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New To The Top 100

#1 HONKY TONK WOMEN (3:03) Rolling Stones-London 910 539 W 25 St. NYC. PROD: Jimmy Miller, London England PUB: Gideon BMI c/o Allen Klein 1700 Bway, NYC. WRITERS: Jagger-Richards ARR: Rolling Stones FLIP: You Can't Always Get What You Want

#2 IN THE YEAR 2525 (3:15) Zager & Evans-RCA 4174 1133 Ave of the Americas, NYC. PROD: Zager & Evans c/o Mgt 3 Ltd 136 E 55 St. NYC. PUB: Zelad BMI WRITER: Evans FLIP: Little Kids

#3 A BOY NAMED SUE (3:40) Johnny Cash-Columbia 44944 51 W 52 Street, NYC. PROD: Bob Johnston c/o Columbia PUB: Evil Eye BMI WRITER: S. Silverstein FLIP: San Quentin

#4 SWEET CAROLINE (2:50) Neil Diamond-UNI 55136 8255 Sunset Blyd. L. A. Calif. PROD: Tommy Cogbill-Tom Catalano-Neil Diamond c/o Amer. Rec. Studios. 827 Thomas St. Memphis, Tenn. PUB: Stone Bridge BMI c/o Pryor Braun Cashman Sherman 437 Mad. Av. NYC. WRITER: Neil Diamond ARR: Chas Callello FLIP: Dig In

#5 CRYSTAL BLUE PERSUASION (3:45) Tommy James & Shondells-Roulette 7050 17 West 60 Street, NYC. PROD: T. James-R. Cordell c/o Roulette PUB: Big 7 BMI (same address) WRITERS: Y. James-M. Vale FLIP: I'm Alive

#6 BABY I LOVE YOU (2:56) Andy Kim-Steed 716 300 East 74 Street, NYC. PROD: Jeff Barry c/o Steed PUB: Trio BMI 1619 Bway, NYC. Mother Bertha BMI 9130 Sunset Blvd. L.A. Cal. WRITERS: J. Barry-E. Greenwich-P. Spector FLIP: Gee Girl

#7 RUBY DON'T TAKE YOUR LOVE TO TOWN (2:52) Ken Rogers & First Edition-Reprise 0829 4000 Warner Blvd., Burbank, Calif. PROD: Jimmy Bowen c/o Amos 6565 Sunset Blvd. L. A. Calif. PUB: Cedarwood BMI 815 16th Ave S. Nashville, Tenn. WRITER: Mei Tillis ARR: Glen D. Hardin FLIP: Girl Get A Hold Of Yourself

#8 PUT A LITTLE LOVE IN YOUR HEART Jackie DeShannon-Imperial 66385 6920 Sunset Blvd. L. A. Calif. PROD: V. M.E. c/o Imperial PUB: Unart BMI 729 7th Ave, NYC. WRITERS: J. De Shannon-Jimmy Holiday-Randy Myers ARR: V.M.E.-J. Langford FLIP: Always Together

#9 LAUGHING (2:44) Guess Who-RCA 0195 1133 Ave of the Americas, NYC. PROD: Jack Richardson c/o Numbus 9 131 Hazelton Ave Toronto, Canada PUB: Dunbar BMI 1650 Bway, NYC. WRITERS: Bachman-Cummings FLIP: Undun #10 POLK SALAD ANNIE (3:37) Tony Joe White-Monument 1104 530 W Main St. Hendersonville, Tenn. PROD: Billy Swan c/o Monument PUB: Combine (same address) WRITER: Tony Joe White FLIP: Aspen Colorado #11

#11 MY CHERIE AMOUR (2:50) Stevie Wonder-Tamla 54180 2457 Woodward Ave, Detroit, Mich. PROD: Hank Cosby c/o Tamla PUB: Jobete BMI (same address) WRITERS: Hank Cosby-Stevie Wonder-Sylvia Moy FLIP: I Don't Know Why I Love You

#12 WHAT DOES IT TAKE (TO WIN YOUR LOVE) (2:58) Jr. Walker & All Stars-Soul 35062 2457 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich. PROD: Fugua-Bristol c/o Soul PUB: Jobete BMI (same address) WRITERS: Bristol-Fugua-Bullock FLIP: Brainwasher Part 1

#13 MY PLEDGE OF LOVE (2:44) Joe Jeffrey Group-Wand 11200 254 West 54 Street, NYC. PROD: Jerry Meyers-Alan Klein 875 Main St. Buffalo, N. Y. PUB: Wednesday Morring BMI 4672 Walfor Rd. 212-C Warrensville Hts. Ohio Our Children's BMI c/o Wand WRITER: Joe Stafford Jr. ARR: AI Russ FLIP-Margie

#14 GIVE PEACE A CHANCE (4:49) Plastic Ono Band-Apple 1809 c/o Maclen 1780 Bway, NYC. PROD: John & Yoko c/o Apple PUB: Maclen BMI (same address) WRITERS: Lennon-McCartney FLIP: Remember Love

#15 I'D WAIT A MILLION YEARS (2:35) Grass Roots-Dunhill 4189 449 S. Beverly Dr., Bev. Hills, Calif. PROD: Steve Barri c/o Dunhill PUB: Teeny-Bopper ASCAP 932 N. Larabee, L.A. Calif. WRITERS: Gary Zekley-M. Bottler ARR: Jimmi Haskell FLIP: Fly Me To Havana

#16 LAY LADY LAY (3:20) Bob Dylan-Columbia 44926 51 West 52nd Street, NYC. PROD: Bob Johnston c/o Columbia PUB: Big Sky ASCAP P.O. Bx 27 Prince St. Sta. NYC. WRITER: B. Dylan FLIP: Peggy Day

#17 GET TOGETHER (4:37) Youngbloods-RCA 9752 1133 Ave of the Americas, NYC. PROD: Felix Poppalardi 106 MacDougal St., NYC. PUB: Irving BMI 1416 N La Brea Ave., L. A. Cal. WRITER: Chet Powers FLIP: Beautiful

#18 GREEN RIVER (2:31) Creedence Clearwater Revival-Fantasy 625 1281 30th St. Oakland, Calif. PROD: John Fogerty c/o Fantasy PUB: Jondora BMI c/o Fantasy WRITER: J. Fogerty ARR: J. Fogerty FLIP: Commotion #19 SOUL DEEP (2:25) — Box Tops-Mala 12040 1776 Bway, NYC. PROD: Tormmy Cogbill-Chips Moman 827 Thomas St. Memphis, Tenn. PUB: Earl Barton BMI 1121 S. Glenstone, Springfield, Mo. WRITERS: Wayne-Carson-Thompson FLIP: (The) Happy Song

#20 QUENTIN'S THEME (1:59) Chas. Randolph Grean Sound-Ranwood 840 9034 Sunset Blvd. L. A. Calif. PROD: Chas. R. Grean 120 E Hartsdale Ave, Hartsdale, N. Y. PUB: Curnor BMI c/o Allan H. Bomser 555 Mad. Ave., NYC. WRITER: Chas. Cobert ARR: Chas. Grean FLIP: #1 At The Blue Whale

#21 MARRAKESH EXPRESS (2:35) Crosby-Stills & Nash-Atlantic 2652 1841 Bway, NYC. PROD: Stephen Stills-David Crosby-Graham Nash c/o Atlantic PUB: Siquomb BMI 55 Liberty St. NYC. WRITER: G. Nash FLIP: Helplessly Hoping

#22 MOTHER POPCORN (YOU GOT TO HAVE A MOTHER FOR ME) PT. 1 (2:55) James Brown-King 6245 1540 Brewster Ave, Cinn. Ohio PROD: J. Brown c/o King PUB: Dynatone BMI (same address) WRITERS: J. Brown-Alfred Ellis FLIP: Mother Popcorn Pt. 2

#23 CHOICE OF COLORS (3:18) Impressions-Curtom 1943 c/o Buddah 1650 Bway, NYC. PROD: Curtis Mayfield 8543 Stoney Island Ave., Chicago, III. PUB: Camad BMI c/o Curtis Mayfield WRITER: C. Mayfield ARR: D. Hathaway-J. Pate FLIP: Mighty Mighty

#24 RECONSIDER ME (3:50) Johnny Adams-SSS Int'i 770 3106 Belmont Blvd. Nashville, Tenn. PROD: Shelby Singelton JR. (same address) PUB: Shelby Singelton BMI (same address) WRITERS: Myra Smith-Margaret Lewis FLIP: If I Could See You One More Time

#25 WORKING ON A GROOVY THING (3:09) 5th Dimension-Soul City 776 6920 Sunset Blvd. L.A. Calif. PROD: Bones Howe 8833 Sunset Blvd. L.A. Calif. PUB: Screen Gems/Columbia BMI 771 5th Ave, NYC. WRITERS: Neil Sedaka-Roger Atkins ARR: Bob Alcivar-Bill Holman-Bones Howe FLIP: Broken Wing Bird

#26 SUGAR SUGAR (2:48) Archies-Calendar 1008 1133 Ave of the Americas, NYC. PROD: Jeff Barry 729 7th Ave, NYC. PUB: Don Kirshner BMI 655 Madison Ave, NYC. WRITERS: Barry-Kin FLIP: Melody Hill

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#27 GOOD OLD ROCK 'N ROLL (3:05) Cat Mother & The All Night News Boys Polydor 14002 110 W. 57th St. NYC. PROD: Cat Mother & Jimi Hendrix 27 E. 37th St. NYC. FLIP: Bad News

#28 EASY TO BE HARD (3:10) 3 Dog Night-Dunhill 4203 449 S Beverly Dr. Bev. Hills, Calif. PROD: Gabriel Mekler c/o Dunhill PUB: United Artists ASCAP 729 7th Ave, NYC. WRITERS: G. McDermot-J. Rado-G. Ragne FLIP: Dreaming Isn't Good For You

#29 HURT SO BAD (2:18) Lettermen-Capitol 2482 1750 N. Vine, L.A. Calif. PROD: Al DeLory c /o Capitol PUB: Vogue BMI 244 Wilshire Blvd. Santa Monic WRITERS: Teddy Randazzo-Bobby Hart-Bobby V ARR: Mort Garson FLIP: Catch The Wind

#30 MUDDY RIVER (3:15) Johnny Rivers-Imperial 66386 6920 Sunset Blvd. L. A. Calif. PROD: Johnny Rivers 8923 Sunset Blvd. L. A. Ca PUB: Johnny Rivers BMI c/o Gang, Tyre-Brown 6400 Sunset Blvd. L. A. Cal. WRITER: James Hendricks FLIP: Resurrection

#31 #31 The Who-Decca 732519 445 Park Ave, NYC. PROD. Kit Lambert-Chris Stamp 58 Old Compton St. London 1 Eng. PUB: Track BMI 260 W 23 St. NYC. WRITER: Peter Townshend FLIP: We're Not Gonna Take It

#32 **TUL NEVER FALL IN LOVE AGAIN (2:55) Tom Jones-Parrot 40018** 539 W 25 St. NYC. PROD: Peter Sullivan c/o EMI Hayes Middlesex London W1 England. PUB: TRO-Hollis BMI 10 Col. Circle, NYC. WRITERS: Donegan-Currie FLIP: Once Upon A Time

#33 BIRTHDAY (2:42) Underground Sunshine-Intrepid 75002 1650 Bway. NYC. PROD: Underground Sunshine c/o John Little, Madison, Wisc. PUB: Maclen BMI 1780 Bway, NYC. WRITERS: Lennon-McCartney FLIP: All I Want Is You

#34 NITTY GRITTY (2:59) Gladys Knight & Pips-Soul 35063 2457 Woodward Ave, Detroit, Mich. PROD: Norman Whitfield c/o Soul PUB: Al Gallico BMI 101 W 55 St. NYC. WRITER: Lincoln Chase FLIP: Got Myself A Good Man

#35 SPINNING WHEEL (2:39) Blood, Sweat & Tears-Columbia 44871 51 West 52 Street, NYC. PROD: James William Guercio c/o Columbia PUB: Blackwood BMI 1650 Bway, NYC. Minnesinger BMI WRITER: D. C. Thomas ARR: Blood, Sweat & Tears FLIP. More and M

ARR: Blood, Sweat & Tears FLIP: More and w #36 ITS GETTING BETTER (2:56) Mama Cass-Dunhill 4195 449 S Beverly Drive, Bev. Hills, Calif. PROD: Steve Barri c/o Dunhill PUB: Screen Gems/Columbia BMI 711 5th Ave, NYC. WRITERS: Barry Moon-Cynthia Weil ARR: Jimmie Haskell FLIP: Who's To Blame

#37 TRUE GRIT (2:28) Glen Campbell-Capitol 2573 1750 N Vine, L.A. Calif. PROD: AI DELory c/o Capitol PUB: Famous Ascap 1619 Bway, NYC. WRITERS: Don Black-Elmer Bernstein ARR: AI DELory FLIP: Hava Nagila

#38 #38 YESTERDAY, WHEN I WAS YOUNG (3:16) Roy Clark-Dot 17246 1507 N. Vine, L. A. Calif PROD: Joe Allison for Singin T 4011 Hopevale Dr. Sherman Oaks, Calif. PUB: TRO-Dartmouth ASCAP 10 Columbus WRITERS: H. Kretzmer-C. Aznavour ARR: Hank Levine FLIP: Just Another Man

#39 SHARE YOUR LOVE WITH ME (3:16) Aretha Franklin-Atlantic 2650 1841 Bway, NYC. PROD: Jerry Wexler-Tom Dowd-Arif Mardin c/o Atlantic PUB: Don BMI 2809 Erastus St. Houston, T WRITERS: D. Malone-A. Braggs FLIP: Pledging My Love/The Clock

#40 JACK & JILL (2:31) Tommy Roe-ABC 11229 1330 Ave of the Americas, NYC. PROD: Steve Barri c/o ABC 449 S Beverly Dr. L.A. Calif. PUB: Low-Twi BMI P.O. Bx 9687 Atlanta, C WRITERS: T. Roe-F. Weller ARR: Jimmie Haskell FLIP: Tip Toe Tina

#41 DID YOU SEE HER EYES (2:47) Illusians-Steed 718 729 7th Ave, NYC. PROD: Jeff Barry c/o Steed PUB: Unart BMI (same address) WRITER: Barry FLIP: Falling In Love

#42 ABERGAVENNY (2:43) Shannon-Heritage 814 C/o MGM 1350 Ave of the Americas, NYC PROD: Jerry Ross 1855 Bway, NYC PUB: Mills Music ASCAP 1790 Bway, NYC WRITERS: Manston-Geller ARR: Peter Knight FLIP: Alice In Blue

Brand New Team BLINKY & EDWIN STARR

Brand New Single: "OH HOW HAPPY" GORDY 7090

(Picks of the Week

BLINKY & EDWIN STARR (Gordy 7090) Oh How Happy (2:39) (Jobete, BMI — Hatcher) Oldie side is renovated with a flashy vocal performance that pairs Edwin "25 Miles" Starr with Motown's rising Blinky. Team shines together in a track that combines blues and rock appeal for effective sales power across the teen board. Flip: "Ooo Baby Baby" (2:35) (Jobete, BMI — Robinson, Moore)

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#43 YOUR HUSBAND-MY WIFE (2:56) Brooklyn Bridge-Buddah 126 1650 Bway, NYC. PROD: Wes Farrell 39 W 55th St. NYC. PUB: Pocket Full Of Tunes BMI Jillbern BMI C/o Wes Farrell WRITERS: Tony Wine-Inwin Levine FLIP: Upside Down (Inside Out)

#44 KEEM-0-SABE (2:07) Electric Indian-United Artists 50563 729 7th Ave, NYC. PROD: Len Barry c/o U.A. PUB: U.A. ASCAP (same address) Binn ASCAP 257 Bayard Rd. Upper Darby, Pa. Elaine ASCAP WRITERS: B. Barisoff-B. Binnick ARR: Tom Sellers FLIP: Broad Street

#45 ALONG CAME JONES (3:37) Ray Stevens-Monument 1150 530 W. Main St. Hendersonville, Tenn. PROD. R. Stevens-Jim Malloy c/o Monument PUB. Tiger BMI 241 W 72 St. NYC. WRITERS: Jerry Leiber-Mike Stoller ARR: R. Stevens FLIP: Yakety-Yak

#46 BARABA JAGAL (3:30) Donovan-Epic 10510 51 West 52 Street, NYC. PROD: Mickie Most 101 Dean St. London, Eng. PUB: Peer Int'l BMI 1619 Bway, NYC. WRITER: D. Leitch FLIP: Trudi

#47 MOON FLIGHT (2:30) Vik Venus-Buddah 118 1650 Bway, NYC. PROD: Lew Merenstein c/o Inherit 57 W 56 St. NYC. WRITER: B. Seigal FLIP: Everybody's On Strike

#48 WHERE DO I GO/BE IN (2:35) Happenings-Jubilee 5666 1790 Bway, NYC. PROD: The Happenings for Mira-Lee c/o Jubilee PUB: United Artists ASCAP 729 7th Ave., NYC. WRITERS: Rado-Ragni-MacDermot ARR: Happenings FLIP: New Day Coming

#49 COMMOTION (2:37) Creedence Clearwater Revival-Fantasy 625 1281 30th St. Oakland, Calif. PROD: John Fogerty c/o Fantasy PUB: Jondora BMI (same address) WRITER: J. Fogerty ARR: J. Fogerty FLIP: Green River

#50 ODDS & ENDS (3:21) Dionne Warwick-Scepter 12256 254 W 54 St. NYC. PROD: Bacharach-David c/o Fred E. Ahlert Jr. 15 E 48 St. NYC. PUB: Blue Seas ASCAP/Jac-ASCAP c/o Fred E. Ahlert Jr. WRITERS: Burt Bacharach-Hai David ARR: Burt Bacharach FLIP: As Long As There's An Apple Tree

#51 WHEN I DIE (3:20) Motherlode-Buddah 131 1650 Bway, NYC. PROD: Mort Ross-Doug Riley 31 Prince Arthur Ave, Toronto, Canada PUB: Modo BMI c/o Allouetti 1650 Bway, NYC. WRITERS: Kennedy-Smith FLIP: Hard Life

#52 OH WHAT A NIGHT (4:02) Dells-Cadet 5649 320 E 21 St Chicago, III PROD: Bobby Miller c/o Cadet PUB: Conrad BMI 1619 Bway, NYC. WRITERS: Junior & Funches ARR: Chas. Stepney FLIP: Believe Me

#53 CLEAN UP YOUR OWN BACK YARD (3:06) Elvis Presley-RCA 9747 1133 Ave of the Americas, NYC. PUB: Gladys ASCAP 1619 Bway, NYC. WRITERS: Strange-Davis FLIP: The Fair Is Moving On

#54 YOUR GOOD THING (2:51) LOU RAWLS-Capitol 2550 1750 N Vine, L.A. Calif. PROD: Dave Axelrod c/o Capitol PUB: East BMI 926 E McLemore, Memphis, Tenn. WRITERS: Issac Hayes-David Porter FLIP: Season Of The Witch

#55 COLOR HIM FATHER (3:06) Winstons-Metromedia 117 3 East 54 Street, NYC. PROD: Don Carroll 925 Cherokee Trail Smyrna, Ga. PUB: Holly Bee BMI 1655 Peachtree St. Atlanta, Ga. WRITER: R. Spencer FLIP: Amen, Brother

