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C&W: Roots Music

It is a paradox of our time that the more we seem to break from the roots of the past, the more we seek to identify with them again. This is certainly true in the area of music, where what we like to think of as "contemporary" and "progressive" is, with cursory inspection, indebted to styles seemingly long abandoned. Country music is basically "roots music," which by any other name still falls back on simplicity and, one may add, an honest, common-sense approach to its storyline. The fact that the sound of country music continues to grow in its appeal each year is a living testament to the validity of our musical roots. In this week of celebration of the 44th annual festivities of WSM's Grand Ol' Opry and the Country Music Association's Country Music Week, Cash Box salutes country music as "roots music" whose strength and continued growth are undiminished.



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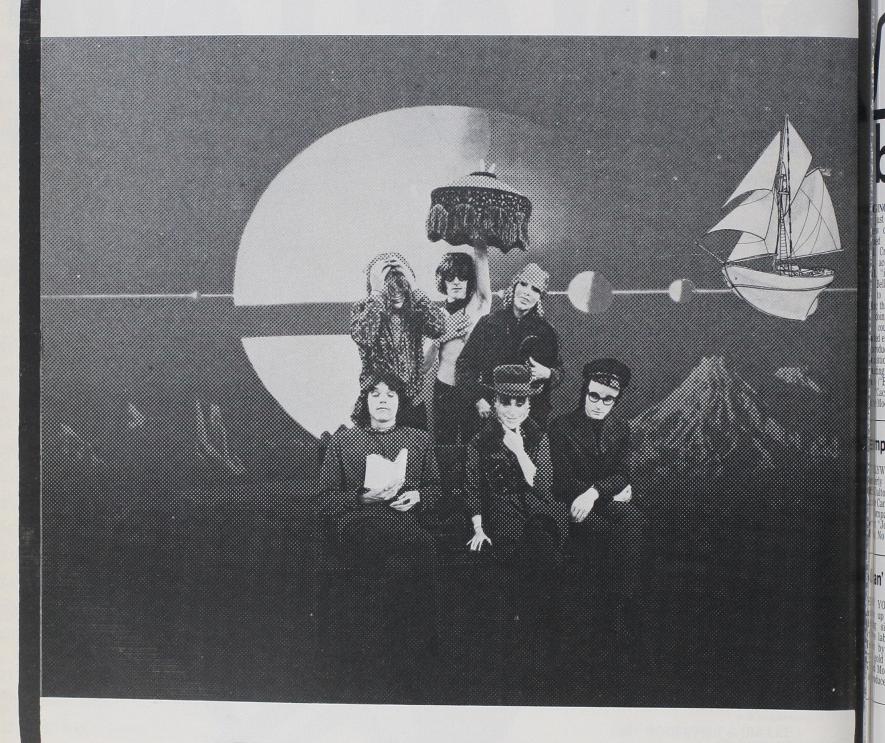


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GING ITS CHIMES, Bell Records just effected a changeover into new corporate logo design to be ried on all recordings from the el. Created by Alan Wolsky, the pactording to president Larry al, "is part of our program to e Bell a powerful corporate idento the show the industry and the plic that we are changing, growing I doing more kinds of business in a country and overseas." He need especially to the new diversity product offered by Bell since its quisition by Columbia Pictures, luding soundtracks from two new as "Bob & Carol & Ted & Alice" I "Cactus Flower") and the "Flight he Moon" album. **IGING ITS CHIMES**, Bell Records

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LLYWOOD — Bruce Campbell, merly of Campbell, Silver & Cosby, 1 Dalton Trumbo have formed The Ice Campbell and The Dalton Trum-Company. They will produce and ect "Johnny Got His Gun" respectly. No deal has been set.

ean' A Million

W YORK — Singer Oliver has ne up with his second millionling single. It's "Jean" on the we label, just certified as a gold ler by the RIAA. The artist's st gold deck was his last release, odd Morning Starshine" on Jubilee, produced by Bob Crewe.

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'Heavy' Singles Fail To Ignite Top 100

HOLLYWOOD — While so-called 'heavy music' groups continue to ride high on the album scene, their impact on the singles market has greatly diminished. In addition, the trend towards meaningful-lyric songs has also slowed down, with the only two Top 20 entries last week being "Everybody's Talkin" and "Get Together," both from BCA and both significantly. both from RCA, and both significantly,

A look at last year's Top 100 dis-closes fourteen 'underground' acts riding with sixteen tunes. (Both the Beatles and Big Brother were going

with two hits). Six of those acts, the Beatles, Cream, Canned Heat, Chambers Bros., the Who and Big Brother were in the Top 20. Last week's Top 20 harbored only the Rolling Stones and Creedence Clearwater, with only two other acts sitting further down

the list.

Two groups who helped spearhead the rock message craze, Sly and the Family Stone and the Rascals, are both in the Top 20, but with material in a much lighter vein.

On the album scene, ten of the Top 20 LP's last year were in the under-

ground spectrum, while last week's chart held eight, with three more sitting right on the edge.

Com'wealth Consents To SEC Injunction

HOLLYWOOD — Commonwealth United Corp. has consented to the entry of an injunction in an action by the Securities and Exchange Commission. The company stated that the Securities and Exchange Commission. The company stated that the Commission's complaint was addressed to a registration statement which never became effective and was, in fact, withdrawn and to a proxy statement for a shareholders meeting which was never held. The company said that it consented to the injunction, without admitting any of the allegawithout admitting any of the allega-tions in the complaint in order to avoid the time and expense of protracted legal proceedings. Commonwealth has not been trading on the American Exchange for several months. It runs a number of music-oriented firms, including a label.

The company stated that is is preparing proxy material for a meeting of shareholders to be held on a date to be announced shortly. Such material

of shareholders to be held on a date to be announced shortly. Such material will contain a complete discussion of all matters referred to in the S.E.C. complaint and current information on all significant developments.

The company also confirmed the resignation of Dr. H. Igor Ansoff as a member of the board of directors, and the addition of three new directors. The new directors, Howard Stamer, a New York attorney, Robert F. Sutner and Morton I. Schiowitz, financial and business consultants, are designees of I.O.S. Ltd. (S.A.) through whose affiliates the company had obtained \$40 million of financing in early 1969. Although it has recently extended on an interim basis additional financial assistance to the Company, I.O.S. has disclaimed any intention of controlling the company or its affairs.

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The Company also announced a new

president and chief executive is being sought, A. Bruce Rozet having re-signed as such and as chairman of the signed as such and as chairman of the board. Rozet continues as a director. Pending the selection of a new chief executive officer, policy and executive management is now being guided by a three man executive committee consisting of Messrs. Stamer, Schiowitz and Oliver A. Unger, vice chairman of the board.

MGM In The 'Chips' With Track Release

NEW YORK — MGM Records sound-track of "Goodbye Mr. Chips" goes into release this week (13) with initial orders over 100,000, the label reports. Musical film, starring Peter O'Toole and Petula Clark, has a 12-song score by Leslie Bricusse.

Albums are being sent to all MGM

and Petula Clark, has a 12-song score by Leslie Bricusse.

