them by what's going to be the most controversial, but for me, it's the best story. It's like when I direct a nude scene with Joie. I don't think of her as my sister, but as another actiess

Do you think about what music you're going to use when first writing a script?

I'm always thinking about the music. This film is more music-oriented than any of my previous movies — there are 90 minutes of music out of the two hours. I don't

"'Pop Top 40' is about how horrible radio is, and I'm including black radio. Every song on there is about love, love, love, baby, baby."

scenes in "Mo' Better Blues." Did the specter of an X-rating hold you back?

This movie is kind of tame. Denzel had problems with the love scenes. He didn't want to take off his shirt in the second love scene, claiming he makes love a lot with his shirt on. I think that was kind

listen to music while I write. I didn't learn to play an instrument mostly as a rebellion against my dad, who's a jazz musician. I took piano lessons for three months, then quit

Do you feel race is an issue in jazz music?

Racism exists everywhere, so I



don't see any reason why jazz should be excluded.

You recently said there's a great difference between prejudice and racism. What does that mean?

I made that comment in regard to the boycott of the Korean grocery store in Brooklyn. I was saying it was hard for black people to be called racists because, to me, racism is a white institution. Black people have never been in a position to pass laws saying white people can't vote, or can't live in this neighborhood, or can't intermarry. But anybody can be prejudiced. That's the difference to me between racism and prejudice.

Why didn't you cast a white musician in the film?

There aren't that many good white jazz musicians. It's the same debate with white basketball players where they always throw Larry Bird in your face. When white musicians like Kenny G are considered legit... well, I rest my case.

Has any of the criticism directed at you as a filmmaker been justified or taught you anything?

There've been certain things that they've nailed me on which I don't agree with. But they're on target when they say I don't write good female characters, which is something I'm working on. I need to give my female characters more depth.

Why do you use some of the same actors in your films and not others?

I hate to keep using sports references, but any of the great

teams can't stand pat. The Celtics, the Lakers, the Yankees are all getting old. If you use the same actors or players again and again, you get flat. I try to keep the casts in my movies fresh for that reason.

It's been reported that you're being considered to direct a film about the life of Malcolm X starring Denzel Washington.

Right now I'm still on hold waiting to see what Norman Jewison will do. He may end up directing it. I may do "Fences," which Eddie Murphy owns the rights to, but I will definitely not do "Dreamgirls," which some publications have been writing.

Your next film will be "Jungle Fever."

I don't really want to talk about it too much, because I don't want to be picketed in Bensonhurst. The movie is about a romantic relationship between a young black architect who, through a series of events, finds himself in a relationship with a young Italian-American girl from Bensonhurst. Where "Do The Right Thing" was about race, this is about a more combustible combination of race and class with an Italian from Brooklyn and a black professional.

Is this a good time to be a black filmmaker?

It's wide open now. "House Party" cost \$2.5 million and ended up making \$25 million. That's not to say it's still not a struggle, but it's somewhat easier for blacks to get films made today in Hollywood.

How do you think the film industry regards you?

I have the best of both worlds. I'm

DENZEL WASHINGTON shows SPIKE LEE how to blow his own horn, as if he needed to know.



independent, but I've got a film studio in Universal willing to finance anything I want within a certain budget. And I don't have to take meetings or do lunch!

You recently opened a store in Brooklyn selling Spike Lee Tshirts, buttons and other promotional items from your films. Is this enterprise for your pocketbook or your ego?

There's a vast market for merchandise. You can't finance films from it, but the money's good, believe me.

Who is your favorite filmmaker?

make "Mo' Better Blues" about a rap, soul or rock musician instead of a jazz artist?

Black kids know who Public Enemy and Bobby Brown and Michael Jackson are. They should also know who Duke Ellington and Count Basie were. There's a great miseducation out there. But it's everywhere. You go to the roster of any major league baseball team and ask who Jackie Robinson is, and they don't know. Curt Flood sacrificed his entire career to open up this free agency thing and challenge the anti-trust laws,

"Denzel had problems with the love scenes. He didn't want to take off his shirt..."

Martin Scorsese. I like the way he moves the camera, the performances he gets from his actors and the risks he takes. I'd like to act in one of his films.

Did you feel any pressure to

and neither white nor black kids know who he is. I want my films to entertain kids and expose them to new explosions of thought.

How do you think your beloved Knicks will do this year?

The Knicks will win their division if Jackson and Vandeweghe have good years. They need a healthy Oakley to help keep Ewing from getting beat up. Boston's too old and overrated. If Barkley has another great year and Bol plays tough, Philly could battle the Knicks to the end.

How did you feel about the sanctions imposed against UNLY?

It's a shame the team got punished for something that happened a long time ago. But you get the feeling people there expected the decision and knew they had gotten caught.

What's the best thing about being a celebrity?

Sometimes it allows me to get in free or get great seats for sporting events. That and making films is all I ever wanted out of life. ▲



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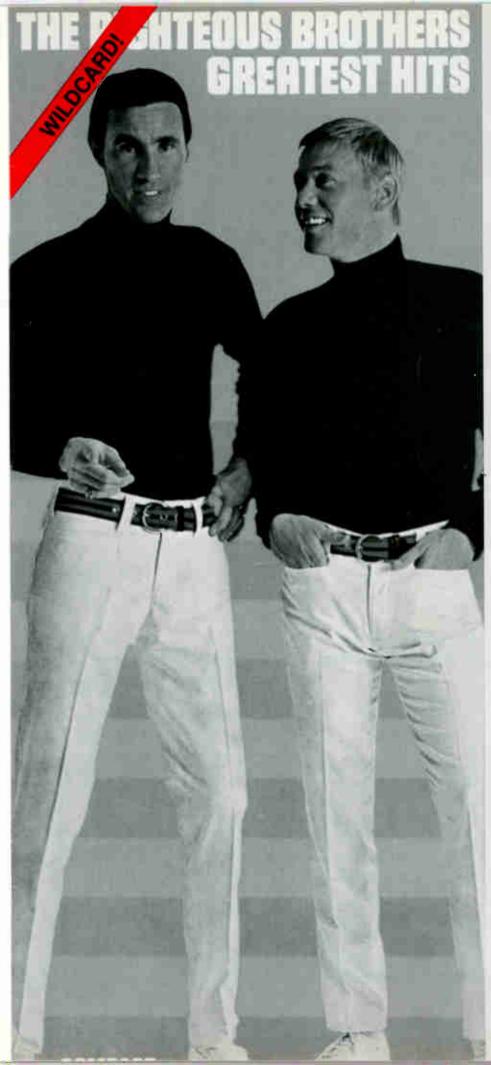
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#1 BLACK SINGLE
TONY TONI TONE "Feels Good" Wing/PG
#1 BLACK ALBUM
MC HAMMER "Please Hammer..." Capital

#1 RAP ALBUM
MC HAMMER "Please Hammer..." Capitol

#1 QUIET STORM
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Y B TEENAGERS Nobody Knows Kelli Soul 18416 dead presidents from coast to coast. Boogie Down Productions' new LP, "Edutainment," is bustin' big out of the box with virtually no

This week we'll spotlight a few releases that are puttin' smiles on retailers' faces. As we laid it down to you last week, hip-hop is clockin'

airplay. Radio response is also weak on The West Coast Rap All-Stars, despite it pulling in mondo green on the street level. Almost all its

points are from sales.

Luther Campbell should be sending his girls over to Jack Thompson's house in gratitude, as his single is Top 10 retail and the LP is hovering just under, poised to attack. These are overall sales, folks, not just black retail.

Two records are jingling the registers with non-traditional sales patterns. Doc Box & B-Fresh's "Slow Love" is spreading like wildfire from West to East after takin' the Bay Area, and Vanilla Ice's "Ice Ice Baby" is all over the Southwest, Texas, and Detroit. It has been picked up by SBK, with radio getting served soon. Expect an explosion.

On the R&B tip, Tony Toni Tone (pictured) are enjoying an album sales surge thanks to the strong airplay on "Feels Good," while The Boys are riding a strong video all the way to the bank.

Remember! Think SALES! SALES! SALES! SALES! SALES!

HITS August 20, 1990

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6 3 3	BELL BIV DEVOE Do Me	MCA	21 18 18	NAJEE/V.WILLIAMS I'll Be Good	EMI
4 4 4	THE TIME Jerk Out	P.Park/Reprise	22 19 19	POOR RIGHTEOUS Rock Dis Funky	Profile
5 7 5	BABYFACE My Kinda Girl	Solar/Epic	8 15 20	KEITH SWEAT Make You Sweat	Vin/Elektra
1 2 6	MARIAH CAREY Vision Of Love	Columbia	14 11 21	GEOFF MCBRIDE Gotta Good	Arista
12 8 7	WHISPERS Innocent	Capitol	26 20 22	MELBA MOORE Do You Really	Capitol
16 10 8	EN VOGUE Lies	Atlantic	26 23	BLACK BOX Everybody	Dcon/RCA
17 12 9	MC HAMMER Have You Seen	Capitol	30 23 24	BODY Touch Me Up	MCA
2 1 10	ANITA BAKER Talk To Me	Elektra	25 21 25	WINANS A Friend	Qwest/WB
20 13 11	THE BOYS Crazy	Motown	27 26	LALAH HATHAWAY Heaven	Virgin
3 9 12	AFTER 7 Can't Stop	Virgin	27	FATHER MC Treat Them Like	MCA
30 13	PRINCE Thieves In The	P.Park/Warner Bros	28	3 X DOPE Weak At The Knees	Arista
18 14 14	BASIC BLACK She's Mine	Motown	29 29	BARRY WHITE When Will I See	A&M
28 16 15	WEST COAST RAPPERS We're All In	Warner Brothers	11 28 30	JOHNNY GILL My,My,My	Motown .
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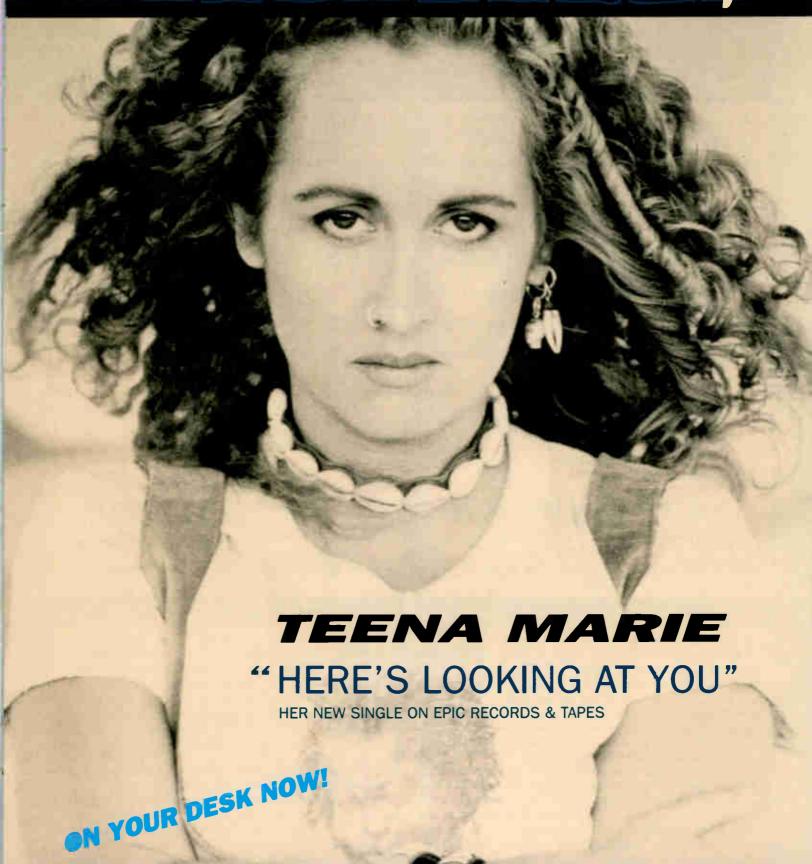
feel any executive worth his/her salt would want



By Graham Armstrong

to know the real deal, not hype....This week's Black Album Chart supports the old adage, "There's strength in numbers." MC Hammer is selling out concert dates in every city he plays, with most promoters begging for additional shows. THAT'S STRENGTH IN NUMBERS! Mariah Carey has one of the biggest sales hits of the year, and no doubt we will be hearing her name called from the podium of a number of awards shows next year. Her new single, "Love Takes Time," looks destined to keep the registers ringin'. STRENGTH IN NUMBERS! 2 Live Crew is receiving a million dollars worth of free publicity, and are becoming more important now that they are selling heavy units. REPEAT AF-TER ME — STRENGTH IN NUMBERS!!! Later.