#56 SING A SIMPLE SONG OF FREEDOM (3:49) Tim Hardin-Columbia 44920 51 W 52 Street, NYC. PROD: Gary Klein for Koppelman-Rubin 1650 Bway, NYC. PUB: T. M. BMI 1619 Bway, NYC. WRITER: B. Darin ARR: Paul Harris FLIP: Question Of Birth

#57 HEY JOE (3:05) Wilson Pickett-Atlantic 2648 1841 Bway, NYC. PROD: Rick Hall 603 E Avalon, Muscle Shoals, Ala. PUB: Third Story BMI 5455 Wilshire Blvd. L. A. Cal. WRITER: Billy Roberts FLIP: Night Owl

#58° MOVE OVER (3:07) Steppenwolf-Dunhill 4205 449 S Beverly Dr. Bev. Hills, Calif. PROD: Gabriel Mekler c/o Dunhill PUB: Trousdale BMI (same address) WRITERS: John Kaye-G. Mekler FLIP: Power Play

#59 ONE (2:55) 3 Dog Night-Dunhill 4191 449 S Beverly Drive, Bev Hills, Calif. 449 S Beverly Drive, Bev Hills, Calif PROD: Gabriel Mekler c/o Dunhill PUB: Dunbar BMI 1650 Bway, NYC WRITER: Nelsson FLIP: Chest Fever

#60° I CAN'T GET NEXT TO YOU (2:53) Temptations-Gordy 7093 2457 Woodward Ave, Detroit, Mich. PROD. Norman Whitfield c/o Gordy PUB: Jobete BMI (same address) WRITERS: Whitfield Strong FLIP: Running Away

#61 EASE BACK (2:55) Meters-Josie 1008 1790 Bway, NYC. PROD: Allen Toussaint-Marshall E Sehorn 1211 St. Phillips St. New Orleans, La. PUB: Marsaint BMI c/0 Toussaint-Sehorn WRITERS: Nocentelli-Neville-Porter-Modeliste FLIP: Anne

#62 NOBOLY BUT YOU BABE (2:46) Clarence Reid-Alston 4574 1841 Bway, NYC PROD: Brad Shapiro-Steve Alaimo c/o Alston PUB: Sherlyn BMI 495 S.E. 10th Ct. Hialeah, Fla. WRITERS: Reid-Clarke ARR: The Zoo FLIP: Send Me Back My Money

#63 CHANGE OF HEART (2:55) Dennis Yost & Classics IV-Imperial 66393 6920 Sunset Blvd. L.A. Calif. PROD: Buddy Buie c/o Bill Lowery P.O. Bx 9687 Atlanta, Ga. PUB: Low/Sal BMI c/o Bill Lowery WRITERS: Buie-Cobb ARR: Emery Gordy FLIP: Rainy Day

#64 LET YOURSELF GO (2:34) Friends Of Distinction-RCA 0204 1133 Ave of the Americas, NYC. PROD: John Florez C/o RCA 6363 Sunset Blvd. L.A. Calif. PUB. Mawil BMI c/o Willie M. Hutchinson 1943 W. Vernon Ave, L.A. Calif. WRITER: Hutchinson ARR: Ray Cork Jr. FLIP: Going In Circles

#65 HOT FUN IN THE SUMMERTIME (2:37) Sly & The Family Stone-Epic 10497 51 W 52 Street, NYC. PROD: Sly Stone for Stone Flower 700 Urbano, San Francisco, Calif. PUB: Stone Flower BMI (same address) WRITER: S. Stewart FLIP: Fun

#66 TILL YOU GET ENOUGH (3:45) Watts 103rd St. Rythm Band-WB/7 Arts 7298 4000 Warner Bivd. Burbank, Calif. PROD. Charles Wright 6321 Gilday Dr. L.A. Calif. PUB: Wright Gerstel BMI 6290 Sunset Blvd. L.A. Calif. Tamerlane BMI 6290 Sunset Blvd. L.A. Calif. WRITERS: Chas. Wright & Associate ARR: Gabe Fleming-Ray Jackson-John Rayford FLIP: Light My Fire

#67 LOOK AT MINE (2:55) Petula Clark-Warner Bros./7 Arts-7310 4000 Warner Blvd. Burbank, Calif. PROD: Tony Hatch c/o Vogue 82 Rue Maurice Grand Coing, Villetaneose, France. PUB: Leeds ASCAP 445 Park Ave, NYC. WRITERS: Hatch-Trent ARR: Hatch FLIP: You And I

#68 JEAN (3:11) Oliver-Crewe 334 1841 Bway, NYC. PROD: Bob Crewe (same address) PUB: 20th Century ASCAP 444 W 56 St. NYC. WRITER: Rod McKuen ARR: Hutch Davie ARR: Hutch Davie FLIP: The Arrangement

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#69 EVERYBODY KNOWS MATILDA (2:38) Duke Baxter-VMC 740 6922 Hollywood Blvd. L.A. Calif. PROD: Tony Harris c/o VMC PUB: VSAV BMI (same address) WRITER: Baxter ARR: Harris FLIP: I Ain't No Schoolboy

FLIP: I AIn't No Schooled #70° I'M A BETTER MAN (2:50) Engelbert Humperdink-Parrot 40040 539 W 25 Street NYC. PROD: Peter Sullivan c/o Decca Ltd. 9 Albert Embankment, London, Eng. PUB: Blue Seas ASCAP Jac ASCAP c/o Fred E. Ahlert Jr. 15 W 48st NYC. WRITERS: Bacharach-David FLIP: Cafe (Casa Hai Messo-Nel Caffe)

HLP: Cate (Casa Harmonic Casa) #71 YOU GOT YOURS & I'LL GET MINE (3:06) Delfonics-Philly Groove 157 C/o Bell Records, 1776 Bway, NYC. PROD. Stan & Bell 285 S. 52nd St. Phila, Pa PUB: Nickel Sho BMI c/o Stan & Bell WRITERS: T. Bell-W. Hart ARR: Thom Bell FLIP: Loving Him

FLIP: Loving Him #72 FREE ME (3:06) Otis Redding-Atco 6700 1841 Bway, NYC. PROD. Steve Cropper c/o Volt 926 E McLemore Ave, Memphis, Tenn. PUB: East/Memphis BMI 1501 Bway, NYC. Time BMI 449 S. Beverly Dr. Bev. Hills, Cal. Redwall BMI 535 Cotton Ave, Macon, Ga. WRITERS: Otis Redding-Gene Lawson FLIP: (Your Love Has Lifted Me) Higher & Higher #72

#73 MUDDY MISSISSIPPI LINE (2:41) Bobby Goldsboro-U.A. 50565 729 7th Ave, NYC. PROD: Bob Montgomery-B. Goldsboro C/o U.A. Nashville, Tenn. PUB: Detail BMI 729 7th Ave, NYC. WRITER: B. Goldsboro ARR: Don Tweedy FLIP: Richer Man Than I

FLIP: Richer Man Than I #74 DON'T WAKE ME UP IN THE MORNING, MICHAEL (2:45) Peppermit Rainbow-Decca 732498 445 Park Ave, NYC. PROD: Paul Leka for Heather c/o L. Lightner PUB: MRC BMI 35 E Wacker Dr. Chicago, III Little Heather BMI c/o L. Lightner 157 W 57 St. NYC. WRITER: AI Kasha ARR: Paul Leka FLIP: Rosemary #75

#75 #75 MAYBE THE RAIN WILL FALL (2:34) Cascades-UNI 55152 8255 Sunset Blvd. L.A. Calif. PROD: Andy D. DiMartino c/o UNI PUB: Tupco BMI WRITER: C. Storie ARR: A. D. DiMartino FLIP: Naggin Cries #76

#76 EVERYBODY TALKIN' (2:43) Nilsson-RCA 9544 1133 Ave of the Americas, NYC. PROD: Rick Jarrard c/o RCA PUB: Cocanut Grove BMI-Third Story BMI 5455 Wilshire Blvd. LA. Calif. WRITER: Neil ARR: Gerge Tipton FLIP: Don't Leave Me

HT7° THIS GIRL IS A WOMAN (3:09) Gary Puckett & Union Gap-Columbia 44967 51 W 52 Street, NYC PROD. Dick Glasser 6760 Hill Pk Dr. LA. Cal PUB: Three Bridges ASCAP 110 W 57 St. NYC WRITERS: V. Millrose-A. Bernstein ARR: Ernie Freeman FLIP: His Other Woman

Anni Chine Freeman #78 DYNAMITE WOMAN (3:40) Sir Douglas Quintet-Smash 2233 35 E Wacker Drive, Chicago, Ill PROD: Amigos de Musica c/o Smash PUB: Southern Love BMI c/o MRC 110 W 57 Street, NYC. WRITER: D. Sahm FLIP: Too Many Dociled Mi

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POUT OF SIGHT, OUT OF MIND (2:38)
Anthony & Imperials-U.A. 50552
729 7th Ave, NYC.
PROD: Bob Skaff-Geo. Butler-Anthony & Imp
PUB: Nom BMI 17 W 60th St. NYC.
WRITERS: I. J. Hunter-C. Otis ARR: Horace 0
FLIP: Summers Coming In

#80 I COULD NEVER BE PRESIDENT (2:33) Johnny Taylor-Stax 0046 126 E McLemore Ave, Memphis, Tenn. PROD: Don Davis c/o Stax PUB: East Memphis BMI 1501 Bway, NYC. WRITERS: We Three FLIP: It's Amazing

#82 THAT'S THE WAY GOD PLANNED IT (3:22) Billy Preston-Apple 1808 C/o ABKCO Inc. 1700 Bway, NYC. PROD: George Harrison c/o Apple PUB: Apple ASCAP (same address) WRITER: Billy Preston FLIP: What About You?

HUF-Windows #83 IN A MOMENT (2:50) Intrigues-Yew 1001 250 West 57 Street, NYC-PROD: Martin-Bell c/o Yew PUB: Odum-Neiburg BMI WRITERS: Odum-Neiburg FLIP: Scotchman Rock

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- 2 QUESTIONS-67 & 68 (Aurelius – BMI) Chicago (Columbia 44909)
- **3 SWEET 'N' SASSY** (Papa Joe's House — ASCAP) Jerry Smith (ABC 11230)
- SOUTH CAROLINA (Felsted — BMI) Flirtations (Deram 85048)
- **FRING OF BRIGHT WATER** (Ampco – BMI) Dee Dee Warwick (Mercury 72940)
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TRUE I'M GONNA MISS YOU (Regent — BMI) Carolyn Franklin (RCA 0188)

OH HOW HAPPY Blinky & Edwin Starr (Gordy 7090)

LIGHT AND LOVE (Screen Gems/Columbia — BMI) Cherry People (Heritage 815)

WHO DO YOU LOVE (ARC — BMI) Quicksilver Messenger Service (Capitol 2557)

HOOK & SLING (Part I) (Uzza – BMI) Eddie Bo (Scram 14)

SHE'S A WOMAN (Maclen — BMI) Jose Feliciano (RCA 9757)

PASS THE APPLE EVE (Press — BMI) B. J. Thomas (Scepter 12255)

YOU MADE A BELIEVER OUT OF ME (Wilric — BMI) Ruby Andrews (Zodiac 1015)

2 LOVES SWEET SENSATION (East/Memphis — BMI) William Bell — Mavis Staples (Stax 0043)

RIDE IN WHAT S AGE (Blendingwell — ASCAP) Horatio (Event 3304)

> NO ONE IS GOING TO HURT (Acuff-Rose — BMI) Neon Philharmonic (Warner Bros./7 Arts 7311)

GOD PUME 25 HALLELUJAH

(Maribus — BMI) Deep Purple (Tetragrammaton 1537)

3 SAVED BY THE BELL (Casserole — BMI) Robin Gibb (Atco 6698)

A TIME FOR US (Famous — ASCAP) Astrud Gilberto (Verve 10643)

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- DADDY'S LITTLE MAN (BnB ASCAP) O. C. Smith (Columbia 44948) 26
- 27 LET ME BE THE MAN MY DADDY WAS (Dakar, BRC – BMI) Chi Lites (Brunswick 755414)
- **MIDNIGHT COWBOY** 28 ASCAP) (United Artists/Barwin Bar Kays (Volt 4019)
- 29 **ROOM AT THE TOP** (Breed Music — BMI) American Breed (Acta 836)
- 30 ALL I HAVE TO OFFER (Hill & Range, Blue Crest — BMI) Charlie Pride (RCA 0167)
- 31 SON OF A PREACHER MAN (Tree — BMI) Carnival (World Pacific 77922)
- SAD GIRL (I.P.G. Music BMI) Intruders (Gamble 235) 32
- 33 NOAH (Gear — ASCAP) Bob Seger System (Capitol 2576)
- 34 RAIN (Johi — BMI) Jose Feliciano (RCA 9757)
- 35 **DID SHE MENTION MY NAME** (Warner Bros.// Arts — ASCAP) Irish Rovers (Decca 732529)
- 36 DON'T IT MAKE YOU WANT TO GO HOME (Lowery — BMI) Joe South (Capitol 2592)
- 37 **IT'S GONNA RAIN** (Tracebob Music/Metric Music — BMI) Bobby Womack (United Artists 32071)
- 38 PAIN (Pamco Music Inc. — BMI) Mystics (Metromedia 130)
- 39 **LET'S WORK TOGETHER** (Sagittarius — BMI) Wilbert Harrison (Sue 11)
- THE REAL THING 40 (Wren — BMI) Russell Morris (Diamond 263)
- I DON'T KNOW HOW (TO FALL OUT OF LOVE) (Jiualo Music Co. -- BMI) 41 (Jiualo Music Co. — Persians (GWP 509)
- 42 GOT IT TOGETHER (Eden BMI) Nancy Wilson (Capitol 2555)
- 43 NO ONE FOR ME TO TURN TO (Spiral — BMI) Spiral Starecase (Columbia 44926)
- LIVE AND LEARN 44 (Viva — BMI) Andy Williams (Columbia 44929)
- 45 **AIN'T IT LIKE HIM** (Kana Rippa/Hawkins — ASCAP) Edwin Hawkins Singers (Pavillion 20002)
- THINGS GOT TO GET BETTER 46 (Golo — BMI) Marva Whitney (King 6429)
- SMILE A LITTLE SMILE FOR ME (January BMI) Flying Machine (Congress 6000) 47
- FIRST HYMN FROM GRAND 48 TERRACE (Ja-Ma — ASCAP) Mark Lindsay (Columbia 44875)

49 LA JEANNE (Press — BMI) King Curtis (Atco 6695)

MEMPHIS TRAIN 50 (Pronto — BMI) Buddy Miles (Mercury 72945)

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Strong Comparison Volume A Strong Corp. In 1969 increased by 79% in comparison to last year, resulting in a 62 per cent increase in profits for the six month period ended June 30th, according to Bob Lifton, president. Lifton said that the company's wholly-owned subsidiary, Transcontinental Music Corp. the largest phonograph record and tape distributing and rack jobbing company in the country, continued to be the major contributor to sales and earnings for the second quarter, as it was for the first quarter. Tor the second quarter, profits moved ahead to \$1,653,000 or 20 cents per share, in comparison with \$922,000 or 14 cents per share recorded for the same period last year. For the six month period, the company earned \$3,139,000 or 39 cents per share up from \$1,942,000 or 29 cents per share up from \$1,942,000, compared with \$0,515,000 recorded for the same period last year. Moved marked advances for the two periods. For the second quarter sales were \$24,307,000, compared with \$0,515,000 recorded for the same period last year. For the six months ended June 30th, the company's gross

Amos & Wildey Open Lamplight Productions

HOLLYWOOD — Wally Amos and Mark Wildey have setup Lamplight Productions, parent organization for their artist management, record pro-duction and music publishing activ-

duction and music publishing activ-ities. Lamplight is the production arm for the firm's record product, with man-agement handled by the Wally Amos Co. and music publishing under Mc-Culloch Music. Signed to Lamplight are People, a new rock group, Mitchell/St. Nick-laus, a contemporary pop duo, Patte Finley, singer-actress, currently in London co-starring in the NBC-TV series "Up She Goes," and The People Tree, a young folk-rock aggregation. The firm's first production-release deal has been set with Avco-Embassy for both Mitchell/St. Nicklaus and The People Tree. Initial releases are planned for Sept. Additionally, Peo-ple have been contracted to Dot Rec-ords.

Amos, formerly an agent with Wil-liam Morris, was recently associated with John Levy Enterprises. Wildey was an indie record producer for The Kingsmen, The Animals and The Nashville Teens, in England.

Initial Invictus Release Prepared

HOLLYWOOD — August 18 will see the release of initial product from In-victus Records, the Capitol-distributed Holland-Dozier-Holland label. Accord-ing to label president Eddie Holland, the first two singles from the label will be "Crumbs Off The Table" by the Glass House and "The Music Box" by the New Play featuring Ruth Cope-land. land

land. The deal, announced several months ago provides for Capitol to distribute all Invictus disk and tape product in the U.S., with Invictus retaining all administrative functions as well as record club, mail-order distribution and Eastern Hemisphere rights. Production is underway for two additional singles featuring the Chair-men of the Board and Singer Freda Payne.

income was \$48,007,000 in comparison to sales of \$42,015,000 reported for the first six months in 1968. During the six month period in 1968, the average number of shares out-standing were 6,720,000. Over the mid-year period just ended the aver-age number of shares outstanding were 8,148,000.