Albums are being sent to all MGM record distribs and dealers throughout the country. Dealers are preparing window displays advertising the soundtrack. In addition, albums are being sent to all radio station deejays and program directors.

A special feature of the album is a 12-page full color insert containing the lyrics for each song accompanied by an appropriate photo from the film. "Chips" was directed by Herbert Ross from a screenplay by Terence Rattigan. The music in the film and in the soundtrack was conducted and supervised by John Williams.

British Disk Prod., Sales Advance See

Int'l News Report

Irving Green Stepping Down As Mercury President; Formed Co.

NEW YORK — Irving Green is stepping down as president of Mercury Records at the end of the year, thus ending a 22-year association with a label he founded in 1947. An announcement said that Green planned to remain active in the entertainment industry and currently has under consideration a number of proposals. Under- Green, Mercury developed into one of the great "major" indie operations, which, until several months ago, maintained its own

wholly-owned distrib branches. It became one of the first indie labels to associate itself with mergers-andto associate itself with mergers-and-acquisitions, having been acquired by North American Philips Corp. in 1961. Green stayed on as president. Mercury has always offered a broad spectrum of music, including strong pop attractions ranging from Frankie Laine, Patti Page to the Crew Cuts and the Four Seasons. Classics, blues and jazz are also key attractions at the label.

Ampex Stereo Tape 'Purlie' Angel

NEW YORK — The Stereo Tapes division of Ampex Corp. has turned "angel" for this fall's Broadway musical production of "Purlie," Cash Box has learned. AST is backing the show to the tune of approximately \$200,000, roughly half the money already involved in the play.

"Purlie," which will reach Broadway during the coming season, is a musical adaptation of the '61 play "Purlie Victorious." The new production involved Phil Rose and Ossie Davis who brought the original hit to New York and will feature music and lyrics by Peter Udell and Gary Geld, a team which has been responsible for numerous best sellers in the recording field. recording field.

AST has negotiated the exclusive worldwide tape rights for "Purlie," though at present no disk-recording rights have been agreed to.

Ampex' move is a further indication of tape distributor and duplicator

of tape distributor and duplicator desire to obtain tape product rights

Fuhrman Heads Merger Of BN, SS And Minit

NEW YORK — Consolidating the administration of various label entities within Liberty/UA, key execs from the staffs of the Blue Note and Solid State labels and the Minit and Minit-Gospel labels have been merged and will operate as a single division under

State labels and the Minit and Minit-Gospel labels have been merged and will operate as a single division under the overall guidance of Mel Fuhrman. Fuhrman was named general manager of the newly unified division by Liberty/UA Inc. president Al Bennett.

Bennett observed that the jazz product of the Blue Notes/Solid State labels and the R&B and gospel product from Minit frequently sought the same exposure and marketing outlets. "Often," he added, "the very same consumer is seeking and buying product in both these musical areas."

The labels will continue to head-quarter at Liberty/UA's New York offices where the present staff will undertake expanded duties for the dual operation.

Assisting Fuhrman will be: Al Riley, national promotion manager and Erv Bagley, handling national sales and coordination of product. Three regional promotion managers will be working towards maximum product exposure: Duke DuBois, east coast; Alonzo King, midwest; Pete Tyler, south and southwest.

Staff producers will create product for all labels and seek to acquire material from independent sources as well.

as labels end licensing agreements in favor of internal production and marketing of their tape cartridge

Nat'l Musitime Buys Off-B'way Theatres

NEW YORK — National Musitime Corp., New York based company in the background music and in-flight entertainment business, is acquiring two corporations which are in the off-

corporations which are in the off-Broadway theatre business.

One of the new corporation's properties is the Eden Theatre, which houses "Oh Calcutta!" The second corporation has a theatre which features New York's Jewish Theatre and has booked a new Kurt Weil musical to open in January.

National Musitime Corp., whose stock is traded over-the-counter, is purchasing both corporations for shares of its stock and is awaiting stockholder approval.

approval.

The theatre companies and their executives will continue their operations as a division of National Musitime Corp. looking toward the acquisition of other off-Broadway theatres

RCA Profits Gain In Third Quarter

NEW YORK — The third quarter pro-

NEW YORK — The third quarter profits at RCA Corp. showed gains in what the company termed a "perceptible slowdown" in the economy.

Profits rose, according to Robert Sarnoff, president, to a record \$39.7 million from \$38.6 million a year before, although sales declined from \$816 million to \$804 million. Earnings in the first nine months rose 4% to \$106.5 million from \$102.4 million. Sales over this period increased to \$2.35 billion from \$2.31 billion. Sarnoff expressed optimism about the long term picture at the company. the company

Tom Donahue Returns With Some 'Hot Masters'

SOUL CITY RECORDS HAS SOMETHING TO SHOUT ABOUT!

We have three smash singles on one great album.

"AQUARIUS/LET THE SUNSHINE IN" has sold 2,500,000 copies.

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"WEDDING BELL BLUES" has sold 500,000 copies in less than 10 days ...and the giant album AGE OF AQUARIUS has sold almost 1,000,000 copies. (that's individual albums-not just dollars worth of sales).

We think the 5th Dimension is something special.

Production and Sound: Bones Howe.



Vew Music Co. Pledges 15 % Of Gross ncome To Black Community Assistance

EW YORK—A new, varied music siness firm, Catalyst Records, Ltd., pledging 15% of its gross income to ack scholarship and development ograms.

According to Beau Ray Fleming, an die producer-writer who is president the company, Catalyst "would like start a trend among black business en, politicians, professionals, athetes, entertainers, etc., especially lose who look to the black community is substantial support, to pledge a

etes, entertainers, etc., especially lose who look to the black community or substantial support, to pledge a ercentage of their gross income." We feel its just as bad for blacks," leming says, "to take money out of the communities and not put anything ack as it is for whites to do it." Catalyst's affiliates will include Expertant Productions, Rendevous anagement, and two publishing commines, Facsimile Music (ASCAP) and arcissus Music (BMI). First release on Catalyst is entitled There Ain't No Place Like Home", singer-writer Jonathan. Independent production activities include the wingle by "Heavyweight Boxing hamp" Joe Frazier on Capitol reports, and two albums on RCA reports by writer-singer Jon Lucien. Titer-songer Milt Mathews Inc. and instrumental album on MGM, "The roovin' Strings & Things", all project or co-produced by Beau Ray leming. Fleming announced his appointment as associated producer for more Records LTD. of London and urope. Fleming will be leaving for London urope. Fleming will be leaving for London

iraziano Heads NY activities Of IMC

ETROIT-Charles Graziano has been opointed east coast manager for In-mational Management Co., the De-oit-based arm of Motown Records. wart Abner, Jr., Motown vp who eads IMC, said that Graziano will



Charles Graziano

emporarily work out of offices at 157 / 57th St. in New York until a per-nanent office is found. Graziano, for-terly with International Famous gency, where he founded and headed gency, where he founded and headed le agency's contemporary music ept., will direct east coast activities IMC, the talent roster of which inludes Diana Ross & the Supremes, le Temptations, the Four Tops, Marin Gaye, Martha Reeves & the Vanellas, Stevie Wonder, David Ruffin, le Originals, Bobby Taylor and thers. Graziano was also associated ith Shaw Artists Corp.

ones Is Motown's lirector Of Sales

last week's story on the appointent of Phil Jones as sales head of otown, the headline incorrectly ated that he was named marketing rector. Actually, he served as marating director before assuming his aw sales function.

soon to record several artists for Ember, among them American actress-singer Polly Elliot. Fleming will seek singer Polly Elliot. Fleming will seek acts and masters for Ember with an accent on international appeal. He will report to Ember's managing director Jeff Kruger. Companies officers are Beau Ray Fleming, Pres. Wellington Grey, executive, vp and Bill Canegata, VP.