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	Please Hammer	
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2 3 3	ANITA BAKER	Elektra
	Compositions	
4 6 4	BELL BIV DEVOE	MCA
	Poison	
3 4 5	KEITH SWEAT	Vin/Elektra
	I'll Give All My	
6 5 6	JOHNNY GILL	Motown
	Johnny Gill	
8 7 7	2 LIVE CREW	Luke/Atlantic
	Banned	
7 8 8	THE TIME	P.Park/Reprise
	Pandemonium	
9 9 9	EN VOGUE	Atlantic
	Born To Sing	
12 13 10	JANET JACKSON	A&M
	Rhythm Nation	
11 10 11	ICE CUBE	Priority
	Amerikkka's Most	
13 11 12	SNAP	Arista
	World Power	
10 12 13	DIGITAL UNDERGROUND	Tommy Boy
	Sex Packets	
14 14	AFTER 7	Virgin
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14 15	LISA STANSFIELD Affection	Arista
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RAP ALBUMS

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1 1 1	MC HAMMER Please Hammer	Capitol
2 2 2	2 LIVE CREW Banned	Luke/Atlantic
4 3 3	ICE CUBE Amerikkka's Most	Priority
3 4 4	DIGITAL UNDERGROUND Sex Packets	Tommy Boy
5 5 5	2 LIVE CREW As Nasty As	Luke
6	BOOGIE DOWN Edutainment	Jive/RCA
6 6 7	PUBLIC ENEMY Fear Of A Black	Def Jam/Col
7 7 8	ERIC B. & RAKIM Let The Rhythm	MCA
10 8 9	SPECIAL ED Legal	Profile
9 9 10	KID FROST Hispanic Causing	Virgin
8 10 11	WEST COAST RAPPERS We're All In The	WB
12	D'NICE Call Me D'Nice	Jive/RCA
13	SHINEHEAD The Real Rock	Elektra
[14	KYPER Tic-Tac-Toe	Atlantic
11 12 15	KID SENSATION Rolling With	Nastymix

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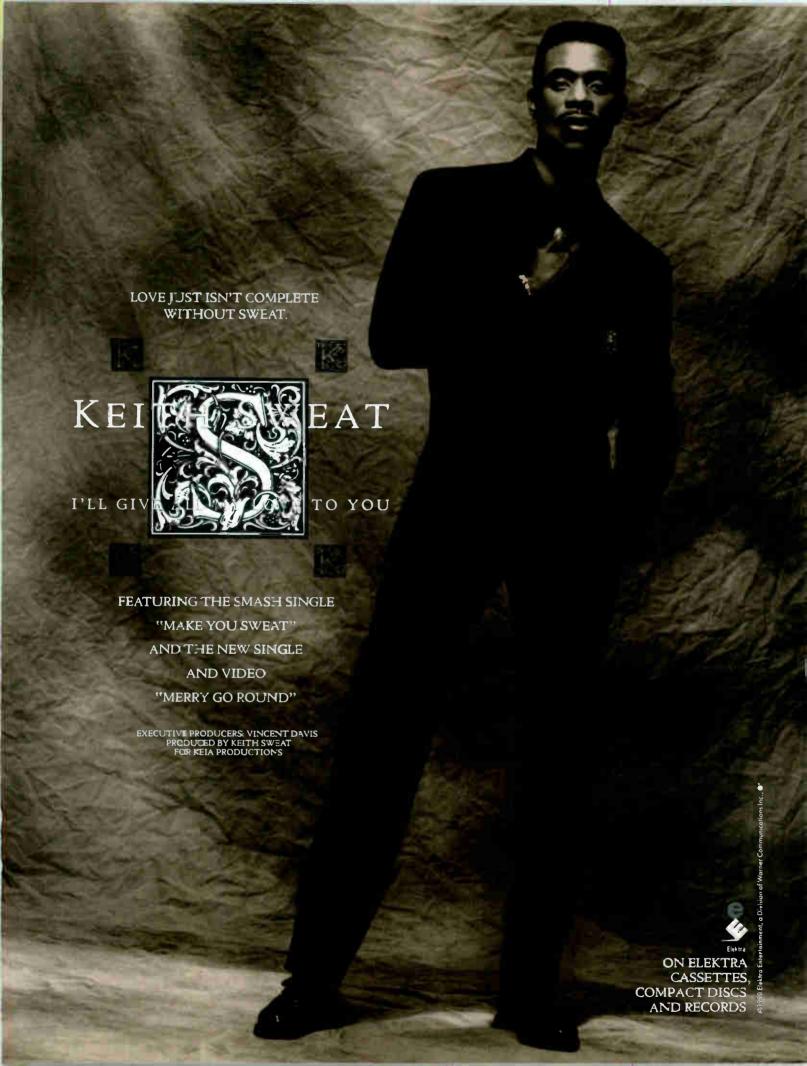
Last week's rumblings look set to turn into a couple of MAJOR quakes, as word of a BIG upheaval is coming from money-makin' Manhattan. At least one label is going to see changes at the top, and sources say its nail bitin'

time. This could have a HUGE and far-reaching ripple effect, so hold on to your seats, cause we could be in for a wild ride!...It looks like established star Sylvia Rhone will ease into her new role at East-West gradually, as she's set to steer the ship at Atlantic until things realign themselves. Could Richard Nash be a bigger part of the new equation?...Industry vet Vernon Slaughter will be downin' some Georgia peaches now that he has been named VP/GM of La Face Records...Is Skip Miller a free agent now that there have been big changes at the Nipper? Stay Tuned....If and when Cecil Holmes exits Black Rock for Dick Scott's burgeoning empire, will we see more of Sarah Melendez? Sources say bank on it....Hank Spann looks set to take the top Black Music promo slot at



Bunnyland. Is this the whole story?...On the right side of the dial, NY powerhouse WBLS's PD Ray Boyd has unexpectantly exited. Fred Buggs will be the interim programmer, but sources say it's just a matter of time before

THE KING retakes his throne....Over at WGCI, James Alexander has accepted the PD slot and a reportedly huge bag of cash. Look for him to take the helm before the all-important fall book....Sources confirm that rap kingpin Russell Simmons has put a power move on Sleeping Bag, snatching EPMD and Nice & Smooth, and moving them over to his newly formed RUSH Associated Labels. With a client base like his, a move like this could make a lot of folks nervous. WILL HE STRIKE AGAIN?...Meanwhile, Russ' old sidekick Bill Stephney is set to go at SOUL, with the MCA-distributed label formally announcing itself this week. Both these guys play hard, and play smart. Things might get interesting....If the No Face record hits, could we see a change at Yo!



FL/X



Here's Zulu Nation founder and hip-hop legeral Afrika Bambaataa, a man with a rich and illustrious history in this business paralled only by that of Graham Armstrong (yeah right - E1.), greeting EMI's young upstart the Jaz. The record company didn't give us any background on this jazzy snap, but we felt obliged to share it with you. Thank you for your time. You may leave now.



What wou d we do without a pic of Barry White, the man who sets VH-1 party gal Merideth Osbourne's panties aftame? Barry is seen embracing Jermaine Jackson and James Ingram, who really have no choice but to go along with the big guy, who could squash them like bugs in a millisecond.



Here's the crew hired by Yankees owner George Steinbrenner to "pay a little call" to comissioner Fay "Don't Call Me Fey" Vincent to "see if he could get his little toy back." Who could say no to this adorable bunch of pussycats, who are truly credits to their loving monts? Perhaps of Pete Rose should have enlisted their services, so he could have avoided the need for lessons in applying mascara. Pictured (l-r) are Above The Law's Go-Mack, K.M.G. The Illustrator, Total K-Oss, Cold 187 um, all fresh from a warmup skirmish with the Lench Mob at the New Music Seminar, and Yo! MTV Raps's turntable whiz Dr. Dre and Ed Lover, the man with the mouth, but sadly no face.

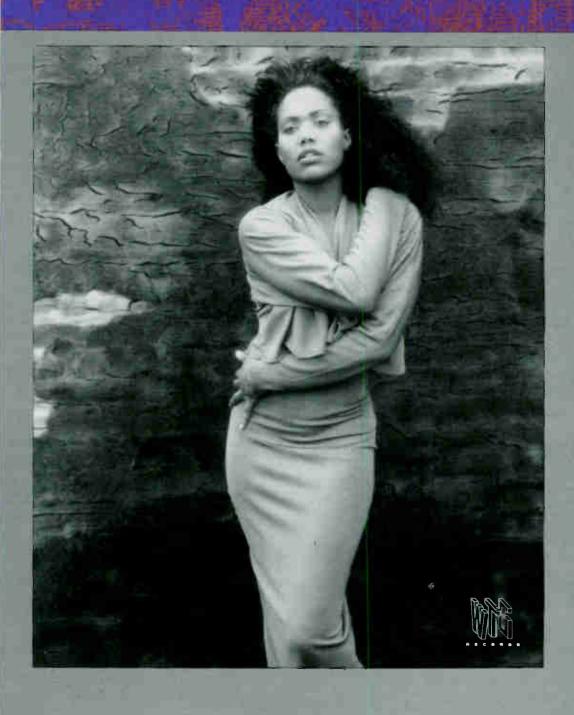


That naughty Ed Eckstine 'pictured at reft)! 'the jus can't keep his grubby little mitts to himself. He latest victin is Cameo stalwart Tomi Jenkins, seen here gettin' the old goose from the Polygram VP. Rising star Oleta Adams and Cameo mainman _arry Blackmon are obviously amused by this indiscretion. Oleta's manager David Wernham (r) didn't get the joke. (Ed. Note: That was a pretty poor excuse for a joke.)



Every cance in a while, we like to see if we can compete with our mighty mentors at Billboard and run a thoroughly riveting picture with a bunch of industry egends signing some kind of deal, so here it goes. Pictured from left to righ are Warner Chappell Sr. Creative VP Rick Shoemacher (who is out about 100 g's), attorney Peter Lopez (who billed for 10), EMI recording artist and new W.C. signing Morris Rentie (who pulled in 80 after commission, and therefore has the biggest smile), and W.C.'s Les Bider and Rachelle Fields (who looks just beautiful).

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QUIET STORM

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2 2 2	ANITA BAKER Compositions	Elektra
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4 4 4	JOHNNY GILL Johnny Gill	Motown
5 5 5	BELL BIV DEVOE Poison	MCA
6 7 6	AFTER 7 After 7	Virgin
7 6 7	EN VOGUE Born To Sing	Atlantic
9 9 8	JANET JACKSON Rhythm Nation	A&M
8 8 9	TONY, TONI, TONE The Revival	Wing/Poly
13 10 10	LISA STANSFIELD Affection	Arista
11 11 11	BABYFACE Tender Lover	Epic
13 12	WHISPERS More Of The Night	Capitol
- 14 13	DOC BOX & B. FRESH Doc Box & B. Fresh	Motown
14 15 14	HOWARD HEWETT Howard Hewett	Elektra
15	MC HAMMER	Capitol

(Based on retail sales)

Please Hammer...

SOFT & WARM



STORM WATCH: Keith Sweat (pictured) is living up to his name - he's H-O-T! His current LP, "I'll Give All My Love To You," is picking up where his debut left off, with radio and retail feeling the heat. Fans are bombarding request lines to hear their favorite track from this platinum +

platter, which was designed with the LP buyer in mind, as it is chock full of great songs. Quiet Storm has virtually picked his next single, "Merry Go Round," as proven by KKDA's Peter Arnell, who notes that "after the LP hit we featured it, and have had heavy phones across the board." Tina Carson of WAAA adds that "just the mention of his name causes female listeners to break out into his name." We all know where there's smoke there's fire, and where's there's fire, there's Sweat.

RADIO AIRPLAY

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15	6	5	K.SWEAT	G.LEVERT Just One Of Those	Vin/Elektra
3	3	6	JOHNNY (GILL My, My, My	Motown
11	8	7	MC HAMM	IER Have You Seen Her	Capitol
6	7	8	REGINA B	BELLE This Is Love	Columbia
19	11	9	HOWARD	HEWETT If I Could	Elektra
14	15	10	TERRY ST	T EELE If I Told You Once	SBK
10	9	11	TROOP	All I Do Is Think	Atlantic
9	20		KEITH SW	IEAT Merry Go Round	Vin/Elektra
		13	ANITA BA	KER Whatever It Takes	Elektra
7	13	14	JEFF RED	D Love High	MCA
24	16	15	TIME	Sometimes I get	P.Park/Reprise
12	10	16	CARL AN		GRP
5	14	17	A.WINBUS	SH/R.ISLEY Lay Your Troubles	Polygram
13	12	18	AFTER 7	Can't Stop	Virgin
25	22	19	PERRI	Someone Like You	MCA
-	23	20	BABYFAC	CE Where Will You	Solar/Epic
23	17	21	CLARKE	& DUKE Lady	Epic
		22	MILIRA	Go Outside In	Motown
	24	23	BELL BIV	DEVOE When Will I See	MCA
-	25	24	RANDY C	RAWFORD Cigarette In The	Warner Brothers
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Pop records are abundant this week in a close race won by the new Breathe single. Michael Bolton is next with his 4th cut, it's a cover and it's a smash. The new Duran Duran gets rave reviews from Top 40 and could be a big project. The debut single from Sydney Youngblood has a strong first week and radio is yelling Top 10. Watch the Slaughter, it's a monster. The Righteous Brothers cut from "Ghost" gets immediate Top 10 phones.