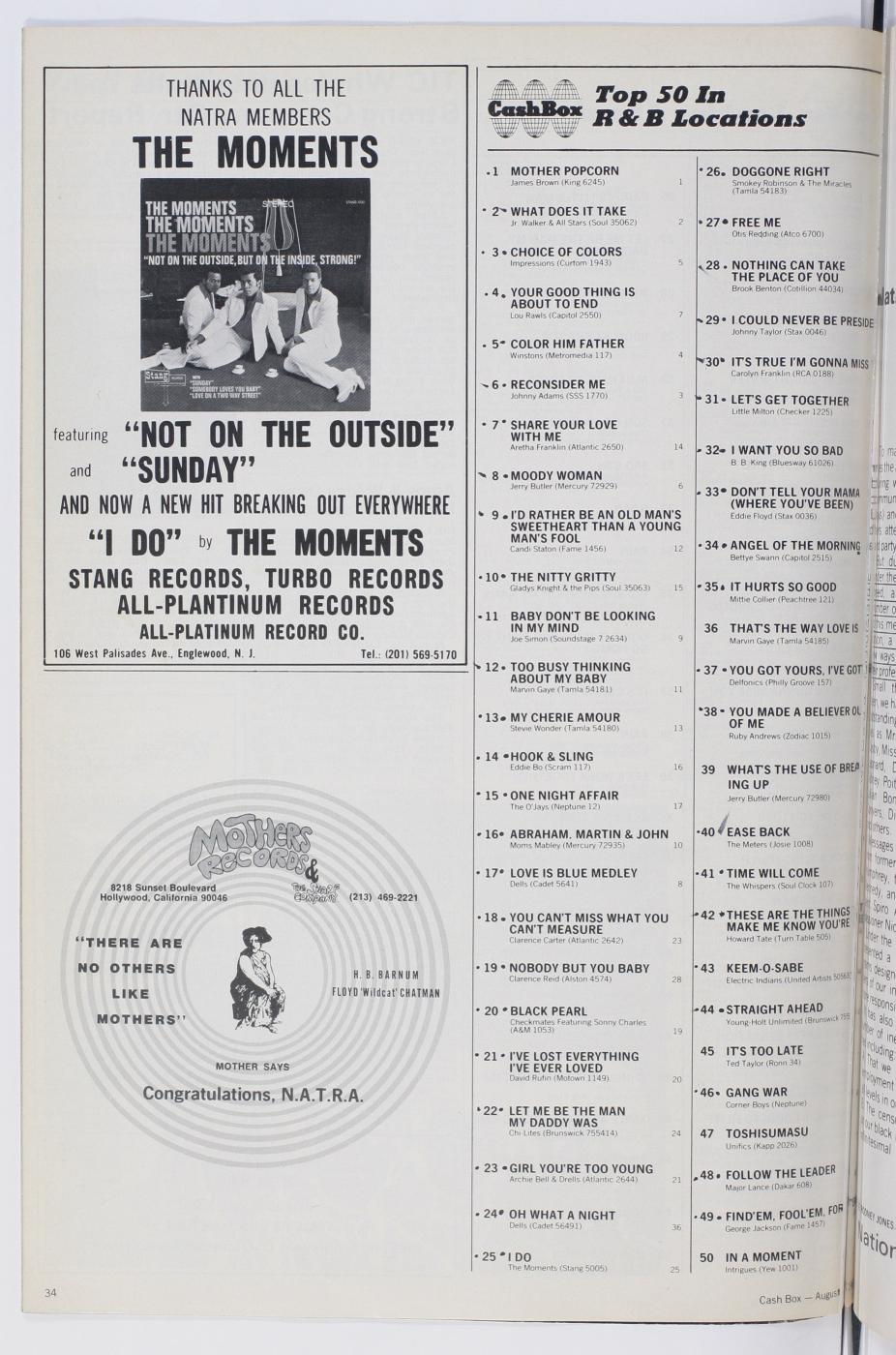
TOUCHDOWN TOUCH UP — Gathered for the finishing touch-ups are Bell president Larry Uttal (left), Sid Gal-anty of Communications Group West (standing) and Wally Shirra, Jr. The trio was on hand for the final takes in Bell's LP "The Apollo 11 Flight to the Moon" on which Shirra narrated background info and flight commen-tary on the American shot to put the first men on the moon. Galanty is the creator and producer of the just-re-leased album.

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August 13th-17th, 1969 Washington-Hilton Hotel, Washington, D.C.

To many members of our industries the annual convention of NATRA, during which more than 500 black communication's specialists (Dee Jays) and over 250 associate members attend it is a time to "swing HE MORE and party for four days

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Small though this number has been, we have been honored by such A BELIEF E outstanding and important personalities as Mrs. Coretta King, Mr. Bill Cosby, Miss Lena Horne, Mr. Sheldon Leonard, Dr. Martin Luther King, Sidney Poitier, Godfrey Cambridge, HE USE OF B Julian Bond, Congressman John Conyers, Dick Gregory, Jim Brown and others.

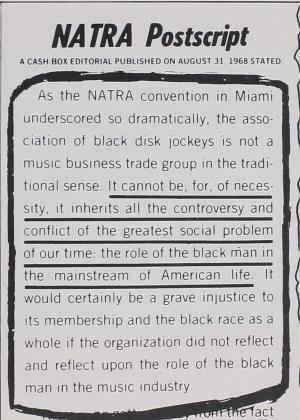
> Messages of good will have come from former Vice President Hubert Humphrey, the late Senator Robert Kennedy, and this year Vice President Spiro Agnew and FCC Commissioner Nicholas Johnson

> Under the new breed NATRA has presented a number of viable programs designed to give black members of our industries a greater and more responsible voice.

> It has also addressed itself to a number of inequities in our industries including:

A. That we are not proud of the employment record of blacks on all levels in our record industry.

B. The censorship of black news on our black radio stations and the infinitesimal number of policy



making black executives.

C. The need for a black news network that would present accurate and vital news to the more than 15 million blacks who make up our audiences.

D. Establishing a scholarship fund that would allow newly appointed black executives to learn and add to their skills.

E. Has established a floating series of seminars that would address themselves to the problems of broadcasting, such as the University of Iowa forum in which more than 20 members attended during the week of July 20-26th.

F. It has worked and is supporting the newly organized associate members, FORE, fraternal order of record executives who are concerned about the need to become more professional to keep up with the rapidly changing developments in the record industry

As the editorial advised, we have looked into ourselves. This past year has seen a more mature and serious posture emerge as a result of the 11 regional chapters which were organized.

The question now is whether or not the broadcasting and recording industries are ready for the emergence of NATRA as a viable and responsible organization?

The opportunity is here for us to come and work toegther. We hope you will be with us.

Is the record industry willing to lend its vast resources to developing plans toward helping the black youth of America who buy your product to understand there is a place for them in business

Is the broadcasting industry with more than 7,500 stations with 450 ethnic appeal, and only seven owned by blacks willing to face its responsibility to the black communities of this country. The challenge is here come let us work together. The time has come

"We been 'buked and we been scorned" but we've been trying. This year, we challenge the members of our industry to eliminate the excuses and step forth and join hands with us.

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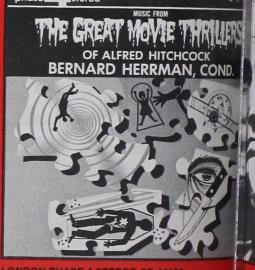
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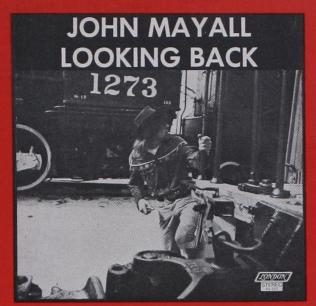
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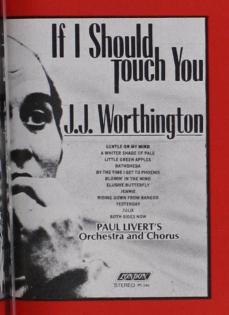




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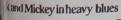
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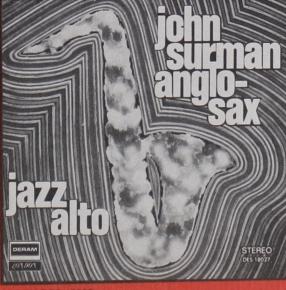


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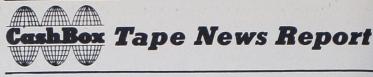
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NARM Registrants Create A Need For Revised Conference Program

PHILADELPHIA — At advanced re-gistration for the 1969 NARM Tape Convention, Jules Malamud announced that 500 representatives of the tape and tape cartridge industry had al-ready signed up for the Sept. 5–7 Dallas convention. Malamud, the NARM executive director, also stated that because of an unprecedented de

SF Public Transport Gets 'Move Music'; **Gives Promo Answers**

LOS ANGELES — Arrangements have been completed for a month-long co-operative effort placing Liberty/UA "Move Music" on a number of buses in the San Francisco area. The Lib/UA Stereo-Tape division will install tape decks on three public buses, supple-mented by advertising posters on 20 others, both to promote the "Music on the Move" concept and get re-actions of the passengers.

on the Move' concept and get re-actions of the passengers. Three girls will ride with music-buses distributing 1,000 self-addressed questionnaires to riders in order to sample responses to the system and music programmed. Riding in eight-hour shifts, the girls will obtain a 24-hour test survey

hour shifts, the girls will obtain a 24-hour test survey. Considered by LST as "a natural vehicle for the 'Move Music' concept," plans for the study were completed with the aid of Robert Rockwell of the city's municipal railway. Long-range plans could, LST considered, include installation of tape decks on all city buses all city buses.

Cardinal To Stage NY **Dealers '70 Preview'**

NEW YORK - Cardinal Electronics has prepared a 1970 preview and dealer-aid session for next week. The dealer-aid session for next week. The three-day gathering is to be held Aug 19-21 at the Sheraton Motor Inn where Cardinal president Marty Slater will host a showcase of 65 new models from Craig audio products, TDK's line of "Super Dynamic" cassette tapes and new endless cassettes. Also scheduled for exhibition is a "New Horizons" line of AM/FM equipment from York Radio.

from York Radio. Previews are to be held for dealers in the New York area daily from 1 PM to 10 PM admission free. "While preparing our dealers for the up-coming holiday season," Slater com-mented, "we will have some surprises in the way of show specials and new merchandising programs."

Melnick & Balaity Form Retail Chain Sound Track, Inc.

PHILADELPHIA — Al Melnick and Sam Balaity have just announced the formation of Sound Track, Inc., a chain of discount stereo tape and cas-sette retail shops. Melnick will be president of the setup with Balaity functioning as executive vice presi-dent dent

dent. First move in establishing the chain is the announcement that the first shop is to be opened at 1 W. Lan-caster Ave. in Ardmore, Pa. At this site, Sound Track will feature a self service merchandising policy, with all pre-recorded tapes, cassettes and hi-fi components on open display. More than 5,000 music selections on stereo tape, 8-track tape and cas-settes, plus reel-to-reel, blank cas-settes and tapes will be on open dis-play to allow for customer browsing. Specialists in stereo tapes, cassettes and equipment will be on hand to assist customers.

mand by NARM tape wholesalers for person-to-person conferences, the schedule has been revised to include 70 distrib/rack jobber/wholesalers a each session instead of the original to At the person-to-person meetings wholesalers will meet with their sup pliers: the manufacturers of pre-recorded product, blank tapes, and cessories and display fixtures. Male mud commented that the "deman reflects the tremendous involvemer of NARM members in the tape bus ness." In addition to the person-to-perso

In addition to the person-to-perso conferences which are to be be during the afternoon of the first da during the afternoon of the first da and on morning and afternoon sche ules through the remaining two day personal contact is afforded in in open business luncheons which a centered about themes regarding a as a communications medium; in future of packaging and troubleshoo ing in the areas of current problem

Columbia Cassettes Galore

LOS ANGELES — Columbia's or mitment to the Cassette field wavery much in evidence at the Co umbia Convention in this city. Durin the product presentation Mel Pro-who heads the label's tape division in addition to announcing the initi cassette release of 44 units for Au-ust and 45 for September, said the the company will follow with 30 mo-titles in October, 25 in November an 25 more in December.

Decca Releases 48 **Post-Confab** Tapes

NEW YORK — A sizeable tape lease has just been issued by De Records upon return from the ce pany's Miami meeting of natio sales and promotion forces. N product includes 22 8-track cartridg 25 cassette albums and a single o meet LP.

reel LP. Most of the new 8-track cartrid feature the label's newly announ albums, placing the release date LP & tape on an equal basis. Sev of the cassettes are also the la album releases from Decca; an major portion of the product repre twin-pack recordings from the pop and country catalog and country catalog.

and country catalog. Bert Kaempfert's new recor "Traces of Love" has just beer multaneously released on disk in 8-track/reel/cassette config tions. Other 8-track and cassette uct includes: Christopher Scott's album "Switched on Bachara Karen Beth with "The Joys of L Judy Garland's "Greatest His" Marx Brothers album patterned album "Switched on Bachara Karen Beth with "The Joys of L Judy Garland's "Greatest His Marx Brothers album patterned Decca's W.C. Fields best seller. Unique Art of Segovia'; Erma F lin's "Soul Sister"; Barbara Ac "Seven Days of Night", "Two of Gene Chandler"; "Give it A with the Chi-Lites; "What Happ from the Artistics; and a seri twin-packs including "The Be Judy Garland"; "The Best of I Dee" and "The Best of Al Jo In 8-track only are: Rod Mét "Very Warm," "Bizet" with the cinnati Symphony, "The Best of Lombardo," "The Webb Piero ry," the English cast comple cording of "Man of La Mancha. Best of Lawrence Welk" and Soul Hits" by various artists. Cassettes only in the August are all twin sets with "The E Alfred Apaka," "The Best of Ives," "The Ernest Tubb "The Kitty Wells Story," "The Cline Story," "Best of "LP's w Ink Spots, Mills Brothers an Grant.

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Ampex Enlarges Reel Size For 661 Series **Cassette Duplicator**

NEW YORK — Ampex has just mar-keted its 661 Series cassette dupli-cating tape in a new $10\frac{1}{2}$ " reel carry-ing 6,000 or 7,000 feet of tape for use manufacturers of recorded con-

by manufacturers of recorded con-sumer audio tapes. The duplicating tape, originally in-troduced on 8-inch reels with 3,600 feet of tape, now offers "greater flexibility and production economies" according to mag-tape general man-ager J.L. Porter. The 661 series tape is .150-inch wide and comes in $\frac{1}{2}$ -mil thincoat polyester base.

Carrell Heads Super's Tape Duplication Div.

SUN VALLEY, CALIF. — Rober Carrell has just been appointed dir ector of Superscope's new tape dup licating division. He will be responsi Robert dir dup ble for organizing and managing the facility located in San Fernando, Calif., and is to report directly to Superscope president David Tushin-

Superscope president David Tushin-sky. Under Carrell, the division's pri-mary function will be to duplicate, in all configurations, the total output of Superscope's recording division; and to prepare for the expansion into special educational material and cus-tom duplicating. Prior to joining this company, Car-rell managed his own firm, building and selling self-designed tape dupli-cating equipment. Earlier, he was a project engineer for Motorola, RCA, Admiral, Packard-Bell, and a con-sulting engineer with Lear Jet. Carrell's assisting staff will have

Carrell's assisting staff will have David Ewing and Darrell Zielke who were chosen by Carrell because of their extensive background in tape duplicating and cartridge design.

Robins Ups Rhines To Distrib Sales Mgr

NEW YORK Kenneth E. Rhines

NEW YORK — Kenneth E. Rhines is now distributor sales manager for cassettes, magnetic tapes and tape-recorder and hi-fi accessories at Robins Industries Corp. Formerly data devices sales man-ager, Rhines succeeds Robert A. Cohen, who was recently named a vice president of Robins Electronics Corp., the Robins Industries consum-er-products subsidiary. Rhines joined Robins Industries last year. A graduate of Gonzaga Univer-sity, Spokane, Wash., he had held sales and distributor managerial posi-tions with companies like IRC Inc., and had been in marketing with the Boeing Company. **Boeing Company**

Strong Responses For AAMA Space

NEW YORK — The Automotive Ac-cessories Manufacturers of America has received solid initial response for space reservations at its upcoming New York Expo. The show, planned for the Coliseum in Feb (9-12), has been timed for the close of the busy winter season "when inventories are depleted giving the buyer an oppor-tunity to analyze the results of the previous year's business and then prepare for the active selling season ahead." ahead

Information for space still available can be obtained from Edwin Erlich-man at the AAMA office in Bala-Cynwyd, Pa.

Japanese King Label Sets 8-Yr Rights Pact With Superscope, Inc.

SUN VALLEY, CALIF. — Continuing its extension into the Japanese mar-ket, Superscope has just completed an 8-year contract with King Records to obtain exclusive rights to the Japanese label's entire library of recorded mu-sic. This contract follows closely the recent pacting with Nippon Columbia

recent pacting with Nippon Columbia by Superscope. Jack Wagner, general manager and executive producer for Superscope's recording division, has also announced that Superscope Records will release at least 14 albums between now and Oct. 31 with material drawn from the King library. Offering Latin, movie, march, Hawaiian, pop and jazz selec-tions, the material will be made avail-able in cassette reel and 8-track cartable in cassette, reel and 8-track cartridges

These albums will retail at budget prices and be distributed through Su-perscope's existing national network of dealers and distributors.

Art Leslie Joins A & M

HOLLYWOOD -Art Leslie has left his marketing coordinator position at Certron to join A&M Records' tape division. In his new post, Leslie will work as assistant in all areas to Bob Elliott, director of the division.

RCA Aug. Reels: **Four Pop Albums**

NEW YORK — Three albums from RCA pop leaders and the premiere recording by one of the label's new acts comprise RCA's August reel-to-reel tape release. "Lighthouse," named for the group, is joined by the latest sets from Jose Feliciano ("Feliciano/10 to 23"), Hugo Montenegro ("Moog Power") and Eddy Arnold ("The Glory of Love").

Bell & Howell Bows 15 Stereotape Reels

IRVINE, CALIF. — A trilogy pack-age of the Anita Kerr-Rod McKuen suites "The Sea, the Earth & the Sky" heads a new issue of 15 open reel sets from Bell & Howell's Stereo-

Sky heads a new issue of 15 open reel sets from Bell & Howell's Stereo-tape division. Also released in the August collec-tion are three programs from the American Airlines series; **Imperial's** "A Genuine Rosmini" with Dick Ros-mini; **Liberty** reels "Exotic Moog" by Martin Denny and "Rhythm of the Rain" from Gary Lewis; **Minit's** Ike & Tina Turner "In Person"; "Quentin's Theme" on **Ranwood** by the Charles Randolph Grean Sound; **Reprise's** Jimi Hendrix Experience on "Smash Hits," Neil Young's "Ev-erybody Knows this is Nowhere" and "Don Ho's Greatest Hits"; **United Art-ists'** soundtrack to "Midnight Cow-boy"; **Warner Bros**. Ike & Tina Turner "Greatest Hits" and the 3-pack men-tioned above; and Buddy Rich with his Big Band on **World Pacific** in "Buddy & Soul."

Ampex To Distribute Nocturne Soundtrack

HOLLYWOOD - Nocturne Record's first album has just been picked up for distribution by Ampex Stereo Tape. The initial set is based on the film score to the Cinerama release "Changes"

"Changes." Negotiations were completed last week, according to a statement by Nocturne execs Harry Babasin and Roy Harte.

Producer's Profile

ANITA KERR

To look at her one might think that Anita Kerr is just a very pretty, very pert young lady who smiles well and enjoys her family. To talk to her, one would find her family. To talk to her, one would find her modest, pleasant, genuinely intel-ligent, and profoundly interested in music. But while all these things are certainly true, one would never guess that, in addition, Anita Kerr is the one woman in the world who has managed to succeed in the male-dominated field of music production, for in addition to being a fine singer, Anita is a pianist, an ar-ranger, a record producer, a composer, a producer of commercials and a con-ductor. With all of this already accom-plished, she now stands on the thres-hold of entering a field historically reserved for men: the composing and conducting of original scores for motion pictures.

hold of entering a field historically reserved for men: the composing and conducting of original scores for motion pictures. Proof of her enormous success is clearly seen in her track record which is highlighted by the fact that records which she has arranged and/or on which the Anita Kerr Singers are featured have sold a large number of copies probably exceeding 100,000,000. Al Hirt's records alone which Anita arranged have sold at least 10,000,000. copies. Her tetrology of albums with Rod McKuen, which she composed, arranged, conduct-ed, and co-produced for Warner Bros. Seven Arts Records, is approaching 2,000,000 copies in sales. Further, in December of 1968, Dot Records signed her to an exclusive \$1,000,000 contract calling for her company, Anita Kerr Enterprises, to produce nine albums per year over a three year period, three with her Anita Kerr Singers, and six of her own choosing. In addition, there will be two LP's for Warner Bros., using the San Sebastian Strings which she formed, and further activity with Rod McKuen. One might well ask where and how all this began, and the answer is that Anita was born in Memphis, Tennessee, the daughter of Italian parents who owned a small neighborhood grocery store. From her mother, she inherited an ear for perfect pitch. Her childhood was per-meated with music of all varieties par-ticularly operatic arias and Italian art songs which her mother sang, and the swing recordings of Benny Goodman, Artie Shaw, and others which her brother played. Having begun to take classical piano lessons at the age of four, Anita was ready by the age of twelve to be piano accompanist for her mother on a local radio program. At 14, she formed a group of singers, the Grillia Sisters (Grilli was her maiden name.) In addition to singing with the group, Anita played piano and wrote vocal arrangements

local radio program. At 14, she formed a group of singers, the Grillia Sisters (Grilli was her maiden name.) In addition to singing with the group, Anita played piano and wrote vocal arrangements. After high school, she joined her brother's bop combo and played in clubs around Memphis. Drawn to Nashville, the mecca of country and western music,

Oracle Label Joins GRT's Distrib Fold

Oracle Records has relocated to new quarters at 1051 Beacon Street, Brookline, Massachusetts. Buck Spurr, president of Oracle Records, com-mented that the need for larger facili-ties is the result of stepped-up activity on the label that will also mean a number of key appointments in the near future near future.