Ashram Associates Ltd.

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'Hair' Disk Bonanza Hits \$20 Mil

NEW YORK—The combination of disk sales, performance income and sheet music movement will fashion "Hair" into one of the great all-time

"Hair" into one of the great all-time musical theatre offerings.

This is the report from United Artists Music Group, publishers of the score, which notes that disk sales have reached a total of \$20 million. Disk coverage includes 100 singles, 69 albums with "Hair" songs, 20 albums of the entire score and seven original cast LP's, including RCA's long-time number 1 seller of the Broadway caster. In its world-wide presentations,

"Hair" is grossing \$1 million every two weeks, UA adds. "Easy to Be Hard" by Three Dog Night (Dunhill) was a Top 5 entry. On the singles front, three decks of "Hair" types hit the number 1 spots.

On the singles front, three decks of "Hair" tunes hit the number 1 spot: "Hair" by the Cowsills MGM, "Good Morning Starshine" by Oliver (Jubilee) and "Acquarius" by the Fifth Dimension (Soul City). Oliver is among the many disk pactees created via "Hair." Others include Jennifer, Richard Kim Milford, Bert Sommer, Sakinah Muhammad, Paul Nicholas, Ronnie Dyson, Salley Eaton and Martha Velez.

A Chicago company of "Hair" opens

Martha Velez.

A Chicago company of "Hair" opens later this month, joining presentations in New York, Hollywood, San Francisco, Las Vegas, England, Germany, France, Sweden, Mexico, Australia, Japan, Brazil, Yugoslavia, Denmark, Finland, Netherlands, Canada and Italy.

New Maxwell Label Via Crewe Dist.

Maxwell has concluded arrangements to open his own Maxwell Records label, to be distributed exclusively by CGC Records, a division of the Crewe Group of Companies, according to Rocco Sacramone, executive vice president of CGC.

With his first single on the label be-

ing scheduled for rush release, Ben E. King is the initial artist to be signed

E. King is the initial artist to be signed and produced by the new Maxwell label. King, known as lead singer for the Drifters and also as a solo performer, left Wednesday (1) for a four week tour of England and the continent, where he will feature his brand new Maxwell sides in concert.

Maxwell, due to sign a number of young production assistants, reports that he is "wide open" for promising new masters. While initial productions will spotlight black talent, the label will not limit itself to this area. According to Maxwell, the label wants "talent drawn from many areas, including pop, r&b, country, jazz, whatever is good."

Beyond the obvious label-distributor tie, the Maxwell-CGC arrangement is expected to have other important

tie, the Maxwell-CGC arrangement is expected to have other important ramifications. For one thing, Maxwell, and CGC chief, Bob Crewe, will work closely with one another on all aspects of record productions for both the

Maxwell label and the various Crewe-owned labels. The two will also func-tion interdependently as producers, Crewe with the Maxwell label, and Maxwell with other labels under the CGC umbrella.

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Initial product by artists on Maxwell other than King will be released shortly after the King label product debut. While other performers are currently being negotiated for, a unique group, known as Listen My Brother, consisting of 13 young singers from Harlem, will have its first single released later this month. Giving the single a major kickoff during an appearance on the David Frost Show on October 26th, the group will cut an LP later this year for release in early 1970. Maxwell says that he also expects to utilize a number of the individual talents within the group for their own diskings.

Maxwell himself, who'll be fronting his own label for the first time, worked first as a promotion man with RCA's label "X," and also served in national promo spots at Atlantic and later at Riverside Records. Working for Motown, Maxwell became involved with personal management and production, as well as promotion, and in these ca-

personal management and production, as well as promotion, and in these capacities worked with Marvin Gaye, the Four Tops, Gladys Knight and the Pips, and the San Remo Strings.

K-K Ink Cordell To New Contract

NEW YORK—Citing overall expansion, Kasenetz-Katz Associates has inked a new deal with producer-writer Ritchie Cordell.

Cordell, who has been in on the producing and writing of many Tommy

ducing and writing of many Tommy James hits, was associated with Bo Gentry. Since the end of this associa-James hits, was associated with Bo Gentry. Since the end of this association, Cordell has co-written such K&K-associated songs as "Gimme Gimme Good Lovin'," "Indian Giver" and "Special Delivery," all cut by the 1910 Fruitgum Co. He'll continue to maintain his own production company, Dragoon Tunes, which is presently represented on the charts with "Together the Train" by the 1910, the song of which is administered by Kasenetz-Katz' Kaskat Music.

Tyrell Scepter VP Of Promo & Product

NEW YORK—Steve Tyrell has been promoted to vp in charge of national promo and product acquisition at Scepter Records, according to Flor-Greenberg, president.
rrell, who reports to Sam Goff,



Steve Tyrell

exec vp, will direct the activities of Chris Jonz, R&B promo manager; Steve Rudolf, pop promo, Dan Carter, R&B promo out of Houston, and Glen Robbins, national promo coordinator. Also Tyrell will continue Scepter's secondary station airplay program as well as coordinating the efforts of key distrib promo men. He will also be responsibile for structuring Scepter's sponsibile for structuring Sce distrib promo men incentive grams

In production acquisition, Tyrell is presently working with Resnick & Levine, Sly Stone of Stone Flower Productions, Buddy Greco, Mark James, Ronnie Milsap and Eddie Bo. Tyrell continues to coordinate new product with Chips Moman of Memphis and B.J. Thomas. Tyrell has previously produced Thomas, Sunny & the Sunliners, Chuck Jackson, Maxine Brown and the Shirelles. He was 17 when he started his disk career as United Promo man in Houston in 1962. He joined Scepter in 1964 and in 1967 became national promo director, later doubling the size of the dept.

Indie Tapers Into Disks see p. 48

Rocky 'G' Named to Nat'l Promo Position

NEW YORK—Commonwealth United Records' VP/GM, Len Sachs, announced the appointment of Rocky "G." (Groce) as the label's promotion overestive

"G." (Groce) as the label's promotion executive.

Sachs said that Rocky would be handling promotion for Commonwealth United on a national level. Rocky has been in the music business for more than 15 years, getting his start as a rhythm and blues DJ on WEEC-Miami in 1954. Between '54 and '68, Rocky has been associated with WRVM-Rochester, WLIB-New York, WHAT-Philadelphia. Rocky has been most recently heard over WMCA-New York in a special weekend spot.



