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Seeburg placed further emphasis on the seven-inch 33 rpm Little LP last month when the juke box manufacturer introduced its Model LPConsole-480 with a Spotlighted Album Award feature offering patrons "spotlighted" albums for half-price, after each record selection is made. Coral's Pete Fountain, who assists in the debut ceremonies, is one of the favorites in the Little LP field as well as the standard LP field and singles market. He is currently producing swinging sounds on the boxes with "Licorice Stick," his latest single and the name of his new LP which debuts this week.

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# THE FIRST HALF

The music industry has just completed its operations for the first six months of 1964, and in our view, it's been an incomparable period for the business.

With monumental, far-reaching irony, time is measured during this period by the Beatles. They, almost to the minute, opened 1964 under the Capitol banner, and proceeded to collect a quickie gold disk with "I Want To Hold Your Hand." From that time, the world of pop music set its eyes on England or, more precisely, the town of Liverpool, and thus began the historic rush of English names on the U.S. charts. Not content with one-at-a-time chart showings, groups like the Beatles, the Dave Clark Five, the Searchers were gaining chart runs with several releases, all of which were put to market by foregoing traditional follow-up release schedules. In many cases, product by the English crews was available under many label names, which had the business headquartering in various State and Federal Courts for awhile.

Now, after a slight layoff, the Beatles are starting things off in the second half of 1964 with not only new singles and LP releases, but with a feature film and a long U.S. tour to back them up.

What was the state of homemade U.S. product during the past six months? Groups like the Four Seasons and the Beach Boys were able to attain greater success while new arrivals such as the Dixie Cups and Johnny Rivers continued to capture the public's fancy.

But, whether in response to the English upsurge or not, there were some interesting developments on the U.S. scene. Outstanding among these was the first top show tune in almost a decade, "Hello, Dolly!"

Rich in melody and nostalgia, the song was performed with the natural ease of Louis Armstrong, with his rendition going to the top against those Kings of the Mountain. Show music continued to have chart success through the talents of Barbra Streisand, whose recordings of "People," from her show, "Funny Girl," took a leisurely, good-music climb to the Top 10. At one time, both "Dolly" and "People" were placed together in that charmed circle.

The sound of show music on original-cast LP's also enjoyed renewed vigor, including those of "Hello, Dolly!," "Funny Girl," "High Spirits" and "110 In The Shade.

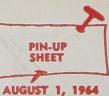
Anything seemed to go when the Boston Pops, under elegant Arthur Fiedler, made singles sales hay with an adaptation of the Beatles, "I Want To Hold Your Hand." Never the twain shall meet for good-music and the Top sound? The joke is on the fellows without a sense of humor or the creative sensibility to know that opposites attract!

The past six months have been historic ones for the business on other counts. Capitol Records attempted to take greater control of its product through its one-pricefor-all "Stand for Stability" policy. Stability of another sort was sought under a set of trade practices rules sponsored by the Federal Trade Commission.

As the industry moves into the second half of 1964, we can safely predict that in years to come 1964 will be often referred to as the year the music business witnessed a number of fateful events-whether of its own choosing or despite them. The first six months have already taken care of that.



# Cash Box TOP 100



					AUGUST 1, 1964
1	A HARD DAY'S NIGHT	35	Position 7/25 7/18  JUST BE TRUE	69	Position 7/25 7 THE WORLD I USED TO KNOW
,	(Unart, Maclen—BMI) 1 9 ☆BEATLES-Capitol-5222	36	(Curtom-Conrad—BMI) 45 57 ☆GENE CHANDLER-Constellation-130	70	(In—ASCAP) 61 AJIMMIE RODGERS-Dot-16595 A HOUSE IS NOT A HOME
2	RAG DOLL (Saturday, Gavadima—ASCAP) 2 1 ☆FOUR SEASONS-Philips-40211	•	(Mother Bertha, Hill & Range —BMI) 38 51 ☆RONETTES-Philles-121		(Diplomat—ASCAP) 79  ☆BROOK BENTON-Mercury-72303  *Dionne Warwick-Scepter-1282
3	GET AROUND (Sea Of Tunes—BMI) 3 2 ☆BEACH BOYS-Capitol-5174	37	I BELIEVE (Cromwell—ASCAP) 43 53	71	LITTLE LATIN LUPE LU  (Ray, Maxwell, Conrad—BMI) 75  ☆KINGSMEN-Wand-157
4	WISHIN' AND HOPIN' (Jonathan—ASCAP)  REPRESENTED TO Phylips 40207	38	☆BACHELORS-London-9672  WALK DON'T RUN '64  (Forshay—BMI) 52 63	72	OH! BABY (WE GOT A GOOD THING GOIN')
5	THE LITTLE OLD LADY (FROM PASADENA)	39	☆VENTURES-Dolton-96 YOU'RE MY WORLD	73	(Nujac—BMI)  ☆BARBARA LYNN-Jammie-1277  HEY GIRL DON'T BOTHER ME
	(Trousdale—BMI) 5 7 ☆JAN & DEAN-Liberty-55704	40	(Hill & Range—BMI) 42 49  ☆CILLA BLACK-Capitol-5196  SUCH A NIGHT	74	(Low-Twi—BMI) 88 ☆TAMS-ABC-10573 A TEAR FELL
6	EVERYBODY LOVES SOMEBODY (Sands—ASCAP) 10 18  ☆DEAN MARTIN-Reprise-0281	41	(Raleigh—BMI) 76 — ☆ELVIS PRESLEY-RCA Victor-8400	74	(Progressive—BMI) ☆RAY CHARLES-ABC Paramount-10571
7	DANG ME (Tree—BMI) 7 8  ☆ROGER MILLER-Smash-1881	41	ANGELITO  (Gil-Epps—BMI)  ☆RENE & RENE-Columbia-43054	<b>7</b>	(East—BMI) ☆CARLA THOMAS-Atlantic-2238
8	THE GIRL FROM IPANEMA (Duchess—BMI) 6 5	42	NO PARTICULAR PLACE TO GO (Arc-BMI) 25 24  ☆CHUCK BERRY-Chess-1898	76	IT'S ALL OVER NOW  (Kag—BMI) 96 1  ☆ROLLING STONES-London-9687
9	★GETZ & GILBERTÖ-Verve-10322  WHERE DID OUR LOVE GO  (Johnte	43	ALONE (Selma—BMI) 29 26	77	SELFISH ONE (Chevis—BMI) 100
10	☆SUPREMES-Motown-1060 KEEP ON PUSHING	44	☆FOUR SEASONS-Veejay-597  TENNESSEE WALTZ  (Acuff, Rose—BMI) 39 40	78	☆JAČKIE ROSS-Chess-1903  AND I LOVE HER
11	(Curtom-BMI) 11 12 ☆IMPRESSIONS-ABC-10554 UNDER THE BOARDWALK	45	⇔SAM COOKE-RCA-8368 BAD TO ME	79	(Maclen, Unart—BMI) 85  ☆GEORGE MARTIN-United Artists-745  IF I'M A FOOL FOR LOVING YOU
	(T.M.—BMI) 12 16 ☆DRIFTERS-Atlantic-2237	46	(Metric—BMI) 28 21 ☆BILLY J. KRAMER & DAKOTAS-Imperial-66027 <b>HEY HARMONICA MAN</b>	80	(Drury Lane, Beckie—BMI) 80 ☆BOBBY WOOD-Jay-285 IN THE MISTY MOONLIGHT
12	MOBODY I KNOW  (Maclen—BMI) 13 14  ☆PETER & GORDON-Capitol-5211	47	(Jobete, Little Darlin'—BMI) 32 32 ☆STEVIE WONDER-Tamla-54096  A WORLD WITHOUT LOVE	81	(4 Star Sales—BMI) 92  ☆JERRY WALLACE-Challenge-59246  SWEET WILLIAM
13	MEMPHIS  (Arc-BMI)  ☆JOHNNY RIVERS-Imperial-66032		(Maclen—BMI) 21 15 ☆PETER & GORDON-CapitoI-5175	82	(Budd—ASCAP) — ·  ☆MILLIE SMALL-Smash-1920  SAILOR BOY
14	CAN'T YOU SEE THAT SHE'S MINE  (Beechwood—BMI)  ☆DAVE CLARK FIVE-Epic-9692	40	I'LL CRY INSTEAD  (Unart, Maclen—BMI)  ☆BEATLES-Capitol-5234		(Screen Gems, Columbia—BMI) 77 & CHIFFONS-Laurie-3262
15	STEAL AWAY (Fame—BMI) 23 30	49	I'M INTO SOMETHING GOOD  (Screen Gems, Columbia—BMI) 57 78  ☆EARL JEAN-Colpix-729	83	HAUNTED HOUSE (Venice B Flat—BMI) 86 S  ☆GENE SIMMONS-Hi-2076
16	☆JIMMY HUGHES-Fame-6401 PEOPLE SAY (Trio—BMI) 48 70	50	LOOKING FOR LOVE	84	INVISIBLE TEARS (Central—BMI)  ☆RAY CONNIFF-Columbia-43061
17	☆DIXIE CUPS-Red Bird-10-006 I WANNA LOVE HIM SO BAD	51	☆CONNIE FRANCIS-MGM-13256  I SHOULD HAVE KNOWN BETTER  (Unart, Maclen—BMI) 72 89	85	THE GIRL'S ALRIGHT WITH ME  (Jobete—BMI)  ☆TEMPTATIONS-Gordy-7032
18	(Trio—BMI) ☆JELLY BEANS-Red Bird-10-003 (YOU DON'T KNOW) HOW	52	☆BEATLES-Capitol-5222  WHAT HAVE I GOT OF MY OWN  (Sawtell & Herring—ASCAP) 51 58	86	RINGO'S THEME (THIS BOY)  (Unart, Maclen—BMI)  ☆GEORGE MARTIN-United Artists-745
	GLAD I AM  (Roosevelt—BMI)  ☆NANCY WILSON-Capitol-5198	53	☆TRINI LOPEZ Reprise-0276  DON'T WORRY BABY	87	IT AIN'T NO USE  (Curtom, Jalynne—BMI)  MAJOR LANCE-Okeh-7197
19	FARMER JOHN (Venice—BMI)  PREMIERS-Warner Bros5443	54	(Sea Of Tunes—BMI)  ☆BEACH BOYS-Capitol-5174  MAYBE I KNOW	88	Rosewood-Day, Bob Hilliard
20	GOOD TIMES (Kags—BMI) 17 17	55	(Trio—BMI) ☆LESLEY GORE-Mercury-72309 LITTLE CHILDREN	89	RUBY & ROMANTICS-Kapp-601  IT'S A COTTON CANDY WORLD
21	☆SAM COOKE-RCA-8368  SUGAR LIPS  (Tree—BMI) 27 50	l-marining/	(Rumbalero—BMI) 36 27 ☆BILLY J. KRAMER & DAKOTAS-Imperial-66207	90	(Leo Feist—ASCAP) 90 9 ☆JERRY WALLACE-Mercury-72292  SAY YOU
22	AL HIRT-RCA-8391  HANDY MAN	56	CHAPEL OF LOVE  (Trio—BMI)  ☆DIXIE CUPS-Red Bird-10-001	91	(T. M.—BMI) 100 -  ☆RONNIE DOVE-Diamond-167  DARLING IT'S WONDERFUL
23	(Travis—BMI) 33 48  ☆DEL SHANNON-Amy-905  TRY IT BABY	57	SHARE YOUR LOVE WITH ME (Don—BMI) 55 62 ☆BOBBY BLAND-Duke-377	92	(Travis—BMI) 93 -  ☆DALE & GRACE-Montel-930  SUNNY
24	(Jobette—BMI) 19 20 ☆MARVIN GAYE-Tamla-54094 MY BOY LOLLIPOP	58	YOU'RE MY REMEDY (Jobete—BMI) ☆MARVELETTES-Tamla-54097  60 66	93	(Screen Gems-Columbia—BMI) — 9  ☆NEIL SEDAKA-RCA-8382  G.T.O.
	(Nom—BMI) 14 6 ☆MILLIE SMALL-Smash-1893	59	WORRY (Ridge—BMI) 67 77		(Buckhorn—BMI) ☆RONNIE & DAYTONAS-Mala-481
	C'MON AND SWIM (Taracrest—BMI) ☆BOBBY FREEMAN-Autumn-2	60	☆JOHNNY TILLOTSON-MGM-13255  NO ONE TO CRY TO  (Hill & Range—BMI) 83 —	94	SOLE, SOLE, SOLE (MRC—BMI) 97 - SIW MALMKVIST & UMBERTO MARCATO-Jubilee-5479
26	DON'T LET THE SUN CATCH YOU CRYING (Pacemaker—BMI) 16 11	61	ANYONE WHO KNOWS WHAT	95	(Screen Gems-Columbia—BMI)
27	☆GERRY & PACEMAKÉRS-Laurie-3251		LOVE IS  (Metric—BMI) 66 73  ☆IRMA THOMAS-Imperial-166041	96	↑GENE PITNEY-Musicor-1040  THANK YOU BABY  (The, Girls—BMI)
28	(Jobete—BMI) 30 42  PEOPLE  (Jobete—BMI) 30 42  PEOPLE	62	EVERYBODY NEEDS SOMEBODY TO LOVE	97	MORE AND MORE OF YOUR AMOR (Comet—ASCAP)
29	(Chappell—ASCAP) 24 22  ☆BARBRA STREISAND-Columbia-42965  DON'T THROW YOUR LOVE AWAY	63	(Keetch, Caesar & Dino—BMI) 68 74 ☆SOLOMON BURKE-Atlantic-2241  LOVE IS ALL WE NEED	98	MEXICAN SHUFFLE
20	(Wyncote—ASCAP) 22 13 ☆SEARCHERS-Kapp-593	64	(Travis—BMI) 64 85  ☆VIC DANA-Dolton-95  SHE'S THE ONE	99	A TASTE OF HONEY  (Songfest—ASCAP)
90	AIN'T SHE SWEET  (Advance—ASCAP)  ☆BEATLES-Atco-6308  59 81		(Liphilben-Chartbuster—BMI) 69 75 ☆CHARTBUSTER-Mutual-502	100	ATONY BENNETT-Columbia-43073 THE NEW "FRANKIE AND
31	MIXED-UP, SHOOK-UP GIRL  (Merjoda—BMI)  ☆PATTY & EMBLEMS-Herald-590  54	65	BECAUSE  (Ivy—ASCAP)  ☆DAVE CLARK FIVE-Epic-9704	7.60	JOHNNY" SONG  (Hollis—BMI)  ☆GREENWOOD SINGERS-Kapp-591
32	HOW DO YOU DO IT  (Just—BMI)  ☆GERRY & PACEMAKERS-Laurie-3261  72	66	I'LL KEEP YOU SATISFIED  (Metric—BMI) 94  ☆BILLY J. KRAMER & DAKOTAS-Imperial-66048	100	DOWN WHERE THE FOUR WINDS BLOW (CHILLY WINDS) (Serendipity—BMI)
33	AL DI LA	67	AND I LOVE HER (Unart-Maclen—BMI) — —		(Serendipity—BMI) ☆SERENDIPITY SINGERS-Philips-40215
34	TELL ME (Southern—ASCAD)	68	☆BEATLES-Capitol-5235  REMEMBER ME  (Gil—BMI) 54 37		SHARP UPWARD MOY BEST SELLING RECORDS * OTHER VERSIONS STRONGLY REPORTED ALPHABETIZED, TOP 100 IN EACH ISSUE
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# **Epic Sales Meets Unveils** "Hot Line" Of Fall Product