Spurr went this is only a temporary move for Oracle. "We are," he said, "Currently considering several sites where Oracle would have its own building.

In additon to housing its executive offices, the proposed Oracle building would house several 16-track record-ing studios, which would be used not by Oracle artists but would also be leased to other labels and produc-ers in the Boston area. Tepajo Music (BMI) and Rackle Music (BMI), Oracle's publishing firms, will also utilize the additional space.



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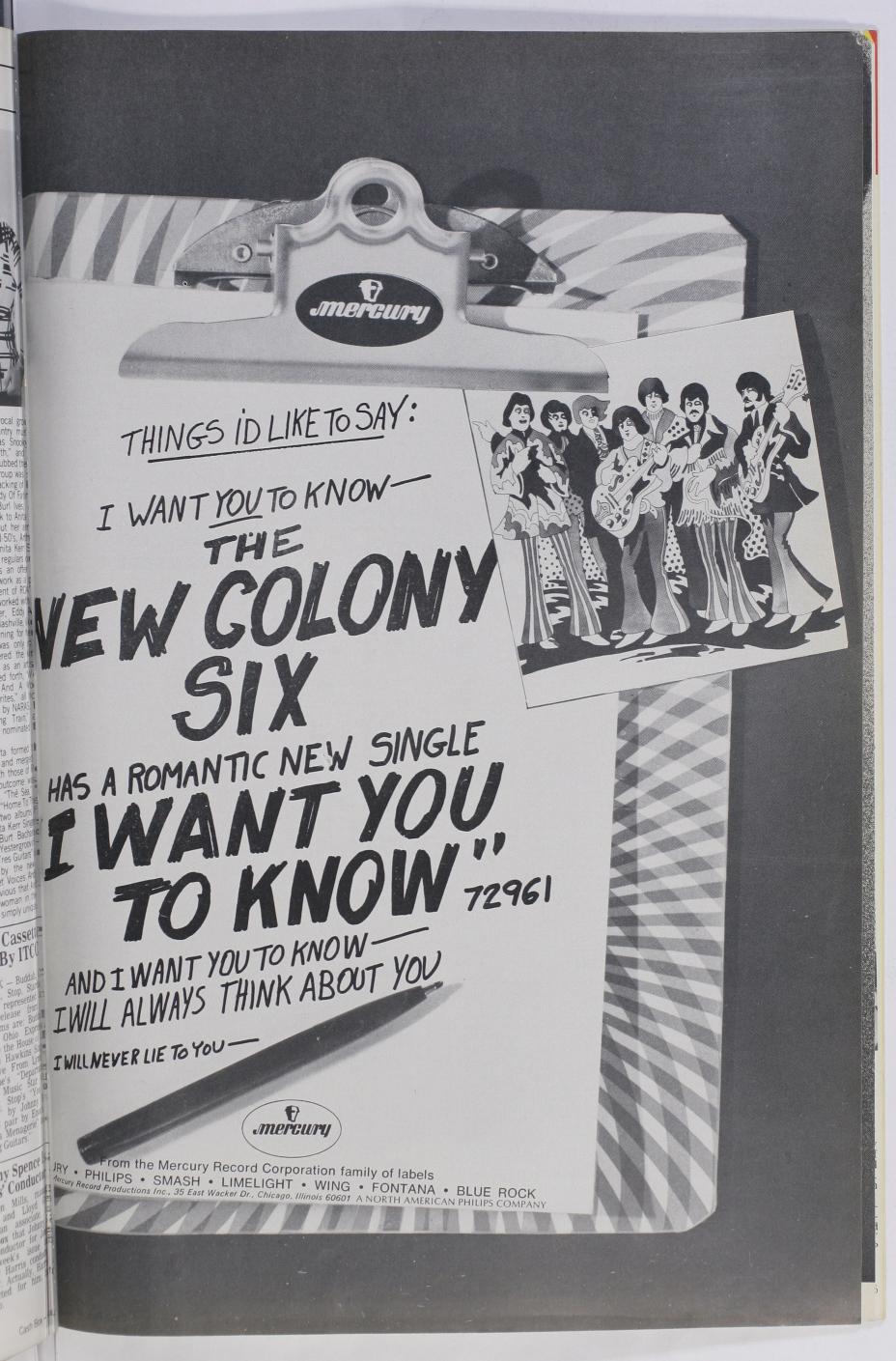
In 1966, Anita formed the San bastian Strings and merged her forr able talents with those of Rod McKin The ultimate outcome was four b selling albums, "The Sea," "The Eai "The Sky," and "Home To The Sea." Anita's first two albums for Dot ords, "The Anita Kerr Singers Reflec The Hits Of Burt Bacharach And David" and "Yestergroovin'-Anita Presents Les Tres Guitars" are now b followed up by the new "Anita Singers: Velvet Voices And Bold Br. It remains obvious that Anita is not unique for a woman in the record ness; Anita is simply unique.

10 New Cassettes Issued By ITCC

NEW YORK — Buddah, Chart, T grammaton, Stop, Starday and ject 3 are represented in a ner cassette release from ITCC latest albums are: Buddah's "Me from the Ohio Express and Us Go into the House of the Lorc the Edwin Hawkins Singers, Cr "With Love From Lynn" Ande Pat Boone's "Departure", Sta "Country Music Star #1" by Campbell; Stop's "You Gave # Mountain" by Johnny Bush; a Project 3 pair by Enoch Light the Brass Menagerie" and with Glittering Guitars."

Johnny Spence Is Jones' Conductor

Gordon Mills, manager of Jones, and Lloyd Greenfield American associate, have ar Cash Box that Johnny Spence sole conductor for Jones. An last week's issue indicated Johnny Harris conducts for th former. Actually, Harris at one conducted for him, but no does so.



Talent On Stage

ELVIS PRESLEY

INTERNATIONAL HOTEL, LAS VE GAS — He saunters across the im-mense stage at the International in a karate styled black tux, a tassled sash hanging from his waist and a two toned blue scarf dangling about his neck. blue scarf dangling about his neck. Looking not a moment older than '55. The band is playing "Blue Suede Shoes" and he reaches behind for an unamplified guitar. And suddenly you're dripping damp in nostalgia, revisiting that innocent age of dun-garee dolls, and James Dean, rock-abilly and Bill Randle, the hula hoop and Dr. Kinsey. "Here's a medley of songs I cut three or four hundred years ago," he says, and, once more, you're strolling with him down lonely street to "Heart-break Hotel," dancing with the whole

with him down lonely street to "Heart-break Hotel," dancing with the whole cell block to the "Jailhouse Rock," irrecoverably in love and "All Shook Up." And like the words to "Memo-ries," those tunes are "sweetened through the ages just like wine/ pressed between the pages of your mind." mind.

mind." Songs like "I Got a Woman" (" 'way 'cross town"), "Don't Be Cruel") ("to a heart that's true"), "Love Me Tender" ("take me to your heart"), "Hound Dog" ("you ain't nothin' but a .../rockin' all the time") and Mac Davis' inspired "In the Ghetto" ("do we simply turn our heads and look away?"). He previews his next for RCA, a magnificent gospel styled

RESLET rouser "Suspicious Mind" (a certain bet to be his 51st gold record), adding a Lennon-McCartney medley "Hey Jude/Yesterday." Eighteen songs and sixty-five minutes after the overture you find yourself, with 2000 others, standing and begging for more. And realizing (if you hadn't already known) that, swivel hips and long sideburns aside, he is an extraordinary talent. One of the great pop and country sing-ers of our time. Perhaps the greatest of all white blues shouters. Another standing ovation is followed by a press ers of our time. Perhaps the greatest of all white blues shouters. Another standing ovation is followed by a press conference. "A memorable evening in my life," says America's first rock symbol of teenage rebellion. And a staid English reporter, speaking for all, says it was likewise for his audience

the first time that Presley ng "live" in eight years, It's th working It's the first time that Presley is working "live" in eight years, his third appearance in thirteen. He performed at another Vegas club in '56, rocked the Pan Pacific (L.A.) in '57 and sang for the Battleship Arizona Memorial in '61. As such it is an historical occasion. Decidedly a per-sonal triumph for the artist. Somebody recently noted (Esquire

sonal triumph for the artist. Somebody recently noted (Esquire, Aug. '69) that it may not be easy, despite the rebirth of Richard Nixon and Elvis Presley, to muster nostalgia for the fifties. He's very, very, very, very wrong very wrong.

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THE LETTERMEN

WESTSIDE ROOM, CENTURY PLA-ZA, LOS ANGELES — An appreciative full house greeted the Lettermen's debut at the Westside Room last week, the triving first LA the trio's first L.A. appearance in more than five years. It was a letter perfect show

more than five years. It was a fetter-perfect show. Neat six button, four pocket, double breasted black tuxes now substitute for cable-stitch sweaters they once wore. And Gary Pike has replaced Bob Engemann (now a single) with Doug Curran a tentative alternate for Gary's brother, Jim, now recuperating from a throat ailment (he's expected back within the next week or two). Leaving Tony Butala the one original with the act that began way back in '61 on the Warners label (they've been represent-ed on Capitol with their biggest hits for the past seven years). Still, they're as harmonious as ever, without peer among today's white vocal groups. Hardly a week has gone by in the past seven years when they have not been represented on the national charts. Several of those titles are incorpo-

represented on the national charts. Several of those titles are incorpo-rated into their repertoire; from their first monumental hit ("The Way You Look Tonight") through "Theme for a Summer Place," "Born Free," "Going Out of My Head" to their current top twenty tune, "Hurt So Bad." Too, there's the usual stunning

closer, and a cappela mini-Mormon Tabernacle choir version of ''I Believe Along the way they toss in a few

recent chart titles made famous by other groups: the Fifth Dimension's "Up, Up and Away," the Doors' "Light My Fire," the Association's "Windy" and "Cherish." With solos by each and Cherish." With solos by each— Butala's caressive jazz treatment of "Taste of Honey," Pike's sensitive-tender version of "Portrait of My Love" and Doug Curran's "Impossible Dream," a dazzling display of vocal pyrotechnics.

An audience participation segment helps pace the show. Wilson Brown Trio augments the Al Pelligrini Orch. with conductor-pianist Brown serving as fourth harmony on "Summer Place

Place." Simplicity is the theme. With de-votion to the principle that a good tune deserves to be offered with the same melodic resolution intended by its composer. It's understandable why they are the most enduring vocal group (with the obvious exception of the Mills Bros.) on record and records. And why they should still be flourish-ing long after the tidal wave of over-driven electronic acts have expired.

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MICHAEL ALLEN

COPACABANA, NEW YORK — Mi-chael Allen puts both physical and emotional drive behind the material he sings. And this material covers a remarkable range of formats, from the "now" composers, to men of show music and even the world of spirituals. All done with poise and professional-ism, one can add, but one wonders whether he walks away from his hour long act—featured for the first time at the Copa last week—with a feeling In the walks away from his hour long act—featured for the first time at the Copa last week—with a feeling that he's got Allen's style firmly in mind. There is, however, an in-person excitement to the young artist's per-formances, particularly with such contemporary numbers as "With a Little Help from My Friends" and "Where's the Playground Suzy." And give Allen credit for breaking his general upbeat intensity with a poig-nant, sitting-on-a-stool performance of Jerome Kern's "They Didn't Believe Me," which, believe it or not, was written 55 years ago. The show music area is further covered with distinction by Allen via the late Frank Loesser's "Never Will I Marry" and Meredith Willson's "The Sadder But Wiser Girl,"

which serves as the underlining theme of a girl-name medley. The spiritual stanza works, featuring such standbys as "Standing in the Need of Prayer," "Down by the Riverside." Allen closes "Down by the Riverside." Allen closes with a powerful, personalized (he says it's his philosophy) version of Charles Aznavour and Marcel Stellman's "You've Got to Learn." The Copa orchestra, led by pianist Nat Jones, is a strong asset. Allen, who has just cut his second LP for London Records, is among the rare breed of nitery acts that keeps you interested in what he has to sing from start to finish of his act. i.L

Turrentine To Canyon

NEW YORK — Noted jazz saxist Stan-ley Turrentine has joined the roster of Wally Roker's newly-formed Canyon Records. Roker indicated that an initial album will be going into pro-duction in the next few weeks. Turrentine's past affiliations were with Impulse, Prestige, Atlantic and, most recently, Blue Note.

THE BEACH BOYS LONNIE MACK

WOLLMAN SKATING RINK, CEN-TRAL PARK, NEW YORK — It's a funny thing about the Beach Boys. Somehow they seem to have been around forever. It's as if they have been with us for all time and are going to defy mortality and drift on through the years, forever strumming, swimming, and strolling the sand, forever trying to catch that one last wave. If we think about it, we can clearly remember the coming of the Beatles. There was so much fanfare to wave. If we think about it, we can clearly remember the coming of the Beatles. There was so much fanfare to it, so much ballyhoo, so much (are you ready?) Beatlemania. But the Beach Boys did not arrive so much as they simply were there. The first time we heard the Beach Boys, we all probably said something like "Where have I heard them before?" And that's because the Beach Boys sound like something you've heard whispering in your ear since birth, perhaps like the sound of the surf itself. So there they were, the Beach Boys, up on stage, with the very young (fifteen to eighteen) audience in a state of mild excitement. As they moved through a succession of their many, many hit tunes, they inadver-tently conjured images of the past. Each song seemed to call up from the recesses of memory a specific time

and place. High school blind d and hot dogs, and empty poo and a first cigarette, a first drink other firsts, the Beach Boys always there. And the Beach were up on stage, lead singer Love, balding, bearded, drape white terrycloth, looking like a harish from Creat Nork Lorea white terrycloth, looking like a harishi from Great Neck, Long Ist And the rest of the Beach Boys, ning, having fun, bouncing along their pretty songs, making the audience joyous with melody, sing their songs, "We could ride and the surf together while our heats young, and in my woodie I will the you anywhere I go." Something that. that.

that. Lonnie Mack, Elektra's heavy h rocker, fat and vital was there putting down his Memphis soud gusto and energy. And the audie responded well. All these kids came to see the Beach Boys der blues monster Lonnie Mack, tryin feel the soul. trying to comprehen feel the soul, trying to comprehen the excitement. The Beach Boys t you back to the day your mo brought you home from the hosp Lonnie Mack brings you back to day you were born.

LITTLE RICHARD CHECKMATES, LTD.

SCHAEFFER MUSIC FESTIVAL, CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK — Litte Richard, one of the kings of rock and roll in the 1950's, is still do-ing his thing as well as he ever did. He's added a few contemporary num-bers such as "Dock Of The Bay" and "Chain" to his act, but his program bers such as "Dock Of The Bay" and "Chain" to his act, but his program still consists mainly of his old hits, "Tutti Frutti," "Lucille," and all the others. His voice, one of the great soul mechanisms of all time, has not lost its power, and this fast-thumping piano playing still generates excitement. He could, and did, at a Wednesday evening (6) performance at the Schaeffer Music Festival, offer pieces of his clothing to the audence and draw an eager mob at the audience and draw an eager mob at the foot of the stage. Still, it is unlikely that Little Richard

Still, it is unlikely that Little Richard will ever regain the popularity that he had in the 1950's. The Schaeffer crowd was indulging in nostalgia. Probably very few members of that audience look for Little Richard's latest release in their local record store. Little Ri-chard is supremely good at what he does, but he has not grown or evolved. He will probably have an audience as long as he wants one, an audience that wants to hear about Long Tall Sally,

lovely sculpture garden where art meets nature (and man) with harmony and concord. And there was Orpheus,

fresh, charming, original, with music light and airy, sweet, gentle, tender. Orpheus remains one of the few simply

Orpheus remains one of the few simply pleasant groups in the business. Cer-tainly, their music is not going to overwhelm anyone; they aren't going to tear down the museum brick by brick, Picasso by Picasso, but on the other hand, they are not sleepy, or sickly, or sugary, as are so many of the softer groups working today. Orpheus has found a way to touch without tearing.