WINNERS

- **BREATHE**
- MICHAEL BOLTON GEORGIA...
- **DURAN DURAN S YOUNGBLOOD**
- **EN VOUGE**
- VIOLENCE OF... I'D RATHER... **LIES**

SAY A PRAYER

- (A&M)
- (Columbia) (Capitol)
- (Arista)
- (Atlantic)
- STEVIE V
- **SLAUGHTER** 8
 - **RIGHTEOUS BROS.** UNCHAINED...
- 9 L SEEDS
- 10 **WORLD PARTY**
- **DIRTY CASH**
- (Chrys) FLY TO...
- (Verv/Poly)
- **ALL I WANT** (MCA)
 - PUT THE... (Ens/Chrys)

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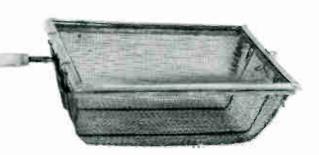
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- D AGRESTO/TRACKS/NORFOLK Hearthrobs/Stryper/Rippingtons
- B ALBRIGHT/SAM GOODY/EDISON Extreme/D Fogelberg/Jellyfish/W (Not Was)
- TREY ALEXANDER/WRON/TOLEDO S Youngblood/Slaughter/BC Opera
- RICK ANDRADE/ZIPS/TUCSON G Brooks/L Seeds/Prince/K Rogers
- TRACY AUSTIN/B93/AUSTIN D Duran/Breathe/TL Fisher
- WILLIE B/KWOD/SACRAMENTO V Ice/J Jackson/BB Devoe
- G BAIN/Q RECORDS & VIDEO/MIAMI S Youngblood/R Bros/M Bolton/L Seeds
- DAVE BAKER/WJMX/FLORENCE M Bolton/Breathe
- ROBIN BANKS/JET-FM/ERIE D Mode/J Ingram/W Party
- M BARNHILL/RECORD BAR/DURHAM D Duran/En Vogue/B Box/G Brooks
- CINDY BARR/SPECS/MIAMI Pebbles/S Youngblood/En Vogue/B Black
- J BELL/KATM/COLORADO SPRINGS Aerosmith/Asia

- JIM BENDER/KIKI/HONOLULU Stevie V/MC Trouble/Candyman
- KEN BENSON/WRQN/TOLEDO Slaughter/M Bolton/S Youngblood
- FRANKIE BLUE/Z100/NY Stevie V/Soho/Deee Lite
- BEN BRENT/WALL TO WALL/PHILA I Obsession/Stevie V/G Medeiros/Winger
- **GUY BROUILLARD/CKOI/MONTREAL** W Party/Breathe/D Duran
- SCOTT BURTON/WRCK/UTICA F Angel/Slaughter/Breathe
- DAVE CARROLL/CD ONE-STOF/CONN D Duran/J Addiction/Hearthrobs/W Party
- TOM CASEY/KJMZ/DALLAS En Vogue/Milira
- **BILL CATCHER/WANS/GREENVILLE** M Bolton/D Duran/J Ingram
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- I CHAFFERDET/UNIQUE/N HYDE PK Seduction/M Bolton/L Ford/LL Cool J
- **BOB CHASE/KISR/FT SMITH** C Blonde/Breathe/M Bolton
- BEAVER CLEAVER/WNVZ/NORFOLK Breathe/D Mode/Whispers

- DAVE CRISTOPHER/KWTX/WACO Breathe/M Bolton/Stryper
- ALBIE D/WPGC/WASH DC S Youngblood/Stevie V/H Hewitt
- JEFF DOUGLES/0104/GADSDEN S Youngblood/Slaughter/D Duran/LA Guns
- J DUNCAN/WHEREHOUSE/ENCINO Breathe/D Duran/L Seeds
- **GARY DUNES/930/SYRACUSE** Breathe
- RICK ELLIOT/WDBR/SPRINGFIELD M Bolton/Pebbles/G Medeiros/After 7
- DAVE ELLIOTT/WAVA/WASH DC G Michael/After 7/Pebbles
- MARK FEATHER/WQXA/YORK En Vogue/B Box/D Mode
- R FEDDOR/TOWER/SHERMAN OAKS J Jones/Sundays/F No More
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- CHUCK FINLEY/WYYS/COLUMBIA Breathe/W Party/M Bolton/Stryper
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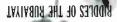
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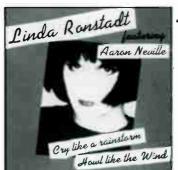
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NEIL HARRISON/K 106/BEAUMONT S Youngblood/M Bolton/Stevie V

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D HOUGHTON/UNIVERSAL/PHILLY A Bros/K Frost/S Youth/M Priest

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K JAKIELA/GALAXY/PITTSBURG M Band/L Ford/M Bolton/LL Cool J

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P JOHNSON/PRO 1-STOP/TEMPE C Blonde/M Priest/C Trick/K Frost

R KALUSA/KWNZ/RENO After 7/J Jackson/J Gill/J Ingram

JOHN KELLY/KYYY/BISMARCK Slaughter/G LaMond/Breathe/LA Guns

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B LABORDE/KCPX/SALT LAKE CITY S Youngblood/Breathe/M Bolton

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D Duran/S Youngblood/B Int'I/T Page

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JEFF MCHUGH/WNOK/COLUMBIA S Youngblood/R Bros

LISA MCKAY/WRVQ/RICHMOND D Mode/J Gill/Slaughter

W MERRITT/SEA PORT/PORTLAND Laquan/L Ford/C Mayfield/Seduction

SEAN MICHAELS/KTRS/CASPER M Bolton/Pebbles/C Blonde

TIM MIKKELS/KKNB/LINCOLN M Bolton/Breathe

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J ROSE/WESTERN MERCH/AMARILLO Breathe/L Seeds/G Next Door/K Rogers

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RANDY ROSS/WGTZ/DAYTON M Bolton/En Vogue

DAVE ROY/TRANSWORLD/ALBANY Prince/INXS/Pebbles/Stryper

PETE RUSSO/RECORD BAR/LENOX Dino/LL Cool J/L Stansfield/M Priest

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"EVERYBODY EVERYBODY"

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FROM THE ALBUM STEVIE B

"LOVE & AFFECTION"

26-23

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T SBRIGLIA/TRANSCONTINENT/BUFF R Bros/En Vogue/P Life/Breathe

M SCHNEIDER/APPLE TREE/ILLINOIS N Bros/C Blonde/J Hiatt/A Bros

SANDY SCOTT/KAKS/AMARILLO Breathe/S Youngblood/Stevie V

JIM SCOTT/KNIN/WICHITA FALLS D Duran/Breathe/G Next Door/L Seeds

BARBARA SELTZER/EPIC/NEW YORK S Youngblood/B Int'1/En Vogue

J SHAHINIAN/RECORD EXCH/CLEVE JB Jovi/I Pop/Prince/D Duran

A SHANE/WIKZ/CHAMBERSBURG Pebbles/G LaMond/S Youngblood

JAY SHANNON/KFQX/ABILENE R Children/Slaughter/En Vogue

K SHEDD/D IN THE VALLEY/MPLS N Bros/Pixies/L Seeds

L SHOSTAK/Q107/WA D.C. Breathe/Slaughter/M Bolton/R Life D SIBEL/HARVARD CO-OP/BOSTON Pixies/Cavedogs/N Bros/Prince

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KATT SIMON/KOKZ/WATERLOO Breathe/M Bolton/C & Johnny O

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B THE KID/KJ103/OKLAHOMA CITY M Bolton/Candyman/R Bros

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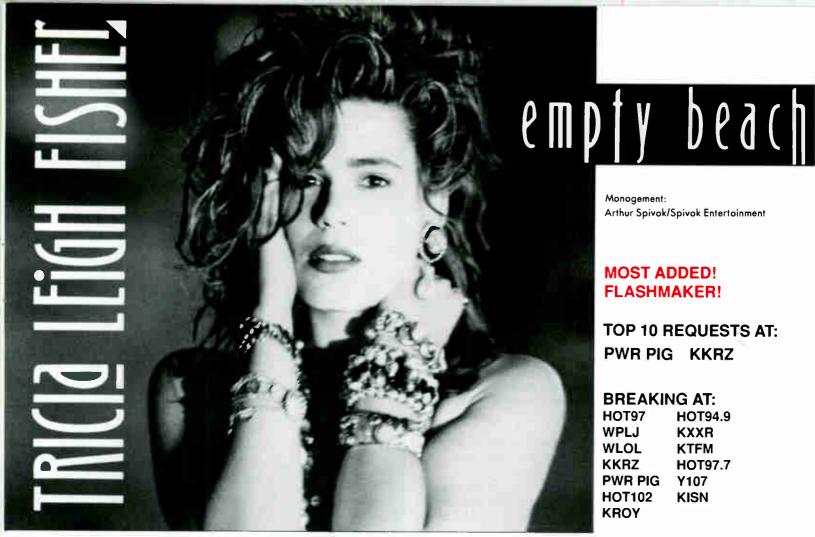
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PWR106 add **WXKS** add **KMEL** add

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THE REAL McCOY

Luke Lewis has been an important cog in the hitmaking machinery for over fifteen years. A veteran of the music distribution/marketing wars first with CBS and now with MCA and its affiliated labels - Lewis makes sure that artists get their best shot in the retail arena. He began his successful climb up the distribution music ladder as a CBS sales rep in Nashville. For thirteen years, from '76-89, he learned his trade helping to distribute and market CBS product in such label outposts as New England, Houston and Dallas, either as a Branch Manager or a Sales Manager, gamering seven "Branch of the Year" awards in the process. Eighteen months ago, at the behest of Al Teller, Lewis moved over to MCA, where he had been working as VP of Fleid Marketing until his recent promotion to Sr. VP and General Manager, Audio Distribution for MCA Distribution Corp., which means - in fancy record company parlance — Lewis makes sure the records get in the stores and in the customer's face. HITS' Michael Amicone has been known to get in a few faces himself.

What's the first step in marketing a record?

Obviously, the first thing you've got to do is get the thing positioned. You have to sell it to the right people and let them know that you're committed to it and turn 'em onto the music, which is fundamentally the bottom line. This whole thing has a way of getting pretty complicated, and it's not. It's still about this network of people of which the retailer is obviously a vital link - that ultimately has to expose the music to your customer. You can go out there and get all the video-play and airplay you want, but if it's not in the store, you're not gonna sell it.

You obviously use certain incentives, like "buy it and try it" - type programs.

I'm involved in programs for our developing artists whereby retailers position a certain number of these records every month in the front of their store or in a special section at a sales price. The trick there is, you've gotta decide when do you take your shot, in which region and with what retail chain? And it costs some money, in some cases, a little more money than I think it should. I'm not always comfortable that, in all cases, retailers are sharing the burden. There are occasions when some of them use those funds either to promote their own chain or toward their bottom line, and that's a bit disturbing.

How do you actively compete against other labels with similar programs?

They operate in different ways. Many retailers have committees that sit down and review all the records with a say-so about which records go in. The first thing you have to do is pay 'em. If you don't pay, you don't play. They do have a restrictive list, and there is competition for it. So you have your sales and marketing people go in and turn 'em on to the music and let 'em know that you're going to support it with airplay, a tour, videoplay or press. They have to believe you're committed.

Since visibility is so important, how do you feel about the efforts to eliminate the 6x12 inch CD longbox?

Well, it's a double-edged sword.
Conceivably, if you didn't have the 6x12 and stores were refixtured — and that's the touchy issue here — people could see more titles.
Retailers are concerned about refixturing and theft, but the world's worned about the environment. I think it's inevitable that everybody will face up to the fact we've got a piece of product that's over-packaged, and we must come up with an alternative.

Where do you stand on the current record labeling issue — something that directly affects your ability to distribute and market a record? I'm on a committee here that



decides whether something might be objectionable. We all have young children. For us to decide to put a sticker on a recording which we might find patertly offensive seems like a reasonable and a responsible thing to dc — and we do it. Personally, I finc the current legislative movement of the issue totally unacceptable and certainly unconstitutional. I'm really afraid that the nightly news is more damaging and disturbing to my children than 2 Live Crew. I'm one of those

not, but when somebody tells me I can't have it, I've got a problem. How do you budget your time among all the records you have to work?

We're trying to get 'em all. Obviously, priorities are identified. But I don't believe it should be left to somebody like myself or anybody in distribution or sales to pick a priority like that. There's obviously an enthusiasm level that comes with any record — and that always has an impact — but generally

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people who feels that watching after your kids is a matter for the parent. I don't want anybody dictating to me. I appreciate somebody putting a sticker with an R or X rating on a move or album so I have an indication of whether I should let my kids see or hear it or

we're going after every one and trying to find a home for all. Otherwise, why spend the money making 'em? We're all standing at a huge crap table. You have to put money down on every roll or else there's no sense standing there.