Leonard S. Levy, general manager of Epic Records, is pictured above ad-dressing the label's distributors and salesmen at the firm's sales confab held last week at the Eden Roc Hotel. Epic also had a sales session during the week at the Sahara Hotel in Las

LAS VEGAS—The impression that the Epic label had come of age hung handsomely over the label's to regional sales meets in Miami Beach and Las Vegas last week, where the label's new "Hot Line" product (see separate steps) was unveiled.

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The meets were addressed by Len Levy, genral manager of Epic and Victor Linn, Epic's merchandising and administrative manager.

In his speech, Levy reminded the distributors of the diversification and depth of the Epic catalog, which has succeeded in making the label "The Hot Line" of the record industry. This phrase was the slogan utilized throughout the Epic Convention to demonstrate "an exciting dimension in music and sound."

Levy called on distribs to seek reasonable profits and sell on merit, not price or face going out of business (see text of Levy speech below).

Entertainment for Epic distribs was provided during the evenings by such Epic artists as Adam Wade, The Village Stompers, Godfrey Cambridge, The Back Porch Majority, Linda Brannon, Buddy Morrow and Bobby Vinton.

Attending the annual meetings from Columbia Records, the parent company, were Goddard Lieberson, president, Norman Adler, executive vice president and Bill Gallagher, vice president for marketing.

In his speech, Levy stated: "In October, 1961, a new regime took over Epic Records and a long-burning fuse was ignited, a fuse that was designed to kindle a re-birth, generate a growth pattern and produce an unprecedented sales explosion. In July of 1964, it's a source of great personal satisfaction to tell you that we have totally accomplished one third of our goals and made tremendous strides toward the fruition of the other two. The rebirth of Epic and Okeh Records is an undeniable fact! (These two labels) are recognized by all facets of the industry and, more importantly, by the undeniable fact! (These two labels) are recognized by all facets of the industry and, more importantly, by the consumer. I'd like to think that together, all of us in the room this

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morning have developed Epic into 'The Hot Line.'
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"This slogan was chosen because it has a dual meaning. . . In New York our business is conducted via the long distance telephone lines and the teletype . . . this is one form of 'The Hot Line.' Secondly, 'The Hot Line' pertains to Evic as a line of merchandise—merchandise that's in public demand

mand.
"One of the most over-worked and misinterpreted words in the record business vocabulary is the word 'line.' Distributors, in particular, will refer to a 'line' in connection with a manuto a 'line' in connection with a manufacturer who has one single record or album, or to Columbia with its vast selection and catalog. When you speak of the Epic line, we want you to speak and think in terms of the depth and variety of product which Epic represents. Think in terms of the classics, the popular category, the international catalog, the jazz albums and the tapes. All of these elements combined have made Epic into 'The Hot Line.'

Line.'
"In the final analysis, it will not be one artist, one single record or one arbum that will be directly responsible for Epic's performance in 1964—a performance that will show the biggest dollar volume and highest net profit in the 11-year history of the label. This will be a direct result of selling the line, taking full advantage of its scope versatility and variety.

of its scope, versatility and variety.
"Our industry has changed con(Continued on page 38)

# Epic Offers 13 LP's For August

NEW YORK—Epic Records introduced 13 new "Hot Line" albums for Aug. issue at its regional sales meets in Miami Beach and Las Vegas last

Topping the newcomers is the abel's third Dave Clark Five album, American Tour, The Dave Clark

label's third Dave Clark Five album, "American Tour, The Dave Clark Five."

The other dates include: "Around the World" by the Village Stompers, "Oh, Play That Thing!" by Morath and the Jordanaires. "New Voice from Nashville," David Houston, "Straight Ahead" by the Goldebriars, "Outer West!" by the Honey Dreamers, "How to Keep Your Husband Happy. Look Slim! Keep Trim! Excercise Along With Debbie Drake," with original musical accompaniment by Frank Hunter, "The Guitar That Changed the World!" by Scotty Moore, guitarist on various Elvis Presley hits, "Tunes of Glory" by Andy Stewart, "Join Rolf Harris Singing the Court of King Caractacus & Other Fun Songs" and "Cliff Richard in Spain," with accompaniment by the Shadows and the Norrie Paramor Strings.

# WB And Reprise Offer "Wonderful World Of Entertainment" In New Fall Push

LAS VEGAS—Warner Bros. Records unfurled "The Wonderful World of Entertainment" as the theme of the

Entertainment" as the theme of the diskery's fall program last week at its 7th annual sales convention at The Sands Hotel in Las Vegas.

Attended by nearly 200 distribs, sales managers and sales personnel from each of the Warner Bros. and Reprise Records distributorships in

# 20th-C-F Names Craft Creative Director, Lewis To Head Sales



MORTY CRAFT

NEW YORK-Trade rumors for the past several weeks became fact last week with the announcement from 20th Century-Fox Records that vet music man Morty Craft had been named creative director of the label. He'll supervise all the creative aspects of the label's operations.

In addition, it was announced that Lenny Lewis has been named sales manager, replacing Irv Trencher, who has left the company.

Craft, who gives the label a topper after several months of speculation on who would replace Norm Weiser, now head of Kapp's 4 Corners label, has had extensive disk industry experience, including stints with the Mercury and MGM labels. He also headed the Warwick label and was associated with various indie enterprises, most recently in the Miami Beach area. He has also appeared as a maestro on a number of albums

In his first assignment, Lewis, formerly with the Capitol and ABC-Paramount labels and with Jet Distributing in New York, will personally visit all of the label's distribs within the next few weeks.

the U.S. and Canada, together with

the U.S. and Canada, together with about 30 of the company's own personnel, the three-day conclave signaled the release of 24 albums by Warners and Reprise.

The meeting was highlighted by addresses by Warner Bros.' President Mike Maitland, Mo Ostin, general manager of Reprise, and guest speaker Bill Gallagher, vice president of Marketing of Columbia Records.

Maitland stressed to the convention the need for continued development of modern businesslike practices on the part of independent distributors, and also emphasized "the importance of the independent record distributor and Warner Bros.' pledge to remain with independent distribution."

Sighting Warner Bros.' accelerated automated accounting system, Maitland pointed out the developments in the record business will see the race for survival "going to the businessman who can compete not only in price but also in the adoption of modern inventory systems, IBM accounting programs, and aggressive sales, merchandising and promotion policies in any area of distribution."

Both Maitland and Ostin declared that the Warner Bros. and Reprise identities will be maintained separately as exemplified in the company's visual look, its advertising programs,

ly as exemplified in the company's visual look, its advertising programs, as well as the maintenance of individual A&R staffs.

Participating in the three-day session were Warner Bros. director of merchandising, Joel Friedman; treasurer Ed West; national sales manager Bob Summers; chief of engineering Lowell Frank; artists & repertoire directors Jimmy Hilliard, Joe

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# Record Turnout Due At NARM's Mid-Year Meet

PHILADELPHIA-A record attendance of rack jobbers will be meeting at the mid-year meeting and person to person sales conference of the National Association of Record Merchandisers (NARM), this Tuesday, (28) at the Sheraton-Chicago Hotel in Chicago.

Before the opening of the Person to Person Sales Conference sessions on Tuesday afternoon, the regular members (rack men) will hold a closed meeting, during which time the NARM legal counsel Albert A. Carretta, will bring the members up-todate on the Capitol Record Distributing Corporation's action of several months ago in "cutting off" certain record Merchandisers from buying Capitol product direct from CRDS. Carretta has been in contact with the Bureau of Restraint of Trade of the Federal Trade Commission on the matter.

At the Person to Person Sales Conference sessions, which will begin following an opening luncheon for all regular members and associate members (labels) in attendance, will feature twenty-minute appointments between every rack jobber and record manufacturer at the meeting. Person to person confabs will continue all day Wed., July 29. By adding appointments to the Tues. and Wed. schedules, person to person sessions will be completed on Wed.

In addition, there are eleven applications for regular membership in NARM. These applications will be presented for approval to the NARM board of directors the day before the Mid Year meeting begins, and these new rack members will also be participating in the person to person appointment schedule.

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HOLLYWOOD — Vee - Jay Records, hosting more than 100 distrib reps and company field men at a convention at the Beverly-Hilton Hotel last Tuesday (21) launched the label's most ambitious release program (29 albums) and sales drive to date, highlighted by Vee-Jay's entry into several new facets of the record market. President Randy Wood, welcoming the U.S. and Canadian distribs, emphasized the company's determination to capture an important share of the album market, which now accounts for 75 per cent of the record industry's sales, in the same kind of success pattern in singles that has seen Vee-Jay's growth and expansion since its management reorganization last September.

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Crediting the new management team, which includes Jay Lasker, exec vice-president; Mark Sands, comp-

troller, and Steve Clark, A&R Director, with "fantastic merchandising ability, "sound financial direction, and brilliant product creativity," Wood cited the recent Vee-Jay expansion in the singles field, including 20 current big sellers on six different labels, Tollie, Interphon and the Oldies 45 subsids, and the Goldwax, Fame and Melic lines newly acquired.

Lasker, introducing the company's Aug.-Sept. release program of 29 albums by color slides and stereo soundtracks, proclaimed the LP field one of the major objectives of the label in its further growth and expansion.

"Our sales record," he said, "has proved that we can create hits, buy hit masters, and that we can sell them. We also know we can do the same business in the album market."

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# Key Exec Shifts At Capitol



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HOLLYWOOD—Key exec responsibilities have been re-aligned at Capitol Records, according to an announcement from Glenn E. Wallichs, chairman of the board and chief exec

man of the board and chief exec officer.

Effective Aug. 1, Dan Bonbright, Capitol's vice chairman of the board, will become chief financial officer for the company. In his new capacity, Bonbright will supervise all treasurer and comptroller activities, including property management, purchasing and data processing. Bonbright, who joined Capitol in 1946 and who has been general executive for Capitol's record-club activities since their inception in 1957, will continue as a member of Capitol's management committee, finance committee and board of directors.

Simultaneously, Alan W. Livingston, president of Capitol Records, will assume responsibility for all of Capitol's record-club operations. Livingston will thus have general executive responsibility for all Capitol activities relative to the production and distribution of Capitol and Angellabel records. Additionally reporting to Livingston under the reorganization will be vice president and general counsel Robert E. Carp and Grant H. Kenyon, newly-appointed administrator of management services. administrator of management serv-

Livingston, who joined Capitol in 1945 and was elected president in 1962, continues as a member of the Capitol board of directors and, with Wallichs and Bonbright, the Capitol management committee.

As a further result of the re-alignment, Edward Nash has been appointed director of marketing for the Capitol Record Club, Inc. Nash joins the Club after a post as vice president of Marketing Services for LaSalle Extension University; as director of advertising and sales promotion for the Crowell-Collier Publishing Company; and as an employee of the Schwab Beatty advertising agency.

Commenting on the re-alignment,

Wallichs stated:
"We are confident that these changes will give Capitol an improved basis from which to meet the complex challenges of today's record business. We are most enthusiastic about the outlook for the coming year." HOLLYWOOD—Brown Meggs will take over a new post at Capitol Records Distributing Corp. on Aug. 1. He'll be vp for merchandising, ad-vertising and public relations, ac-cording to Stan Gortikov, CRDC president

vertising and public relations, according to Stan Gortikov, CRDC president.

Meggs will step down as director of eastern operations of Capitol Records in New York, a post that will not be filled. Instead, John Coveney, Capitol's coordinator of eastern activities for Angel Records, will add the post of New York office manager to his present responsibilities and will function as Capitol's senior administrative exec in the east.

Meggs, in New York since 1962, will return to the Capitol Tower in Hollywood to join Gortikov and W. B. Tallant, Jr., CRDC's vp and sales manager, as a member of CRDC's senior management team.