The show was a very lively set in which the group quickly won its audiences' hearts (and tapping feet.) Moving through a series of their hit singles, "Brown Arms In Houston," and the current "Can't Find The Time To Tell You," Orpheus filled the air with a sound rich and tuneful, laugh-ing with melody and rhythm. One of their original tunes (most of their material is written by lead guitarist Bruce Arnold and bassist Eric Gulli-

Orpheus has f without tearing.

who had everything that Uncle Jo needed, and Teddy, who was aim ready to rock and roll. But the so of Little Richard is ended and h been ended for some time. Those wish to hear it again (and we do so in awhile) may do so.

in awhile) may do so. A&M Records' hot soul act, t Checkmates, Ltd., preceded lit Richard. The Checkmates are end lent showmen, and they expend tremendous amount of energy giving a performance. They insist getting the audience involved w sing-a-longs and by going out, ore a time, into the seats. They (or least two of them) are facile dato and are built like athletes. They come totally involved in their wo and thus earn the involvement of crowd.

crowd. On Wednesday evening, mates offered a program that inclu-their current hit "Black Pearl" turing Sonny Charles on W "Games People Play," a row version of "Let The Sun Shine In" a host of others. Their set was at success—a success every moment which they worked hard to achie

ORPHEUS MUSEUM OF MODERN ART, NEW YORK — Thursday night, July 31 as part of their summer festival of jazz concerts, the Museum of Modern Art presented Orpheus. The setting as for all museum summer concerts was the lovely sculpture garden where art

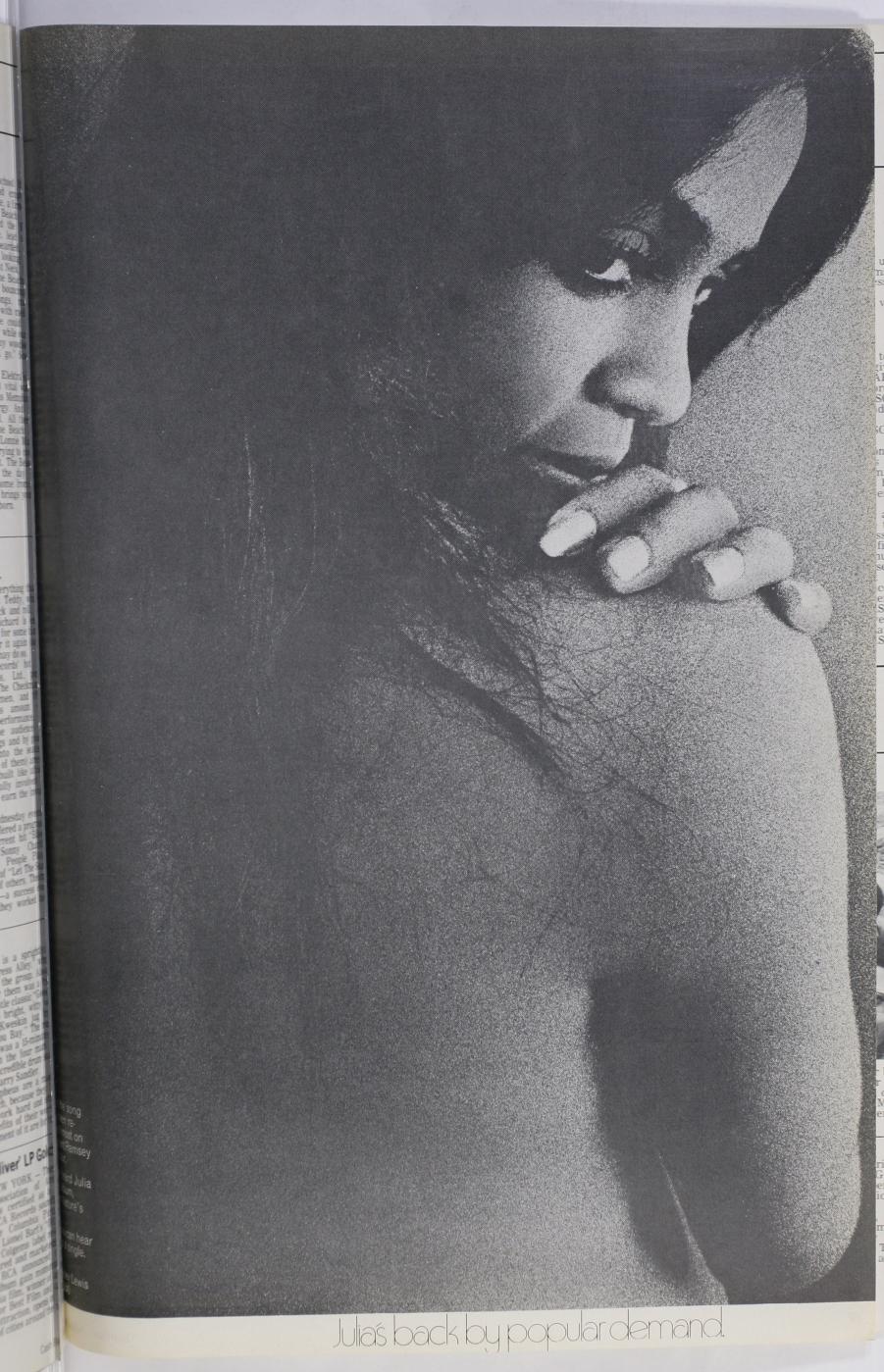
ksen), is a sprightly bouncer of "Congress Alley," which really ed for the group. Also highly suc ful for them was a brilliant real of Beatle classic "Good Day Sund of Beatle classic "Good Day Suns and a bright, witty version of a Jim Kweskin jug band tune "Bayou Bay." The real standout ever was a 15-minute improvisal which the four man team show an incredible drum solo by perus ist Harry Sandler. Orpheus are a marvelous grou

Orpheus are a marvelous gru watch, because they have found a to work hard and still have fun benefits of their work and of thei joyment of it are for the audience.

'Oliver' LP Gold

NEW YORK — The Record Ind Association of America (RIA has certified as a Gold Album RCA Records soundtrack album the Columbia Pictures present of Lionel Bart's "Oliver!" The al a Colgems label release, is man tured and marketed by RCA Rec RCA announced that sales for album gain momentum as the co bia film, winner of an Academy A for Best Film and a major road attraction, opens in increasing mr of cities around the nation.

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GARGANTUAN GATHERING — Pictured here at the recent Decca Records confab in Miami are: (left to right) (top left) label head Bill Gallagher (B president and publisher George Albert, new folk artist Karen Beth, and Deca marketing VP Tony Martell; (mid left) Martell, singer Karen Wyman, Gallagher and Decca administrative VP Jack Loetz; (bottom left) Ed Silvers, Gallagher and Mel Bly (Silvers and Bly run the Decca-distributed Viva and Bravo labels) (top right) Decca marketing VP giving "outstanding distributor award" to Tom Kelley of Kansas City; (bottom photo) MCA executive vp, country singers Jeannie Seely, Bill Anderson and Jan Howard, Loetz and country chanter Jack Greene, pictured following the C&W show.

CBS/SONY (Con't. from Page 7)

and S&G's single of "Sounds of Silence"

and S&G's single of "Sounds of Silence" sold a half a million copies. A major promotion campaign is now underway to exploit the "underground" sound. Involved in the drive are such acts as Blood, Sweat & Tears, Sly & the Family Stone, Al Kooper and Mike Bloomfield and the Chamber Brothers. Stressing the value of American cat-alog names in Japan as well as other foreign markets, Schein says that once an American act achieves recognition in a country like Japan, the pattern of success is long-term. Although person-al-appearance visits abroad may not be as lucrative as engagements in the U.S., Schein contends that the pros-pect of making-the-grade abroad is well worth the prospect of long-range disk success. Besides its label operation, CBS/ SONY also operates a publishing unit that owns local copyrights and absorbs material from CBS' world-wide April Music setup. The interest in music in Japan is

material from CBS' world-wide April Music setup. The interest in music in Japan is summed up by Schein when he tells of the Ginza coffee shops that compete with each other by having the old-styled "sandwich" men walk the streets advertising musical selections that are being programmed at their establishments.

Radio's Top 40 Look

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(Con't from Page 7) from past Buddah hits by the 1910 Fruitgum Company, The Ohio Express, The Brooklyn Bridge and others. "We've sold 450,000 copies already without too much major market air-play, except in a few instances. The single originally broke on WSAI in Cincinnati and is currently top ten in 35 secondary markets. WIBG in Phila-delphia also went on the single and had good results with it. It was a huge hit wherever it was played but 'selec-tive Top 40' Music Directors didn't program 'Moonflight'." Thau said he considers the "split personality" of top 40 "not a problem but a fact of life. There is a record in-dustry phrase, 'A hit, is a hit, is a hit' but it doesn't always apply. Hits don't get played automatically at 'selective Top 40' stations. They have to fit the demographics. Promotion men will have to be redirected to meet the 'se-lective Top 40' and 'true Top 40' for-mats and bone up on demographics so they understand radio station format problems. All labels will have to make this change in their promotion."

Goldner's New Label

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In 1957, the Goldners sold again to form Gone. Their first release by the Dubs, "Could This Be Magic" hit pay-dirt. In 1957 they also formed End Records which started true to form with such hits as "He's Gone" and "Maybe" by the Chantells. In 1956 they partnered with Buchanan and Goodman for one of the fastest break-ing hits of all time, "Flying Saucer". 1958 saw Little Anthony and The Im-perials come to the Gone End com-plex, followed by The Isley Brothers and Jo Ann Campbell.

Berry Gordy Deal

The Goldners also brought in Berry The Goldners also brought in Berry Gordy, Jr., from Detroit to produce Smokey and The Miracles for End. It was at this time that the Goldners played a key role in the Big label, na-tionally distributing smaller label con-cepts so prevalent in the industry today, with their distribution of two new labels Sceptre and Jamie/Guyden.

After selling out once again Ger Goldner joined Leiber and Stoler head the newly formed Redbird ation which wasted no time in hit "Chapel Of Love" by the Dixe Cu-followed shortly after by a straig "Leader of the Pack" a subsch Blue Cat Goldnered the charts at with the "Boy From New York of Label that was not successfully sol "Apart from the first time in mi-fortinge, George joined Shadow for other Namilla Fudge. Cotique cur-on the charts with "On Campu-Dickie Goodman and is about te "Tuna Trip." a new Dickie Good in was during this time that ato the charts with "On Campu-bickie Goodman and is about te "Tuna Trip." a new Dickie Good in was during this time that ato the charts with "On Campu-bickie Goodman and is about te "Tuna Trip." a new Dickie Good in the charts with "On Campu-bickie Goodman and is about te "Tuna Trip." a new Dickie Good in the charts with "On Campu-bickie Goodman and is about te "Tuna Trip." a new Dickie Good in the charts with "On Campu-bickie Goodman and is about te "Tuna Trip." a new Dickie Good in the charts with "On Campu-bickie Goodman and is about te "Tuna Trip." a new Dickie Good in the charts with "On Campu-bickie Goodman and is about te "Tuna Trip." a new Dickie Good in the charts with "On Campu-bickie Goodman and is about te "Tuna Trip." a new Dickie Good in the charts with "On Campu-bickie Goodman and is about te "Tuna Trip." a new Dickie Good in the charts with "On Campu-bickie Goodman and is about te "Tuna Trip." a new Dickie Good in the charts with "On Campu-te the term."



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Tuning In On. . . WMCA-New York Music & Talk w/ Unification

WUSIC & IAK VV/ Bill Scott, a newly-appointed vice president for programming at WMCA-New York, is a man with ideas. One of his ideas is to completely unify the talk and music aspects of the station's format. "Entertainment and involve-ment" is Scott's description of the direction he, with veteran music direc-tor Joe Hogart, is aiming WMCA. Baid Stephen B. Labunski, the out-let's managing director, in making the amouncement of Scott's appointment: "WMCA's ambitious format — com-bining the best elements of musical entertainment, two-way talk as well as news and public affairs — requires the closest kind of coordination and teamwork which pull together the seemingly diverse, but actually com-patible, elements making up our broadcast week." Scott stated: "I feel particularly fortunate that in un-dertaking this assignment I am able to call upon Joe Bogart's long experi-ence and thorough knowledge of en-tertainment programming. Much of WMCA's success is attributable to its outstanding personalities and program tertainment programming. Much of WMCA's success is attributable to its outstanding personalities and program staff and its willingness to innovate."

Return Of The Good Guys

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KRLA Agency Hits Radio Rate-cutting

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Radio Rate-cutting NEW YORK – Officials of Los Angeles pomusic station KRLA admonished a large segment of the broadcasting industry for widespread "rate-cutting, secret rates and rebates" and blamed client's faith in the ability of his ad-vertising agency." fostering the use of "quantity rather than quality as a measure in buying." and contributing the destruction of the ad-"trising agency as we know it by "ading the growth of national media "The charges came recently during presentation luncheon for the trade pression we york. Among the KRLA personnel present were executive vice president and general manager Law-rence Webb and vice president and station manager Hal Mathews.

WMCA listeners on the event, and pos-sibly helped the listeners clarify their ideas on the topic. In back of such WMCA/listener dia-logue is Scott's broadcasting philos-ophy at the station — the total unifica-tion of music, news, talk, and public affairs. The vp for programming points to WMCA's "mix between news and public response" as a matter of the station and its audience asking the question, "What does the news mean?" "Talk radio," says Scott, "is not just that — it is illuminating." Musically speaking, the hits that WMCA will continue to program re-flect what Scott and the station are getting at; "Everybody is multi-faceted," claims the program vice president; "sometimes you speak to listeners with Hubert Humphrey, sometimes with the Union Gap."

KSFO's Deejay Doings

SAN FRANCISCO - KSFO's personalities here have been impressively peripatetic as they involve themselves in music and community service events.

Dick McGarvin, KSFO's utility jock, heads a popular trio now booked at the El Matador in North Beach every Sunday night. (Prior to this, the act worked Mondays at Sausalito's Trident, noted on the jazz scene.) McGarvin has performed at the Hungry i and the C'est Bon. The drummer, composer, and leader of the group, he is also a songwriter and has penned the music for a number of ballads and jazz pieces. In addition, jazzman McGarvin will host the popular "Jazz in the Grove" featuring Earl Fatha Hines on August 17. Concerts are free to the public and begin at 2 p.m.

KSFO's Gene Nelson has now broadened his talents to writing and teaching. He'll write a music/entertainment column for the Mini-Monitor, a bi-weekly supplement of The Monitor, published by the San Francisco Catholic Archdiocese. The column is strictly for young people of high school and early college age. In the fall, Gene will teach a course in the radio/TV department of the College of San Mateo. His semester course in announcing is for three-hour credit. Gene is also busily engaged in little theatre work

Further KSFO-San Francisco deejay doings have included the Stern Grove concerts, featuring the station's personalities as emcees. On Aug. 3, Carter Smith introduced Arthur Fiedler and his San Francisco Symphony in their second Stern Grove "pops.

And, finally, Nelson emceed the Terra Linda Band in their Stern Grove appearance on July 6; Aaron Edwards introes Fiedler and the Symphony pops on July 20; and, recently, Terry McGovern emceed the Merla Opera Fund in conjunction with the San Francisco Opera Company.

ASCAP-TV Reach Agreements In Telecast Music Licensing

WASHINGTON WASHINGTON — After almost eight years in litigation and negotiation, the ASCAP music by TV outlets was at last given court approval recently. This was accomplished following the negotiators' resolution of the last in a long series of snags.

ASCAP's Mailing List

ASCAP will mail out in the near future copies of the new contract, al-ready given informal approval by 320 or more stations. Copies go to all of ASCAP's TV-station licensees for signature.

signature. Representing broadcasters in the case, leaders of the All-Industry TV Stations Music License Committee have estimated that if TV outlet re-venues increase by 6% annually, station payments to ASCAP over a 10-year period will be \$53 million less under the new contract than under the one it has new contract than under the one it has

new contract than under the one it has replaced. Charles Tower of Corinthian Broad-casting heads the committee; the principal negotiators with him in re-cent years have been Andrew Murtha of Time-Life Broadcast, Elisha Gold-farb of RKO General, and Donald Schapiro and Michael Finkelstein of the New York-based law firm of Bar-rett Knapp Smith and Schapiro, com-mittee counsel. Heading the ASCAP negotiating team have been Herman Finkelstein, general counsel, and

president Stanley Adams. Agreed upon for months have been basic terms of the new deal—but a series of essen-tially technical and procedural dis-agreements have loomed into view and been settled one by one.

Latest Problem Resolved

Latest Problem Resolved The latest problem related to a provision in the new contract giving independent auditors for ASCAP a right to check outlets' claimed broad-cast revenues (on which their ASCAP fees are based) against the broadcast revenues they report to the FCC. The FCC reports, contended ASCAP, had to be controlling because they provide an authoritative check on the stations report to ASCAP. Committee officials argued that outlets have never paid on nonbroadcast revenues and should not start now. That conundrum was resolved after more than a month, at least two trips to court, many negotiating sessions and a letter from the FCC defining. According to committee representa-tives, in the compromise that was finally reached, the main difference for stations is that those which itemize their deductions in reporting to ASCAP will now have to pay on any revenues they receive from syndication. Stations taking the optional standard ASCAP

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Sagittarius

Sagittarius As a musical group, Sagittarius has as much solidarity as the astrological figment it was named after. Held together by its "chief innovator" Gary Usher, and "life carriers" Curt Boet-tcher & Keith Olsen, there is no actual musical act that is Sagittarius. Formed as a studio performing group, Sagittarius has at one time or another included Glen Campbell, Bruce John-ston of the Beach Boys, members of

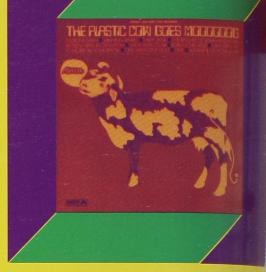


and asked them to work as their back-up band. After touring on their own, and, following numerous gigs at clubs, the Winstons were signed by Metro-media Records while they were in Atlanta

Millennium, Mike Fennelley, Joey Stec, Van Dyke Parks, a series of producers, engineers and even Gabriel Menkler, producer of Steppenwolf. But the act is not static or official in terms of personnel. Originally a Columbia team, Sagit-tarius excited regional and some na-tional action with singles "My World Fell Down" and "Another Time." Sagit was also released as an LP group on "Future Tense."

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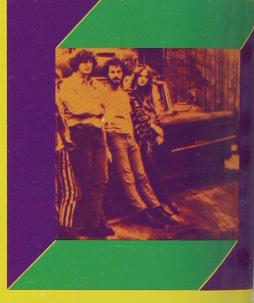
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1 HAIR ORIGINAL CAST (RCA Victor LSO 1150 (08S-1038) 2
2 BLOOD, SWEAT & TEARS (Columbia CS 9720 (COL 1810-0552) (COL 1410-0552) 1
3 ROMEO & JULIET ORIGINAL SOUNDTRACK (Capitol ST 2993 (8XT 2993) (Y 18 2993) 3
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5 THIS IS TOM JONES (Parrot PAS 71028) (79828	•)
6 CROSBY, STILLS & NASH (Atlantic SD 8229) (8229) (X5 8229)) 6
7 IN-A-GADDA-DA-VIDA IRON BUTTERFLY (Atco 2501) 10
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9 A WARM SHADE OF IVORY HENRY MANCINI (RCA LSP 4140	.)
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16 WARM HERB ALPERT & TIJUANA BRASS (A&M SP 4190 (8T 4190) (4T 410) (CS 4190	
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34	THE STREET GIVETH AND THE STREET TAKETH AWAY	
	CAT MOTHER AND THE ALL NIGHT NEWSBOYS (Polydor 24-4001) (M95301) (PDC 14651)	40
35	STAND! SLY & THE FAMILY STONE (Epic BN 26456) (N18-10186) (N14-10186)	30
36	MAKE IT EASY ON YOURSELF BURT BACHARACH (A&M SP 4188) (8T 4188) (4T 4182) (CS 4182)	32
37	ON THE THRESHOLD OF A DREAM MOODY BLUES (Deram DES 18025)	36
38	HAWAII FIVE-O VENTURES (Liberty LST 8061) (8948) (4948) (C-0948)	35
39 w/	SWITCHED ON BACH ALTER CARLOS-BENJAMIN FOLKMAN (Columbia MS 7094) (COL 1811-0092)	41
40	GALVESTON GLEN CAMPBELL (Capitol ST 210) (8XT-210) (YIT 210) (4XT-210)	33
41	BRAVE NEW WORLD STEVE MILLER BAND (Capitol ST 184) (8XT 184) (4XT 184)	39
42	EARLY STEPPENWOLF (Dunhill DS 50060) (823-50060M) (423-50060X) (523-50060X)	46
43	YESTERDAY WHEN I WAS YOUNG ROY CLARK (Dot 25953)	50
44	FUNNY GIRL ORIGINAL SOUNDTRACK (Columbia BOS 3220) (COL 1812-0034) (COL 1412-0034)	52
45	CLOUDS JONI MITCHELL (Reprise RS 6341) (8RM 6341) (CRX 6341)	34
46	FEVER ZONE TOM JONES (Parrot PAD 71019) (M-79819) (X-79419) (X-79619)	54
47	WITH A LITTLE HELP FROM MY FRIEND JOE COCKER (A&M SP 4182) (8T 4182) (4T 4182) (CS 4182)	37
48	DARK SHADOWS ORIGINAL T.V. MUSIC (Philips PHS 600-314)	61
49	LET THE SUNSHINE IN DIANA ROSS & THE SUPREMES (Motown MS 689) (MT 8 1689) (M5689)	42
50 51	HELP YOURSELF TOM JONES (Parrot PAS 71025) (79825) (X79625) HAPPY HEART	45
51	ANDY WILLIAMS (Columbia CS 9844) (COL 1810-0688) (COL 1410-0688)	43
52	MEMPHIS UNDERGROUND HERBIE MANN (Atlantic SD 1522) (1522) (X51522)	47
53	GRAZIN' FRIENDS OF DISTINCTION (RCA 4149) (P8S 1443)	51
54	MY WAY FRANK SINATRA (Reprise FS 1029) (8FH 1029) (CFX 1029)	60
55	THE BEATLES (Apple SWB0 101) Part I (86W160) (4XW160) Part II (86W161) (4XW161) (Part I-4XW101) (Part II-4XW-101)	48
56	LAST EXIT TRAFFIC (United Artists UAS 6702) (8154) (U4154) (K-0154)	56
57	HALLELUJAH CANNED HEAT (Liberty LST 7618)	70
58	8:15/12:15 BILL COSBY (Tetragrammaton T-5100)	63
59	QUENTIN'S THEME CHARLES RANDOLPH GREAN (Ranwood R 8055)	71
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63	(Warner Bros. /7 Arts WS 1767) (8WM 1767) (CWX 1767) MY WHOLE WORLD ENDED	53
64	DAVID RUFFIN (Motown MS 685) (MT8 1685) (M 5685) CLOUD NINE	62
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68	M.P.G. MARVIN GAYE (Tamla 292) (T18-1292) (T-5292)	72
69	WHEATFIELD SOUL GUESS WHO (RCA LSP 4141)	58
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71	SMOKEY ROBINSON & THE MIRACLES (Tamla TS 295) (TT8-1295) (T-5295) PICKIN' UP THE PIECES	81
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72	A SALTY DOG PROCOL HARUM (A&M SP 4179) (8T 4179) (4T 4179) (CS 4179)	59
73	CRYSTAL ILLUSION SERGIO MENDES & BRASIL '66 (A&M SP 4197) (81 4197) (41 4197) (CS 4197)	88
74	LOVE CAN MAKE YOU HAPPY MERCY (Warner Bros./7 Arts 1799)	68
75	THE DELL'S GREATEST HITS (Cadet LPS 824)	82
76	DAVID'S ALBUM JOAN BAEZ (Vanguard VSD 79308) (8VM 79308)	67
77	THE TEMPTATIONS SHOW (Gordy GS 933)	
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91	ORIGINAL SOUNDTRACK (MGM STE-13) WINDMILLS OF YOUR MIND ED AMES (RCA LSP 4172)	106 76
92	BLACK & WHITE	10
93	GITARZAN	92 69
94	RAY STEVENS (Monument SLP 18115) (844-18115) (444-18115) (544-18115) THE SUPER HITS VOL. 4	85
95	VARIOUS ARTISTS (Atlantic SD 8224) (8224) (X5 8224) AT YOUR BIRTHDAY PARTY	
96	STEPPENWOLF (Dunhill DSX 50053) (823-50053) (423-50053) (55053) MONKEES' GREATEST HITS	78
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99	THE WAY IT WAS, THE WAY IT IS LOU RAWLS (Capitol ST 215)	98
100	SOULFUL DIONNE WARWICK (Scepter SPS 573) (SCM 8-573) (CSPS 573)	100