HOT DOGS TO HIT DISKS? Rock impresario Bill Graham and producer Dave Rubinson's new Fillmore label and its distrib deal with Columbia Records were celebrated last week at Nathan's Broadway hot dog emporium. Fete also heralded the release of

the first two LP's under the deal by Aum and the Elvin Bishop. Celebrants included (left to right): Rubinson, Dick Asher, Columbia vp of business affairs; Wayne Ceballos of Aum; Clive Davis, president of CBS; Elvin Bishop



DONOVAN's recent Los Angeles reception served both to introduce him to California tradesters once again and to initiate **Cash Box'** new West Coast editor Alan Rinde (right). Newly arrived in L.A. they were both made to feel at home by Sid Maurer, Donovan's U.S. representative (left).

Santone Is Named **Chips' President**

PHILADELPHIA—Ernest J. Santone has been promoted to the presidency of Chips Distributing Corporation and its wholly owned subsidiary Bandstand Record Service.

Santone has been with the Chips or

Santone has been with the Chips organization for the past ten years. He moves into the president's position from his post as vice president of the

In another move, Chips also elevated Beryl Burd to the position of treasurer from her present controller job.



Ernie Santone

Morse Is Capitol **Publicity Chief**

NEW YORK—William M. Morse, a former public relations executive for Humble Oil & Refining Company, has been appointed eastern publicity man-

Humble Oil & Refining Company, has been appointed eastern publicity manager for Capitol Records Distributing Corp., reports Charley Nuccio, promotion vice president for CRDC.

With headquarters in New York City, Morse will administer Capitol's publicity operations on the East Coast, reporting to National Publicity Manager Jackson Sellers in Hollywood.

Sarlin NY Promo **Man For Mercury**

NEW YORK—Bob Sarlin is now head of publicity at Mercury Records in New York. He comes to Mercury from John Springer, where he was a publicist who wrote for the Film Festival account. For the past two years, he's also been arts editor for the College Press Service. Sarlin, according to Bob Reno of Mercury's New York office, will be working with the college and underground press throughout the U.S. Sarlin reports directly to Ron Oberman, director of publicity in Chicago.

Al Kohn Is VP/GM Of Music Makers

NEW YORK—Music Makers Group has appointed Al Kohn as vp and general manager of the company's music publishing division, including Andrew Scott, Inc. and Renleigh Music, INC.
Kohn, a 25-year record and music publishing vet, will direct the acquisition and development of new music product for both music firms and set programs to establish a world-wide base. Chief initial assignment is blue-printing exploitation for Mitch ("Man of La Mancha") Leigh's upcoming Broadway musical, "Cry for Us All." Leigh is one of the original founders of Music Makers Group, which also includes a jingles division (Mark Century Corp), Century Library of Music & Sound, Dell Plastics manufacturers of toys, premiums and plastics, complete studio facilities for film dubbing and Music Makers Theaters, a chain of film theaters.
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For the past 11 years U.S. rep for Francis, Day & Hunter, Kohn has also worked extensively as an arranger—doing Irving Berlin's World War 2 show, "This is the Army," and TV work for Milton Berle, Bob Hope, Dick Shawn, Jerry Vale, among others.



Al Kohn

Braden Joins Nashboro

NASHVILLE— Theus Braden has joined Nashboro Records as its nation-al promotion and sales representative for the labels which Nashboro now dis-

Freddie North, Nashboro's national promo director announced that Braden would be handling the Excello, A-Bet, Burt, Nasco, Nashboro and Creed labels

Before joining Nashboro, Braden was involved in sales and merchan-dising work for such compainies as Anheuser-Busch, Brown-Williamson Tobacco and Venture Records.

Metanomena

Tom Donahue

During the many years that I worked as a disk jockey and a program director in Top 40 and underground stations and during the time I have spent in the record business I have probably had thousands of demo sessions, tapes, and dubs played for me. Each one of them was accompanied by an explanation that usually ran somewhat longer than the song itself.

er than the song itself.

I have listened with aloof amusement as producers, artists, promotion men, etc., would battle with their paranoia before they would roll the tape. When friends were involved I would plead with them not to do it, not to expose themselves in public in such a manner; that actually their long cop-outs invariably exposed every flaw, every weakness to such a degree that the listener spent all his time searching by the road map he had been given and in the process never heard the record.

Now that I'm in the recording busi-

Now that I'm in the recording business again I find myself involved in such epic exposition involving historical background, philosophical attitude, psychoanalytical approach to artists of the Victorian tical background, philosophical attitude, psychoanalytical approach to artists, etc., that I'm often unable to find time to play the record. I can't stop myself anymore than my friends can.

We have those meetings, ostensibly social, that involve a few minutes of "howsoldwhatshername" and then the "nowsoldwhatshername" and then the struggle to see who can get the tape or record on first. We are, after all, not savages, and there are some ground rules — equal time, for instance. If I'm able to outmaneuver you to the tape recorder in order to play 5 or 6 cuts by the four geniuses I have assembled in a studio I feel obliged to sit through the last six cuts of that crap you've been recording despite my crap you've been recording despite my sincere belief that you should give up record production and get a secure job selling used cars or working in a park-

If you find yourself doing the same,
I would like to offer some material
to you that may give some variation

to you that may give some variation to your basic pitch:
"Listen, man, if you've got a few minutes I'd like to play you a cut by an incredible group that my mother-in-law turned me on to. I found them playing in this little toilet near a logging camp in Northern California. They have a fantastic ability to communicate with their audience and They have a fantastic ability to communicate with their audience and when I first saw them they were drawing two or three thousand people a night into a room that only held 300. Now, you have to dig that this is a 48 track tape with absolutely no mix on it at all. The studio stuck me with an engineer who's a leper and keeps losing fingers in the equipment but I think you've got an ear good enough to hear what fantastic things these cats

are doing.

"I guess the best description is say that they write sort of idiomatwenties' stuff with a heavy countinfluence that nonetheless does in hide their basic simple rock approation a strong blues sound. They're soft a cross between the Beatles a Laura Nyro with a real Jimmy Refeel to the bottom. At the same time can hear enough Wayne King in the sothat I know they're going to he that appeal to the older folks.

"As bad technically as this tape

that appeal to the older folks.

"As bad technically as this tape and you've got to understand that a dub made from a wire recorder played just one song on a C&W stat in the Valley last week and you sho have seen those phones light up.

"When I first got them into a stu I told them, 'Man, let's make clean and simple rock with a lot that great Creedence Clearwater fe but when I heard the lyrics and that these kids really wrote like space age Dylan, then I had to go long with them about the Moog the oud and the pipe orgen.

"Now, I know with your ear you

"Now, I know with your ear you bound to notice that the drumm trails off once in a while. You kn how smack heads tend to nod out. I once these kids get any part of recognition they deserve I'm sure can get them straightened out or h somebody to keep them awake something.

something.