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1	1	SONIC YOUTH - DGC Kool Thing	MTV Buzz Bin!
2	2	CONCRETE BLONDE - IRS Various	MTV Buzz Bin
3	3	IGGY POP - Virgin Home	HUGE
4	4	GENE LOVES JEZEBEL - Geffen Jealous	Radio fave
5	5	WORLD PARTY - Ensign/Chrys. Message	Solid Top 5
6	6	DAVID J - BB/RCA I'll be your	Breakout sales
7	7	AZTEC CAMERA - Sire/Reprise The Crying Scene	MTV Buzz Bin
10	8	RAILWAY CHILDREN - Virgin Every Beat	Huge gains
8	9	DEPECHE MODE - Sire/Reprise Policy of Truth	Depeche > Life
24	10	JANE'S ADDICTION - WB Stop	Big, ok?
9	11	HOTHOUSE FLOWERS - London/Poly Various	PoMo sales
13	12	HAPPY MONDAYS - Elektra Step On	Nice tan Jon
21	13	PIXIES - 4AD/Elektra Velouria	Do they tan?
15	14	ULTRA VIVID SCENE - 4AD/Columbia Various	Sales start
11	15	DEVO - Enigma Post Post-Modern Man	Needs sales
12	16	JOHN HIATT - A&M Child of Wild	Top 10 sales
20	17	CANDY FLIP - Atlantic Various	Massive
16	18	REAL LIFE - Curb God Tonight	Praying helps
14	19	REVENGE - Capitol Various	Sales lead
18	20	MIDNIGHT OIL - Columbia Various	PoMo idols
22	21	JESUS JONES - SBK Never Enough	On tour soon
17	22	THE SUNDAYS - DGC Various	New tour soon
23	23	LIGHTNING SEEDS - MCA Sweet Dreams	New PoMo cut
	24	STONE ROSES - Silvertone/RCA One Love	ANOTHER cut?
	25	SOUP DRAGONS - Big Life/Merc	Early fave

POST TOASTED By Ivana B. Adored

IS IT TOO LIVE?: Just in from the wire services, courtesy of Jerry Rubino from Rough Trade and WFDU: PoMo favorites, Too Much Joy, were arrested in Florida for performing a 2 Live Crew song in their set. The drummer, however, was not arrested because he wasn't singing. What about lip-synching a 2 Live Crew song? Would that be grounds for arrest? Shouldn't the scam of lip-synching be grounds for arrest by itself? What if PoMo "wunderkinds"

Milli Vanilli went on tour with 2 Live Crew? What would be the legal, political and artistic ramifications of that pairing? The mind boggles....Steve Backer is the new "Alternative Kingpin" at Epic, VP stripes and with everything. That other guy, Jack Ipswich, or something like that, has been forgotten very quickly. (And he wonders why my sister didn't invite him to her wedding). Anyway, Steve will be harrassing you about a bunch of bands he's never heard, but



My boyfriend took this photo:

Steve Wynn: We all love him.

take it from Ivana, the new Living Colour LP is way godlike. Oh yeah, Backer has been known to play pool for catalog CDs. He's a lousy pool player......As the self proclaimed "Dowager Empress" of the PoMo set, I'm concerned that this format is becoming a "classic hits (that never were)" vehicle for bands from the 1980's. Very few debut acts have gotten onto the PoMo chart, with the encouraging exception of bands like the Sundays, Lightning Seeds and Mazzy Star. Please encourage your staff to seek out new bands, or this format will have no future. This tirade was precipitated by the nostalgia-like atmosphere of the "Escape From NY Tour," with Debbie Harry, the Ramones, (who were real good), et al..... The Pixies and Jane's Addiction took mondo upward leaps on the chart. If the Pixies LP can keep me "sane" during a two hour misadventure driving around (lost) in "The Valley", imagine what it can do for you.....Even without the participation of major-babe-on-the-injured-list Kevin Elster, the Mets still stomped all over the Dodgers. Send get-well cards to Kevin, care of Shea Stadium. Thank you.....Leshay had dinner with Nick Cave. Hell hath no fury like a woman scorned.... The Sundays, with SPECIAL GUESTS Yo La Tengo start another tour next week. YAY!....The Blue Nile are, therefore I exist.....Just wait for the ensuing onslaught of MAJOR releases. I'm so LUCKY that I've had the new Replacements LP to get me through the "dog days" of summer

I'm Free

SOUL ASYLUM SPINNIN'

"Spinnin', " the first single from the new album Soul Asylum And The Horse They Rode In On

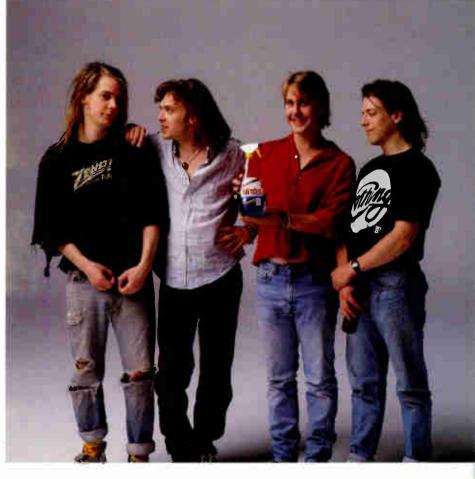
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- 3. IGGY POP (Virgin)
- **CONCRETE BLONDE (IRS)**
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- 5. JELLYFISH (Charisma)

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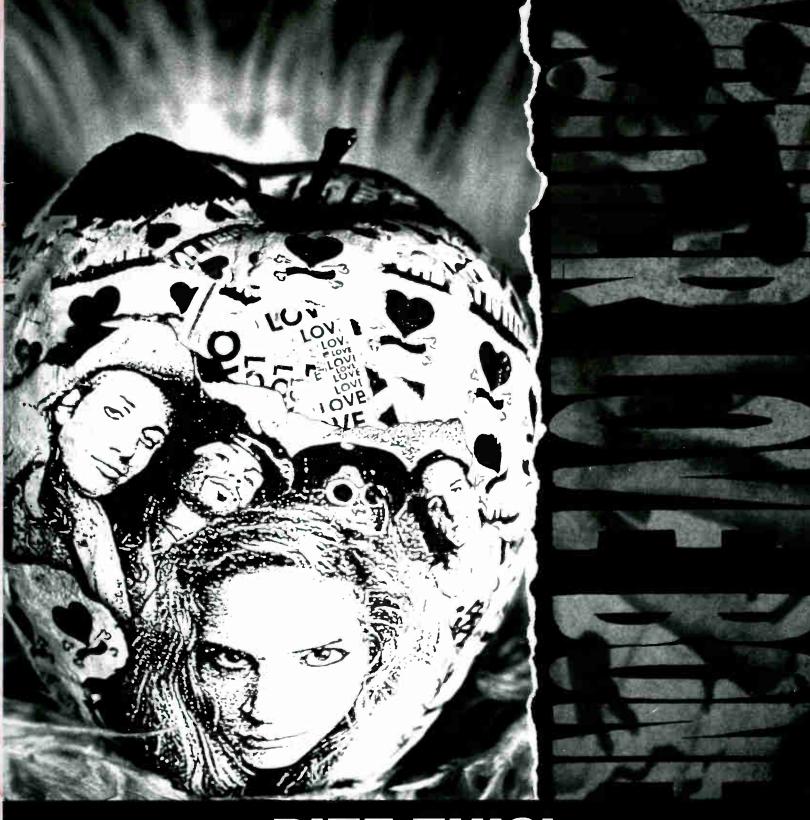
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JON LESHAY ELEKTRA RECORDS

We knew that the pressures of a heavy industry gig would wreak havoc on Jon"Lovebeads"Leshay's boyish good looks, but we never knew how bad it could get. Time away from his LA tanning salon has resulted in that scary NYC pallor; could resemblance to Joey Ramone be far off? Hey babe, we'll set up a fund to send you to "tanning withdrawl therapy," but first, a question: what did you REALLY do on all those weekends you told us you went to the beach?

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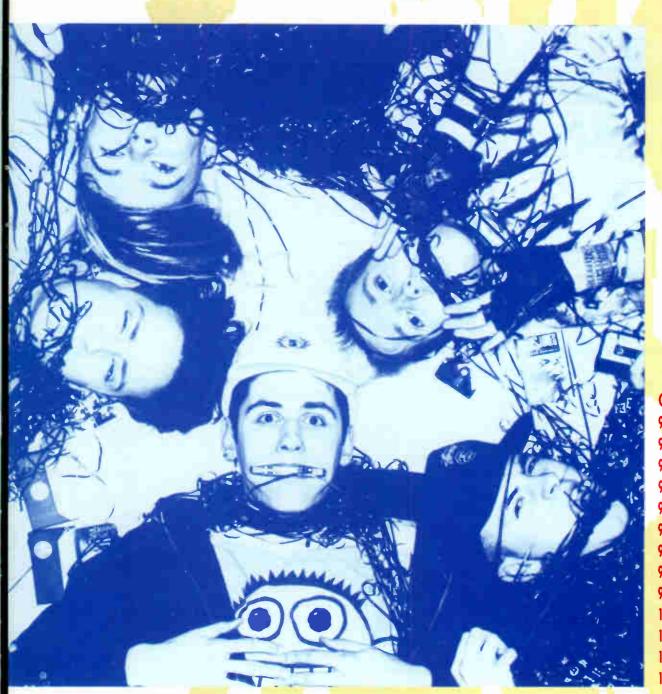
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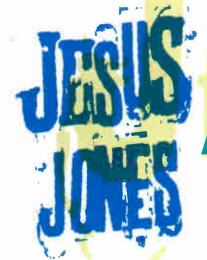
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POMO PICKS Edited by Karen Glauber



Pixies, "Bossanova" (4AD/Elektra): There is no other band challenging the tenets of music as fiercely as the Pixies. "Bossanova" is even better than "Doolittle," a tough LP to follow, and if anything, the Pixies have moved further away from the mainstream with this LP. The Pixies have reinvented the genre of

"alternative" music, setting a standard of brilliance that is unparalleled. "Allison," "Dig For Fire," and "Down To The Well" will reinforce your love of this awesome band, while we anticipate what boundaries they will shatter next.

Bob Mould, "Black Sheets of Rain" (Virgin): There's an unfortunate paucity of editorial space within which to wax rhapsodic about Bob Mould's follow-up to "Workbook." Recruiting Anton Fier (Golden Palominos) and Tony Maimone (Pere Ubu) as the core of his band, Bob Mould has managed to cap-



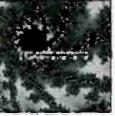
ture both the ferocity of his live performance and the complexity of his personality into "Black Sheets of Rain." Many artists will aspire to duplicate what this album has achieved, but Bob has created the genuine article.



Lemonheads, "Lovey" (Atlantic): The Lemonheads have been kicking the shit out of the Boston scene for the past few years. Their shows are always chaotic events, spurred on by the intensity of their frenetic playing. But, if you're expecting an album of total mayhem, guess again. While they launch a full

frontal attack in "Ballart," and "Left For Dead," they show their diversity with songs like "Half The Time," and "Ride With Me, which both sound as though they could have been on the last American Music Club LP.

Soup Dragons, "Lovegod" (Big Life/PolyGram): From Glasgow, the designated "European City of Culture in 1990," comes the latest and best from the Soup Dragons. "Lovegod" mixes elements of funk, acid house, psychosis, and voiceovers over a bed of snarling guitars, which underscores the decep-



tive accessibility of this album. Even Mom and Dad will do backflips over "I'm Free," a Stones' B-side. "Lovegod" is what culture is really about in the 1990's!

POMO MUGS



LEAVE ME ALONE: PoMo wannabee, Debbie Gibson, was spotted at an NMS groovin' performance by those PoMo sensations the Cavedogs. Enigma heartthrob, Sherri Trahan, wasted no time scamming on Deb's pal, Tommy Page, who IS famous, or so we' be been lead to believe. Deb and the Cavedogs get on famously, comparing their favorite Billy Joel concerts and discussing the rigors of having your own custam cosmetic line. Sherri disappeared with Tommy, and when last heard, had taken on the role as his personal manager.



TINSELTOWN ON THE BRAIN: Of Blue Eyes dropped in to chat with the wor'd's greatest band, the Blue Nile, after their brilliant, god-like, way sold-out performance in rainy San Francisco. It was until the wee small hours that this trio of Scottish visionaries and Frankie discussed "Hats." both the amozing, genre-defining, classic LP by the band AND the snappy fedora that Frank was sporting. None of you were happening enough to witness this pairing of taste, style and talent, but hey, THAT'S LIFE.



A BOHEMIAN'S RHAPSODY: Here's our PoMo pals, House of Love, trying to disprove Galileo's scientific axiom that if you drop two objects from the same height, regardless of weight (cr merit) they will hit the ground at the same time. Corinne Platt was on hand to capture this great moment in science as the Lovers dropped a recent issue of HITS simulteneously with a copy of the much poveted Aztec Camera single, "We Could Send Letters." Ivana absconded with the record, thus rendering this entire caption meaningless.