In his new post, Meggs will handle all CRDC merchandising, advertising and publicity activities. Reporting to him will be Paul Russell, album merchandising manager. As a result of the move the Capitol label's depart.

him will be Paul Russell, album mer-chandising manager. As a result of the move, the Capitol label's depart-ment of public relations has been dis-continued and its functions trans-ferred to CRCD's department of press and information services. Meggs ex-(Continued on page 37)

### Columbia Skeds 51 New LP's For Release In Aug.-Sept.

LAS VEGAS—Columbia Records will release 51 albums in Aug. and Sept. In Aug., the label will offer 14 pop albums, 11 Masterworks; in Sept. the label will market 15 pop LP's, 11 Masterworks. All of the upcoming product was unveiled at the label's sales convention in Las Vegas last week.

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product was unveiled at the label's sales convention in Las Vegas last week.

In addition, 15 of the new releases will be available in 4-track stereo tape versions.

Pop Aug. product includes dates by the New Christy Minstrels ("Land Of Giants"), Jerry Vale ("Be My Love"), Andre Kostelanetz ("I Wish You Love"), Trio Los Ponchos and Eydie Gorme ("Amor"), Robert Goulet ("Without You"), Steve Lawrence ("Everybody Knows"), Trio Los Ponchos ("By Special Request"), Percy Faith ("The Love Goddesses"), Miles Davis ("Miles Davis In Europe"), Thelonious Monk ("It's Monk Time"), Robert Horton ("The Very Thought Of You"), Marty Robbins ("R.F.D.") and Ray Price ("Love Life").

Sept. pop dates include: Barbara Streisand's "People," "Andy Williams Sings Songs From 'My Fair Lady'," "Music From 'My Fair Lady'," by Percy Faith, "Another Side Of Bob Dylan," Dave Brubeck Quartet's "Jazz Impressions Of Japan," The Clancy Bros. and Tommy Makem's "Live & Lusty!," The Brothers Four's "More Big Folk Hits," The Jordanaires' "This Land," Ray Conniff's "Friendly Persuasion," "The Many Faces Of Lyn Roman," "Command Performance" by Les and Larry Elgart," "Square Dance Hootenanny" by Buddy Durham with Ben Smathers gart," "Square Dance Hootenanny" by Buddy Durham with Ben Smathers and the Stoney Mountain Cloggers.

Latin-American EX series albums include: "Muy Cerca De Ti-Near You" by Roberto Yanes, "Festival Of Overtures" by the Madrid Symphony Orchestras, Pablo Sorozabal, conductor, and "La Nueva Interprete De La Cancion Ranchera" by Irma Serrano.

The Masterworks product for Aug.-Sept. included 19 long-hair dates, two musical comedy re-creations and an LP, "Famous Scenes From Sir John Guilgud's Production of William Shakespeare's 'Hamlet'."

The musical comedy re-creations are two Rodgers and Hammerstein classics, "Oklahoma!," starring John Raitt, Florence Henderson, Phyllis Newman, Jack Elliot and Ara Berberian, with Franz Allers conducting, and "The King & I," with Barbra

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# **COLUMBIA EXPANDS "AGE OF REASON"**; OFFERS NEW DATED BILLING PROGRAM; AD **ALLOWANCES 5% YEAR 'ROUND**

LAS VEGAS—Columbia Records' first year of life in the "Age Of Reason" was an unqualified success. These were the words of Bill Gallagher, Columbia's VP of marketing, as he summarized the company's current position at a press conference held at the Sahara Hotel this city—site of the label's 1964 international sales convention.

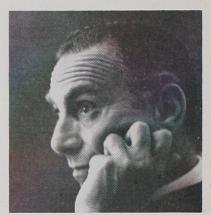
Although he would not reveal specific sales and profit figures, he did say that the label's unit sales at retail from July of '63 to July '64 were up more than 11%. However, it was clearly indicated that the label's profit picture in its first year under the "Age Of Reason" was sensational.

Gallagher admitted that the transition into the "Age Of Reason" program of last year was a very difficult one, and that for a few months after the introduction of the new plan, things were "pretty tough." But after a declining third quarter in '63 sales, the picture turned bright and the 4th qtr of '63 more than made up for the months when Columbia was put to the test to see if it would back down from its then stability policy. "From then on," said Gallagher, "it was easy."

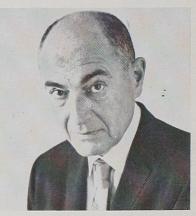
In re-dedicating and extending the "Age Of Reason" for the new sales year, Gallagher introduced the slogan, "Stability in Action," a phrase designed to suggest "year round" stability. The major feature of the new year's plan, as compared with last year's, is what Gallagher called "a more realistic" dated billing program. Although he would not reveal complete details of this program, it was referred to as a "new year-round credit program." Gallagher described this program as one designed to help the dealer. Under the new program the dealer would pay his Columbia bills after he sold the merchandise, rather than before consumers had come in to purchase this new product.

The first phase of what Gallagher referred to as a three phase program for the upcoming July to July record year will see Columbia distribs and their dealers paying for their Aug. Sept. releases as follows: ¼th in Oct.; ¼th - Nov.; ½ - Dec.; and ½ in Jan. '65. Gallagher refused to be specific about phases two and three in this credit program. However, it was quite evident that the second phase would deal with special billing arrangements on Xmas product and the third would deal with the new Jan.-Feb. product. Other important factors of "Stability in Action" include continued consumer educa

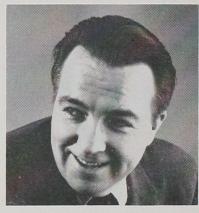
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ing the education of radio ing the education of radio stations as to the importance of recorded music to radio. A continued effort will be exerted on the part of Columbia to see that radio management understands the record industry and has a vested interest in its growth.

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# Eventful Col. Sales Confab: New Product, Policies & 2 Annys: Label's 75th, Lieberson's 25th

LAS VEGAS — Columbia Records, boasting Aug.-Sept. product and new merchandising concepts and two noteworthy anniversaries, moved into the Sahara Hotel last week (22-26) for its annual international sales convention.

Over 500 execs representing Columbia Records, Columbia Records Sales Corp. and Columbia Records Distributors throughout the U.S. gathered with execs of CBS' subsids and licensees.

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As for the anniversaries, Columbia is celebrating its 75th year, marking 1889 as the year the label's name first appeared on an entertainment disk, and Goddard Lieberson, presi-dent of the diskery, observes his 25th year with Columbia in Sept. Special

year with Columbia in Sept. Special ceremonies at the convention took note of both occasions.

Among the overseas delegates were reps from Australia, Canada and Japan, as well as from European and Latin American countries.

Among the many Columbia artists on hand were Johnny Cash, Jimmy Dean, Robert Goulet, Robert Horton, Mitch Miller, Andre Previn, Jerry Vale and Andy Williams plus such newcomers to the label as Johnny Carson, Jim Nabors and Lyn Roman.

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# ONCE AGAIN, COLUMBIA PUTS THE Emphasis WHERE IT BELONGS...

# COLUMBIA RECORDS

A Division of Columbia Broadcasting System, Inc.

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WILLIAM P. GALLAGHER

Vice President

Marketing

July 27, 1964

To All Columbia Record Customers:

Last year when I called for an "Age of Reason" in the Record Industry, my plea was for more than just price stability. I asked for an intelligent appraisal of the industry's needs and for steps to convert its shortcomings. I asked for sane programs, saleable product, exciting merchandising and advertising promotions. I asked that our industry sell through, not just to the retailer, and move forward from chaos into an unparalleled cycle of growth.

Now, one year later, the success of "Age of Reason" is a source of pride and esteem. Columbia rededicates itself to the goals of Reason and Profit, with emphasis on year-round prices, year-round strong releases and year-round merchandising and advertising. These essential elements will continue to create the sound foundation for our success.

Further, Columbia dedicates itself to the evolving pattern of "Stability in Action" -- the dynamic forward movement of ideas, plans and product to match the needs of the market and stimulate its profitable growth.

This year, a planned month by month program will coordinate the total National and Local effort for maximum consumer impact and motivation.

This year, our financial program is geared to the cash flow of the retail market to give added emphasis to proper inventory levels and stock turnover. This relates buying, selling and financing directly to the seasonal needs of your business.

Columbia Records urges you to combine your finest creative efforts and most vigorous sales endeavors with ours to move forward to exciting new levels of profit and performance for stability in action in an Age of Reason.

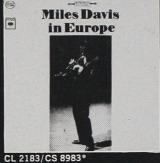
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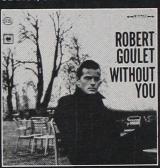


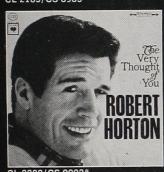






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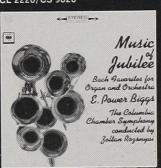










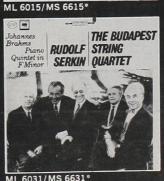








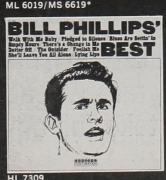


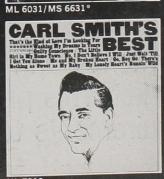














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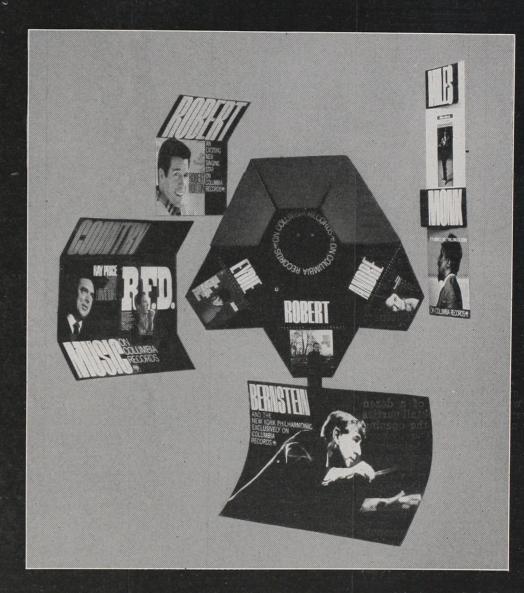
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# N ACTION IN AN AGE OF REASON

# Kapp & Paramount Pics In Powerful Promo Tie-In On "Where Love Has Gone"

YORK-Kapp Records NEW YORK—Kapp Records and Paramount Pictures are embarking on a potent promo for the new Jack Jones single and album on Kapp titled "Where Love Has Gone," from the Joseph E. Levine film of the same

"Where Love Has Gone," from the Joseph E. Levine film of the same name.

Paramount Pictures, distributor of the movie, has appropriated budget of \$250,000 to buy radio spots to plug the picture, using the Jones recording of the title song as background music for the commercials. Kapp is launching a king-sized national promotion and newspaper advertising campaign on both the new single and album.

"Where Love Has Gone," based on the Harold Robbins best-selling book, stars Susan Hayward, Bette Davis, Michael Connors and Joey Heatherton. It is set for a late Sept. opening in major markets throughout the country. The title song, which was written by many-time Academy Award winners Sammy Cahn and Jimmy Van Heusen, is sung twice by Jones on the movie soundtrack.

The Kapp promo on both the single and LP recording of "Where Love Has Gone," will touch all promotional bases. For dealers and racks, there will be special poster and display material that can be used in windows and on counters. Also available will be easels featuring blowups of the attractive four-color cover of the album, and every single will be packaged in a bright color sleeve.

Kapp will also send out to dealers and disk jockeys informative and indepth biographical material about Jones and Joseph E. Levine, along with copies of both the single and the LP for radio exposure. Kapp distribs in all markets will receive ad mats furnished to tie in with Kapp's national advertising on the Jack Jones LP.

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furnished to tie in with Kapp's national advertising on the Jack Jones LP.

To start this joint promotion, a representative of Paramount Pictures appeared at the Lake Tahoe Convention of Kapp Records' executives and distribs last week to explain the picture promotion. Distribs present at the sales meeting had the opportunity to see the movie, as the first of a series of special screenings.

There will be a series of a dozen local screenings and/or cocktail parties in major markets before the opening of the picture in Sept. Disk jockeys, dealers, distributors and their staffs will be invited to see the picture at this time. Now being planned is a party on board Joseph E. Levine's luxurious yacht in New York's Hudson River for disk jockeys and dealers from Boston to the Washington-Baltimore area.

The entire staff of Paramount-Famous Music, will also be working on getting exposure of the Jones single and LP of the title song from the movie, both on radio and TV shows.

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Wherever Jack Jones schedule permits, he will personally attend cocktail parties to meet with disk jockeys and dealers to help promote the main-title recording.

# Szell & Cleve. Orch. Switch To Columbia

LAS VEGAS—George Szell and the Cleveland Orchestra, longtime attraction on the Epic label, have switched over to Epic's parent company, Columbia Records. Szell is represented on two new Aug.-Sept. releases from Columbia (see release story).

Move makes Columbia the only label cutting three major American symphony orchestras, the other two being the New York Philharmonic with Leonard Bernstein and The Philadelphia Orchestra with Eugene Ormandy. LAS VEGAS-George Szell and the

It's understood that the switch was made to fill the void at Columbia left at the death of Bruno Walter

Epic had been releasing Szell-Cleveland Orch. product for the past eight years. Previously, he did some dates for Columbia, but at the helm of orchestras other than the Cleveland.

# Roulette Visiting Distribs To Relay Fall LP's, Plans

NEW YORK—Roulette Records is taking its Fall Program of new releases to each distrib for its initial presentation.

Bud Katzel, general sales manager Bud Katzel, general sales manager for the label, stated that this year the diskery would dispense with the usual annual distributors meeting and instead, bring its new line of album releases and the entire Fall Sales program story direct to each distrib. In each area, he continued, the company will conduct sales meetings with

In each area, he continued, the company will conduct sales meetings with the distrib and their entire sales force. At the sales meeting, the label will unveil some 20 new album releases on Roulette, as well as Tico, Roost, Squire and Kenwood. At the same time, the diskery will explain the sales and merchandising aspects connected with the release of these albums.