Basic Album Inventory

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A check list of best selling pop albums other than those appearing on the CASH BOX Top 100 Album chart. Feature is designed to call wholesalers' & retailer attention to key catalog, top steady selling LP's, as well as recent chart hits still going strong in sales. Information is supplied by manufacturers. This is a week revolving list presented in alphabetical order. It is advised that this card be kept until the list returns to this alphabetical section.

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The tremendous success of two ment films with heavy emphasis on e contemporary pop music scene ould indicate that the motion picture dustry attitude toward rock may be aturing. Monterey Pop, the Leacock-ennebaker film of the 1967 Monterey op Festival is meeting with incredi-e success in first run movie houses. The way that this one came about, e were told (and it may be just one those great L. A. hallucinations), that ABC fronted a half million dol-rs to the Festival in a deal that cluded an option on the film. When ey looked at an all but finished print and y a year later they were scared death of Jimi Hendrix balling his itar and how it would affect the d necks in their audience — ether the heartland of America uid learn to embrace a constantly adig Jamis Joplin and whether an dence trained on the musical pap at television usually serves up would g on a 25 minute performance by v iShankar.

s on a 25 minute performance by viShankar. They opted out and sold their rights the whole thing for a rumored 0,000. To me that's a \$300,000 bath t in the high priced TV business scalculations of this nature are ilt into the overhead. think the film misses a lot of at happened at Monterey and mis-erprets some more of it but is petheless a groovy entertainment perience. There are things that i don't like about it — I don't nk you alternate your camera ween Janis' feet and her head ause that whole body is part of at's singing and you don't make stakes like showing Grace Slick ging while Marty Balin's voice peard on the soundtrack and if you it on purpose it was still a mis-e 'he flick successfully contures

he flick successfully captures ndrix's energy and magnetism, the musicianship and powerful per-ality projection of the Airplane and Keystone Kop antics of recording ineer Wally Heider and some of the ge hands when Who launched their sical destruction derby. Ravi Shan-is beautiful and they capture the uty in a manner that does more to lain the religious mysticism that rounds Indian music than any ghty tome ever could. Monterey audiences really get involved in film and applaud their favorites in live performance. A short film usually accompanying uerey Pop called Chiefs done by same filmmakers is a tiny gem inematic art. flick successfully captures

A short film usually accompanying herey Pop called Chiefs done by same filmmakers is a tiny gem inematic art. By Rider is a different thing. It mates between brilliance and varassment and will be criti-d by the hip community for the varassing parts and by the overly ight because they will consider it arish misrepresentation of "those be's" life style or it will just by scare the hell out of them. Here, delivers a frighteningly bril-performance as Billy, sidekick eter Fonda's Captain America as two of them cycle across America ing that which is not there. Hopper of them cycle across America ing that which is not there. Hopper me part of a lot of the people I known in San Francisco in the five years. He is not necessarily best part of any of these people. is not too bright. He has the un-icability of a semi-speed freak, a of social anarchy that sometimes alou of other quasi-anarchistic styles, a philosophical attitude ably much more akin to his great diather than his father with a y of heart and purpose that really part of that original creature they d a hippy before media sprayed with plastic. The mixture has to are to guess. It is a perfor-te whose brilliance should earn an Academy Award while its

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GOLD, AND PLATINUM TOO — The Iron Butterfly was last week presented a specially prepared platinum disk award for attaining sales of \$2,000,000 with their "In-A-Gadda-Da-Vida" LP. Then, to top things off at the celebration staged by Atlantic-Atco Records, the team also obtained gold certification for their last "Ball" album. All in all, according to Atco president Ahmet Ertegun (left center) and exec vice president Jerry Wexler (right center) this is only the second time that the label has made such an award (the first being for Cream's "Disraeli Gears") and the LP is "moving so well a year after release, that it could soon hit the \$3 million mark." Flanking the executives at the party in New York's Hapshire House Hotel, were group members (from left) Ron Bushy, Lee Dorman, Doug Ingle and Erik Brann.

RIAA Award For 3 Dog Night LP

NEW YORK — Following its RIAA-certified award for "One," the Dun-hill stars Three Dog Night now has a gold LP for \$1 million in sales of their debut album. LP is named after a group. Act is currently on a 14-city concert tour, returning to Hollywood Aug. 25 to start recording their third album for the label.

Roulette To Handle Elephant V Records

NEW YORK — Roulette Records will distribute Michael Conti's Elephant V label, according to Morris Levy, presi-dent of the label. Product includes singles and LP's. Initial dates on re-lease are Freddie Scott's "Sugar on Sunday," a single, and two LP's, "Thanks for Nothing" by Nappy Brown and "Do It in the Road" by the Mid-night Movers. Along with Conti, Sam Kaplan and Tommy Kaye are princi-pals of Elephant V.

Window Promo For ESP-Disk

NEW YORK — A major window pro-motion plan has been established by ESP-Disk with its distributor Peters International to deal with ESP-Disk's current release of 18 new LP's. LP releases include ESP's first full-color double album "We Are The Levitts," Montego Joe's Har-You Group, Erica, Mij, Todd Kelly, Cromagnon, and Octopus. All window promos for ESP-Disk will be handled by Peters International, 600 8th Avenue, New York with phone (212) LA 4-4020.

Big Bopper Still Bops

CHICAGO — The 1958 smash single "Chantilly Lace" by J.P. Richardson, who is more commonly remembered as the Big Bopper, has been released again, this time on Mercury's Wing label. Since Wing normally does not deal

label. Since Wing normally does not deal in the singles market, promotion for the single "Chantilly Lace" b/w "Someone Is Watching Over You" is being handled by the promotion staff of the other members of the Mercury family of labels.

Doors' Fourth Diskovers Gold

NEW YORK - The latest in a chain of NEW YORK — The latest in a chain of gold record awards for the Doors is the Gold Album Award for "The Soft Parade," the group's fourth album, released the week of July 18. The RIAA certified last Tuesday that the LP had reached million seller status and was entitled to the gold record award.

"The Soft Parade" is the Doors' seventh million-seller that the Elektra group has amassed. The others are the Doors' first three albums, "The Doors," "Strange Days," and "Waiting For The Sun," and the singles, "Light My Fire," "Touch Me," and "Hello, I Love You," all produced by Paul A. Rothchild. Rothchild

The Doors recorded a live album on July 21 at the Aquarius Theater in Los Angeles, an album which Elektra expects to release in November.

Mercury Inks 2 West Coast Groups

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Picks of the Week

THE TEMPTATIONS (Gordy 7093) I Can't Get Next To You (2:53) (Jobete, BMI — Whitfield, Strong) Everyone in the Temptations gets a show-line or three in this no-psyche love side built on the "Runaway Child" vamp. The same production impact, new blues/rock love lyrics and a powerhouse vocal performance guarantee terrific teen and r&b sales showings. Flip: "Running Away (Ain't Gonna Help You)" (2:53) (Same credits) 53) (Same credits)

GARY PUCKETT & THE UNION GAP (Columbia 44967) This Girl is a Woman (3:09) (Three Bridges, ASCAP — Millrose, Bernstein) Complete change of pace in the Union Gap's styling of this new ballad. Still spearheaded by Gary Puckett's singular vocal power and featuring solid teen material and arrangements, the new Gap offering is blended more toward MOR tastes to spread its sales solidarity. Flip: "His OtherWoman" (3:07) (Blackwood/ Meloran, BMI — Allen, Chater)

JAMES BROWN (King 6250) Lowdown Popcorn (2:47) (Golo, BMI — Brown) Having broken the popcorn through his instrumental hit, and carrying the dance into a center-state spotlight by "Mother Popcorn," James Brown turns back to the orchestral line on this funky flavored dance track. Strong organ and rhythm section work should put the tune on the charts. Flip info not included

MARVIN GAYE (Tamla 54185) That's the Way Love Is (3:15) (Jobete, Whitfield, Strong) "I Heard it Thru the Grapevine" with new lyrics for the latest Marvin Gaye offering. Melody, arrangements and total effectiveness are about as solid as the biggest hit yet for Gaye and should bring in yet another explosive sales run up the charts. Flip: "Gonna Keep on Tryin' Till I Win Your Love" (2:52) (Same credits) (Same credits)

ENGELBERT HUMPERDINCK (Parrot 40040) **I'm A Better Man** (2:50) (Blue Seas/Jac, ASCAP — Bacharach, David) This first union of Humperdinck vocal and Bacharach/David material is hardly what might have been expected. The song seems to have been tailored to Engelbert's earlier releases in its manner, but adds enough of the mystical B&D splendor to turn the side into a standout for teen and MOR pro-gramming. Flip: "Cafe" (3:00) (Leeds, ASCAP — Christian-Dee, Del Turco, Bigazzi) gram. Bigazzi)

JERRY BUTLER (Mercury 72960)

What's the Use of Breaking Up (2:36) (Assorted/Parabut, BMI - Gamble,

What's the Use of Breaking Op (2.30) (Association function, and the Bell, Huff) The distinctive Gamble/Huff sound and Jerry Butler's own unique power are welded once more into a pulverizing soul-rock ballad monster. Carrying a better dance tempo that his last ("Moody Woman"), the new outing should prove an explosive item with top forty and r&b audiences. Flip: "A Brand New Me" (2:35) (Same credits)

OHIO EXPRESS (Buddah 129)

OHIO EXPRESS (Buddah 129) Sausalito (Is the Place to Go) (2:20) (Kaskat/Man-Ken, BMI — Gouldman) Getting closer to the blues rock phase that preceeded their bubble-gum entry, the Ohio Express delivers its new side with a rock punch to pulverize the teen market. Not to be confused with the softer ballad, "Sausalito" is a spirited top forty side this time round, and a winner. Flip: "Make Love Not War" (3:35) (Kaskat, BMI — Katz, Kasenetz)

BUCHANAN BROTHERS (Event 3305)

Son of a Lovin' Man (2:43) (Blendingwell, ASCAP — Cashman, Pistilli, West) The "Medicine Man" crew bounces back with a heavy-hitting side to turn the group into an established act. Same rollicking-rock impact and a bright lyric give the Buchanan Brothers a powerhouse follow-up to tantalize top forty fans once more. Flip: "I'll Never Get Enough" (2:32) (Same credits)

CARLA THOMAS (Stax 0011)

CARLA THOMAS (Stax 0011) I've Fallen in Love with You (2:39) (East/Memphis, BMI — Thomas) The sensual stage presence that has earned Carla Thomas a heavy blues market following, gives her an extra edge on this new ballad side. Slow, smoky vocal fireworks and a sparkling production backdrop should put this side into the running for blues and pop exposure. Flip: No information sup-slied plied.

J.J. Jackson (Warner Bros-7Arts 7321) That Ain't Right (2:31) (Meager, BMI — Jessup, Foster) Bouncing back from a re-cap breakthrough with "It's Alright," J.J. Jackson turns around title-wise on another high-stepping dance side that should see rock and blues market action from his revitalized fans. Flip: "Four Walls" (2:16) (Meager, BMI — King, Jackson)

ARTHUR CONLEY (Atco 6706) Star Review (2:25) (Marsaint, BMI — Toussaint, Lee) Returning to the formula that produced his "Sweet Soul Music" smash, Arthur Conley turns his booming talent to a dance fan session with power-house prospects on teen and blues circuits. Fine teen action can be antici-pated. Flip: "Love Sure is a Powerful Thing" (2:04) (Malaco/Kemisco, BMI — Davis, Soule)

CHER (Atco 6704) For What It's Worth (2:21) (Ten-East/Cotillion/Springaglo, BMI — Stills) First heavy hitting Buffalo Springfield single is returned to the teen scene in a reading that proves it as timely today as it was a few years back. Emphasis is on the lyric in a performance that features some excellent top forty and FM production touches. Flip: "Hangin' On" (3:17) (Alanbo, BMI — Mize, Allen)

CANEY CREEK REUNION (Apt 26007) Break My Mind (2:58) (Windward Side, BMI — Loudermilk) One of those songs that has been tried before and not quite mustered the overall national break, "Break My Mind" returns by a group that has itself been moving toward recognition. Initial strength in Chicago should help put this single into the pop/MOR spotlight. Flip: "Come with Me" (2:50) (Ampco, ASCAP — Fried, Matthews)

Picks of the Week

VINNIE BELL (Decca 732530) Ballad of John & Yoko (2:19) (Maclen, BMI — Lennon, McCartney) The tune that has got to be remembered as the first Beatles' record to just barely scratch top ten surfaces, "John & Yoko" appears now as an instrumen-tal with effective treatment by studio craftsman Vinnie Bell. Attractive for sla tions that had lyric problems before, the new "Ballad" could see across-the board activity. Flip: "Les Bicyclettes de Belsize" (3:20) (W-7, ASCAP – Reed Mason)

Newcomer Picks

THE FLAMING EMBER (Hot Wax 6902) Mind, Body & Soul (2:57) (Gold Forever, BMI — Dunbar, Wayne) Fast beginning, powerful, emotional side develops listener interest from the a start and maintains its intensity on a trip that should see the single exploding a with teen and r&b markets. Excellent track and an outstanding lead vocal sound give the side skyrocket potential. Flip: No info included.

WIND (Life 200) Make Believe (2:50) (Love/Peanut Butter, BMI — Gentry, Levine) (1) Slow in getting to the punch, but filled with the power to climb into top forty may charts once the group picks up the momentum. Side is a medium-slow dance mo outing with solid rhythm punch and a fine vocal performance to carry it up the sales lists. Flip: "Groovin with Mr. Bloe" (2:43) (Love, BMI — Gentry, Nau-the sales lists. Flip: "Groovin with Mr. Bloe" (2:43) (Love, BMI — Gentry, Nau-Mathematical States (2:43) (Love, BMI — Gentry, N

KEITH BARBOUR (Epic 10486) Echo Park (3:42) (Hastings, BMI – Clifford) Musically a bit like "MacArthur Park," but with a lyrical tale of the male counterpart to Eleanor Rigby, this brilliant descriptive ballad comes on with an emotional impact that should start immediate action from teen, progressive and many MOR stations. Powerhouse. Flip: "Here I Am Losing You" (2:32 (Satrycon, BMI – Flemming)

JOHN BELAND (Ranwood 853) Baby You Come Rollin' Cross My Mind (2:47) (Bresnahan, BMI – Kincaid) A medium-sized hit for the Peppermint Trolley about a year back, "Bab You Come Rollin' " comes on once more as a slightly slower, somewhat mor lyrical/less rock side in this new performance. Side adds further MOR in pact to the teenflavor of the track giving it a broadened hit momentum. File long version (3:20) featuring a pretty intro. "Baby &

BUGSY (Dot 17297) I Thank Heaven (2:33) (Curtom, BMI — Mayfield) Making a mark through FM and MOR exposure of his current LP, Buge enters singles competition with a splendid ballad from the Curtis Mayfe catalog. Slow, sentimental-teen and easy listening material is stunning delivered for across-the-board acceptance. Flip: "Rush Hour" (3:12) (Calle ASCAP — Maugh) TRT JOH

THE MORNINGSTAR (Kef 2581) Wonderful Day (2:34) (Kef, ASCAP — Messina) Simply presented light-hearted teen track with a mixture of the giddine that scored for "Good Morning Starshine" or a "Zippodee-do-dah" and the rock touch of an "Ob-La-Di." All brightness and sprightliness in a cutie with the power to become a runaway seller. Flip: "Out There Somewhere" (21 (Kef, ASCAP — Chiprut)

RONNIE JAMES (Uptite 0017) **War on Your Mind** (2:43) (Popdraw, ASCAP — Curtiss) Representing a new breed of protest, Ronnie James' pounding folk-ball shapes up as a likely follower for "In the Year 2525." Less an overt compla than an artfully descriptive side, "War on Your Mind" tells less, asks me and creates a blast of emotion to stir AM/FM results. Flip: complete 2: version version

MOUNTAIN (Windfall 530) Dreams of Milk & Honey (2:45) (Windfall, BMI — West, Pappalardi, Ventu Landsberg)

Power-packed instrumentals in the Cream tradition give Mountain a sustant toward winning recognition from progressive and top forty programmer The pulverizing workout here makes this act a heavy comer with the sum impact to create runaway sales. Flip: "This Wheel's On Fire" (3:18) (Dw ASCAP — Dylan, Danko)

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THE KINKS (Reprise 0847) The Village Green Preservation So-ciety (2:45) (Noma/Hi-Count, BMI — Davies) Quietly making their own noise, the Kinks have maintained a staunch following that will enjoy this cute Anglo-rock effort. Flip: "Do You Remember Walter" (2:23) (Same credits) credits)