"Now, you gotta dig, man, that is just a demo and we were only in studio for about twenty minutes tween sessions, but bad as this sour I sent a copy of the demo to Sulliv and he has called five times trying get them on the show. Just to give yan idea of how really psychedelic a really beautiful these kids are ab doing their thing, they wouldn't go the show unless Ed takes acid we them, 'cause they said they coulc really get it on doing their thing unless they said they coulc really get it on doing their thing unless they said they coulc really get it on doing their thing unless they said they coulc really get it on doing their thing unless they said they coulc really get it on doing their thing unless they said they coulc really get it on doing their thing unless they said they coulc really get it on doing their thing unless they are said they coulc really get it on doing their thing unless they are said they coulc really get it on doing their thing unless they are said they coulc really get it on doing their thing unless they are said they coulc really get it on doing their thing unless they are said they coulc really get it on doing their thing unless they are said they coulc really get it on doing their thing unless they are said they are said they coulc really get it on doing their thing unless they are said they knew Ed was doing his thing had a much better dub of it that I more echo but I had to send it Apple because they're so knocked by the group.

by the group.

"Now, you've gotta swear to (
that you won't tell anybody about 3
but a whole lot of their friends k
coming by the studio and promise;
won't tell anyone but that's Dylan
Moog and George Harrison overdu
ed on the second banjo part. I gues
somebody wanted to play it on the
they could mention it, but I would
want anyone to know that I spilled
beans."

The above, of course, is merely man's trip. I would love to hear you and for each good one I receive I be glad to send you a demo tape of group YOU WON'T BELIEVE.

1st NARM Fellowships To Wharton, Atlant

PHILADELPHIA—The NARM Scholarship Foundation of the Nation Association of Record Merchandisers (NARM) has inaugurated a program for supporting the work of young students who are working toward their Master of Business Administration degree. The program in its first year, is assisting three students: two at the Wharton School of Finance and Commerce of the University of Pennsylvania and one at Atlanta University. The MBA program is for two years, and during the second year the NARM Fellows will undertake a research project which will be of interest and aid to the record and tape industries. In addition to providing financial assistance to the students, NARM will assist the students in selecting their research areas, and in obtaining summer employment within the industry, in order to get practical experience which will aid them in their research.

The two students at the Wharton School are both Marketing majors.

Thomas J. Wallisch is a native of Paul, Minnesota. He attended the I versity of Minnesota, and graducum laude from St. Thomas Colli-He worked his way through school, ing market research for 3M Comparation Comparation of North Merr New York, is a graduate of C. W. I College, an outstanding student, when was active in the Society for vancement of Management.

The Fellowship at Atlanta versity was established jointly Stax/Volt Records and the NA Scholarship Foundation, both of w contributed equal amounts to eslish the two year fellowship. The cipient of the award is Charlotte Robert, a graduate of Dillard Unisity in New Orleans.

The NARM Scholarship Foundaplans to expand into the area of teresting and recuiting gradu from the nation's graduate school business into the record and tape dustries.

"Oh Me Oh My"
I'm A Fool For You Baby) he Tonight Show" - Tuesday, October 14, NBC-TV Music Scene"—Monday, November 3, ABC-TV - Week Of October 27 Vatch Lulu perform "OH ME OH MY" on Her First Hit On Atcol Atco #6722 Produced by Jerry Wexler, Tom Dowd & Arif Mardin



MARLENA SHAW

LOOKING THRU THE EYES OF LOVE

CADET 5656

THE RADIANTS

BOOK OF LOVE

CHESS 2078

ETTA JAMES

MISS PITIFUL

CADET 5655

CASH McCALL

WE'VE COME A LONG WAY TOGETHER

CHECKER 1216

AESOP'S FABLES

WHAT IS LOVE

CADET CONCEPT 7016





ox Radio Active

A survey of key radio stations in all important markets throughout the country to determine by percentage of those reporting which releases are being added to station play lists this week for the first time and also the degree of concentration combining previous reports. Percentage figures on left indicate how many of the stations reporting this week have added the following titles to their play list for the first time. Percentage figures on right include total from left plus the percentage title received in prior week or weeks.

% OF STATIONS ADDING TITLES TO PROG. SCHED. THIS WEEK

TITLE

ARTIST

LABEL

TOTAL % OF STATIONS TO HAVE ADDED TITLES TO PROG. SCHED, TO DATE

46%	Yesterme, Yesteryou, Yesterday — Stevie Wonder — Tamla	54%
44%	And When I Die — Blood Sweat & Tears — Columbia	77%
40%	Baby I'm For Real — Originals — Soul	57%
39%	Eli's Coming — Three Dog Night — Dunhill	63%
35%	Roosevelt & Ira Lee — Tony Joe White — Monument	70%
32%	Na Na Hey Hey — Steam — Fontana	65%
30%	Mind, Body & Soul — Flaming Embers — Hot Wax	68%
28%	Make Your Own Kind of Music — Mama Cass — Elliot Dunhill	79%
25%	Try A Little Kindness — Glen Campbell — Capitol	95%
22%	Turn On A Dream — Box Tops — Mala	22%
20%	Holly Holly — Neil Diamond — Uni	20%
19%	Going in Circles — Friends of Distinction	19%
18%	St. Louis — Easy Beats — Rare Earth	18%
16%	I Guess The Lord Must Be In New York City — Nilsson — RCA	16%
16%	Fortunate Son — Creedence Clearwater — Fantasy	16%
15%	Suite: Judy Blue Eyes — Crosby, Stills & Nash — Atlantic	89%
15%	Come Together — Beatles — Apple	89%
14%	Love Will Find A Way — Jackie De Shannon — Imperial	14%
13%	Down In The Corner — Creedence Clearwater — Fantasy	13%
12%	Tonight I'll Be Staying Here With You — Bob Dylan — Columbia	12%
11%	Evil Woman — Crow — Amaret	11%

LESS THAN 10% BUT MORE THAN 5%

TOTAL % TO DATE

Kool & The Gang — Kool & The Gang — Delite Crumbs of the Table — Glass

House — Invictus

29%

Jingo — Santana — Columbia

Jet Plane — Peter, Paul & Mary — WB/7 Arts

8%

8%

Cherry Hill Park — Billy Joe Royal — Columbia

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Capitol Launches College Campaign

HOLLYWOOD - Capitol's Crass Com-HOLLYWOOD — Capitol's Crass Commercial College Campaign, a major attempt to capture the lucrative college market, kicked off this month. First prong in the drive are 170 bill-boards, located in the immediate area of 50 major U.S. college campuses, which will feature different Capitol product each month. First artists to get the billboard treatment are the Band, whose second LP has just been released. released.

The program, designed by College Market Consultants, under the direction of Joe Venaglia, and coordinated by Capitol merchandising project manager Ken Sasano, is budgeted at \$500,000 for the first nine months. The

Forward in 2 Deals

HOLLYWOOD — In separate moves, Forward Records has signed compos-er/arranger Nelson Riddle to a non-exclusive pact, and has obtained the services of indie producer Ron Bud-

Under the direction of Forward's A&R director, Danny Kessler, Riddle will record an instrumental version of the "Paint Your Wagon" score for the label. Riddle, who orchestrated the music for the motion picture, will be the first artist that Kessler will A&R under the Forward banner. A&R under the Forward banner.