Both Katzel and Roulette sales field rep Ron Roessler, have already begun their tour of the distributors. The week before last, Katzel covered week before last, Katzel covered Washington, Baltimore, Detroit, Cleveland and Cincinnati, while Roessler hit St. Louis, Houston, Dallas and Denver. Last week, Katzel covered Philadelphia, Boston and Hartford while Roessler, out on the west coast, completed San Francisco, Los Angeles and Seattle. This week, both will converge on Chicago to cover the distribution. verge on Chicago to cover the distrib there, as well as to attend the NARM Convention.

Convention.

Based on the tour, Katzel reported that acceptance to the new release and the program has been "excellent." Also, he reported that the mechanics of bringing the program story to the distribs has been a "boon" to both the diskery, the distribs and their salesmen. To begin with, Katzel explained, the distrib, who this year has been confronted with manufacturers meetings from one end of the country to ings from one end of the country to the other, greatly welcome not having to go out of town to one more manu-

to go out of town to one more manufacturers meeting.

Also, because the Roulette program is strongly oriented for the salesmen as well as for the distrib and his inventory position with the label, it is much more advantageous to be in the distributor's place to make the sales presentation.

Finally, Katzel pointed out, the program can be presented to some of the distribs key accounts while being presented to the distrib. As Katzel added, "you can no longer just present the program to the distributor and sit back to await results. Today you have to sell the program at the same time to the important large volume accounts, as well as to the distributor."

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According to the schedule, the complete tour of the distributors will be made at the end of the month in time for the shipping of the initial orders of the new releases in the program. In the meantime, sales on catalog merchandise is being racked up as part of the new program.

It was noted that all the new album releases for the Fall, as well as the details of the program will be announced to the trade following the completion of the tour. Katzel concluded "we are extremely pleased by the reception we have received by the distributors and their salesmen. Bringing our story directly to them has infused them with an added enthusiasm for the merchandise and the program that we believe somehow would have been missing had we made the usual presentation at a distributors meeting in some city."

# ABC-Par's Parent Firm Ups '64 1st Half Income

NEW YORK - American Broadcasting-Paramount Theatres, parent company of ABC-Paramount Records, had a rise in six month earnings for the first half of 1964 and record income

for the second quarter.

Six month net rose to \$5,433,000, equal to \$1.19 a share, from \$4,219,000 and 93¢ a year earlier.

Net for the second quarter was up

40% from last year's period, coming to \$2,568,000 from \$1,830,000, or 56¢ a share from 41¢.

# Imperial Names DeCaro A&R Chief

HOLLYWOOD—Nick DeCaro has replaced Eddie Ray as A&R coordinator of Imperial Records, according to Bob Skaff, the label's vp and general manager. DeCaro was formerly a publishing rep for Metric Music, publishing affiliate of Liberty Records, parent firm of Imperial. Ray recently moved over to Capitol's new indie label, Tower.

Col. Dealer Aids To Help Create Era Of 'Professional Salesmanship"

"Professional Salesmanship"
LAS VEGAS—Part of Columbia Records' "Stability in Action" program (see separate story) is the creation of an era of "professional salesmanship." To institute this concept, John Wiley, the label's director of market research, announced two items which will be introduced to dealers.

They are a Market Research Book, which outlines the record business in the last 10 years and the growing future market, and the Concept Book, which will present merchandising and ad ideas to dealers, with suggestions

ad ideas to dealers, with suggestions on how to use them.

Behind "professional salesmanship" are attempts to promote greater dealer co-operation and participation by providing the salesmen with new merchandising and ad tools and techniques; demonstrating to dealers the theory of "More" - emphasizing the constant, ever-increasing growth in all facets of the record market, and the resulting need for matching advances in ideas, plans and product.

# Riverside Files For Bankruptcy

YORK - Riverside Records moved for bankruptcy proceedings last week. Several weeks ago, it was learned that the label was in financial difficulty, with creditors calling for a settlement of debts. In filing for Chapter 11 in New York Federal Court, the firm listed \$3,056,000 in liabilities and \$1,300,000 in assets.

# **RCA Victor Releases Lincoln Center Production** Of "King And I"

NEW YORK-The Music Theatre of Lincoln Center production of Rodgers and Hammerstein's "The King And I" will be released this week as the first album of RCA Victor's Music Theatre series. The disk features Rise Stevens as Anna and Darren McGavin as the

Unusual to the recording of the "classic" musical is the inclusion of "The Small House Of Uncle Thomas" which has a playing time of eight and a half minutes. A highlight of the original Broadway production and the current Lincoln Center presentation, the segment features Lee Verona as the narrator of the ballet in this version.

"The King And I" which opened July 6 is the Music Theatre's first production and will have a run for five weeks ending August 8. In spite of the fact that July is traditionally the worst month in which to open a show in New York, the play grossed \$84,000 opening week. The gross for the week of July was \$88,000, believed to be the second highest on record for a legitimate production in New York.

The label, under the terms of its contract with the Music Theater, will record selected productions to be staged over an eight-year period.

# New Sales Head For Motown's Subsid Labels



DETROIT—Melvin DaKroob has been appointed director of sales for the Motown subsidiary labels Melody Soul and V.I.P., according to an announcement made last week by the

nouncement made last week by the firm's vice president, Barney Ales.

DaKroob will report directly to Iry Biegel, national singles manager, and his duties will include calling upon racks and one stops to acquaint them with new product and insure servicing by local distributors.

The new sales head has had considerable experience in sales and promotion including two years with Aurora Distributors and the past three years with Arc Distributing in Detroit.

# Darin Inks Melcher As Head Of TM's Indie Production

Hollywood—In a major expansion of his production dept., Bobby Dark has signed Terry Melcher as director of independent production for his T.M. Music, the performer's music publishing and record production firm.

Artists Melcher has produced includ The Ripchords ("Here I Stand," "Gone," "Hey Little Cobra"—single & LP, "3 Window Coupe"—single & LP, "3 Window Coupe"—single & LP, "One Piece Topless Bathing Suit", Doris Day ("Love Him" LP); Frank Laine ("Don't Make My Baby Blue"), plus Bruce & Terry ("Custom Machine" & "Summer Means Fun").

Melcher will headquarter in T.M. west coast offices, effective immediately, and his first assignment will be to record the Osmond Brothers (of NBC TV's "Andy Williams Show") for MGM Records. T.M. is currently negotiating with a number of major labels for additional production assignments, according to Darin and Melcher.

Signing of Melcher swells the T.M.

Signing of Melcher swells the T.I staff to 19, with the young firm having opened its doors 15 months agwith an initial staff of 4.

# **New Ideas Support** Col's Fall Product

LAS VEGAS—Supporting plans for the Aug. and Sept. product (see separate story) will include new idea in merchandising display material. In addition, there will be an "ad profit" pattern which will provide the dealers with the necessary material for co-operative advertising.

Major illuminated and motion displays have been developed such at the future "My Fair Lady" display one of the most important elements.

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One of the most important element of the plan is the "Name Power Colleger" theory which incorporates large imprints of the artists' names on displays in all national advertism.
There will be a motion display Percy Faith, Eydie Gorme, Rober Goulet, Andre Kostelanetz, The North Christy Minstrels and Jerry Country & Western displays of Price and Marty Robbins; Jazz displays of Miles Davis and Thelonion Monk; individual displays on artist Robert Horton (making his Columbia debut) and Steve Lawrence, pla a special dimensional display Leonard Bernstein conducting New York Philharmonic thus a special dimensional display Leonard Bernstein conducting New York Philharmonic thus memorating Aug. as Bernstein Mon In addition, there will be pop streamers on all the above mentioned artist

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**BIG "TINY" LITTLE—CORAL** 

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### RECORD REVIEWS

# best bet B+ very good B good C+ fair C mediocre

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# Pick of the Week

CLINGING VINE (2:27) [Peter Maurice-ASCAP—Shuman, Carr, Lane]

IMAGINATION IS A MAGIC DREAM (3:10) [Bob Hilliard-ASCAP—Hilliard, Green]

BOBBY VINTON (Epic 9705)

Bobby Vinton's winning streak is sure to be compounded with this new offering, "Clinging Vine," another in the "Tell Me Why" vein which just saw top ten action. The songster exhibits plenty of warmth and feeling on this schmaltzy but lyrical gem. The reverse, culled from his current LP, "Tell Me Why," should not be overlooked—it also has strong possibilities. Should go up the chart path in leaps and bounds.

WHEN YOU LOVED ME (2:14)
[Hill & Range, Ron Bre BMI—
Byers, Tubert]

HE'S SURE TO REMEMBER ME (2:35)
[Metric BMI—DeShannon]

BRENDA LEE (Decca 31654)

Brenda comes up with two superb new entries that can ride side-by-side up the hit lists. One half, the extremely pretty "When You Love Me," finds the lark in her familiar warm ballad pose. The other, a change-of-pace for her, is a captivating cha cha beat thumper-with strings labeled "He's Sure To Remember Me." Excellent choral-ork sup-port on this powerful double-decker.

SOME DAY WE'RE GONNA LOVE AGAIN (1:57) [McLaughlin-BMI—McMahan]

NO ONE ELSE COULD LOVE ME (2:12) [Toby-Curtis]

THE SEARCHERS (Kapp 609)

The Searchers, who zoomed to the upper levels of the Top 100 with their current click, "Don't Throw Your Love Away," should make a quick return to top ten territory with this uptempo Mersey-beat opus. The lads are in top form on this close harmony affair with a catchy tempo. The undercut is a hushed-vocal item sure to come in for a fair share of spins and sales.

> YOU NEVER CAN TELL (2:42) [Arc-BMI—Berry] BRENDA LEE (2:13) [Arc-BMI—Berry] CHUCK BERRY (Chess 1906)

Following hot on the heels of his runaway bestseller, "No Particular Place To Go," is this new self-penned effort from Chuck Berry tabbed, "You Never Can Tell," and it's already a sales mover. It's a rock-arhythmic South of the Border-flavored item the wailer dishes up in a beatful manner. The flip, "Brenda Lee," is an uptempo happy-blues affair the teens can dance to. Looks like another rapid chart-climber for Berry.

WHERE LOVE HAS GONE (2:28)
[Paramount ASCAP—Cahn, Van Heusen]

THE LORELEI (3:13) [Evergreen BMI-Allen]

JACK JONES (Kapp 608)

Jack Jones is a solid bet to continue his winning ways with his newest Kapp issue. It's another pic-title tune, from the forthcoming "Where Love Has Gone," and it's a heartfelt ballad beaut that the smooth-toned song stylist and the Pete King full ork backing puts across with telling effect. "The Lorelei" makes for a hauntingly lovely ballad companion piece. Both cuts are in the soon-due LP tagged after the flick.

A SUMMER SONG (2:38) [Unart, Noble, Stuart] NO TEARS FOR JOHNNIE (2:18) [Unart Weart BMI-Springfield] CHAD STUART & JEREMY STUART (World Artists 1027)

Chad & Jeremy, the English song stylists who are still riding the charts in the U.S. with their debut hit, "Yesterday's Gone," can score an even bigger success with "A Summer Song." Tune's an ultra-lovely, soft beat cha cha with a folk flavor that the boys deliver in their enchanting hush-voiced manner. Backing's a heart rending, up tempo tale of a soldier gone to war.

WHAT KINDA LOVE? (2:14) [Dundee BMI—Davis] WISHING (2:14) [Nor Va Jak BMI—Holly, Montgomery] JIMMY GILMER (Dot 16642)

Gilmer can take another trip to chartsville aboard his latest Dot outing. The newie, tagged "What Kinda Love?" is another one of his enticing, up tempo thumpers from the "Sugar Shack" groove. Kids'll dig it. "Wishing" is a complete change of pace, soft beat lilter. Pretty coupler.

SQUEEZE HER-TEASE HER (1:56) [Merrimac BMI-Tucker, Wilson] GIVE ME BACK MY HEART (2:40) [Merrimac BMI—Tucker, Wilson] JACKIE WILSON (Brunswick 55269)

Wilson's latest for Brunswick generates the excitement of his "Baby Workout" and it could very well develop into his biggest outing since that chart date. It's a hard-driving steady beat affair, tabbed "Squeeze Her—Tease Her," that Jackie and the Gil Askey-led ork-choral group rock out with infectious glee. The crying towel, beat-ballad pleader, on the other end, finds Jack at his emotional best. Both ends are in the artist's "Somethin' Else" LP.

# Pick of the Week

NEW FANGLED, JINGLE JANGLE SWIMMING SUIT FROM PARIS (1:55) [Suto BMI—Oliver]

MY LOVE IS HERE TO STAY (2:36) [Duchess BMI-Ross, Crane]

FRANKIE AVALON (United Artists 748)

Avalon's first for UA could be the first of the topless swimsuit tunes to make the grade. Titled "New Fangled, Jingle Jangle Swimming Suit From Paris," is a contagious rock-a-rhythmic novelty delight that sports a bright Garry Sherman vocal-instrumental showcase. The lovely ballad is warmly handled by the songster.