WHEELS & DEALS

BY BUD SCOPPA

Since a lot of you are getting this ish on August 16, the anniversary of **The King**'s death, I want to strongly recommend the acquisition of "Wendy (Under The Stars)," an original track demoed earlier this year by **the Odds**, who have topped my personal hit parade for months. The chorus — "I was fucking Wendy under the stars the night that Elvis died" — may sound Mojo Nixonian, but the song actually comes off as kinda poignant, and the band's **Steven Drake**, who wrote it, swears it's factual. The Vancouver-based four-piece has built up a sizable industry following in recent months through highly original songs like this one, and the **Coconut Teaszer** was packed with

Odds In Their Favor



The Odds' Steven Drake: On the ground in Babylon.

fans (several in official Odds "birthday" shirts) August 8 for a tasty bill that also featured A&M's newly signed Gin Blossoms, who tell me the Odds are their fave band. The Odds' killer set made it totally obvious that this is a rock & roll band to the core, even if their vocals, melodies and hooks betray a classic pop sensibility. The only disappointment was the omission of the gorgeous "What I Don't Want" and the electrifying White Album-like rave-up "On The Ground," both written by co-frontman Craig Northey. It's hard to believe

they're still up for grabs - but manager Chris Blake and attorney Alan Mintz have been getting lotsa calls since the show Earlier the same night, Wire Train played a five-song mini-set, aided by Benmont Tench and Susannah Melvoin, to usher in their fine new MCA album, co-produced by David Tickle and Don Was, who are just finishing up what's shaping up as a sizzling album with the Divinyls for Virgin. Smith is also remixing the classic first and second albums by Tom Petty & the Heartbreakers, which will contain additional tracks.... Jonathan Stone and John Anderson have signed Dramarama to Windswept Pacific for publishing, as Pirate continues to play the band's five-year-old PoMo anthem "Anything, Anything." In response, Chameleon is releasing a cassingle containing the original studio take plus a new version from the just-released live EP Considering the extensive roster trimming that followed the change in command at Capitol last year, it'll be interesting to see what happens to Bob Buziak's numerous personal signings once the new regime sorts things out.... Inkings: Chris Whitley to Columbia (that was fast), the re-formed Todd Rundgren's Utopia to Chameleon, Austin's Big Car to Giant by the acquisitive Bob Bortnick, Richard X. Heyman to Sire by Seymour Stein his bad self. Seymour got a copy of Heyman's Cypress album, "Living Room" at NMS, fell in love with it, looked up Heyman's number in the phone book and called him. The rest is history.... According to TT Racer manager Randy Cohen of Larry Larson's office, PolyGram's right-of-first refusal period on the Vancouver act runs out Aug. 23. TT Racer was discovered by GNR's Duff, who co-produced the Polyfinanced demos with Dave Resnik.

NEW ARTISTS



Ms. Adventures

Title "Ms. Adventures"

Label Atco

A trio of sisters from Tyler, Texas — 19-year-old Amy, 17year-old Kindra and 13-yearold Charity Morriss (no relation to Billboard's Chris as far as we know) - who have burst onto the scene with a big R&B dance sound, augmented by the band's roots singing gospel music in church. Rap pioneer Arthur Baker has applied his patented hip-hop touch to several of the remixes, but the gals do quite fine on their own, assisting in song selection, writing, choosing producers, the videos and choreography. Rapper Doug Lazy guests on the first single.

Suggested Cuts

"Undeniable" is just that, a surefire dance hip-hopper that is destined to follow label-mates Sweet Sensation into the upper reaches of the Top 40.

Comments:

This week's guest analyst is wacky Iraqi leader **Saddam Hussein**, who calls the three gals, "Pork-eating infidels who've used their baptist background to camouflage the fact they're Zionist supporters. But, on the other hand, this record's got a good beat and I can launch a Holy War to it, so arise, Arab brothers, and get on the good foot."



Righteous Brothers

Title
"Unchained Melody"

Label Verve/PolyGram

Bill Medley and not-brother Bobby Hatfield haven't quite been brought back from the dead, but they've certainly been revived, thanks to the appearance of this 1965 smash in the current movie hit, "Ghost." The single's available in a remixed version on the Varese-Sarabande soundtrack and as an original on "The Righteous Brothers Greatest Hits" LP on Verve, so PolyGram's reissuing the single to capitalize on the momentum. First the tide rushes in, now this. What's "You've Lost That Loving Feeling," of course.

Suggested Cuts

The appearance of "Unchained Melody" at a crucial point in the movie "Ghost" has spurred an honest-to-goodness airplay bonanza which looks like it will make this classic a hit in its second incarnation.

Comments:

"How righteous can they be?" asked Muslim joyboy Husseln about the duo's resurgence. "They don't worship Allah and they're not taking part in our Jihad. Still, the record's a gas, and with the rising price of oil caused by yours truly, that's saying something."

BEAT'S ME

by Roy Trakin



MUGS LIVIN' LARGE: Mini-Mugs hardly seems the right name for these musical giants, but there you go, as (1-r) Hall of Famer Ben E. King, Stanley Clarke and Doug Lazy check out the large insect which flew into the mouth of legendary guitarist Bo Diddley when the foursome got together to re-record the 1958 hit, "Book of Love" for the New Line cinema movie of the same name, which co-stars Tricia Leigh Fisher. Clarke then turned to Diddley and uttered the obligatory Mini-Mug out line, "Man, what did you eat for lunch? It smells like something died in there."



COLE RECEPTION: Imagine Capitol Records recording artist Lloyd Cole's sheer delight when this group of backstage johnnies appeared at the dressing room door after his recent appearances opening for Michael Penn at L. A.'s Wiltern Theater. Hey, you don't have to imagine anything — just take a look at the guy's face. He's thinking something like, "Wonder which one of these geeks brought the stash." Arranged in the traditional "round-up-the-usual suspects" shot are (l-r): Ron McCarrell, VP, Marketing; Cathy Lincoln, Dir. of Artist Dev.; Tim Devine, Dir., A&R; Cole; Hale Milgrim, President; Lou Mann, VP, Sales; and George Nunes, Nat'l. Dir., Sales.



LIPS AND CHINS: That's all we see when looking at this shot of Arista Records recording diva Taylor Dayne swapping spit with late-night talk show host and comic workaholic Jay Leno on the set of the "Tonight" show recently. Right after this photo was taken, Taylor started coming on to Doc Severinsen while Jay proceeded to reel off a list of clubs he'd be appearing at in the following 24 hours.

MINI MUGS

More Hits Mini Mugs

THE "F" WORD: Credit the blue-noses with yet another revival. The old four-letter expletive is back in a big way, as everyone from Neil Young to Warrant rush in to challenge the record company's "voluntary" labeling edict. Todd Rundgren has a live recording being circulated by WB's publicity department — which coyly states "may or may not be on his upcoming album" — called "Jesse," a "tender, poignant country-folk love ballad" f-you valentine to Jesse Helms ("I got every right/to love a man who's stupid, ugly and white"), Tipper Gore and John Paul II ("I wanna hold you down and fuck you while you squirm/And for you to bring that thing to term"). Loudon Wainwright III has

released a single for the Helmsman, "Jesse Don't Like It," with the refrain, "So don't photograph a penis, don't paint a breast/Don't write about the truth because it offend Jesse." might Meanwhile pop metal group Warrant's getting into the act, too. Their upcoming album contains a track called "Ode To Tipper Gore," which splices together instances of the band uttering the "f-word" in concert. The first single from the LP is "Cherry Pie," which is being promoted by Columbia's publicity department with - you guessed it





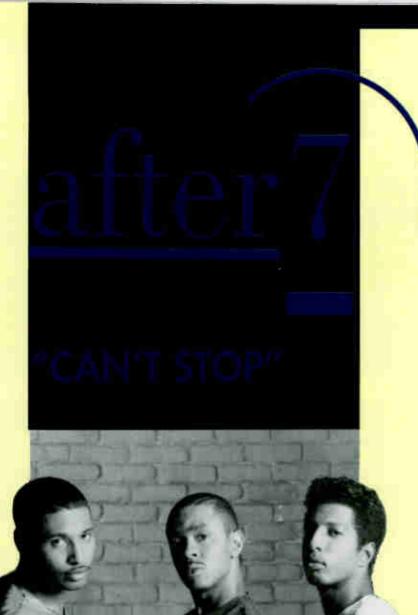
2 Live Jews— They can get hip-hop for you wholesale.

— cherry pies being Fex Ex'ed to selected journalists around the country with the slogan, "Eat Me!" taped on top. Fine, fine pie, by the way....

HASIDIC HIP-HOP: It's a hit in Florida, but then what did you expect? 2 Live Jews' "As Kosher As They Wanna Be" LP is the novelty record of the year, the product of a pair of Miami residents, comedian Eric Lambert and musician Joe Stone (son of TK Records' founder and legendary record biz pioneer **Henry** Stone), who go by the names MC Moishe and Easy Irving. They portray two elderly Jewish gentlemen who owe a lot to Billy Crystal, but whose raps are all their own, including such must-listen cuts as "J.A.P. Rap," "Shake Your Tuchas" (sung to the tune of K. C. and the Sunshine Band's "Shake Your Booty" — on TK Records, of course), "Accountant Suckers" and "Jokin' Jews," which is exactly what it says — a coupla Jews tellin' hoary one-liners like "Why do all Jewish men get circumcised?" "Because they want 20% off everything" over a solitary rhythm machine while warning that "gentiles shouldn't tell these jokes." At one point the two fret over being banned for saying shtup. The record comes from **Steve Alamo**'s home of the Miami bass sound, Hot Productions, and, aside from the jokes, actually works as a solid dance record. Says Moisha: "We were rapping when rapping wasn't rapping, it was just kibitzing with rhyme.' Take that, Professor Griff!

OFF THE RECORD: Is a major-league metal band which made a humongous comeback on their current label seeking to return to the scene of previous triumphs? Mum's the word on this one.

(The HITS management wants you to know that Roy Trakin's column is Roy Trakin's column and does not necessarily reflect the opinion of HITS.)



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- 6. BELL BIV DEVOE
- 7. HEART
- 8. GARTH BROOKS
- 9. KEITH SWEAT 10. MADONNA

Trans World Music Crp. (Albany)

TRANSWORLD

- 1. M.C. HAMMER
- 2. 2 LIVE CREW/BANNED
 3. WILSON PHILLIPS

- 4. POISON 5. NEW KIDS/STEP
- 6. ANITA BAKER
 7. BELL BIV DEVOE
 8. PRETTY WOMAN
 9. MARIAH CAREY

- 10. FAITH NO MORE



DOUG SMITH 97 Retail Stores (Pittsburgh)

NAT'L RECORD MART

- 1. 2 LIVE CREW/BANNED 2. JON BON JOVI 3. M.C. HAMMER

- 4. NEW KIDS/STEP 5. POISON
- WINGER
- 7. WILSON PHILLIPS 8. FAITH NO MORE
- 9. NELSON
- 10. MICHAEL BOLTON



TRACY DONIHOO 130 Retail Stores (Dallas)

SOUND WAREHOUSE 1. MARIAH CAREY

- 2. ANITA BAKER
 3. 2 LIVE CREW/BANNED
 4. WILSON PHILLIPS
 5. M.C. HAMMER

- 6. HARRY CONNICK JR/WE 7. KEITH SWEAT 8. PRETTY WOMAN

- 9. WINGER 10. POISON



RON PHILLIPS
179 Retail Stores
(Durham)

- RECORD BAR
 1. M.C. HAMMER
 2. POISON

 - 2. POISON
 3. MARIAH CAREY
 4. WILSON PHILLIPS
 5. KEITH SWEAT
 6. NEW KIDS/STEP
 7. FAITH NO MORE
 8. JON BON JOVI

 - 9. ANITA BAKER 10. NELSON



ROBIN SHANNON 116 Retail Stores (Atlanta)

TURTLES

- 1. M.C. HAMMER 2. MARIAH CAREY 3. KEITH SWEAT

- 4. ANITA BAKER 5. WILSON PHILLIPS 6. JOHNNY GILL
- 7. POISON 8. TIME
- 9. BELL BIV DEVOE
- 10. WINGER

at MUSIC-3 US

SHELLY TUCKER
79 Retail Stores (Los Angeles)

MUSIC PLUS

- 1. JON BON JOW 2. DEPECHE MODE 3. MARIAH CAREY 4. M.C. HAMMEF 5. WILSON PHILLIPS
- 6. 2 LIVE CREW/BANNED 7. ANITA BAKER
- 8. UB40
- 9. BOOGIE DOWN PROD. 10. MADONNA

MalleWall

BEN BRENT 120 Retail Stores

SOUND & VIDCO* (Philadelphia)

- WALL TO WALL 1. POISON

 - 2. M.C. HAMMER
 3. FAITH NO MORE
 4. 2 LIVE CREW/BANNED
 - 5. MARIAH CAREY

 - 6. NEW KIDS/STEP 7. WILSON PHILLIPS 8. WINGER

 - 9. PRETTY WOMAN 10. MADONNA



ERIAN ALBRIGHT 222 Retail Stores

SAM GOODY/EAST

- 1. JON BON JOYI 2. M.C. HAMMER 3. WILSON PHILLIPS 4. MARIAH CAREY
- 5. POISON
- 6. NEW KIDS/STEP
- 7. ANITA BAKER
 8. BELL BIV DEVOE
 9. PRETTY WOMAN
 10. JOHNNY GILL

HIME FOR WARLEN

COULD YOU BE LOVED From the double platinum, digitally remastered album LEGEND.

The appeal of this legends, y artist and his music continues grow as people discover Bob Marley in ever increasing number For the first time ever the entire Bob Marley ratalog has endigitally remastered and released on the original TUFF CO label. Along with LEGEND, 12 other great titles are available.