JIMMIE & VELLA (Imperial 66395) Love Is Colour Blind (2:41) (ASCAP – Cameron) Building West Coast team comes on strongly with an FM aimed ballad. Side's lyric and performance should obtain progressive market re-sults. Flip: "Free Yourself" (2:42) (Same credits)

MISTY MORN (Epic 10495) Summer Sunshine (2:55) (East tening, ASCAP — Thorne) Slow-building ballad with the stylish to attract notice on MOR an circuits. Flip: "Oh What a I Found" (2:10) (Same credits)

SOULFUL JEB STUART American 601) Cause I Got Soul (2:55) (Sain BMI — Fields, Stuart) Off-t sound becomes a bit too infec-overlook. Side is a fine dance that could become a blues bu Flip: "You're Mine" (2:58) Crash, BMI — Fields)

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THEE PROPHETS (Kapp 2038) Rag Doll Boy (2:48) (Mee Moo, BMI – Salisbury) "Playboy" team is back with a driving teen-rock side that pens on a strong rhythmic empha-is and costs into a Four Seasons take off that could win teen rock action. Flip: No info supplied

FERALDINE STEVENS (World

Pacific 77927) **Silly, I've Got to Go to Town** (2:55) Cedarwood, BMI — Dana, Tillis) Answer version to the current top en "Ruby" packs a semi-country hallop that could spark back-to-ack action **teen and MOR.** Flip: It's Not Their Heartache, It's Mine" 2:47) (Huntly, BMI — Dana)

ENE NORDAN (Lovett 69715) Ilanta (2:27) (Azinda, BMI — Nor-an) Ear-tingling ballad with the teen/ oung adult market in mind could arn enough respectful play to kick his track into the running for chart ctivity. Flip: "Dreams of Her" (3:14) Same credits)

10THER BROWN (Band Box 392) .nees Up, Mother Brown (1:46) (Band ox, BMI — Adpt: Kemm, Craig) Cute endering of a familiar English pub ong that could become a staple in the boxes around the tavern circuit. lip: "When You Got It, Flaunt It" 1:45) (Band Box, BMI — Kemm)

ORMAN GREENBAUM (Reprise

346) ubilee (2:45) (Great Honesty, BMI - Greenbaum) One of the best in this rtist's catalog yet. Featuring a Dy-mesque blend of folk-rock-country, te side comes off fresh and likely to tice pop notice. Flip: "Skyline" 3:12) (Same credits)

OBERT JOHN (Columbia 44950) 'ho Could Ever Believe It (2:28) Five Arts, BMI — John, Stallman) Olt ballad with a teen interest along te lines of a Classics IV or Joe South asy going track. Pop, MOR and top rty potential. Flip: "Children in te Making" (3:22) (Five Arts, BMI John, Stallman)

ARRY SANTOS (Evolution 1010) oman-Child (3:23) (Michlar, BMI Santos) Arrangement touches ken from the "Wichita Lineman" nd an original ballad selection create hemotive backdrop for this easy stening/MOR/teen powerhouse. lip: "Subway Man" (3:08) (Mich-r/Five Line, BMI — Defren, Wissen-n)

HE ALEXANDER RABBIT (A&M

alaguena (6:43) (E.B. Marks alaguena (6:43) (E.B. Marks, BM1 Lecuona) Progressive handling of e Ernesto Lecuona classic is only thuy patterned after Vanilla Fudge lvances along this line. The airier tality should serve it well in tempt-FM exposure. Flip: "I Didn't Even hank Her" (4:31) (Guelph, ASCAP Schier, Holmes) BMI Schier, Holmes)

RIAN'S IDOLS (RCA 0223)

BIAN'S IDOLS (RCA 0223)
aring My Troubles (2:36) (Percom, MI – Miles) Medium-paced teen-tk outing aimed at the top forty arket. Gruff old-fashioned produc-m and good group showing could y off. Flip: "Tin Soldier" (3:25) ice Songs, BMI – Marriott, Lane) n

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"N ADAM (Earth 100) ne To Get It Together (2:25) (Pea-L Butter, BMI — Levine, Resnick, Idman) Could pass for a Box Tops ing with less of the lead vocal im-2t Young-teen rock effort that could k up a good share of attention. p: "Rainmaker" (2:13) (Peanut tter, BMI — Levine, Resnick, Berk-m)

JOHN MAYALL (Polydor 14004) Don't Waste My Time (3:11) (St. George, BMI — Mayall) England and America have backed Mayall's LP blues crusades, but the exponent turns on strongly toward the singles front with this slightly country touched side. Good FM and AM top forty side. Flip: "Don,t Pick a Flower" (3:52) (Same credits)

ARIF MARDIN (Atlantic 2658) Glass Onion (2:42) (Macle Glass Onion (2:42) (Maclen, BMI — Lennon, McCartney) Beatles track is tuned toward the young-MOR crowd on an instrumental adaptation that should grace enough playlists attract sales. Flip: "Sympathy for Devil" (3:56) (Gideon, BMI Jagger, Richard) for the

(Same credits)

NRBQ (Columbia 44937) C'mon Everybody (2:20) (Metric, BMI — Cochran, Capehart) Still punching with the oldie-rocker teen sound, NRBQ follows "Stomp" with a sprightly revamping of this oldie. Could capture top forty interest. Flip: "Rocket #9" (2:07) (Interplanetary, BMI — Sundra)

ANDRE WILLIAMS (Checker 1219) Girdle Up (2:39) (Heavy/June 16, BMI — Williams) Slow shotgun dance deck that packs enough whallop to set the side soaring up the blues charts and breaking into the pop teen charts. Just an r&b Gass. Flip: "Instrumental" (2:42) (Same credits)

BROTHER JACK McDUFF (Blue

BROTHER JACK MCDOTT (Date Note 1953) Down Home Style (2:49) (Pelew, ASCAP — McDuff) Hearty jazz com-bo workout with a funky organ and flashy brass punctuation to put the side on playlists as an **r&b dance track**. Flip: "Theme from Electric Surfboard" (2:57) (Same credits)

PAT LUNDY (DeLuxe 114) **One Woman** (3:15) (Rhomers, BMI — Chalmers) Powerful song that has had one or two singles versions and a strong Isaac Hayes reading in his hot LP. Latest reading is from the "other woman" point-of-view. Flip: No info included.

THE BUENA VISTA (Marquee 2061) The Soul Ranger (2:10) (Tincal/ Bridgeport, BMI — Cisco, Shannon, Ameno) Novelty hit act before with their "Here Come Da Judge," the Buena Vistas are back in another sparkler for **r&b** and possible teen action. Flip: "Kick-Back" (2:20) (Same pubs, BMI — Dunson, Warren, Footaine, Cisco) Footaine Cisco)

SYL JOHNSON (Twinight 118) Don't Give it Away (2:43) (Midday/ Syl-Zel, BMI — Johnson, Watts) Bright blues dance deck brings Syl Johnson to life in an effort that could have his coasting back into the blues market picture in style. Flip: "Going to the Shack" (2:40) (Same pubs, DML Johnson Steward) the Shack (2.40)I — Johnson, Steward) BMI

JOHNNY ANDREWS (Post 4418) My Amazing Dream (2:00) (Decca, BMI — Lockman) Straight out of the fifties blues scene, this side could find r&b receptiveness. Flip: "Tm Not Just Pretending" (2:59) (Same credits)

SHIRLEY VAUGHN (Columbia 44919) Society (3:23) (Warner-SevArts, BMI — Clark) Bright new star Shirley Vaughn comes on in a powerful blast which is likely to bring her an on-the-rise reputation at **r&b** stations. Flip: "Escape" (2:40) (Little Rick/Somes, BMI — Arrington)

JOHN GARY (RCA 0218)

JOHN GARY (RCA 0218) Natalie (2:44) (Northridge/April, ASCAP — McKuen, Mancini) Highly attractive soft ballad from the new movie. Material is stunningly render-ed for easy listening audiences. Flip: "Summer Me, Winter Me" (2:50) (WB-7A, ASCAP — Legrand, Berg-man Bergman) man, Bergman)

JIMMY ROSELLI (United Artists

50546) Senza Mamma e Inamurata! (5:20) (E Rossi, BMI — Donadio) Though aimed at the ethnic front, the total emotional impact of this excellent side could break its linguistic barrier. Flip: "E Rrose Parlano" (4:10) (Italian Book, ASCAP — Pisano, Cioffi)

TOMMY SANDS (Superscope 007) **Seasons in the Sun** (3:45) (BMI – Brel, McKuen) Soft side in the French balladic tradition that is curin the rently moving on the charts via Roy Clark's hit. Side could happen by breaking **MOR/easy listening**, then spreading pop. Flip: "Ain't No Big Thing" (2:18) (BMI — Lee)

THE LOVATIONS (Cap City 113) Later Baby (2:55) (Three, Part, BMI — Wilson, Eaton) Team had a noise-maker last time out and should con-tinue to grow as a solid r&b act with this tempting mid-speed lover's ballad. Blues market attraction that could mount a sales effort. Flip: "Drifting Off Shore" (2:24) (Three Part, BMI — Prentice)

SCIENTISTS OF SOUL (KaShE 442)

SCIENTISTS OF SOUL (KaShE 442) Be's That-A-Way Sometime (2:12) (Johallie, BMI — Wells, Ridgeway) Oldie with a taste of swing and early blues style make this side a conten-der which could spring into r&b/ MOR and some easier listening lists. Flip: "Baby Baby I Love You" (2:30) (Johallie, BMI — Wells, Shy) KaShE Records, 1697 Broadway, NYC.

THE VIOLATORS (New Chicago Sound

6920) Hung Up (Part 1) (2:32) (Oga-Chic, BMI — Davis) Fine, funk flavored side with this instrumental workout. Track is a jazzy blues effort that could become an **r&b** left-fielder. Flip: part 2 (3:34) New Chi Sound Records distributed thru Summit Records, Skokie, Ill.

NICKY C & THE CHATEAUX (Bay Sound 67012)

Try Some Soul (2:37) (Bay City, BMI **Try Some Soul** (2:37) (Bay City, BMI — Constantinides) Just a hint of humor puts this side out of the ordinary on the dance-fan level. **Blues** throbber with a distinctive touch to spark pro-grammer reaction. Flip: "Those Good Times" (2:43) (Bay City, BMI — Constantinides, Chemay) ordinary on ies throbber

DON PITTMAN (Seven B 7027) **St. Louis Blues** (2:30) (Handy-Russ, ASCAP — Handy) "Truck Stop" inspired rejuvenation of the John Handy classic could bring it forcefully back into the **MOR and easy listening** picture, with country appeal as well Flip: "Didi-Wa" (2:48) (Morningview, BMI — Pittman) Flip: "Didi-Wa" BMI — Pittman)

GEORGE WALKER (Polydor 15006) Where Is The Summertime (2:58) (Croma, ASCAP — Marks, Cosma) Melancholic ballad from the movie "Alexander" features a soft instru-mental and very fine vocal to win easy listening, MOR acceptance. Flip: "The Lonely Season" (2:28) (Croma, ASCAP — Colby, McGuire, Basselli, Canfora)

JOHN McCARTHY (Murbo 1037) Alleluia Fugue (2:35) (Bourne, ASCAP — Hourdeaux, McCarthy, Vic) Some-thing like a Swingle Singers trying their hand with a gospel overtone, this polished soft side is an attractive change-of-pacer. Flip: "Ding-Dong, Ding-Dong" (2:28) (Same credits)

LON RITCHIE (Riparia d'Oro 54560) A Time for Us (2:35) (Famous, ASCAP — Kusik, Snyder, Rota) "Romeo & Juliet" theme has had its day instrumentally and is in the throes of a vocal battle between Mathis & Giberto Add Lon Bitchie day instrumentally and is in the throes of a vocal battle between Mathis & Gilberto. Add Lon Ritchie as a possible contender with a more teen than adult oriented reading. Flip: No info. Riparia d'Oro Rec-ords, 475 5th Ave., NYC.

HORST JANKOWSKI (Mercury 72948) Pink Balloon (2:43) (Evilot, ASCAP – Jankowski, Rabe) Pressure packed instrumental with a kick that should set it moving into the playlists at enough MOR stations to spark action. Flip: "Dreamflight" (2:38) (Evilot, ASCAP – Jankowski)

HANK BALLARD (King 6244) Butter Your Popcorn (2:26) (Golo, BMI — Ballard) Spectacular vocal delivery by Hank Ballard makes this side a strong prospect to break the James Brown monopoly on the popcorn. Blues powerhouse. Flip: No info included.

RICHARD HAYMAN (Command 4131) Hare Krishna (2:45) (United Artists, ASCAP — Rado, Ragni, MacDermott) Electrification of this "Hair" piece gives it a booster that could return it to top forty playlists back to back with the Happenings' vocal version. Flip: "Magic Carpet Ride" (3:25) (Trousdale, BMI — Moreve, Kay)

NEIL MacARTHUR (Deram 85050) Don't Try to Explain (3:18) (Black-wood, BMI — Vera) Former Zombie Neil MacArthur has been shooting for solo recognition and has a solid vehicle this time. Comes on with Pro-col Harum-esque teen/FM excitement. Flip: "Without Her" (3:10) (Rock, BMI — Nilsson)

DON COOPER (Roulette 7057) **Miss Georgia** (6:14) (Planetary, ASCAP — Cooper) Tough way to break into a singles spotlight, but this long, West Coast ballad material could see heavy enough **FM** exposure to put the side on **top forty** footing. Flip: "Alice (Song for)" (2:30) (Same credit) (Same credit)

BONNY ST. CLAIRE (Philips 40629) Marley Purt Drive (3:18) (B.I.E.M. — B, R & M Gibb) BeeGees' written, Jose Feliciano tested, and now a new powerhouse version could turn "Marley Purt' into a major hit yet. Ex-tremely fine **FM and AM top forty** reading. Flip: "Let Me Come Back Home, Mama" (4:52) (B.I.E.M. — Koelewijn)

PUZZLE (ABC 11181) Hey Medusa (2:51) (Hampstead Heath/Ampco, ASCAP — Grasso, Jonnie) Riotous dance stomper with the AM/FM impact to entice airplay and teen sales. Flip: "Make the Children Happy" (2:48) (Same credits)

THE BANANA SPLITS (Decca 732536) Long Live Love (2:30) (Arch, ASCAP — Schroeder, Goehring, Ronga) TV's animal act that has been stirring rec-ord action, the Banana Splits come on with a cutie that should delight young-teen and some MOR audiences. Flip: "Pretty Painted Carousel" (2:34) (January, BMI — Schroeder, Barberis, Ronga) Ronga)

DIPLOMATS (Dynamo 137) In The Ghetto (2:59) (B-N-B/Gladys, ASCAP — Davis) A natural song for r&b programming, the Diplomats turn the Elvis Presley smash into a mighty side which is bound to reach the audience which overlooked it first time out. Flip: "Tve Got the Kind of Love" (3:42) (S-E-T, BM1 — Culley, Waters, Price)



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Pop Picks



A MAN ALONE – Frank Sinatra – Reprise FS 1030

FS 1030 Sales of any Frank Sinatra album are big; this new LP by the chairman of the board will be no exception. For extras, Rod McKuen has written words and music for the disk, es-pecially for Frank Sinatra; so watch out, this package is going to take off. The brilliant sounds include the title song, "The Beautiful Strangers," "Love's Been Good To Me," and "Empty Is." Stock up heavily on this set.



WHAT ABOUT TODAY? – Barbra Streisand – Columbia CS 9816 Barbra Streisand, whose sound is always distinctive, has moved into the contemporary

distinctive, has moved into the contemporary bag with a vengeance on her new set. The Beatles ("Honey Pie," "With A Little Help From My Friends," & "Goodnight") are represented on the LP, as are Jimmy Webb ("Little Tin Soldier"), and Paul Simon ("Punky's Dilemma"), among the 11 stellar tracks. (Including the fine title song.) The songstress' vocalizing, dramatic and sizzling, and, with this album, she's in a brand new bag, the color of which looks gold.



THE BEST OF BILL COSBY — Warner Bros./ Seven Arts WS 1798 The "Best of Bill Cosby" is very good, indeed, as the comedian demonstrates the art of humorous storytelling hilariously and viv-idly on this set. Childhood conundrums invol-ving "Old Weird Harold," "Revenge," and "Fat Albert" are included on the album, as well as tales of the Bible ("Noah: Right!" and two other Noah tales), and the perils of fatherhood ("Babies"). LP should be on the charts shortly.

REVENCE OLD WEIRD HAROLD FATALBERT THE LONE RANGER BABIES



JUDY GARLAND'S GREATEST HITS — Decca DL 75150 This is, indeed, the late star's greatest hits, recorded between 1937's "(Dear Mr. Gable) You Made Me Love You" and 1945's "On The Atchison, Topeka and the Santa Fe." In between, such classics as "Over the Rainbow," "Trolley Song," "The Boy Next Door" and "Have Yourself a Merry Christ-mas," among others. Peak recordings at the peak of Judy's stardom.



Pop Best Bets

APOLLO 11: FLIGHT TO THE MOON — Narrated by Walter M. Schirra Jr. — Bell 1100 The event of the century has been recorded in stereo by Bell Records. 'Nuff said, except that the album reproduces with fidelity the epoch-making flight of Apollo 11 to the moon and back to earth. Side 1 contains the actual voice transmissions from man's historic vo-yages into space; there is a message by the late president John F. Kennedy; and, on Side 2 "Apollo 11: Flight To The Moon." The re-corded history on this LP will obviously re-sult in super sales.

TONY BENNETT I'VE GOTTA BE ME PLAY IT AGAIN, SAM WHAT THE WORLD NEEDS NOW IS LOVE including: Over The Sun / Alfie / Theme From ''Valley Of The Dolls' Whoever You Are, I Love You



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I'VE GOTTA BE ME — Tony Bennet. Columbia CS 9882 Tony Bennett's socko version of "I've G Be Me", and his flavorful renditions of si tunes as "Play It Again, Sam," "What h World Needs Now Is Love," and "They Laughed" should put the artist's new offer into good sales shape. Bennett's previous bums have seen copious chart action, and latest set should prove no exception.

THEMES LIKE OLD TIMES, Volume In-Viva V 36020 Success of the first collection of old rate themes ("Themes Like Old Times, Volum One), which was a chart rider some met back has sparked this second audio-anthor and the fun is still available in abundant Collectors of camp, collectors of radio at ques and just plain collectors should in this a genuine treat. Included are such as as "Inner Sanctum," "The March of Tim." "The Adventures Of Ozzie and Harriet," at "Sergeant Preston Of The Yukon," not mention some rare moments with Or Welles and his Mercury Theater and Aka and Costello. Bound again for charts.