A PRESENT FROM EDDIE (2:36) [Saturday ASCAP—Crewe, Rambeau, Rehak]

IT'S IN YOUR TEARS (2:27) [Saturday ASCAP—Crewe, Calello]

DIANE RENAY (20th-Century-Fox 533)

Miss Renay can regain her winning touch with this new 20th-Fox offering. It's an attractive beat-ballad romantic package, labeled "A Present From Eddie," that the chorus-backed canary waxes in a tailored-for-teen-tastes manner. However, don't overlook the tender shuffle-ballad underlid, "It's In Your Hands." Strong arrangements supplied by Calelle or both portions

LOVER'S PRAYER (2:30) [English BMI—Wallace] LOVE ME LIKE I LOVE YOU (2:00) [English BMI—Daniels]

WALLACE BROTHERS (Sims 189)

The Wallace Brothers, who clicked last time out in both the pop and r&b departments with "Precious Words," can go the whole-distance with potent follow-up stanza tagged "Lover's Prayer." The tune is a slow-shufflin' funky pledge of romantic devotion essayed in a soulful, feelingful manner by the boys. Eye it. The attractive undercut, "Love Me Like I Love You," is a lively, high-spirited happy blueser with an infectious teen-angled danceable beat.

# **Newcomer Picks**

HOLD ME (2:47) [Ross Jungnickel, Robbins, World ASCAP—Little, Oppenhiem, Schuster] THE TIP OF MY FINGERS (2:17) [Tree, Champion BMI—Anderson] P. J. PROBEY (London 9688)

P. J. Probey can make a solid impression on the wax map with this fantastic up dating of the oldie, "Hold Me." It's a pounding Beatles-like multi-track'er that's loaded with money-making potential, both vocally and instrumentally. Flipside is the recent Bill Anderson-penned, Roy Cark pop-country hit that P. J. renders with great feeling in a waltz-best health format. beat-ballad format.

I COULD CONQUER THE WORLD (2:10) [Unart BMI—Evans, Parnes]

HOW WOULD YOU LIKE ME TO LOVE YOU (2:23) [Leeds ASCAP—Weske]

THE CHEVELLES (World Artists 1025)

It's more than likely that another English group will be making the U.S. chart scene in the near future. This time it's the Chevelles and their steady, stomping beat rendition of the romantic-history tale, "I Could Conquer The World," could take the charts by storm. Potent Don Charles arrangement. Inviting cha cha-twist love affair on the flip.

A BOY LIKE YOU (2:14)
[Screen Gems-Columbia BMI—Wine, Kornfeld]

FUNNY LITTLE HEART (2:27)
[Screen Gems-Columbia BMI—Wine, Kornfeld] TONI WINE (Colpix 742)

Chances are Toni Wine will be the next big star on the Colpix roster. The lark displays a winning teen approach as she multi-tracks a fetching rock-a-ska shuffle entry, tabbed "A Boy Like You." Toni, a co-cleffer of the tune, also arranged this chart contender. "Funny Little Heart," on the underlid, beats along at a pleasant cha cha pace.

DERN YA (1:55) [Tree BMI—Tubb, Miller] SUCH A SILLY NOTION (2:09) [Acuff-Rose BMI—Boudleaux, Bryant] RUBY WRIGHT (Ric S126-64)

Ruby Wright has the 'right' answer to Roger Miller's current dual-market blockbuster, "Dang Me," with this humorous reply from Ric tagged, "Dern Ya." The lark's smooth, tongue-in-cheek handling of this pop-country novelty should guarantee plenty of activity at the market-place. The lark shuffles through a potent straight country opus on the flip.







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# **Best Bets**

### THE FASHIONS (Cameo 331)

BABY THAT'S ME (2:18)
[Metric-BMI — DeShannon,
Nitzsche] The Fashions could come
from left field to score in the coin department with this lilting Jackei Deshannon-Jack Nitzsche-penned romancer. Smoothly arranged and delivered

NICK AND JOE CALLIN'
(2:02) [Kalmann-ASCAP—
Appell] Pleasant instrumental.

### ANITA HUMES (Roulette 4564)

WHEN SOMETHIN'S HARD TO GET (3:00) [Frost-BMI—Venet] Anita Humes (femme lead with the Essex) should capture solo honors with this new effort for Roulette. It's a big-beat opus the teens and spinners will give plently of attention tention.

(B+) DON'T FIGHT IT BABY [Blackwood — McCoy] More of the same. Could make it too.

### THE MOJOS (Parrot 4500)

WHY NOT TONIGHT (2:25)

[Noma-BMI—O'Toole] The
Mojos come on strong with a hard
rocking frug. The group has a good
Liverpool sound. This finger snapper
has what it takes to attract loads of
attention.

rhythm opus that also merits special attention.

BANJO BARONS (Columbia 43097)

GOOD TIME CHARLEY

(2:24) [Berdog ASCAP]

# TOMMY LEONETTI (RCA Victor 8404)

DON'T STAND UP IN A
CANOE (2:28) [APT ASCAP
Vance, Snyder] Tommy can make
a big summer splash with his delightful version of this happy-go-lucky
novelty. Platter spinners oughta have
a ball with this Sid-Bass-arranged cutie.

(B+) DOWN BY THE OCEAN (1:57) [Fred ASCAP—Bross, Blagman] Another pleasant summertime offering. Easy-on-the-ears style.

# THE JEWELS (Dimension 1034)

 OPPORTUNITY Evans, Stewart The group can have a break-wide-open Dimension bow in this engaging thump-arhythmic cha cha. Side's loaded with pop-r&b chart ingredients. Keep close tabs on it tabs on it.

(B+) GOTTA FIND A WAY (2:36) [McAllister BMI—McAllister] Bright, teen-styled jumper.

# SPIKE JONES (Liberty 55718)

PARADISE (2:14) [Feist-ASCAP — Brown, Clifford]
Paradise is all a matter of bumps and on this sparkling Spike Jones stripper-fashioned arrangement of a melodic oldie. It's a spirited fun-lis-tening affair the deejays will surely

(B+) I'M IN THE MOOD FOR LOVE (2:06) [Robbins ASCAP—McHugh, Fields] Another "burlesque" beauty from Spike and

## ED FORSYTH (Jewel 734)

HOW OLD DO YOU HAVE
TO BE TO LOVE SOMEONE
(3:05) [Chevis BMI—Paterson]
Here's a pulsating teen-beat ballad
by Ed Forsyth that could catch on in
short order with spinners and kids
across the country. The chanter has a
big warm voice, and uses it well. A
talent to watch.

(B+) GOT A LOT LONGER TO GO (2:03) [Arc-BMI—Forsyth, Lewis] A medium-paced rhythm opus that also merits special

GOOD TIME CHARLEY (B+) DON'T DO IT ANYMORE (1:40) [Valley-BMI—James]

More rock on this end.

TOMMY LEONETTI

(RCA Victor 2017) (2:24) [Berdoc-ASCAP—Canton, Belgin, Berger] The Banjo Barons shine brightly on this singalong type charmer that couples a memorable melody with strong lyrics.

(RL) LETTIC

(B+) LET'S GET THE BANJO OUT OF THE ATTIC (1:41) [Chesdal-BMI—Avayou] Another in the same happy vein.

# AL CAIOLA (United Artists 747)

WHEELS WEST (2:05)
[Alpane ASCAP—Caiola, Romanis] Al Caiola, who struck gold with his "Magnificient 7" theme could repeat the success with this likefashioned galloper that effectively showcases the guitarist's artistry. Top listening enjoyment.

(B+) ON THE TRAIL (2:13)
[Robbins ASCAP — Grofe,
Adamson] Pop treatment of "Grand
Canyon Suite."

# JERRY DAYTON (Epic 5-9703)

PLEASE DON'T HURT HER (2:24) [Laddie BMI—Mandia, Gregory] Here's an unusual teen-oriented romancer from Jerry Dayton that could stir up plenty of sales and deejay excitement. Multitrack and strong beat are an added plus. Could happen.

plus. Could happen.

(B+) THREE LITTLE BOOKS (1:53) [Bourne ASCAP— (2:20) [Chappell ASCAP— Carli, Nisa, Panzeri] The much-recorded prize import can make a big showing under the expert guidance of Pourcell and his string-filled ork. Most attractive sans lyric choral chants round out the lovely deck.

THE UMBRELLAS OF CHERBOURG (2:12) [BIEM—Legrand] This haunting newcomer can also step way out. Beautiful melody surveyed in first class fashion by Pourcell's instrumentalists and wordless choral group.

# Best Bets

### JIMMY RUFFIN (Soul 35002)

SINCE I'VE LOST YOU (2:20) [Whitfield] Ruffin can have his big chart break with this bow on the Tamla subsid. It's an infectious, shuffle-rock blueser that the artist and his combo-choral support serve up in ear-appealing fashion. Watch it Watch it.

I WANT HER LOVE (2:42) Strong shuffle-thump dualmart'er here.

### JOHNNY RIVERS (Coral 62425)

YOUR FIRST AND LAST
LOVE (2:20) [Dolores
ASCAP—Jones] Rivers, who currently has an Imperial smash in
"Memphis," can also cash in with this date that Coral has latched onto. It's an appealing ballad-with-a-beat romancer that the chorus-backed Rivers delivers with sincerity.

THATES MY DATE

ROT CLARK (Capitol 5233)

IT'S MY WAY (2:35) Cedar-wood BMI—Walker] Ray Clark can get back in his money-making ways with this lyrical, medium-paced bluesy full ork-backed ballad with a nostalgic while-backed sound. Plenty of potential here.

I'M FORGETTING NOW (2:30) [Central Songs BMI—Taylor] Another first-rate side This

THE CASCADES (RCA Victor 8402)

I DARE YOU TO TRY
(2:09) [Honeysuckle BMI—
Gummoe, Stevens, Snyder] The group can have another chart item on their hands in this hard-hitting, rock-beat blueser. Side has the sounds, vocally and instrumentally that hits are made of.

(B+) AWAKE (2:40) [Honeysuckle BMI—
BMI—Jackson] Pretty, soft beat cha cha wistful.

LOUISIANA RED (Glover 3002)

I'M TOO POOR TO DIE
(2:17) [Jon Ware & Frost BMI—Singleton, Wyche, Glover]
Louisiana Red unleashes his potent, wide-range vocal talents full-blast on this swingin' low-down blues lament which boasts some clever, sure-fire lyrics. Deejays should really dig it.

(B) SUGAR HIPS (2:15) [Jon Ware & Frost BMI—Minter, Glover, Levy] Medium-paced, infectious instrumental stanza.

# THE YOUNG VOYAGERS

BLUE EYES (2:35) [Joli BMI—Asher] The artists display a warm and appealing pop-folk style as they softly caress this ultra lovely lilter. Deejay exposure can send it on its way. Eye it closely.

(B) THE ANGRY SEA (2:02) [Joli BMI—Asher] More fine folk stylings on this up temp entry.

### THE BREAKAWAYS (Melbourne 1805)

THE FLIPPER (2:02)
[Beam, Jaspar-BMI—Turnbull] The Breakaways dish up a tasty
instrumental in the tradition of the
years-back hit, "Wheels" by the
String Alongs. It's a captivating opus
that could come from left field to
score.

(B+) GRANADA (2:12) [South-ern - ASCAP — Lara, Dodd] Bouncy arrangement of evergreen.

### ANNA KING (Smash 1904)

MAKE UP YOUR MIND (2:46) [Try Me BMI—Wright] The lark has had hits in the past and she can score again with this extremely slow-moving organ-backed funky pop-r&b affair all about a gal who wants her guy to decide if he wants her or not.

(B+) IF YOU DON'T THINK (1:54) [Try Me BMI— Brown] Lively, high-powered con-tagious blues item.

### ROY CLARK (Capitol 5233)

It's an appealing ballad-with-a-beat romancer that the chorus-backed Rivers delivers with sincerity.

THAT'S MY BABE (2:43)
[Dolores ASCAP] Also keep a close watch on this shufflin' blueser.

It too can make noise

# LOUISIANA RED (Glover 3002)

# AL MARTINO

(20th Century-Fox 530)

COME BACK TO ME (2:30) COME BACK TO ME (2:30) [Porgie BMI—B.&A. Provenzano] This date, cut during the chanter's days with 20th-Fox, is a beautiful ballad lilter (done in part Italian) that could make its way to chartsville. Splendid all-around performance from Martino and the Aldo Provenzano ork.

(B+) I CAN'T GET YOU OUT OF MY HEART (2:28) [South-ern ASCAP—di Minno, Crane] This is the lovely while-back hit for the songster. Can also make the grade

DU-ETTES (One-derful 4821)

PLEASE FORGIVE ME (2:10) [Va-Pac BMI—Rice, Williams, Kelly] The crew pulls out all the stops on this quick-paced, hard-driving hand-clappin' blueser with an interesting rapidly-changing beat. Side's a natural for heavy airplay.

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DAYS (2:15) [Va-DAYS (2:

Flourney item.

(B+) I GOTTA SIT DOWN AND CRY (2:43) [Tree BM-Marchan] Tender, soulful traditional r&b weeper.