Based on sales of albums, tapes and CD'S from the nation's leading record merchandisers



DARRYL OHRT 3000 Accounts (Connecticut)

CD ONE STOP

- 1. M.C. HAMMER
- POISON WILSON PHILLIPS
- 4. MADONNA
- 5. NEW KIDS/STEP
- 6. KEITH SWEAT 7. MARIAH CAREY
- 8. JOHNNY GILL
- 9. DEPECHE MODE 10. BELL BIV DEVOE



JIM PRIMERANO 18 Retail Stores

RECORD THEATER 1. ANITA BAKER

- 2. MARIAH CAREY 3. SPECIAL ED
- MADONNA
- 5. M.C. HAMMER
- KEITH SWEAT FAITH NO MORE
- 8. SUNDAYS
- 9. 2 LIVE CREW/BANNED 10. JOHNNY GILL



MARK MICHEL 20 Retail Stores (Miami)

PEACHES/MIAMI

- 1. ANITA BAKER
- 2. MARIAH CAREY
- M.C. HAMMER KEITH SWEAT
- **WILSON PHILLIPS**
- 6. POISON
- **MADONNA**
- 8. WINGER
- 9. NEW KIDS/STEP 10. JOHNNY GILL



HAROLD GUILFOIL 119 Stores (Owensboro)

DISC JOCKEY

- **POISON**
- M.C. HAMMER MARIAH CAREY
- KEITH SWEAT WILSON PHILLIPS
- 6. FAITH NO MORE 7. PRETTY WOMAN 8. ANITA BAKER

- 9. BELL BIV DEVOE
- 10. MICHAEL BOLTON

JEFF ABRAMS 54 Retail Stores (Minneapolis)

BEST BUY

- 1. POISON
- 2. MARIAH CAREY 3. M.C. HAMMER
- **WILSON PHILLIPS**

- 5. NEW KIDS/STEP 6. SLAUGHTER 7. PRETTY WOMAN
- 8. MICHAEL BOLTON
- **VAN MORRISON**
- 10. BELL BIV DEVOE



TOM TUOMELA 200 Accounts (Mpls)

NAVARRE

- 1. POISON
- 2 LIVE CREW/BANNED
- WINGER 2 LIVE CREW/NASTY

- 5. MARIAH CAREY 6. JON BON JOVI 7. FAITH NO MORE
- 8. DIGITAL UNDERGROUND 9. BOOGIE DOWN PROD. 10. PRETTY WOMAN

BAKER & TAYLOR VIDEO

MIKE BASHKIN 650 Accounts (Chicago)

BAKER & TAYLOR ONE-STOP 1. JON BON JOVI

- 2. MARIAH CAREY
- KNEBWORTH 90 GOSPEL AT COLONUS
- 5. **NEVILLE BROTHERS**
- BOOGIE DOWN PROD. WILSON PHILLIPS
- 8. GEORGE LAMOND
- 9. EXTREME 10. M.C. HAMMER



SCOTT FREEMAN 400 Accounts (St. Louis)

- CML ONE-STOP 1. JON BON JOVI
 - **2 LIVE CREW/BANNED**
 - M.C. HAMMER POISON

 - WINGER

 - 6. MARIAH CAREY 7. WILSON PHILLIPS 8. FAITH NO MORE
 - 9. BAD COMPANY
 - 10. KEITH SWEAT

MUSE MERCHANTS INC

MICHAEL KELLY 100 Accounts (Rhode Island)

MUSIC MERCHANTS

- 1. MARIAH CAREY
- **POISON**
- 3. M.C. HAMMER
- 4. BELL BIV DEVOE
- WILSON PHILLIPS WINGER
- 6.
- **KEITH SWEAT**
- 8. TIME
- 2 LIVE CREW/BANNED
- 10. NOBODY'S CHILD

MICHAEL SMITH 50 Accounts (Carle

Wilmi Sales Corp. Place)

WILMI SALES 1. POISON

- MARIAH CAREY
- 3. ANITA BAKER 4. M.C. HAMMER

- NEW KIDS/STEP WILSON PHILLIPS LISA STANSFIELD

- 8. BELL BIV DEVOE 9. PRETTY WOMAN 10. DEPECHE MODE



TOM JACOBSON 22 Retail Stores (Chicago)

ROSE RECORDS

- 1. MARIAH CAREY

- ANITA BAKER M.C. HAMMER WILSON PHILLIPS
- 2 LIVE CREW/BANNED

- 6. PHANTOM HIGHLIGHTS
 7. NEW KIDS/STEP
 8. PHANTOM OF THE OPERA
- 9. DEPECHE MODE 10. HARRY CONNICK JR/WE



FRANK JENKS 7 Retail stores (Lansing)

MICHIGAN WHEREHOUSE

- 1. 2 LIVE CREW/BANNED 2. BOOGIE DOWN PROD.
- JON BON JOVI MARIAH CAREY
- 5. 2 LIVE CREW/NASTY
- **JOHNNY GILL**
- 7. ANITA BAKER 8. KEITH SWEAT **BELL BIV DEVOE**
- 10. M.C. HAMMER



BREAKOUTS WINNER!

3-7 JAMS SINGLES!

18-12 QUIET STORM ALBUMS!

WHISPERS

"INNOCENT"

From the album More of the Night

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PWR99	add		WUSL	6-6	HOT SALES AT:
WLOL	add		Y108	12-9	WIZ/NEW YORK
HOT94.9	add		KDON	19-12	CITY ONE-STOP/L.A.
WBBQ	add		KRBE	17-14	ANGOTT ONE-STOP/DETROIT
HOTOGO					
HOT99.9	add		KKMG	21-17	FLETCHERS ONE-STOP/CHICAGO
KISR	add		HOT97.7	26-18	RECORD THEATER/BUFFALO
999KHI	add		KZBS	23-20	NAVARRE/MPLS
KSMB	add		KMEL	00.00	
KOWD	auu			26-23	NOVA/NORCROS
			KIKI	27-23	TOWER/WASHINGTON DC
KS104	deb	22	KZFM	31-26	VALLEY RECORD DIST/L.A.
KROY	deb	29	WGY	35-29	
		_			KEMP MILL/WASHINGTON DC
KHTK	deb	29	KF95	39-33	MICHIGAN WHEREHOUSE
KXXR	deb	30	KCAQ	36-33	RTI ONE-STOP/OMAHA
KKBQ	deb	34	WDBR	37-34	
		-	WDDN	37-34	GALAXY ONE-STOP/PITTS
PWR106	deb	35			STREETSIDE/ST LOUIS
KFBQ	deh	35			



From the album A Bit of What You Fancy

LONDON QUIREBOYS

"I DON'T LOVE YOU ANYMORE"

TOP 10 PHONES AT PIRATE AFTER ONE WEEK! KILLER VIDEO NOW ON MTV!

KXYQ	add	PIRATE	deb	20	KGOT	de b 36
WSKZ	add	KRZR	deb	20	KFBQ	deb 37
KATM	add	FM104	deb	30	KTUX	deb 39
G98	add	WIXX	deb	31		
		WEDY	4-6	-	KIOD	00.05

BREAKING AT:
KSAQ 99KG
KSND KKHT
WPST KTMT
WYCR KTRS





SMITHEREENS

"BLUE PERIOD" From the album 11



OVER 500,000 COPIES SOLD! WRAPPING UP U.S. TOUR!





EAKOUTS

Hot new or resurging albums as reported by the nation's leading record merchandisers

Call it Young Guns II or call it Jon Bon Jovi, but whatever you call it, it's this week's winner and it's BIG, BIG, BIG. Boogie Down Productions is back with another in their long string of hits, just ahead of A&M's

strong one-two punch of Extreme and Neville Bros. Other newcomers are the Knebworth concert album and the Mo' Better Blues soundtrack.

WINNERS

35%

- **YOUNG GUNS (ST) BOOGIE DOWN...**
- **EXTREME**
- **NEVILLE BROS.**
- **KNEBWORTH** '90
- (Mercury 8464732) 82% (Jive/RCA 1358-2-J13) 47%
- 42% (A&M 5313) (A&M 5312) 40%
- (PolyGram 847042)
- 6 **WHISPERS**
- **VIXEN**
- 8 MO BETTER... (ST) 9
 - **NOBODY'S CHILD**
- 10 **CONCRETE BLONDE (IRS 82037)**
- (Capitol 92957) 21%
- (EMI 92923) 19%
- (Columbia 46792) 18% (WB 26280) 16%
- - 14%

ANGOTT ONE-STOP / FRANK

DAVIS / DETROIT

Boogie Down Prod Basic Black

Young Guns (ST) Mo' Better Blues (ST)

Laylah Hathaway

APPLE TREE / MIKE

SCHNEIDER / ILLINOIS

Young Guns (ST)

Concrete Blonde

ASSOCIATED ONE-STOP / AN-

GELA SINGER / PHOENIX

BELIEVE IN MUSIC / AMY

FUDGE / GRAND RAPIDS

Boogie Down Prod

Wynton Marsalis

Nobody's Child

Gucci Crew

Maxi Priest

Black Crowes

Vixen

Whispers

Neville Bros

Young Guns (ST)

REO Speedwagon

BUZZARD'S NEST / JIM

JOHNSON / COLUMBUS

Young Guns (ST)

Knebworth '90

Nobody's Child

Extreme

Knebworth '90

Neville Bros

Extreme

Dread Zeppelin

Vanilla Ice

CAVAGES / JOHN GRANDONI / **BUFFALO**

CD ONE-STOP / DAVE CARROLL

Ghost (ST)

Vixen

Dread Zeppelin

D'Nice

Stevie V

Special Ed

/ CONN

Young Guns (ST)

Young Guns (ST)

Boogie Down Prod

CML ONE-STOP / SCOTT

FREEMAN / ST. LOUIS

Young Guns (ST)

Boogie Down Prod

Knebworth '90

REO Speedwagon

KATHY SHEDD / MPLS

Young Guns (ST)

Neville Bros

Knebworth '90

FACE THE MUSIC / KEN

Boogie Down Prod

Young Guns (ST)

Mo' Better Blues (ST)

MACIVER / ROCHESTER, MN

Winger

Exodus

Extreme

Neville Bros

DOWN IN THE VALLEY /

Neville Bros

Extreme Knebworth '90

Extreme

D'Nice

Vixen

CHICAGO Young Guns (ST)

FLIPSIDE / DAVID SLANIA /

Extreme

Knebworth '90

George LaMond

Neville Bros

Concrete Blonde

Ghost (ST)

GALAXY ONE-STOP / KEVIN

JAKIELA/PITTSBURGH

Extreme

Neville Bros

Young Guns (ST)

Basic Black

HARVARD CO-OP / DAVID SIBEL

/ BOSTON

Was (Not Was)

Neville Bros

Cavedogs

Mariah Carey

Mazzy Star

Marc Almond

Knebworth '90

HOUSE OF GUITARS / KIM

SIMMONS / ROCHESTER

Young Guns (ST)

Cold Sweat

Whispers Extreme

KARMA / DAVE WATSON / IN-**DIANAPOLIS**

Young Guns (ST)

Days Of Thunder (ST)

Allman Bros

Knebworth '90

MICHIGAN WHEREHOUSE /

FRANK JENKS / DETROIT

Young Guns (ST)

Knebworth '90 D'Nice

Boogie Down Prod

Whispers

MUSIC PEOPLE / NANCY LEWIS

/OAKLAND Young Guns (ST)

Neville Bros

Whispers

Boogie Down Prod

Bob Marley

Knebworth '90

MUSICLAND / DICK ODETTE / MINNEAPOLIS

Young Guns (ST) Boogie Down Prod

Keith Whitley Extreme

Neville Bros

NATIONAL RECORD MART / DOUG SMITH / PITTSBURGH

Young Guns (ST)

Extreme

Corbin Hanner Band

Knebworth '90

Keith Whitley Dread Zeppelin

Mo' Better Blues (ST)

NAVARRE / TOM TUOMELA / **MPLS**

Neville Bros

Boogie Down Prod

Vixen

Young Guns (ST)

Extreme

Lightning Seeds

Ghost (ST)



JON BON JOVI "BLAZE OF GLORY"

Inspired by the film Young Guns II

BREAKOUTS WINNER! DEBUT 8 HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS! 14-8 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES!

		100000		Y95	24-13	
KIIS	add	WKBQ	7-7	KKRZ	21-13	TOP 10 DEBUTS:
WZOU	add	WPHR	8-7	WNVZ	16-13	#1 Musicland National
WMJQ	add	B97	13-8	PWR99	24-16	#1 Music Plus/Los Angeles
		Z95	13-9	KISN	22-16	#1 Sam Goody/East
Z100	2-1	WEGX	13-9	KUBE	23-18	#1 Flipside/Chicago
WPLJ	4-3	WZPL	11-9	KZZP	22-19	#1 Baker & Taylor One-Stop/Chicago
WDFX	4-3	KEGL	14-10	B104	22-19	#1 RTI One-Stop/Omaha
PIRATE	6-4	KPLZ	17-10	Y108	23-19	#2 Strawberries/Boston
KSAQ	9-5	B94	14-10	WKSE	24-19	#2 Nat'l Record Mart/Pitt
KWSS	9-6	WNCI	17-11	KBEQ	25-20	#2 Sam Goody/West
KDWB	9-7	Q107	15-12	KKBQ	27-22	#3 Wherehouse/Los Angeles
KXYQ	8-7	WGH-FM	15-12	Q102	30-27	#4 City One-Stop/Los Angeles

ADVENTURES OF STEVIE V "DIRTY CASH (Money Talks)"

KLUC

KKBQ

KXXR

WPGC

Y108

K106

FLASHMAKER!

DEBUT 48 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES! 5*-2* BB DANCE SALES!