SINCERELY – Paul Anka – RCA View LSP 4203

LSP 4203 Paul Anka sang his way into the Top 1 with "Sincerely," and also saw chart add recently with "Good Night My Love," bd which are included in the chanter's new II The excitement generated in the Copacador in NYC spills onto the live album, in the chart items, and in such sparkling tracks "Watch What Happens," "By The Time IG To Phoenix," and "Gentle On My Mid Anka's audience should be out in force forth one. one

LEE MICHAELS — A & M SP 4199 This is Lee Michael's third album for M and, having already hit the charts, it's sho up as his first big success. Michaels at temporary rock artist and songwriter, it care of vocal, keyboard and bass chores of set. Bartholomew Smith-Frost (Frost) is percussion. 6 of the 9 cuts on the set at chael's compositions. One cut is a long d solo by Frosty. LP has a heavy soul influe

WE CAME IN PEACE FOR ALL MANN (A RECORDED HISTORY OF SPACE PLORATION AND THE TRIUMPH OF I LUNAR LANDING) — Decca DL 7917 The flight of Apollo 11 to the moon and spacecraft's return to planet Earth are tailed on Decca Records' album of the ric and awesome event. Voices of the Ap 11 crew are heard during the flight Armstrong, Michael Collins, and Edwindo Presidents Kennedy and Johnson, NAS ministrator Thomas O. Paine, and como Yuri Gagarin speak on the LP. A Inai of data and drama make this set vivid valuable.



TRACES OF LOVE — Bert Kaempfert & His Orchestra — Decca DL 75140 Bert Kaempfert and His Orchestra interpret 12 contemporary tunes in a manner guaran-teed to please MOR audiences everywhere. Sweet, appealing renditions of "Traces," "Games People Play," "Tve Gotta Be Me," and "I Love How You Love Me" are among the tasteful tracks. Mark this one down as a certain good music market pleaser.



PIECE OF MIND — The Happenine Jubilee JGS 8028 Though the album cover concept and appearance of the group in enclosed that despite a freaky, semi-psychedelic a the Happenings remain as polished slick as ever. Always first-rate vers they here reveal themselves to be pa-songs, including their current hits "Where Do I Go/Be-In" from "Hair about the confusion and strife of modern Happenings fans will enjoy this LP.

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SWEETS FOR MY SWEET – The Sweet Inspirations – Atlantic SD 8225 Gospel vocal styles subtly wind themselves around rhythm-rock songs on this LP, and the result is pure soul. The four Sweet Inspirations make themselves heard (and felt) on "But You Know I Love You," "It's Not Easy," their recent single. "Sweets For My Sweet" and a host of other tunes. Set should appeal to many soul fans.



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FIENDS AND ANGELS — Martha Velez Sire SES 97008

Sire SES 97008 The trend that started with the success of Janis Joplin is here ably continued by Martha Velez on a very heavy album. Filled with energy and power, Martha's voice tears into such shakers as "Drive Me, Daddy," "I'm Gonna Leave You," and her current single entry "Tell Mama." Attrac-tive package (and attractive Martha) could spark initial sales response, and with FM action, LP could move to charts.

PREFLYTE – Crosby, McGuinn, Hillman, Clark, and Clarke – Together ST T 1001 All the original members of the Byrds are here in eleven beautiful tracks cut in 1964 shortly before the group was signed by Columbia Records. The album is pleasant nostalgia, but it is also a peek at the be-ginnings of some very current sounds. Most of the material is by Gene Clark, now of Dillard and Clark, and songs like "The Reason Why." "She Has A Way," and "Boston" have all of the joy and beauty of the Byrds we know. Real standout is the original, never-before-released cut of their first hit record, "Mr. Tambourine Man."

WILMER AND THE DUKES - Aphrodisiac

APH 6001 A mixture of rock, rhythm and blues and jazz seems to be the keynote here, as Wil-mer and his very able band lay down some fine, bouncy tracks. LP is marked by gutsy vocals and powerful instrumentation, and overall effect is pure excitement. Standout selections are "St. James Infirmary," the Rolling Stones' oldie, "Tm Free," the lush and pretty "Count On Me," and the powerful, message-laden "Living In The U.S.A." In-clusion of the group's successful disk "Get Out Of My Life, Woman" should spark sales.

BREAD - Elektra EKS 74044

BREAD — Elektra EKS 74044 Elektra's find here is a team of three west coast country-folk-rockers, together called Bread. Current interest in country styles should spark interest in this deck, and pleasant sound of the group should mean plenty of FM and some Top Forty radio play. All of the members write, and the material is excellent. In addition, the boys really know how to handle their instruments and their fine voices. Airplay and general quality of the album could lead to chart action.



AMAZING ADVENTURES OF THE LIVER-POOL SCENE — The Liverpool Scene — RCA LSP 4189

RCA LSP 4189 — The Liverpool Scene — A fascinating album, "The Amazing Adventures Of The Liverpool Scene" is a collection of songs and poetry readings by this extremely talented group. The songs are treated either in a rather straightforward folk fashion or in a heavier rock-jazz manner, both styles highly effective for the material. Many of the poems, the brilliant "Tramcar To Frankenstein," for instance, are read to musical accompaniment. FM and underground airplay should generate inter-

Con't from Page 18) Hardin's latest single release. "Simple Song Of Freedom," was written by bob Darin and is currently 56 with MRASeattle, WCAO'Baltimore, WEAM/Washington, D.C., and KJRBY Spokane. Washington giving very heavy play to "Blue-Green Eyes" by "Cart if Be Me," which saw some action a few months back. The Rascals, winners of 9 certified gold records, will be making their second North of the Benne, August 13. The con-vit is Wednesday, August 13. The con-vit is Wednesday, August 13. The con-vit in the Bronx. Also on the bill, the Differs Due to the illness of Graham Nash, Crosby, Stills, Nash and Young have been forced to can-differs, Windersen et Kennedy Sta-bar in the Bronx. Also on the bill, the Differs, Windersen et Kennedy Sta-bar in the Bronx. Also on the bill, the Differs A spectra the second in the bill we been forced to can-differs A spectra the second in the bill we been forced to can-differs A spectra the second in the bill we been forced to can-differs A spectra the second the second Not Young have been forced to can-differs A spectra the second the bill we been forced to can-bill take place at Galic Park, 240th Differs A spectra the second the bill we been State and popular bumper sticker State and popular bumper sticker, " the items by Crow that is sure to displace the vises and popular bumper sticker, " the items by Crow that is sure to displace the vises and popular bumper sticker, " the items by Crow that is sure to displace the vises and popular bumper sticker, " the items by Crow that is sure to displace the vises and boy is giving away rumpers by Crow that is sure to displace the item and sure the sticker wises and sure sing is sentitled " Europers by Crow that is sure to displace the item and sure the sticker by Crow that is sure to displace the item and sure the sticker by Crow that is sure to displace the item and sure the sticker item and sure the

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tour which gets underway in Colorado Indie record producer Jackie Mills has been signed by Epic Rec-ords to produce LP for label's group West, a very fine country-folk-jazz-rock team . George Grant wrote the new Pendulum Kama Sutra re-lease, "And She Walks In Innocence" Time for Marlene Dietrich per-formance on August 13 at the Merri-weather Post Pavilion in Columbia, Maryland, changed from 8:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. Jefferson Airplane to guest with Dick Cavett Show August 18 with Janis Joplin and the Jimi Hendrix Experience . Atlantic Rec-ords and Adrian Barber have an-nounced the first European commit-ment for the New York Rock & Roll Ensemble. First engagement will be with the New York Chamber Soloists at Festival Hall, London, England. Abbt Music and J.L. Caulfield, En-terprises are presently working on surrounding European dates . At-lantic's heavy British recording group Led Zeppelin has been awarded a gold record for their first LP. Second album is presently in the completion stages and with advance orders total-ing over 200,000, it will be issued shortly . Oliver's recording of "Jean" promises to top his "Good Morning Starshine" smash. This would make "Jean" and not "If You Go Awy" the best known song written by Rod McKuen. Toroyy comments about the Scien-tists of Soul whose appearance at the Crystal Ballroom last week for a

by Rod McKuen. Groovy comments about the Scien-tists of Soul whose appearance at the Crystal Ballroom last week for a hop turned 'em on. The group is fea-tured on the Kashe label with their current release "Be's That-A-Way Sometime." The label operates out of 1697 Broadway.

Stax Tunesmiths

Stax lunesmiths MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE – The team of Bettye Crutcher, Homer Banks, and Raymond Jackson, three young songwriters at Stax Records, are now signing all their compositions "We Three," and will work solely under this joint nom de plume. Stax/Volt Records and its music publishing division, East Music, has a long roster of tunesmiths, including the Issac Hayes-David Porter duo who are responsible for "Soul Man," "Hold On, I'm Coming," "B-A-B-Y," and many others; Booker T. Jones and the MG's who have produced "Time Is Tight," "Soul Limbo," "Green Onions," and others; and the team of Steve Cropper and Otis Redding who created scores of songs. Crutcher, Banks, and Jackson are responsible for "Who's Making Love?" and "Take Care Of Your Homework" for Johnnie Taylor, "My Whole World Is Fally Down" for William Bell,

Form 'We Three'

"I Like What You're Doing To Me" for Carla Thomas, and "The Ghetto," "Long Walk To D.C.," and "We'll Get Over" for the Staple Singers. The trio also penned "I Could Never Be President," which is Johnnie Tay-lor's new release, and "Just Because Your Love Is Gone" for Darrel Banks, and "Slum Baby," an instru-mental for Booker T. and the MG's. Mitch Ryder, who's being produced for Dot Records in the Stax studios by Steve Cropper, has recorded four songs by "We Three": "Wear And Tear On My Heart," "The Meat," "Sugar Bee," and "Eeny, Meeny, Miny, Moe."

Tear On My Heart," "The Meat," "Sugar Bee," and "Eeny, Meeny, Miny, Moe." After Crutcher, Banks, and Jack-son worked together on Johnnie Tay-lor's million seller "Who's Making Love?" they decided to work as a team from then on. "After that," says Bettye Crutcher, "We decided it would be a good idea if we stuck together."



MIKE ROCOSM — The first LP to come out of Stereo Dimension's package deal with Good Time and Coleoptera Music is perused by the members of Medicine Mike and label executives. The contemporary rock act is scheduled to hit the singles market mid-August and is currently lining up East Coast bookings enabling them to make key promotional visits on behalf of the 45 and LP to come. Participants in the package signing include production staffers Joe Palm-er (second from left), Bill Giant (third from left) and Bernie Baum (third from right). Also at the product unveiling were Medicine Mike members Bob Klein (seated), Dave Gasman (left) and Doug Ferrara (center) with SD execs Bobby Byrne (right) and Loren Becker beside him.





WB/7 Music Inks **Don Freed To Roster**

NEW YORK — Don Freed, a young Canadian songwriter-artist to be seen in the Johnny Cash-starred film, "Cash," has become a writer for War-ner Bros-Seven Arts Music, according to George Lee, vp and general man-ager. Freed is an artist on the Do-minion label, a Canadian label which is now represented outside of Canada by WB/7 Music. Lee just returned from two weeks in England, following meets with Ian Ralfini and Tony Roberts of WB/7 Music Ltd, who will come to New York on Aug. 15. WB/7 Music has been on its own for the past three weeks.

Mahendra Dave Is **Big 3 Controller**

NEW YORK — Mahendra Dave has been named controller of The Big 3 Music Corp. (Robbins-Feist-Miller). Big 3 general manager Sy Lesser said Dave will be working out of the firm's New York headquarters and will be responsible for coordinating the mu-sic firm's financial planning with cur-rent activities. The 36 year-old Mahendra Dave has had broad experience as a financial executive, having previously served with the MGM parent company as an accounting supervisor. Most recently, he was an Associate Professor at the Graduate School of Bombay University and was Controller of a subsidiary of The Universal American Corporation in India. in India

Colossus Acquires Kaplan-Cullen Master

NEW YORK — Jerry Ross' Colossus Records has purchased a new master from Artie Kaplan and Bob Cullen of Kaplan-Cullen Associates, Ltd. Pro-duced and written by Howard Bogess and Neil Goldberg, the single, called "Toot, Toot, Toot (Hear The Whistle Blow)", is performed by a group called Gnipgnop and is published by Kaplan-Cullen's Thrice Music (AS-CAP).

Boy For Andy

LOS ANGELES — It's a boy for Andy Williams and Claudine Longet. Their third child weighed in at 7 lbs and has been named Robert Andrew Wil-liams. He was named after Williams' dear friend the late Senator from New York, Robert Kennedy.

Luttman Named Murbo Promo Rep.

NEW YORK — Kenny Luttman has been appointed Eastern district pro-motion representative for Murbo Rec-ords. The first Murbo disks to receive Luttman's attention will be the follow-ing albums: "The New Sound Of The Golden Trumpet" featuring Stanko Selak; "Wandering Dreams" featuring composer-conductors Ernest Tomlin-son and Ron Goodwin with the Lon-don Orchestra; and "The Sound Is All Around Us" featuring the John Cacavas Singers. Luttman will also be working on the following singles: "It Is A Great Day Of Joy (Alleluia Fugue)" featuring John McCartney conducting the Ambrosian Singers; and "Take Off" featuring the 'Soul Rock Organization.

New Brass TV Spec Due

NEW YORK — Herb Alpert and the Tijuana Brass will star in a tele-vision special next season to be tilted "The Brass Are Coming." Colorcast on the NBC television network, the one-hour musical will pre-empt The Kraft Music Hall on October 29th. Fully sponsored by more than 2700 Bank Americard banks throughout the country, the show will have Nick Vanoff and Bill Harbach as executive producers, with Frank Peppiatt and John Aylesworth as producer-writers.









FRUITFUL DECADE TOGETHER: The Hi Records and London Records distributing relationship over the past 10 years was celebrated last month at a meeting in Memphis. The top photo shows Joe Coughi, president of Hi, receiving a special plaque, from Herb Goldfarb and Walt Maguire of London; in the second photo, Maguire and Goldfarb present Bill Biggs of Record Sales in Memphis with an award signifying outstanding achieve-ment on Hi product by the distributorship; in the third photo, Marty Ostrow, vp of Cash Box, presents artist Willie Mitchell with a **Cash Box** award plaque; bottom photo pictures meet guests Sam Cerami, London Records, Chicago; Ray Milanese, Universal Distributing, Philadelphia; Dave Marshall, Lon-don's eastern promo manager; John Armetta, Baltimore promo; Tommy Ray of TDC's Los Angeles promo; Bill Ham of H.W. Daily in Houston; Lenny Meisel, London's promo manager of LP's; Al Mitnick, London's Michigan/Ohio promo manager; and Sy Warner, London's single sales manager. manager

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#84 THE YOUNG FOLKS (2:59) Diana Ross & The Supremes-Motown 1148 2457 Woodward Ave, Detroit, Mich. PROD. George Gordy c/v Motown PUB: Jobete BMI (same address) WRITERS: G. Gordy-A. Story FLIP: No Matter What Sign You Are

#85 THE TRAIN (2:42) 1910 Fruitgum Co.-Buddah 130 1650 Bway, NYC. PROD: Super K by J. Katz-J. Kasenetz 200 W 57 St. NYC. PUB: Kaskat BMI c/o Super K WRITERS: Katz-Kasenetz-R. Cordell FLIP: Eternal Light

#86* I D0 (2:57) Moments-Stang 5005 106 W Palisades Av. Englewood, N.J. PROD. Sylvia-Edmonds-Ruffin (same address) PUB: Gambi BMI (same address) WRITER: K. Ruffin FLIP: Pocket Full Of Heartbreaks

#87* "M GONNA MAKE YOU MINE (2:41) Lou Christie-Buddah 116 1650 Bway, NYC. PROD: Progressive Media 300 W 55 St. NYC. PUB: Pocket Full Of Tunes BMI 39 W 55 St. NYC. WRITER: Tony Romeo ARR: Stan Vincent FLIP: I'm Gonna Get Married

ARK: Stan #88° LITTLE WOMAN (2:22) Bobby Sherman-Metromedia 121 1700 Bway, NYC. PROD: Jackie Mills c/o Green Apple PUB: Green Apple BMI 6430 Sunset Blvd. LA. Calif. WRITER: D. Janssen ARR: AI Capps FLIP: One Too Many Mornings

#89° BY THE TIME I GET TO PHOENIX (2:44) Mad Lads-Volt 4016 926 E McLemore St. Memphis, Tenn. PROD: AI Jackson c/o Volt PUB: Johnny Rivers BMI 6400 Sunset Blvd. L.A. Calif. WRITER: Jim Webb FLIP: No Strings Attached

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#90 WHAT KIND OF A FOOL DO YOU THINK I AM (2:1) Bill Deal & Rondells-Heritage 817 Bill Deal & Kondells-Heritage 817 1855 Bway, NYC. PROD: A Jerry Ross Prod. c/o Heritage PUB: Low Twi-BMI P.O. Bx 9687 Atlanta, Ga WRITER: Ray Whitley FLIP: Are You Ready For This

#91° GREEN FIELDS (3:18) Vogues-Reprise 0844 4000 Warner Blvd. Burbank, Calif PROD: Dick Glasser 6760 Hill Pk Dr. L.A. Calif. PUB: Blackwood BMI 1650 Bway, NYC. WRITERS: Gilkyson-Dehr-Miller ARR: Ernie Freeman FLIP: Easy To Say

#92 IWANT YOU SO BAD (4:17) B. B. King-Bluesway 61026 1330 Ave of the Americas, NYC. PROD: Bill Szyncyyk c/o Bluesway PUB: Sounds of Lucille/Pamco BMI (same address) WRITER: B. B. King ARR: Johnny Pate FLIP: Get Off My Back Woman

#93 CHELSEA MORNING (2:50) Judy Collins-Elektra 45657 1855 Bway, NYC. PROD: David Anderle c /o Elektra PUB: Siguomb ASCAP 55 Liberty St. NYC PUB: Siguomb ASCAP 55 Liberty St. NYC WRITER: Joni Mitchell FLIP: Pretty Polly

#94* SOMETHING IN THE AIR (3:53) Thunderclap Newman-Track 2656 1841 Bway, NYC. PROD: Peter Townshend, Decca Ltd. London, England PUB: Track BMI 200 W 57 St. NYC. WRITER: Speedy Keene FLIP: Wilhemina

#95 POOR MOON (2:45) Canned Heat-Liberty 56127 6920 Sunset Blvd. L.A. Calif. PROD: Skip Taylor 6331 H'wood Blvd. Hwood Gl PUB: Unart BMI 729 7th Ave, NYC. WRITER: Alan Wilson FLIP: Sic 'em Pigs

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#97 LET ME BE THE ONE (2:28) Peaches & Herb-Date 1649

Peaches & Herb-Date 1945 51 W 52 Street, NYC. PROD: L. Kolber-B. Mann c/o Date PUB: Screen Gems/Columbia BMI 711 5th Are N PUB: Screen Gems/Columbia BMI 711 5th Are N PUB: Screen Gems/Columbia BMI 711 5th Are N WRITERS: Billy Sherrill-David Kapralik ARR: B. Sherrill FLIP: I Need Your Love So Desperately FLIP: I Need Your Love So Desperately

FLIP: I Need Your Love #98° YOU, I (2:50) Rugbys-Amazon 1 3106 Belmont Blvd. Nashville, Tenn. 9ROD: Steve McNicol 5502 Lodima Way, Louisville, Ky. PUB: Shelby Singleton BMI 3106 Belmont Blvd. Nashville, Tenn. 3106 Belmont Blvd. Nashville, Tenn. WRITER: S. McNicol FLIP: Stay With Me

#99° SUGAR ON SUNDAY (2:59) Clique-White Whale 323 8961 Sunset Blvd. L.A. Calif. PROD: Jerry Zekley for Gulf/Pacific 8961 Sunset Blvd. L.A. Calif. PUB: Big Seven BMI c/o Patricia 17 W60 St.^{NI} WRITERS: T. James-M. Vale FLIP: Superman

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