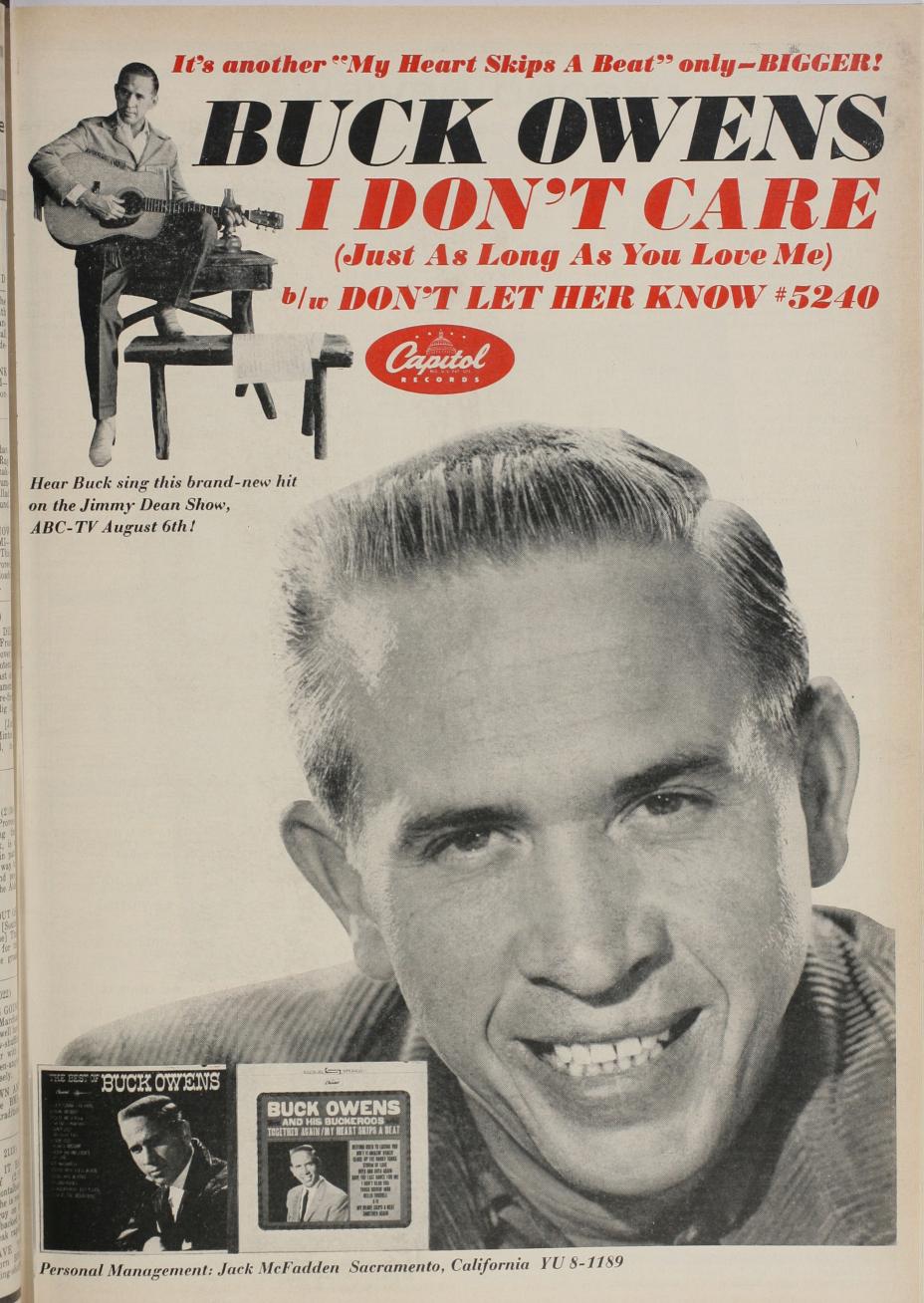
# MAXINE DAVIS (Guyden 2113)

I REALLY GOT IT BAD FOR MY BABY (2:10)

[Crazy Cajun BMI—Montalbano]

Maxine Davis claims that she is really hung-up on her favorite guy on this easy-going pop-r&b chorus-backed tale of devotion. Deck could break rapidly.

(B+) BEFORE I LEAVE YOU (2:27) [Long Horn BMI-Stevens, Bilao] Pulsating-shufflin blues weeper. blues weeper.



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### B+ REVIEWS

### DIANE PINE (Take 3909)

(B+) YOUR LOVE IS MINE (2:35) [Ripline, Doctor BMI—Bergen, Rick, Coburn] R&B ballad shouter.

(B) LUCKY GIRL (2:08) [Ripline, Doctor BMI — Bergen, Rick, Coburn] Tempo is speeded up on

## SUE THOMPSON (Hickory 1270)

(B+) BIG HEARTED ME (1:50)
[Acuff-Rose BMI — Gibson]
Pleasing up-dating of Don Gibson's country click.

(B) LOOKING FOR A GOOD BOY (2:20) [Acuff-Rose BMI—Boudeleaux, Bryant] Deck has a pop-rock beat.

# THE FURYS (Liberty 55719)

(B+) IF I DIDN'T HAVE A DIME
(2:20) [January BMI — Russel, Medley] Very strong pop-rock tune backed with excellent teen sound

(B) DREAM (2:07) [Godsen AS-CAP — Mercer] Fair revision job on the evergreen.

# MARIAN MONTGOMERY (Capitol 5231)

(B+) SWEET TALK (1:55) [Notable ASCAP—Coleman, Huddieston] Good jazz-flavored sound.

(B+) THAT'S LIFE (2:36) [Four Star BMI—Kay, Gordon] Good pop programming material.

# THE BOYS WITH THE BIG GUITARS (Ford 133)

(B+) THE BOYS WITH THE BIG GUITARS (2:27) [Merry-Go-Round BMI—Taylor, Daryll] Done in refreshing drag-sounding tempo.

(B) IF I COULD TELL HER
(2:00) [Merry-Go-Round BMI
—Taylor, Daryll] Coupler is a ballad
via Everly Bros. sound.

# JOE COSTA (RCA Victor 8403)

(B+) DON'T TRY TO CHANGE
ME (2:12) [Hill & Range BMI
—Pomus, Poncia, Andreoli] Songster
ala Bobby Vinton's style with this
presentation presentation.

(B) TWO IS THE LONELIEST NUMBER (2:17) [Gil BMI—Perper] Sentimental tear jerker.

# BARRY DARVELL (Providence 404)

(B+) IT'S RAININ', IT'S POURIN' (2:23) [Luristan ASCAP — Schatz] Top notch folk-rock ballad

(B) WHEN YOU'RE ALONE
(2:25) [Davis BMI—Adessa]
Hand-clap backing and rock beat give oldie a good up-to-date sound.

# DAVIS & JONES & THE FENDERS (Derry 102)

(B+) BOSS WITH THE HOT SAUCE (2:00) [Lochmoor BMI—Davis, Jones] Powerful soul-

(B) LOVE IS REAL (2:55) [Lochmoor BMI — Davis, Jones]
Tempo is in lower gear but has the soul sound.

# GERALD SIMS (Okeh 7199)

(B+) LITTLE ECHO (2:04) [Nicolet & Robert Carton BMI— Carton] High-powered pop-r&b lament

(B+) MOTHER NATURE (2:45) [Shake BMI—Sims] Jazz-flavored twistable happy blueser.

### SONNY BOY WILLIAMSON (Checker 1080)

(B) MY YOUNGER DAYS (3:08] [Arc BMI—Williamson] Shuffle-beat, earthy, funky lament.

## EDDIE STAPLETON (Fortune 559)

(B+) WELL, I'M WEAK (2:15) [Trianon BMI — Stapleton] Pulsating, teen-angled pop-r&b twist-

I WANT YOUR LOVE (2:45) [Trianon BMI — Sta Medium-paced blues romancer. Stapleton]

### DAVE HAMILTON (Fortune 861)

(B+) BEATLE WALK (2:40) [Trianon BMI—Hamilton] Swingin' low-key multi-danceable instrumental

(B+) THE ARGENTINA (1:50) [Trianon BMI — Hamilton] Effective Latinish rhythmic item.

## "BIG" TINY LITTLE (Coral 62424)

(B+) MARINE (2:35) [Hawaii BMI — Hermann, Jason, Shayne] Melodic, smooth reading of the flick theme.

(B+) I'LL REMEMBER APRIL (2:33) [Leeds ASCAP—Raye, Paul, Johnson] Pleasant, 'good music'

# THE SHERRYS (Mercury 72256)

(B+) NO NO BABY (2:22) [Merjoda BMI—Huff, Carl] Rockaballad vocal.

(B+) THAT GUY OF MINE (2:15) Another of the same, equally strong.

# THE SCAVENGERS (Stars of Hollywood 1212)

(B+) DEVIL'S REEF (1:52) [Del-Pat ASCAP—Patton] Rocka-string with guitar lead instrum.

(B+) LITTLE ANNIE (1:50) [Signature BMI — Southard, Nelsen] Similarly-styled opus.

# MAMIE VAN DOREN/JUNE WIL-KINSON (Jubilee 5483)

(B+) BIKINI WITH NO TOP ON THE TOP (2:05) [Robin] Timely topic effort by the gals.

(B) SO WHAT ELSE IS NEW (2:07) [Jonie ASCAP—Robin] Novelty instrumental by combo.

# ZACHERLY (Colpix 743)

(B+) HELLO DOLLY (2:09) [E.H. Morris ASCAP—Herman] The TV 'ghoul comic' hops on the bandwagon with a cute uptempo version

(B+) MONSTERS HAVE PROBLEMS TOO (1:54) [Screen Gems-Columbia BMI — Calcagno-Greco-Gore] A hard rocker with clever interjections by Zacherly.

# WAYNE FONTANA & THE MIND BENDERS (Fontana 1917)

(B+) STOP, LOOK AND LISTEN (2:00) [Shapiro Bernstein AS-CAP — Breedlove-Brown] A catchy rock-a-cha date.

(B) ROAD RUNNER (2:20) [Arc BMI — McDaniel] Infectious

### B+ REVIEWS

### LONESOME SUNDOWN (Excello 2254)

(B+) YOU'RE PLAYIN' HOOKEY (2:08) [Excellorec BMI — Green] Raunchy, high-spirited happy

(B) PLEASE BE ON THAT "519" (3:02) [Excellorec BMI —Green] Traditional r&b weeper.

### JOHNNY BURNETTE (Sahare 512)

(B+) WHAT A SUMMER DAY (2:15) [Sparrow BMI — Burnette] Fast-moving, danceable teen twister.

(B) FOUNTAIN OF LOVE (1:52) [Sparrow BMI — Burnette] Lyrical, slow-moving moody ballad.

# ROAMERS (Appro 1890)

(B+) THE TIME OF MAN (3:45) [Brio BMI—Edmonson] Pretty, slow-moving pop-folk message-

(B) SHADY GROVE (2:30) [P.D.] Impressive feelingful reading of folk evergreen.

## CHANTS (Interphon 703)

(B+) SHE'S MINE [Ardmore & Beechwood BMI — Schlaks, Weiss] Teen-angled rockin' bluestwister.

(B+) THEN I'LL BE HOME [Welbeck BMI—Amoo] Ditto.

# LIGHTNIN' SLIM (Excello 2252)

blues weeper.

GREYHOUND BLUES (2:46) [Excellorec BMI] More of the (B) same.

# LES & LARRY ELGART

(B+) BLUES IN THE NIGHT (2:45) [Remick ASCAP — Mercer, Arlen] Lush, big-band rendition of evergreen.

(B+) MY HEART BELONGS TO DADDY (1:55) [Chappell AS-CAP—Porter] Ditto.

# SANDY & SOPHOMORES (Columbia 43089)

(B+) WALK AWAY GIRL (2:21) [Tree BMI—Riley] Teen appealing jumper.

(B) I TRUST YOU TOMMY (2:02) [Famous ASCAP — Shuman, Stith] Pleasant rock-a-bal-

# PETE SHRAYDER (Ascot 2154)

(B+) THE MEMORY OF MARI-LYN (2:48) [United Artists ASCAP — Tobias, Pockris] Taunting heart-breaker ballad.

(B) TEN TIMES BLUE (2:30) [Kingsley ASCAP — Kaye, Springer] A sad story teller ballad.

## LORETTA KING (Columbia 43084)

(B+) THE GOOD LOVE, THE BAD LOVE (2:37) [Premier BMI— Carroll, Puzey] Rockin' danceable r&b

(B+) TELL ME MY LOVE (2:22) [Premier BMI—Roberts, Carroll] Same as the top side.

# BUTCH, PEGGY AND LITTLE JOHN (Old Town 1165)

(B+) IT MUST BE LOVE (2:50) [Nuca Maureen—Verroca] Inviting stomp beat rocker.

TOMORROW NIGHT (2:19) (B) [Nucca Maureen — Verroca] Good frug beat should attract dance

### LIGHTNING HOPKINS (Prestige 326)

(B+) LET'S GO SIT ON THE LAWN (2:40) [Pres BMI— Hopkins] Low-down, funky, soulful blues tear-jerker.

(B) I LIKE TO BOOGIE (2:30) [Pres BMI—Hopkins] Pulsating, lively happy blueser.

# KEN JENSEN (Ava 158)

(B+) BOX CARS (2:16) [Hulla-baloo BMI — Jensen] Lush, hard-swingin' jazz instrumental.

(B) CHEAP BLUE (2:25) [Hullabaloo BMI—Jensen] Laconic, slow-moving midstream ballad.

## WILLIE DIXON (Federal 12524)

(B+) UNCLE WILLIE'S GOT A THING GOING ON (3:02) [Sonlo BMI—Thompson] Pulsating, fast-moving blues rocker.

(B+) OUR KIND OF LOVE (3:00) [Sonlo BMI—Thompson, Warren] Nostalgic, pop-r&b lament.

## AL CHANEY (Soundstage 7 451)

(B+) RETURN TO SANDRA (1:56) [Yonah-BMI—Chaney] Up tempo rocker from Presley's "Re-turn To Sender" groove.

(B) THAT'S WHY I WANT YOU (2:12) [Yonah-BMI-Chaney] Soft pleasant ballad.