Budnick's first project for the label will be an album with Bentley Road, a five-man rock group from San Fran-cisco. The LP, which will be recorded next week, is slated for Nov. release.

Promotional plans for both albums are currently being finalized by Sal Licata, the label's director of sales and promotion.

Cariola Joins **Action Talent**

NEW YORK — Frank Cariola has joined Action Talents as a general agent, it was annunced by Jeff Franklin, vice president and general manager of the agency. At Action Talents, Cariola will handle the East and Mid-West bookings of bands in night clubs and discoteques.

Cariola, a 12 year veteran of the music business, was formerly a song-writer, had his own label and publish-ing firm (Sultan Records and Sultan Music), has been an independent rec-ord producer and was general man-ager for Patti Page's music publish-ing operation.

Grandpa Adams

NEW YORK — Stanley Adams, President of ASCAP, became a grandfather last week when his daughter, Mrs. Seymour George Hammel, Jr. gave birth to a baby boy in Boston.

drive, aimed at 1,117,937 students on to make the college student aware of Capitol product, to capture his interest and to influence his spending.

Capitol and College Market Consultants will hire a Capitol college rep on each of the 50 campuses, who will be responsible for promotion and publicity thru college media, including radio, newspapers, posters and other means.

The college marketing firms is also working with Merco Collegiate Records, a college bookstore record-rack service, to further promote the cam-

College reps will be concentrating on local record stores, poster displays, pop concerts, campus social functions and special promotions, such as campus performances by Capitol artists. Contests will be another integral part of the campaign with a now-in-develof the campaign, with a now-in-devel-op game offering a Moog synthesizer as grand prize.

Randazzo Signs Two

NEW YORK — Derek Martin and Shelia Ross have been signed to ex-clusive recording contracts by Teddy Randazzo Productions.

Randazzo Productions.

Martin's Roulette single of a few seasons ago, "You Better Go," was written and produced by Randazzo, and Miss Ross is the former lead singer of the Royalettes, a group for whom Randazzo both penned and produced "It's Gonna Take A Miracle" and other tunes. Singles by both artists are due to be released shortly.

Randazzo has just completed producing a single by a new group called the Mason Dixon Line for release on Tower Records.

Hahn Named V.P. Of A&R Recording

NEW YORK — Donald C. Hahn was named as vice president of A&R Recording, Inc., effective as of October 1st. Hahn has been with the New York based recording studio since 1961.

Before this appointment, Hahn was working as a senior engineer at A&R. As vice president, Hahn will be responsible for supervising the studio's 799 Seventh Avenue facilities.

The company, which now employs 70 people, has another recording studio at 322 West 48th St. in New York.

'Curly McDimple' Star In First Disk Pact

HOLLYWOOD HOLLYWOOD — Bayn Johnson, nine-year old actress who played the lead role in the off-Broadway satire, "Curly McDimple," has been signed to a recording pact by RPI Records. First session for the artist will include two holiday songs, "Santa's Letter" and "Christmas Teddy Bear." Bayn

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EVEN ON THEIR BREAK EVEN ON THEIR BREAK — these Motown hostesses were caught for a publicity shot on behalf of the company's exhibit at the recent Black Business and Cultural Exposition. Held in Chicago, the first black expodrew more than 650,000 persons to the International Amphitheatre last week-

end. (From the left) Patricia Co man, Karen Hodge, Jeanna Jacks and Janie Bethune manned. and Janie Bethune manned, womanned, the Motown booth whi focused on the theme of "the soul young America" and centered on dramatic oil painting by Don Mc

Kosloff To Open Jack's One Stop

NEWARK — Jack's One Stop is the name of Newark's newest one-stop operation which Jack Kosloff will open November 1. Kosloff is a veteran of thirty years in the reoord industry, having spend the past ten years as general manager of Ideal One-Stop in Newark and the twenty years prior to that as sales manager of various Decca branches throughout the country.

Jack's One Stop will operate out of the same address Ideal was located at, 357 Lyons Ave., Newark.

Dirt Band At 'Wagon' Preem

NEW YORK — The Nitty Gritty Dirt Band played at last weekend's world premiere of Paramount's "Paint Your Wagon." The California group, which is featured in the film, came to New York right after finishing an engagement at Las Vegas' Caesar's Palace. The band played at the gala

Increased Promo For Motown Baseball LP

NEW YORK — In the wake of t cinderella triumph of the New You Mets and the ensuing increase interest in baseball, Motown haccelerated its promotional campaifor its comedy baseball album, "R Jones Steeerikes Back."

The album features former maleague umpire Red Jones and Al Alerman, Detroit sportscaster. The decontains a collection of humore stories involving many of basebagreats. Jones, in his 18 years as umpire, personally took part in ma of the incidents described.

The album has been accepted part of the permanent museum coll tion by the National Baseball Hall Fame at Cooperstown.

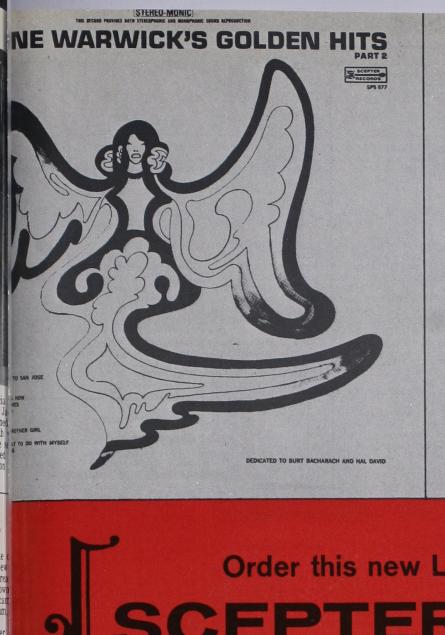
benefitting the Will Rogers Memor Fund which took place after 1 premiere.

While they are on the east coa the NGDB will be playing college of certs and making television appeances.



IT'S IM-MATERIAL — William B. Williams of WNEW shows he has a firm grasp on the conversation as he grips the lapel of George Albert, president & publisher of Cash Box, and maintains the audial attention of Dave Kapp as well. The threesome were actually discussing plans for the upcoming American Parkinson Disease

Association dinner to be held n week (Oct. 29) at the Grand Ballro of the Waldorf-Astoria and highligh by presentation of this year's Ed W. Humanitarian Award to RCA Recorpresident Norm Racusin. Albert chairman of the dinner, Williams Kapp are members of the bang committee.



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The last thing that happens before the finished product is placed in the stores for the consumers to get at it is that the label furnishing the record must decide how many actual records are needed to supply the dealers around the country. Obviously, if the album is by a major artist, a Herb Alpert, a Simon, and Elvis, a Garfunkel, the demand for it will dictate that the manufacturer press a large number of copies. Sources at Capitol Records reveal that at Capitol the lowest possible initial allocation of records is 5000 copies, and that's pretty good for a new act. The decision of what this intial allocation will be is made by a team of A&R, merchandising, promotion, and sales people. Of this initial allocation will be is made by a team of A&R, merchandising, promotion, and sales people. Of this initial allocation, whatever it is, the largest portion of records goes to New York, L.A., and Chicago.