Z100	add	HOT94.9	deb	22	WXKS	
X100	add	KXX106	deb	23	HOT97	
KZOU	add	KPRR	deb	30	KITY	-
KISR	add	WLOL			WPLJ	1
KBFM	add	WGY	deb	34	B96	
KZZB	add	G98	deb	35	WTIC	2
WKFR	add	KTMT	deb	40	KRQ	

1OT97	8-6					
				BREAKIN	IG AT:	
CITY	23-12	WZOU	27-24	WHYT	HOT97.7	KROY
WPLJ	19-15	KCAQ	33-30	KMEL		KWOD
396	22-15					
		WSPK	37-31	PWR99	KOY	WNVZ
NTIC	22-15	WHHY	35-32	PRO-FM	Q106	KS104
(RQ	20-16	KBOS	39-34			
(HTK	21-17	KBU3	39-34	WIOQ	KKFR	WKSS
VMJQ	22-18	BIG SIN	GLE SAL	ES:		
RBE	22-19	Tower N				



City One-Stop/Los Angeles 26-20 26-21 Record Theater/Buffalo HOT102 24-21 Tower/Newbury Music People/Oakland 24-21 24-21 Wilmi Sales/New York PWR106 27-22 Rose Records/Chicago 29-23 RTI One- Stop/Omaha 30-23 Tower/Sherman Oaks



BREAKOUTS

Hot new or resurging albums as reported by the nation's leading record merchandisers

NORTHERN LIGHTS / KIRK

MILLER / MPLS

Boogie Down Prod

Soup Dragons

Suicidal Tendencies

Sonic Youth

Ultra Vivid Scene

Something Happens

Katydids

NOVA / JOHN UNDERWOOD /

ATLANTA

Clay D & Prince R

Whispers

D'Nice

REO Speedwagon

Special Ed

Vixen

Mo' Better Blues (ST)

PACIFIC COAST ONE-STOP /

RICH LOCKWOOD /

CHATSWORTH

Young Guns (ST)

Boogie Down Prod

Navy Seals (ST)

REO Speedwagon

George LaMond

Mo' Better Blues (ST)

Whispers

PRO ONE-STOP / PAUL

JOHNSON / TEMPE

Boogie Down Prod

Waylon Jennings

Concrete Blonde

Young Guns (ST)

Doc Box

Maxi Priest

Q RECORDS & VIDEO /

GERALD BAIN / MIAMI

Mo' Better Blues (ST)

Young Guns (ST)

Knebworth '90

Extreme Neville Bros

RADIO DOCTORS / KATHY

STAMM / MILWAUKEE

Young Guns (ST)

Neville Bros

Extreme

Knebworth '90 Concrete Blonde

RECORD & TAPE OUTLET /

LYNN BATCHECK / COLUMBUS

Kid Frost

Boogie Down Prod

Neville Bros

Young Guns (ST)

RECORD EXCHANGE / JOHN

SHAHINIAN / CLEVELAND

Young Guns (ST)

Knebworth '90

Whispers

Boogie Down Prod

Cavedogs

RECORD WORLD / DEAN FINE /

NEW YORK

Young Guns (ST)

Knebworth '90 George LaMond

Boogie Down Prod

Neville Bros

ROUNDUP/LAURA AVERY/

SEATTLE

Colin James

Vixen

Young Guns (ST) Nelson

Kid Frost

RTI ONE-STOP / JODY

PANKHURST / OMAHA

Young Guns (ST)

Extreme

Boogie Down Prod

Ghost (ST)

Neville Bros

SAM GOODY-EAST / BRIAN

ALBRIGHT / EDISON

Young Guns (ST)

Boogie Down Prod Keith Whitley

Extreme Knebworth '90

Neville Bros

SCHWARTZ BROS / JEFF MOS-

KOW / WASH D.C.

Neville Bros

Extreme

Whispers

Cavedogs

Young Guns (ST)

SHOW INDUSTRIES / WENDY

FERNALD/LOS ANGELES

Young Guns (ST)

Boogie Down Prod

Vanilla Ice

Extreme

Neville Bros

SOUND OF / DAVID JACKSON /

PHILADELPHIA

Cameo

Black Hoodlums

Maxi Priest

Laylah Hathaway

SOUND WAREHOUSE / TRACY

DONIHOO / DALLAS

Mariah Carey

2 Live Crew

Winger

Concrete Blonde

John Hiatt

SPECS / CINDY BARR / MIAMI

Young Guns (ST) Righteous Bros

Boogie Down Prod

Boys From The Bottom

Maxi Priest

STREETSIDE / DAVE MATHES /

Young Guns (ST)

Boogie Down Prod

Neville Bros

Whispers

Extreme

TOWER / MARIA WIBBELS /

NEW YORK UPTOWN

Young Guns (ST)

Boogie Down Prod

Was (Not Was)

Lightning Seeds Brenda Russell

Hothouse Flowers Mo' Better Blues (ST)

TOWER / RON FEDDOR / SHER-

MAN OAKS

Young Guns (ST)

Extreme Nelson

Winger

TOWER RECORDS / SARA DEEL

/ATLANTA Was (Not Was)

Nobody's Child

Knebworth '90

Bob Marley

TOWER/NATL. / NICI SWINNEY /

SACRAMENTO

Was (Not Was)

Wynton Marsalis

John Hiatt

World Party

Nobody's Child

Mo' Better Blues (ST)

TRACKS / DONNA AGRESTO /

NORFOLK

Young Guns (ST)

Lightning Seeds Special Ed

TRANSCONTINENT/RECORD

THEATER / JIM PRIMERANO /

BUFFALO Young Guns (ST)

Knebworth '90

Poison

Allman Bros

Nobody's Child Master Ace

TRANSWORLD / DAVE ROY /

ALBANY

Young Guns (ST)

Black Crowes Extreme

Ghost (ST)

George LaMond Nobody's Child

Mo' Better Blues (ST)

TURTLES / ROBIN SHANNON /

ATLANTA

Whispers

Young Guns (ST)

Extreme

Boogie Down Prod

Keith Whitley

Colin James Hothouse Flowers

UNIVERSAL ONE-STOP/

DEBBO HOUGHTON /

PHILADELPHIA

D'Nice

Nobody's Child Kyper

Winger

2 Live Crew Young Guns (ST) Cheap Trick

VINYL VENDORS / VALERIE EL-

LIOTT / KALAMAZOO

Vanilla Ice

Neville Bros Vixen

Winger Was (Not Was)

WALL TO WALL / BEN BRENT /

PHILA

Young Guns (ST)

Knebworth '90 Kyper Whispers

Vixen

WESTERN MERCHANDISERS/

JOHN ROSE/AMARILLO

Kyper

Revenge Young Guns (ST)

Steve Vai Righteous Bros Vanilla Ice

Vixen

WHEREHOUSE / BOB BELL / LA Young Guns (ST)

Boogie Down Prod

Mo' Better Blues (ST) Neville Bros Extreme

ZIPS / RICK ANDRADE / TUCSON

Young Guns (ST)

Concrete Blonde Vixen

Texas Tornados

Boogie Down Prod

Dread Zeppelin

Kimm Rogers





RERAP

By Joe Medwick

Retailers are bracing for a slew of superstar hit product coming their way in September. At CML in St. Louis, Scott Freeman is anticipating a banner fall selling season, "Paul Simon's follow-up to 'Graceland' will be big, the new Los Lobos and Neil Young are real rockers, and I'm looking forward to the next Tommy Conwell LP. We did real well on his last record on account of the cut 'St. Louis Blues." Freeman also noted that "Poison's picking up steam, Winger's exploded, 2 Live Crew's happening, Jane's Addiction should be hot, plus INXS, AC/DC and Ratt are coming, so it looks like a pretty hellacious fourth quarter!" At Karma in Indianapolis, Dave Watson, whose chain has had a "much better summer than projected," also sees Jane's Addiction as a winner. He says, "Living Colour, Anthrax, Dokken, Queensryche, AC/DC and Stryper will all do well because we're in such a huge metal market." At Buzzards Nest in Columbus, Ohio, Jim Johnson likes the upcoming Warrant. "We had a great deal of success with their last record and we expect this one to really sell." At Tower corporate offices in West Sacramento.

God & Man



Doug Smith (pictured with axe slinger Eric Johnson) has earned a well-deserved rep as National Record Mart's inhouse air-guitar virtuoso.

Stan Goman has seen "a 10% rise in business from last year."... In addition to Simon and Young, Warner Bros. exec Charlie Springer is excited by upcoming releases from Randy Travis ("He's recorded a brandnew set of duets specifically for this release.") and a Take 3 alburn, both out of WB/Nashville. Springer saved his highest praise for the aforementioned Los Lobos project and the upcoming and eagerly awaited Replacements, two personal faves he calls "the best records yet in the history of these bands." At Columbia, Rich Kudolla is counting on the new George Michael, the Don Was-produced Bob Dylan and non-backwards-masked Judas Priest to pump up the sales volume in September, as well as the highly anticipated Tommy Conwell project and a non-stickered L.L. Cool J release.... At Q Records in Miami, Ned Berndt has a wild hit on his hands with the 2 Live Jew's As Kosher As They Wanna Be." The duo corsists of M.C. Moisha and Easy Irving, who perform such hits as "Oi! It's So Humid!," the first video. Berndt says, "After each of our stores sold out their allotments in one day, we put 100 units in each store and it's become our #4 seller — without any airplay, either!!"... National Record Mart has opened its B-uce 100th store in Springsteen's hometown of Freehold, New Jersey. No word on whether the Boss showed up to celebrate. Probably up to his neck in diapers. Also at NRM, Doug Smith is still receling over meeting his idol, guitar genius Eric Johnson. Folks at the Mart report Smith war dering the halls muttering something like "Johnson is God!" ever since the visit.... Word is Rapids-based Grand Believe In Music chain is the latest to file chapter 11.

MINI MUGS

More Hits Mini Mugs



SUICIDE IS PAINLESS: So, it wasn't exactly an in-store, but would you have these 500 Suicidal Tendencies fans over to your house? After duitfully signing autographs for two hours at the Music Plus in Hollywood at Vine and Sunset, the Epic Records recording artists took to the parking lot, where frenzied, moshing surfpunkdudes raised their fists and leaped off the stage back into the crowd. By running this here Lester Cohen-eye view, we've saved you the trouble of actually having to rub elbows with all these sweaty, pimply adolescents. You're welcome.



FAIR WARNING: There's no way we can write a photo caption dumb enough to do justice to this blurry nightmare. We're just trying to forget we ever saw Rykodisc President Don Rose (left) who should know better, greeting Mike Lembo (right) of Mike's Management, whose label, First Warning, the classy CD company now distributes. Artists on the roster include Hex. The Jolly Boys and Church member Steve Kilbey. Don't ask us who the cute hald chick in the middle is or what the hell these two yo-yo's are laughing about, but our het is it's Lembo's polka-dot shorts.



IN THE GUTTER: DGC Records recording artists Gutterboy get a chance to rum amok with magic markers at the annual Bill McGathy party, held every July in a rubber room at Bellevue. Wondering who the hell Bill McGathy is are the following mucases (1-r. standing): Danny Hulsizer, guitar; Lisa Barbaris, Pub. Dir.; Michael Alago, A&R. Dito Montiel, singer: Eric Hulsizer, bass: Mary Gormely, A&R, and Johnny Koncz, drums, (kneeling): Marko Babineau, GM; Hugh Surratt, Dir., A. Rad.; and Ross Zapin as the Beav.





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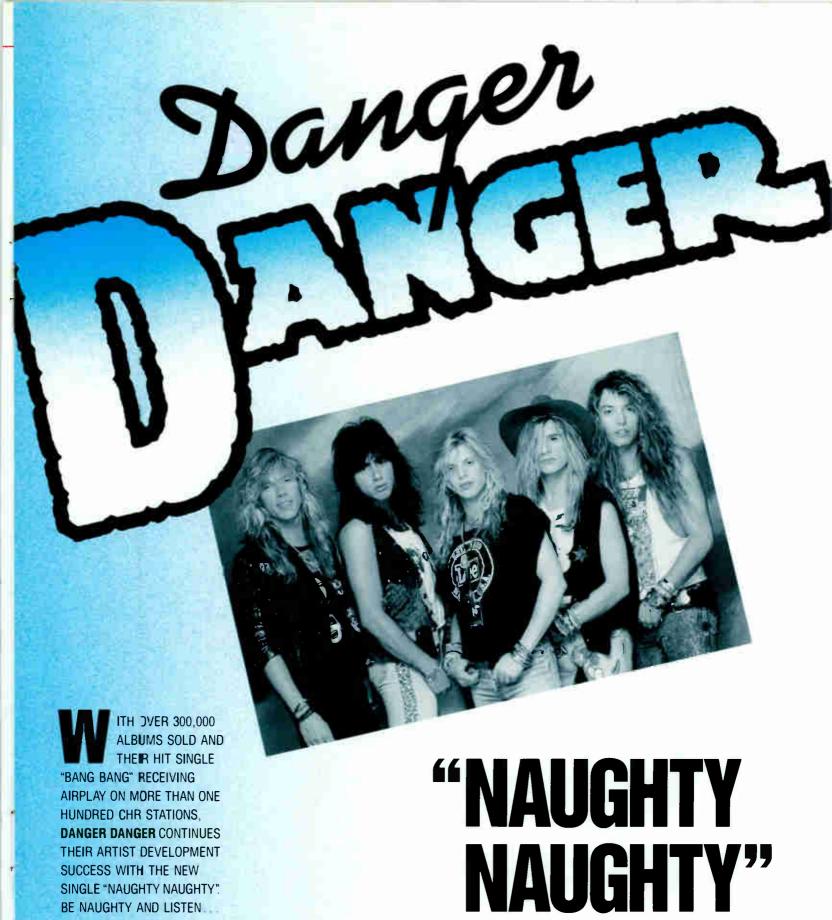
HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS

In an incredibly close battle, **Wilson Phillips** has slipped past **Poison** to take the number two position behind **M.C. Hammer** by just 300 reported units sold out of a total of 103,000+ for each. **Mariah Carey** is still on the move, now up to #5 and

the new **Jon Bon Jovi** solo outing debuts at #8. Watch **Janet Jackson** and **Slaughter**, both are surging again behind their strong new cuts. And keep an eye on **Boogie Down Productions**, debuting at #39 in its first week out.