# RELIGIOUS

# GOSPEL KEYNOTES

(Nashboro-824) In Glory Land/Show Me The Way

MIGHTY GOLDEN TONES (Nashboro-825) Lord! Care For Me/My Saviour Lifted Me

# WILLIAMS SINGERS (Nashboro-826) Troubled Mind/We're Blessed

BRIGHT STARS (Nashboro-827) God's Comin' Again/If You Miss Me Singing

# BRO. JOE MAY

(Nashboro-828) What You've Done For Me/God Gave Me A Song

# PILGRIM HARMONIZERS (Song Bird-1013) If I Pray/Words Of Elijah

THE VALLEY WONDERS (Song Bird-1011)
The Twenty Third Psalm/The Lord's

# THE HARDEMAN SINGERS

(Peacock-3024) Living A New World/Remember Me

# THE HIGHTOWER BROTHERS (Peacock-3020) Good Time In Heaven/Nobody's Fault But Mine

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# Set Re-Issue Of Kempff's Complete Beethoven Sonatas

NEW YORK—In honor of pianist Wilhelm Kempff's first U.S. recital, MGM Records has arranged with Deutsche Grammophon, whose records it distributes in this country, to reissue in Oct. Kempff's vaunted recordings of the Beethoven Piano Sonatas. The Complete Beethoven Piano Sonatas will comprise ten disks as a boxed set (not available singly) to be released shortly before the pianist gives his American deput recitals at New York's Carnegie Hall on Oct. 13 and 15.

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Each of the ten records has been re-mastered and newly pressed. The sonatas in Kempff's versions originally were released on American pressings starting in 1952 and totaled 15 records, compared to 10 in this new edition and to 13 in the recently reissued Schnabel set on Angel.

Also in Oct., MGM will release four new DGG albums by Kempff, two devoted to Brahms' piano music (the intermezzi, rhapsodies and capriccios of Opp. 76, 79, 116, 117, 118, 119) and two new recordings of the last four Beethoven piano sonatas, which will comprise one of the pianist's Carnegie Hall Programs.

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Kempff, who has appeared in Canada but never before in the U.S., was born in Juterborg on Nov. 25, 1895. His father was a piano teacher. Kempff, who was well known at the age of 20, succeeded Max Pauer as director of the Wurttemberg Academy of Music (Stuttgart) in 1924 but resigned in 1929 to devote himself to the piano and to his master classes.

# Re-Tying The Knot



NEW YORK—Everyone was all smiles when Rita Pavone recently signed a new long-term contract with RCA Italiana. The lark whose first English-language single "Remember Me" and album made quite an impression on the charts, recently returned to her native Italy from a tour of South America. Currently recording her second RCA Victor English-language LP under the A&R supervision of Joe Rene, she will be back in the U.S. in October for a return engagement on the Ed Sullivan CBS-TV'er. Shown (left to right) with Rita are Teddy Reno, her manager, RCA Victor division veep Dario Soria and Giuseppe Ornato, general manager of RCA Italiana. RCA Italiana

# World Artists Bows American Arts Subsid

PITTSBURGH—Lou Guarino, president of World Artists Records, has announced the formation of a new subsid label to be called American

Already pacted to the new label are lark Bobbie Smith who will debut with "Miss Stronghearted," and Britishers Alma Cogan and Andee Silver-Guarino also announced the distribu-tion set-up for the affiliate would be the same as for World Artists.

Deals, discounts and programs being offered to dealers and distributors by record manufacturers. 

## **ABC-PARAMOUNT, IMPULSE! & TANGERINE**

121/2% discount on all new and catalog product. Expires: Sept. 30.

## ATLANTIC & ATCO

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### AUDIO FIDELITY

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10% discount on all LP's. Expires: Aug. 31.

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# **FOLKWAYS**

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### WORLD ARTISTS

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... We're wastin' time talkin' Jackie -Ross and Chuck Berry. We know they're hits! Let's talk 1078 and 1083. We're startin' to get big action on these ......

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1078 is Little Milton's "What Kind Of Love Is This" ...1083 is Bo Diddley's "Jo-Ann". Gimme a match, Phil.

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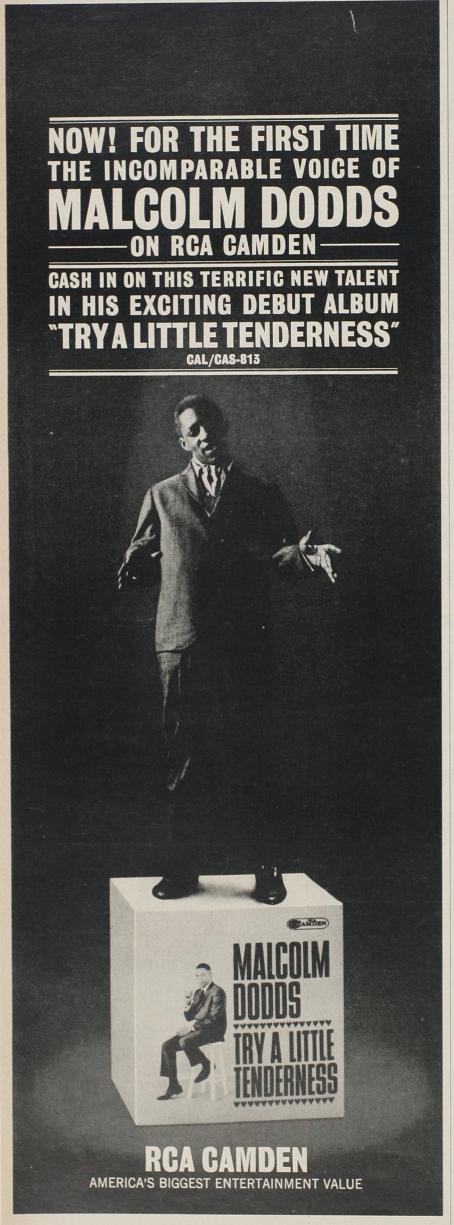


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# PLATTER SPINNER PATTER

The world's first "sleepless sit-in" was recently conducted by WVON-Chicago. The outlet's deejays were locked in a mobile home parked in one of the city's largest shopping centers at six in the morning on July 6 and they started a marathon to raise funds for C. O. F. O. (The Council of Federated Organizations) which is coordinating the drive for voter registration in Mississippi this summer. The first spinner dropped off after 48 hours, another lasted 52, three more succumbed after 60 hours, and the two remaining "Good Guys" kept it up for 85 and 87 hours. The sleepless sit-in, billed as WVON's "Wide-Eyed Freedom Ride," received the support of the Windy City's Negro community to the tune of over \$17,000.

Most couples are married to the strains of music provided by a piano, organ or even a phonograph. But a Williamson, West Virginia couple recently took their vows to music played on their radio. The twosome found shortly before the home ceremony that someone had forgotten to obtain a piano. The bride's mother, however, had an idea. She phoned WBTH. After a hurried search of the station's library of records, Mark Webb located appropriate music and then played it on the air in a special broadcast dedicated to the marriage. Radios were tuned to WBTH during the ceremony and the couple was married on schedule. Bob Harvit, general manager of the outlet said: "The request threw me for a moment, but you get used to requests of every nature from a loyal radio audience."

Have you seen the WLOL-Minneapolis Button Girls? That's the question being asked all around the Twin Cities these days since WLOL started their "Button Girl" promotion. Three gals are driving around the Twin Cities in red convertibles stopping at various shopping centers and parking lots asking drivers if they have their car radios on 1330. If they do, the girls have gifts for them. If the driver does not have WLOL on the car radio, but will let the Button Girl set their car radio on 1330, they also receive a gift from the station.

It's now Christmas in July on CKY-Winnipeg. All over Manitoba, Diamond Santa Clauses are carrying certificates redeemable for perfect quality ¼ carat unset diamonds. Listeners hear 24 clues daily to the identities of the Diamond Santa Clauses—then must go out and find them to claim their diamonds.

Johnny Canton, newly-named 3 to 6 PM personality on WHAM-Rochester, sends out an urgent s.o.s. for betfor singles service. Outlet is a 50,000 watt, clear-channel setup and is presently in the process of modernizing their music policy.

Jim Runyon, KYW-Cleveland's midday (10AM-2PM) deejay, recently began a two-week run as the King (of Siam) in the Cain Park Summer Theater production of "The King And I."

The American Women in Radio and Television will use early broadcasting techniques to highlight today's modern trends at their East Central Regional Conference to be held Oct. 2-4 at the Statler Hilton Hotel in Detroit.

The U.S. Foreign Service has issued a call for help. More communications clerks are needed quickly to staff embassies, consulates and legations around the world. To help fill this shortage, WLS-Chicago is currently broadcasting custom produced announcements for recruitment purposes. Produced by public affairs director, Don Stewart, the announcements are scheduled several times daily through August 8, or until the quota is satisfied.

With over 2,500 entries on tape, Regency Records, United Artists and KLAC-Los Angeles have closed the contest offering a recording contract to any KLAC listener who warbles the best version of the tag tune from UA's "For Those Who Think Young." Entrants were given free copies of the tune, then called and sang into the station's tape recorder banks. Regency executives will sift vocals for the best ten, followed by a live audition for those chosen before group of judges. Best one, of course, wins the Regency contract to cut the tune with full orchestra for national release and ballyhoo.

KNUZ-Houston has received for the sixth time the monthly Key Station Award from the Texas Associated Press Broadcasters Association. The award is presented monthly by the T.A.P.B.A. for the best coverage given a news story during the month by a Lone Star State outlet.

Lou Gillette, KVI-Seattle news director, has reached new heights of stardom most recently in the flick world. The new "movie king" just completed his first film for the United States Air Force called "Gun Mayhem." Gillette plays a lead role, that of a lieutenant colonel in the Air Force. The movie was made in Seattle and California and will be shown to all Air Force personnel in the U.S., Far East and Europe.

Some prominent guests recently appeared on KHJ-TV-Hollywood's "Million Dollar Matinee" program including Janet Blair, currently starring in "Sound Of Music" at the new Valley Music Theatre, outside Los Angeles. Others interviewed by host Wayne Thomas included Joannie Sommers and Kirby Grant. . . Betty Breneman, KHJ librarian, is back at her desk after a two-week vacation. Ditto for deejay Paul Compton.

Congrats are in order for Mitzi Hirschboeck, WLS-St. Louis staffer, who was recently elected president of the St. Louis chapter of the American Woman in Radio and Television.

VITAL STATISTICS:

J. Patrick Tallman, formerly program director for the McLendon chain, named music director of KBAT-San Antonio. . . . Chuck Dunaway given the green light as operations manager of KAYC-Beaumont.

# Herb Sheldon Dies

NEW YORK—Herb Sheldon, the radio and TV personality, died here last week (21) at the age of 51. During the 1950's, the onetime deejay was one of the most popular kiddie show emcees on TV. Born in Brooklyn, Sheldon started his radio career by doing a one-man show for free in 1941. He later packaged shows for actors and deejays, became a strong deejay and announcer in his own right. He's survived by his wife, two sons and two daughters and two brothers.

# Olympia Dist. Handles Prima

NEW YORK—Ervin Litkei's Olympia Distributing has been named the New York outlet for Louis Prima's Prima label. First release under the new arrangement is Prima's disking of two tunes from the upcoming Walt Disney flick, "Mary Poppins." Sides are "Spoonful of Sugar" and "Stay Awake."



# SURE SHOTS

The Cash Box "Sure Shots" highlight records which reports from retail dealers throughout the nation indicate are already beginning to sell quantity or else give every indication of doing so.

BECAUSE DAVE CLARK FIVE	Epic 9704
I'LL KEEP YOU SATISFIED BILLY J. KRAMER	Imperial 66048
AND I LOVE HER BEATLES	Capitol 5235
HEY GIRL DON'T BOTHER ME	ABC-Paramount 10573
I'VE GOT NO TIME TO LOSE CARLA THOMAS	Atlantic 2238
SELFISH ONE JACKIE ROSS	
IN THE MISTY MOONLIGHT	Challenge 59246



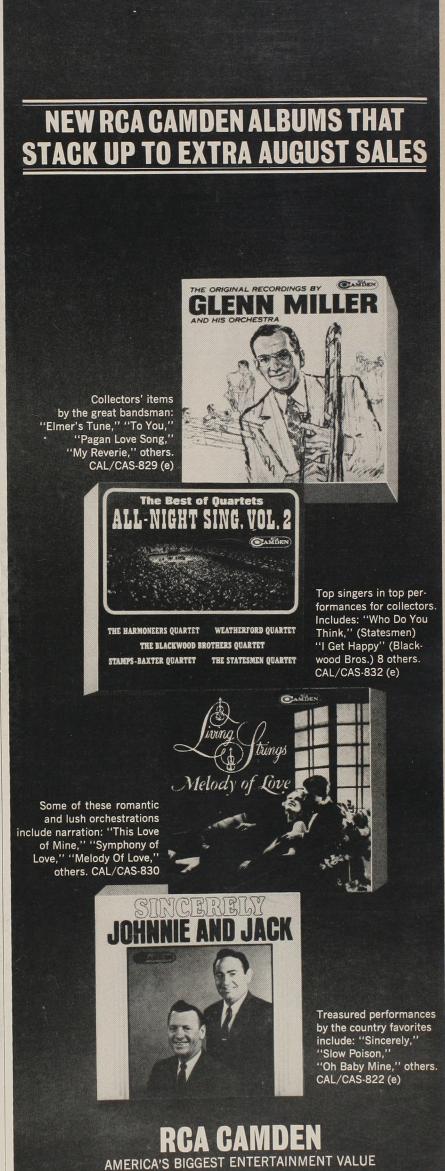
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# **TOP 100 SINGLES** (ALPHABETIZED)