If consumer response is great enough and the record becomes a hit, the company obviously responds with a second pressing. The problems that can occur in this process happen when the album is an album for which the demand is so great that the label has to constantly struggle to be ahead of

before it was ready for release, and in order to meet the demand Capitol had to jump its planned release date by asking its pressing plant to work overtime, which is an expensive thing to do. Capitol reports that they can't release a **Beatle** album until they have at least a million and a half already pressed

If radio stations, through other chan-nels, acquire the album and begin to play it weeks in advance of Capitol's scheduled release date, as they did scheduled release date, as they did with the "Abbey Road" LP, the public begins to make demands that are hard to meet. As it turned out in this case, Capitol in the first week of the album's release was able to fill only 20 per cent

American release date, one solution might be to establish a simultaneou release date in the U.S. and in England release date in the U.S. and in England a plan Capitol is currently working on Yet there is another solution even beyond this, and that is to supply radio stations with special dubs of the LE about a month before release, obtaining from these stations the promise that they will keep the dub in their safe and not play it until the LE is in official release and the consume demand can be met.

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Having revealed a bit of the ending of the tale, we can count on your in vestigating on your own the rest of the story on your own. (That's the only way you're going to find the action the suspense, the frequent comedy and sometimes plenty of sex. EAST COAST GIRL OF THE WEEK East Coast Girl this week is the vivacious Marna Musicant, public relations girl first class. Before working as head of publicity for Chancello Records, Marna was connected wit WHYY-TV and WPEN in her home town, Philadelphia. It was only while back that Marna took up restence in Manhattan, and in addition to working in publicity and promotion Marna has worked as a production assistant on Broadway with the toproducers, playwrights, and stars of the legitiments of the service of the legitiments of the legitime assistant on Broadway with the to producers, playwrights, and stars of the legitimate stage. She tells us the her most memorable moments wer working with the late Frank Loesse on his last musical. She is presentl affiliated with a public relations firm as account executive and can generally be found in the evenings at the Troubador and Ali Baba East at 59t Street at First Avenue, handling the public relations, with cocktail parties.

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Bill Haley

Marna Musicant

White Lightnin'

the consumer's desire to purchase the product. As in the case with the latest **Beatle** LP, "Abbey Road," problems occur when the record buying public begins to demand from dealers a record that has not yet been made ready for release. The dealers began to demand the record from the label long

of the orders in New York, and in the process of forcing their plants to work overtime, got caught behind on orders for their other LP's such as the new

Glen Campbell.

Inasmuch as part of the problem originated in the fact that the Beatle album was released in England about

HOLLYWOOD

The Trend Setters

Rock is alive and well, but everybody is trying to bury it. Recent successes by Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young, John Sebastian, Tim Hardin and several others, have brought forth the usual 'hey look, I found a trend' articles from people who we would have assumed to be more knowledgeable. One writer in particular seemed glad that rock is dying, and conjured up phrases from the early days of Elvis to describe his dislike of the music. That there is a trend towards soft music is evident. We've talked about the new interest in vocal sounds ourselves. But it's not growing at the expense of hard rock. The Top 3 albums (Creedence, Blind Faith and the Stones) are straight hard-rock, full of all the ear blasting intensity that turns so many of us on. The Led Zeppelin album continues to ride high after almost a year in release, and groups like Ten Years After, Savoy Brown, Jethro, Tull, Santana and Lesley West's Mountain (and Felix Pappalardi's Trees) are growing by leaps and bounds.

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Of course, to create a trend, one overlooks such soft-sounders as Joni Mitchell, Judy Collins, the Bee Gees, Donovan, Joan Baez and the Association, who've prospered during these supposedly loud times.

Meaningful songs are great to have

around. They create food for the brain and bring enjoyment to the inner-self. But rock, in all its intensity, with all its medical disadvantages (sprained sacroiliacs and ruined eardrums) stirs the body and also brings enjoyment to the inner being.



Neil Diamond

Creedence Clearwater

It might be nice to acknowledge both these art forms (as well as several others now running in the popularity

race).

P. P. Arnold is a name that doesn't quite describe the person wearing it. Listening to P.P.'s records, one is still not sure of their creator's sex. (Especially, "The First Cut Is The Deepest," a near-classic that may someday fulfill its destiny). Now

signed to Atlantic, P.P. Arnold should be in for the recognition she's earned. To clear up the problem of sex-identification, we've made her **West Coast Girl** of the **Week**. "Bury Me Down By The River" is her first single

Frank Zappa's first solo album for Bizzare (the Warner Bros. distributed label), "Hot Rats," out next week. Meanwhile, the leaderless Mothers of Invention have been gigging around. They may call themselves the



P. P. Arnold

Orphans.
Neil Young, (of Crosby . . . & Young)
working on his third solo LP. Half of
it, recorded live, is in the can. Label
(Reprise) is planning to release a
remixed version of Young's first set
under the title "Neil Young's First remixed version of roung's first secunder the title "Neil Young's First Album Again."

CATCHABLE: The Zombies at the Whiskey . . . Taj Mahal at the Ash Grove . . . Roland Kirk at Shelly's

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Manne-Hole Dion along wi Seals and Crofts (two former membe of the Champs) at the Troubadu. Neil Diamond, fresh from his rece triumph at the Troubadour, kicks (a twenty-state tour of college car puses today (13). Tour was set Zell Enterprises . . The Letterme running hot, also off on a college to thru the end of Oct.

Racer management, a subsid Ray Charles RPM International, his igned former Buffalo Springfic Dewey Martin. Martin has also it pacted with Unit Records . . Wa Amos and Mark Wildey, heads Lamplight Productions, have form Affinity Publishing (BMI) to commaterial written by their Paramourock group, People.

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Lyricist Don Black and compose Elmer Bernstein to write the titune for "A Walk In The Spring Rain an Anthony Quinn-Ingrid Bergm starrer... Indie producer Don Sc tapped to helm upcoming Rob Goulet sessions for Columbia.

Paramount's Jack Leonard (reme ber his vocalizing on those ea Tommy Dorsey clicks) has just net a double bonus. He's been upped West Coast professional manager Paramount's music companies the's celebrating by getting hitched attractive Marilyn Gleitsman (ev took place this past Saturday, wanny notables in attendance). Ji Tracy of Paramount Records ser as best man, but Larry Taylor, Pamount's general professional manage takes credit for the promotion.