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A E E G E E O K K	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	COMMENTS	POWER INDEX
1 1 1	MC HAMMER	HAMMER DON'T HURT	Capitol 92857	Top 5 single leads	138.6
3 3 2	WILSON PHILLIPS	WILSON PHILLIPS	SBK 93745	"Release Me" a home run	103.6
2 2 3	POISON	FLESH & BLOOD	Capitol/Enig 91813	Over a mill and a half	103.3
4 4	NEW KIDS	STEP BY STEP	Columbia 45129	Top 15 single leads	86.2
7 6 5	MARIAH CAREY	MARIAH CAREY	Columbia 45202	Almost a million	85.7
5 5 6	ANITA BAKER	COMPOSITIONS	Elektra 60922	Ready for new single	80.2
8 10 7	BELL BIV DEVOE	POISON	MCA 6387	Top 5 single leads	64.4
8	JON BON JOVI	YOUNG GUNS II	Mercury 846-437-2	Blowin' out of the box	60.0
6 7 9	KEITH SWEAT	I'LL GIVE ALL MY	Vint/Elektra 60861	Ready for new single	59.4
11 9 10	JOHNNY GILL	JOHNNY GILL	Motown 6283	Multiple smashes	57.2
10 11 11	PRETTY WOMAN	SOUNDTRACK	EMI 93492	Steady	54.4
9 8 12	MADONNA	I'M BREATHLESS	Sire/WB 26209	Ready for new single	51.9
17 12 13	2 LIVE CREW	BANNED IN THE USA	Luke/Atl 91424	Media madness	49.9
13 14 14	MICHAEL BOLTON	SOUL PROVIDER	Columbia 45012	New single starting	44.8
12 13 15	DEPECHE MODE	VIOLATOR	Sire/Reprise 26081	"Policy" exploding	43.3
14 15 16	FAITH NO MORE	THE REAL THING	Slash/Rep. 25878	Rock monster	42.9
23 16 17	WINGER	IN THE HEART OF	Atlantic 82103	Solid at retail	40.4
19 21 18	HEART	BRIGADE	Capitol 91820	Up this week	33.2
20 19 19	PHIL COLLINS	BUT SERIOUSLY	Atlantic 82050	Tons of Top 40 on 45	32.6
18 18 20	TIME	PANDEMONIUM	P.Park/Rep 27490	Ready for new single	30.5
15 17 21	S O'CONNOR	I DO NOT WANT	Chrysalis F-121759	Ready for new single	29.2
22 23 22	BILLY IDOL	CHARMED LIFE	Chrysalis 21735	New video on MTV	25.5
21 22 23	EN VOGUE	BORN TO SING	Atlantic 82048	New single starting	23.8
34 33 24	JANET JACKSON	RHYTHM NATION	A&M 3920	Multiple smashes	22.7
44 39 25	SLAUGHTER	STICK IT TO YA	Chrysalis 21702	Video hot on MTV	22.7
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38		26	NELSON	AFTER THE RAIN	DGC 24290	Solid sales	21.9
16	20	27	PAULA ABDUL	SHUT UP AND DANCE	Virgin 91362	Falling some	21.7
24	25	28	AEROSMITH	PUMP	Geffen 24254	Top 25 single leads	20.9
32	29	29	HARRY CONNICK JR	WE ARE IN LOVE	Columbia 46146	Solid at retail	19.6
27	34	30	DAYS OF THUNDER	SOUNDTRACK	DGC 24294	Good week at retail	19.6
26	24	31	ICE CUBE	AMERIKKA'S MOST	Priority 57120	Ex NWA member	19.4
33	30	32	MOTLEY CRUE	DR. FEELGOOD	Elektra 60829	Up and down	19.3
25	28	33	BRUCE HORNSBY	A NIGHT ON THE TOWN	RCA 2041-R	Falling now	18.0
31	26	34	SNAP	WORLD POWER	Arista 8536	New single soon	17.6
47	40	35	GARTH BROOKS	GARTH BROOKS	Capitol 93866	Country	17.2
28	31	36	2 LIVE CREW	AS NASTY AS THEY	Skyywalker Xr 107	Falling some	16.2
30	35	37	DIGITAL UNDERGROUND	SEX PACKET	Tommy Boy 1026	Falling now	15.7
36	38	38	DON HENLEY	END OF THE	Geffen 24217	Steady sales	14.8
		39	BOOGIE DOWN PROD.	EDUTAINMENT	Jive/RCA 1358-2-J	Great first week	13.9
46	44	40	AFTER 7	AFTER 7	Virgin 91061	New single starting	13.9
29	32	41	STEVE VAI	PASSION AND WARFARE	Relativity 1037	Falling	13.8
37	37	42	BONNIE RAITT	NICK OF TIME	Capitol 91268	Falling now	13.2
35	36	43	LISA STANSFIELD	AFFECTION	Arista 85544	New single exploding	12.8
42	41	44	SUNDAYS	READING WRITING	DGC 24277	Over 300,000!	12.6
		45	JEFF HEALY	HELL TO PAY	Arista 8632	Back on	12.2
		_	JETT HEALT	HELL TOTAT	711314 0002	Dack Off	12.2
••		46	CLINT BLACK	KILLING TIME	RCA 9668	Hot country single	11.9
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41	45	47	CLINT BLACK BAD COMPANY	KILLING TIME HOLY WATER	RCA 9668 Atco 91371	Hot country single Rock sales	11.9 11.7

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VIXEN (EMI)
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K HEADHUNTERS (Mercury)

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SOUL II SOUL (Virgin)
LIGHTNING SEEDS (MCA)

"I WON'T GIVE UP ON YOU"



CROSSOVER!

WXKS KOY	add add	
X100	deb	29
KKXX	deb	33
PWR96	deb	35
WFMF	deb	35
KKMG	deb	35

KITY	15-10
KTFM	21-18
HOT97.7	30-20
KZFM	33-22
WPLJ	29-24
PWRPIG	30-27
WTIC	40-28
WPFR	33-30
PWR106	35-32

BREAKING AT: **HOT97 KMEL** WLOL KKRZ WIOQ FM102 **HOT102 KXXR** Q106 KROY WKSS



FLASHMAKER!

KKRZ	add
WERZ	add
WGY	add
WKQB	add
G98	add
KFTZ	add
WJMX	add
WYYS	add

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WPLJ WHYT **KPLZ KTMT** KTXY

From the album Paintings In My Mind

Tommy Page

"Turn On The Radio"





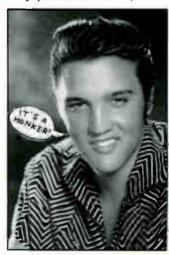
WAVELENGTH



It's hard to write this column today due to the incredible sadness we feel fondly remembering the passing of The King 13 years ago today. (All we can really add is, "Have A Cadillac").... A big, big week at Top 40 radio for adult oriented songs as last week's Wildcard James Ingram, this week's Wildcard Righteous Bros. as well as the great new records from Breathe and Michael Bolton all clean up. Great songs all and not a dance ditty in the bunch. (We're so excited by this development that all we can say is "Have a peanut butter and banana sand on us")..... All eyes remain on the WDFX Detroit PD opening. Wonder who Elvis would choose?..... MD Russ Allen exits WIOQ Philly. Talk already has it that

by Lenny Beer & Mike Murphy he'll surface in San Francisco or Baltimore..... Former WEGX Philly jock Danny Bonaduce to KKFR Phoenix for mornings.... KGGI Riverside PD Larry Martino upped to OM Personal pleasure: the Bob Marley video airing on VH-1..... As we've been telling you, Z106 Sarasota changes format to oldies PD Craig Roberts exits KCHX Midland. If interested contact consultant Kim Travers..... New PD at KIXY San Angelo is Don Roberts WBWB Bloomington PD Mark Callaghan transfers KIMN/KCOL Ft. Collins for mornings and Group PD duties. MD Jim Cerone is upped to PD in San Angelo..... New midday jock at WRQN Toledo is Staci Kelly Hurricane Wayne to KDWZ Des Moines

for afternoons and MD duties. (Des Moines, hmmm — that reminds us of the time Elvis was in Iowa and bought Cilla those pretty white panties)..... Jacor sells Eastman Radio to Katz for 11.75 million.... New nite jock at WVIC Lansing is Freddie B. from KHTK St. Louis..... Boomer from KJ103 Oklahoma City to WQXA York for nites.... Is Clarke Ingram the leading contender for the HOT99.9 Allentown job?..... (Special editor's note: good thing we came up with this Elvis filler 'cause there's no good scoop this week. Also, is it basketball season yet? And finally, have you noticed there hasn't been much in the HOTFax lately?).... Blowin' In The Wind: Terri Weber, Dene Hallam, Jerry Schilling, Mason Dixon, Colonel Tom Parker, Sonny & Red and Ann Margret..... And here's Elvis himself. Dead for 13 big ones, but still alive. ("Oh mama mama baby baby mama baby baby, pass the Ho Ho's".)



THESE ARE THE DAYS OF THE OPEN HAND THEY WILL NOT BE THE LAST LOOK AROUND NOW THESE ARE THE DAYS OF THE BEGGARS AND THE CHOOSERS

THIS IS THE YEAR OF THE HUNGRY MAN WHOSE PLACE IS IN THE PAST HAND IN HAND WITH IGNORANCE AND LEGITIMATE EXCUSES

THE RICH DECLARE THEMSELVES POOR AND MOST OF US ARE NOT SURE IF WE HAVE TOO MUCH BUT WE'LL TAKE OUR CHANCES CAUSE GOD'S STOPPED KEEPING SCORE I GUESS SOMEWHERE ALONG THE WAY HE MUST HAVE LET US ALL OUT TO PLAY TURNED HIS BACK AND ALL GOD'S CHILDREN CREPT OUT THE BACK DOOR

AND IT'S HARD TO LOVE, THERE'S SO MUCH TO HATE HANGING ON TO HOPE WHEN THERE IS NO HOPE TO SPEAK OF AND THE WOUNDED SKIES ABOVE SAY IT'S MUCH TOO MUCH TOO LATE WELL MAYBE WE SHOULD ALL BE PRAYING FOR TIME

THESE ARE THE DAYS OF THE EMPTY HAND OH YOU HOLD ON TO WHAT YOU CAN AND CHARITY IS A COAT YOU WEAR TWICE A YEAR

THIS IS THE YEAR OF THE GUILTY MAN YOUR TELEVISION TAKES A STAND AND YOU FIND THAT WHAT WAS OVER THERE IS OVER HERE

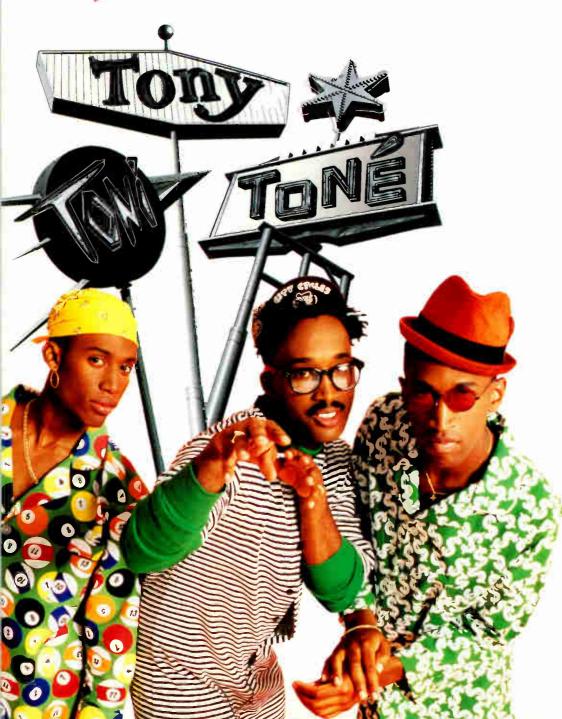
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"THE RECORD FEELS GREAT ON KMEL. IT'S HOT!" Hosh Geurili -MD KMEL

"BEST CROSSOVER BAND OF THE YEAR, 'IT FEELS GOOD' ON FM 102"

Andrea Pentrack-MD FM 102

"TONY! TONI! TONÉ! YEAH!! THE 12" IS HOT AND FEELS GREAT ON KROY"

Dan "Iceman" Walker-MD KROY

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Lew Garret-VP Camelot Records

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