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A Hard Day's Night	Keep On Pushin' 10			
A Taste Of Honey 99	Little Children			
A Tear Fell	Little Latin Lupe Lu 71			
A World Without Love 47	Little Old Lady (From Pasadena) 5			
Ain't She Sweet	Looking For Love			
Alone				
And I Love Her-Beatles *67	Maybe I Know*54			
And I Love Her—Martin	Movican Chuffle 98			
Anyone Who Knows What Love Is 61	Mixed-Up Shook-Up Girl			
Baby Come Home	More & More Of Your Amore 9/			
Bad To Me	My Boy Lompop			
Because *65	The New Frankie & Johnny Song 100			
Can't You See That She's Mine 14	No One To Cry To			
Chapel Of Love	Nobody I Know			
- mon And Ownin				
Dang Me	Oh! Baby (We Got A Good Thing Goin') . 12			
Darling It's Wonderful 91 Do I Love You 36	People			
Don't Let The Sun Catch You Crying 20	People Say*16			
Don't Throw Your Love Away	Page Dell 2			
Don't Worry Baby 53 Down Where The Four Winds Blow 100	Rag Doll			
	Ringo's Theme (This Boy)			
Everybody Loves Somebody				
	Say You			
	Selfish One			
Girl From Ipanema	Share Your Love With Me			
Good Times 20	Cala Sala Sala			
G.T.O. 93	Steal Away			
Handy Man*22	Such A Night *40 Sugar Lips *21			
nounted House 83	Sunny			
Hey Girl Don't Bother Me *73 Hey Harmonica Man 46	Sweet William *81			
How Do You Do It	Tell Me			
	Tennessee Waltz			
I Believe 37 I Get Around 3	Thank You Baby 96			
I Get Around 3 I Like It Like That 27 I Should Have You Bare	Try It Baby			
Should Have Known Better *51 Wanna Love Him So Bad 17	Under The Boardwalk			
II I M A Fool For Loving You /9				
III Need Tou Satisfied	Walk Don't Run '64			
	Whore Did Our Love Go			
In The Misty Moonlight *80	Wishin' & Honin'			
	Warld I Head To Know			
It Ain't No Use 87 It Hurts To Be In Love 95	Worry			
t's A Cotton Candy World 89	(You Don't Know) How Glad I Am *18			
	You're My Remedy 58 You're My World 39			
'ye Got No Time To Lose*75	You're My World			



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# RECORD RAMBLINGS

### **NEW YORK:**

Command Records hosted a cocktail reception at the Hampshire House last week (20) to bow Carol Channing's debut single for the label. Label topper Enoch Light was on hand to introduce Miss Channing to guests and press reps. "Dolly's" initial entry into the singles field for Command is "Ain't Misbehavin'" coupled with "When You're Smilin'." . . . Our condolences to Command's Loren Becker whose mother died recently. . . . Condolences to Command's Loren Becker whose mother died recently. . . . Conductor-composer-arranger Stan Applebaum writes he's recently done an album with Sergio Franchi for RCA Victor, and that he's also done a lot of work for the World's Fair. . . Regina lark Sylvia DeSayles received a citation from Mayor Wagner last week for her recent participation in the Mayors conference. . . Al Calder of 20th Fox dropped by the CB offices last week to tell us the label has two potential blockbusters with "What Now My Love" by Remo Capra, and "Mickey Mouse" by Dennis Proviso. Broadway," and "Film Spectacular Vol. 2" by Stanley Black. . . . Bucky at Redisco in Baltimore buzzes that the little LP is the coming thing for ops. Columbia, Kapp and Command are already tailoring the sets for the ops. . . . Oscar Brand post cards from Edmonton, Canada, where he played to 4,000 at the Corral. His Canadian TV show for Procter and Gamble has been renewed.

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Rosemary Prinz, who's Penny on the CBS daytime TV'er, "As The World Turns," has etched her first album to be released under the Pharos banner. She'll visit 10 cities to promo the set. . . . Joe Perdeck of Purdy Records is shouting Hit! for "Another Like You" by Ray Fleming, and "Don't You Feel It" by Bobby Adams. . . Ember Records' Bill Darnell reports that sales are mounting for "Mixed Up, Shook Up Girl" by Patty & The Emblems, and "La Nuit" by Jimmy Lytell. . . Fred Perri sez the most seasonal tune around is "New Fangled Jingle Jangle Swimming Suit From Paris." . . . Motown's Bobby







BILL COSBY

EDDIE DE RAE

... In an era when performers rarely remain in one club long enough to get their billing straight, Tobi Revnolds is an exception to the rule. The lark has just been held over for her 4th month at Gotham's Cafe Au Go Go. . . Bob Boulanger and Dick Heard, those cleffers who clicked a while back with "Abigail Beecher," claim they will do like Top 100 business with their latest effort, Jean Mavs' Diamond deck of "Dew Drop Inn."

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Arlene Biedenkopf, secretary to Liberty topper Alvin S. Bennett, has just been honored by the Institute for Certifying Secretaries, a department of the National Secretaries Association. She is now one of a select group of top-level secretaries who earned the rating and the right to use the initials CPS following her name. Only 280 were certified nationally this year.

. Eddie DeRae, who appeared on Clay Cole's TV'er last week, makes his Decca debut with "Go Back To Him."

. Ray (El Watusi) Barretto is the first to etch the evergreen "Nature Boy" with a Latin beat—the tune is included in Ray's upcoming LP on Tico.

. Jack Bart, president of Universal Attractions, is on an 11-week South American tour with the American Beetles. Dolores Rosaler, former assistant to the administrative secretary of AGVA, has joined Universal's sales dept.

Talked to Roy Botachio at Capitol who's back at his desk and feeling better. Roy's taking a vacation the next two weeks, and during his absence, Merv Amols is making promo jaunts around town.

Bill Kaslin of Hull Records buzzed to tell us he's just picked up the option on Shep & The Limelights; the group has been with the label four years and will debut a new single before Sept.

Loudon's Phil Wesen is all smiles over the sales figures on the new Bachelors LP and the group's new single, "I Believe," along with "Tell Me" and "It's All Over Now" by the Rolling Stones, and two new Phase 4 issues—"Werner Muller On

Green, currently out with a single dubbed, "You're Just Like You" heads for a 12-week cafe & concert tour of Australia next month. . . Indie promo rep Morty Wax calls to our attention these moneymakers: "A Taste Of Honey" by Tony Bennett, "Silly Ole Summertime" by the New Christy Minstrels (both on Columbia) "Comin' Home Baby" LP by Jack LaForge on Regina, "You Don't Know Baby" by the Pacettes (Regina), "Once A Fool" by Lesley Miller (RCA Victor) and "Taste Of Honey" by the Beatles.

Bill Cosby signs in for the Tonight Show this week (28) and takes his comedy the following night to the Village's Bitter End for three weeks. . . Jackie Kahane, the comic who recently scored a success on the Steve Allen Show, is waxing a first album several labels are interested in picking up. . . Sol Winkler came by with a copy of "Blue Eyes" by the Young Voyagers (Rust), which he produced. . . David Enos tells us that Jodie Sands has been booked into "The Orchard" in Atlantic City with Jackie Mason, and that she'll premiere a new deck shortly. . . . Trini Lopez opens a two-week engagement at Mr. Kelly's in Chicago this week before embarking on a European jaunt which will wind up at the famed Olympia Music Hall in Paris. . . . Scepter's Tommy Hunt to headline at the Peppermint Lounge for 2 weeks beginning Aug. 3. . . . Harriet Wasser, who manages King Williams, indicates the singer's first for MGM, "Patience ning Aug. 3. . . . Harriet Wasser, who manages King Williams, indicates the singer's first for MGM, "Patience Baby" is sure to be a best-seller. Harriet also mentioned that Bob Crewe has cut the Orlons for Cameo-Parkway.

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Tommy Glascoe of Stork Records buzzes that The Pin-ups, currently pinning their hopes on "Looking For Boys," have departed on a deejay and disk hop promo jaunt that will take them to Scranton, Pittsburgh, Greensburg, Latrobe, Erie, Akron. Youngstown and Cleveland. . . Thelma Carpenter, touring this summer in "Showboat," opens at the Ovens Auditorium in Charlotte on July 28. . . . Kenny Burrell skedded to do a set of melodic jazz tunes with specially prepared arrangements for Straight Ahead Rhythms, Inc.



# RECORD RAMBLINGS

# CHICAGO:

Seymour Schwartz's new label GMA is off to a flying start with The Allnighters' "You Talk Too Much." Deck, distributed nationally by Jim Golden's USA Records, is reportedly clicking in Detroit and starting up in some eastern markets. Seymour recently signed Jimmy Ford who's currently touring with the Dick Clark caravan. . . Paul Hertel writes from South Bend that the recent bash at Stephan Center Notre Dame attracted 4,000 teens. Stars

at Shelly's Manne Hole, have been signed to sing their hit, "The Girl From Ipanema" in "The Hanged Man" TV Project 120 two hour telefilm. . . . The Clinger Sisters, just signed to a Vee-Jay Records contract, leave this Saturday for a series of fair appearances across the country. . . . Henry Mancini established alltime attendance records leading the Cleveland, Ohio, and Kalamazoo symphony orchestras in concerts. . . .

Vic Dana took over as a one week guest deejay for vacationing Bruce







JACKIE KAHANE

JOHN McDONALD

were Kenny Carlton & The Redcoats, Princeton Five, and The Phantom Five, with spinner Dick Biondi emceeing. . . . Alan Mink, nat'l. promo mgr. for Smash, arranged a six-city tour for Dickey Lee who has a possible biggie in "Only Trust In Me." . . . Here's a word from Bert Loob that RIC Records is hot with Florraine Darlin's "Johnny Loves Me" and pro footballer Roosevelt Grier's "In My Tenement." . . . The Beach Boys headlined at McCormick Place (7/24) along with Freddie Cannon, Jimmy Griffin, Lynn Easton and The Kingsmen. . . Congrats to Earl Glicken who entered the freelance promo fold. Earl was formerly associated with Cortland Records. . . Perez Prado makes a rare Chi appearance at the Aragon Ballroom 7/24-26. . . . Chuck Livingston's on the move with Mercury outings "A House Is Not A Home" by Brook Benton, "It's A Cotton Candy World" by Jerry Wallace and "Maybe I Know" by Lesley Gore. The Oscar Peterson Trio followed Erroll Garner into the London House 7/21. . . . In the fore at United Record Dist. are singles "I'll Always Love You" by Brenda Holloway (Tamla), "A House Is Not A Home" by Dionne Warwick (Scepter) and "Please Forgive Me" by The Duettes (One-derful). . . . The new Chad & Jeremy side "A Summer Song" (World Artists), Leon Peels' "A Casual Kiss" (Whirlybird), "If You Were The Only Boy In The World" by The Crampton Sisters (DCP) and "Don't Stand Up In A Canoe" by Ronnie Dante (Music Voice) are among the sizzlers at Garmisa Dist. . . . Local group The Etons (USA) enjoyed a swingin' closing at The Mist in Joliet (7/19) when Al Hirt and Count Basie (who appeared at nearby D'Amico's) stopped by and joined them onstage for an impromptu session! . . Bobby Bland, Dionne Warwick, and a host of disk artists headline at the Regal Theater starting 7/24. . . . Kent Beauchamp of Royal Disc Dist. boasts a winning pair in "Summertime Blues" by the Princeton Five (Princeton) and "The Dartell Stomp" by The Mustangs (Providence).

# HOLLYWOOD:

Johnny Mathis and the Nogas held an opening night party at the start of Mathis' current engagement to the Greek Theatre. . . Dale and Grace in town to appear on the Dick Clark show this Saturday. . . Jerry Blaine, president of Cosnat Corp., here over the weekend for meetings with producer Maurice Duke anent release and press campaign for the release of their initial film production, "The Candidate." . . Stan Getz and Astrud Gilberto, currently packing them in

Lee at WIND, Chicago.... Gil Friesen upped to regional sales manager for Kapp Records. Tony Lowe now handling promotion locally for the label. . . . Singer-songwriter, Bill Shaw signed by new Coast label, Regency Records to co-produce with A&R chief Judd Hamilton first release by the Nordic Trio. . . Songwriter Jonny Baron and wife, vocalist Nanine proud parents of a son, Jon Carney Baron. . . In addition to her tour of European Army bases, Reprise star Keely Smith has been set for TV and nightclub appearances in England, France, West Germany, and Italy. . . . Capitol Records producer, Jim Economides cut additional tracks for the Lettermen's new album during their stint at New York's Copa. . . . . Dick Glasser, Dolton Records topper plans an early release for The Standells initial album release, recorded live at P.J.'s. . . .

### HERE AND THERE:

PHILADELPHIA—Ted Kellem has a flock of moving singles this week on Columbia including "Invisible Tears" by Ray Conniff, "I Want You To Meet My Baby" by Eydie Gorme, "A Taste Of Honey" by Tony Bennett, "Wah Wahini" by the Rip Chords, "Toki's Theme" by Dave Brubeck, "Silly Ole Summer Time" by the New Christy Minstrels, and "Summer Place" by the J's with Jamie.

BALTIMORE-Dave Carrico at Mar-BALTIMORE—Dave Carrico at Marshall/Mangold sez the distrib is setting the pace in the Balto area with "GTO" by Ronny and the Daytonas (Amy-Mala), "You Don't Know Baby" by the Pacettes (Regina) and "Always Something There To Remind Me" by Lou Johnson (Big Hill).

DETROIT—The Marvin Gaye Revue, which broke a lot of attendance records at the Twenty Grand Lounge here, have moved into Freedomland with the Miracles and Martha and the Vandellas for four shows a day.

CHARLOTTE, N.C.—Jazz 88'er Karl Boxer paid a visit to Ernie's Record shop here to sign copies of his first LP, Jazz Impromptu. The trafic was heavy for Boxer's album and signature

MERIDIAN, MISS.—John McDonald, Sleeper Records disk artist, dropped by the Music Center here to perform his current etching of "Sleep," an updating of an old tune from the 20's.

GOODLETTSVILLE, TENN. — The correct title of **Joe Hinton's** new deck on Back Beat is "Funny How Time Slips Away" by Willie Nelson.

# JOHNNY RIVERS

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