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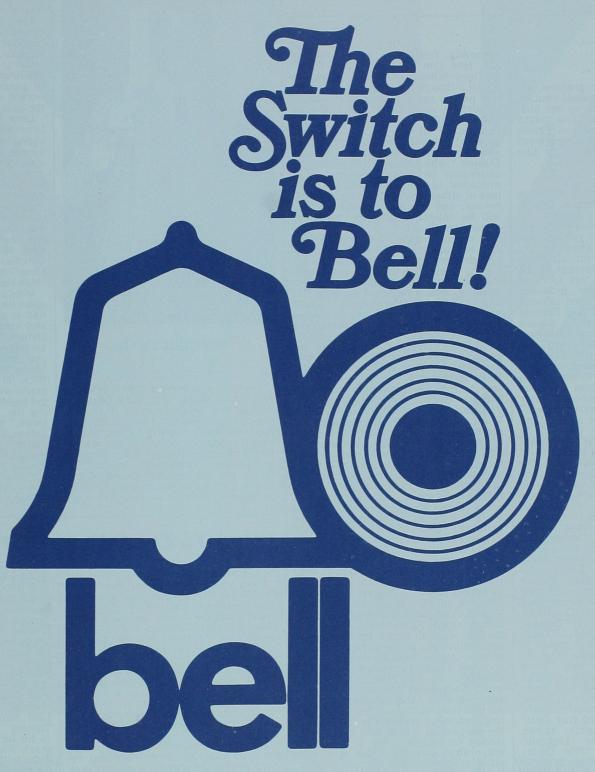
Mel Kahn and the staff of London Records Midwest Dist. Corp. hosted an open house celebration on Tuesday (14) to unveil the distrib's spacious new plant and offices at 6363 Gross Point Road in Niles, Ill.! . . Enjoyed attending the very exciting opening night performance of Little Anthony & The Imperials in the College Inn of the Sherman House. Group will be appearing in the room for two weeks . . . Chi artists Jackie Edwards & The Soulmakers, whose latest Daran single "Che Che" is just being re-

Soulmakers, whose latest Daran single "Che Che" is just being released, will tour the Detroit-Flint-

Cleveland area before doing some promo work here in town . . . Decca songster Jimmy Damon, who just closed at the Flame East, is in New York for a recording session . . . Bob Wienberg heads up the newly opened local branch office of CGC Records . . London House spotlights Julian "Cannonball" Adderley for two weeks beginning October 14. Current Capitol album is "Cannonball Live" . . . New satirical revue opening in Second City 10/15 is called "The Next Generation" . . . Transamerica's promo rep Wayne Juhlin has been on

the go here, introducing new releases "One Woman" by Johnny Rivers (Liberty), "Love Will Find A Way" by Jackie DeShannon (Imperial) and "Ten Commandments Of Love" by Little Anthony & The Imperials (UA) . . . Jim O'Brien is the new general manager of the local Decca office . . . Jack White clewed us in on some of the current happenings out at Summit Dist. in Skokie. First off, Summit was just appointed distributor for Janus Records. Label's new single "My Idea" by The Creme Caramel is being exposed locally by

Frank Giuliano, who recently joil the distrib's promo staff. Summ Frank Giuliano, who recently join the distrib's promo staff. Summ Cincinnati office added a new prorep, Terry Lawson, who's cover that area with Uni single "The Deep In A Feeling" by John Fred The Playboys. To complete picture, r&b specialist Deek Atk is concentrating on The Intrigu "In A Moment" (Yew) and A & rep Mike Leventon is working on Joe Cocker deck "Delta Lady"! Blood Sweat & Tears are due shortly for an Auditorium Thea concert.



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weekly. Marna finds her greatest joy in writing and in the personal contact her job affords. She sums up her atti-tude toward life simply, "You might say I enjoy people . . . or as Frank say I enjoy people . . . or as Frank Loesser so aptly put it in his song from "The Most Happy Fella," "I like everybody that I ever met."

IN SOUNDS: Rock music is Art with a capitol "B" for Beatles, a capitol "P" for Procol Harum, a capitol "S" for Stones, and a capitol "D" for Doors, and the next time you see Art spelled BPSDArt, let us know. In any case, Rock is Art, and for all those who want to see the beginnings of the most important musical art form of who want to see the beginnings of the most important musical art form of the century, Richard Nader, producer and impresario, has provided us with The New York Rock And Roll Revival at the Felt Forum in Madison Square Garden Center the night of Saturday, October 18th. Bill Haley and the Comets, Chuck Berry, the Platters, the Coasters, the Shirelles, Jimmy Clanton, and special guests Sha Na Na will return us all to those fabulous days that Columbia singer-songwriter Tony Kosinec calls the "mystic fifties." Bill Haley still looks like a rock and roll star, and that's not easy to do once you're past 25 . . . The Kinks' eleventh album is being released by Reprise Records to coincide with the British foursome's upcoming American tour. The Kinks have not been in this country in almost four years, and their full-scale tour of the LIS will remind British foursome's upcoming American tour. The Kinks have not been in this country in almost four years, and their country in almost four years, and their full-scale tour of the U.S. will remind us of what a major Rock power they are. Their new LP, "Arthur," composed entirely by Ray Davies, the kinkiest Kink, is the score for a Granada television dramatic presentation of the same name. The Kinks' tour kicks off at the Fillmore East, Friday and Saturday night, October 17th and kinkiest Kink, is the score for a Granada television dramatic presentation of the same name. The Kinks' tour kicks off at the Fillmore East, Friday and Saturday night, October 17th and 18th, with Spirit and the Bonzo Dog Band on the same bill ... The RIAA has certified the Atlantic LP "Crosby, Stills, and Nash" as a gold LP with sales over \$1,000,000. The group is currently engaged in recording its second Atlantic LP with Neil Young ... John Wunderling, producer, and his wife have been blessed with their first child, Jennifer Alison ... A few notes because this is country week. Up to say hello were Byard Ray (left) and Obray Ramsey (right), known professionally as White Lightnin' whose ABC LP, titled "File Under Rock" is a fascinating trip into the country rock sound. The two delightful old timers have managed to stay with it, and their LP is a bouncy country rock fest. Former North Carolina tobacco farmers, the pair have taped a David Frost Show that will be seen shortly ... Also up to say hello was Atlantic Records recording artist Boz Scaggs," is a vibrant, powerful set of bluesy, country-style tunes, with a hard and heavy rock base. Boz, who used to play with the Steve Miller Blues Band, will soon embark on a national performance tour on which he's sure to knock out everyone who sees him ... Had a very interesting talk with Atlantic recording artist Don Covay, whose current LP "The House Of Blue Lights," on which he performs with the Jefferson Lemon Blues Band, seems to be breaking it up in both pop and r&b markets. Don spoke of influences on his singing and guitar style, pointing to Bobby "Blue" Bland and B.B. King ... Tetragrammaton recording artists, the Steve Baron Quartet, have taped the "Mike Douglas Show" in Philadelphia. The group performed the powerful song "Don't You Hate The Feeling" from their current Tetra album release, "The Mother Of Us All" and a new tune "Your World, My World." The syndicated show is scheduled to air Tuesday, November 4th in New York and Los Angeles and on varying dates in

Theater's fabulously funny comedy LP "How Can You Be In Two Places At Once When You're Not Anywhere At All," though out only a short while, has picked up a tremendous amount of airplay on college radio stations and looks like it could become the big and looks like it could become the big campus LP of the year. LP is composed of two sketches: the title piece, and "The Further Adventures of Nick Danger," which though it abounds with comments on today's society, is reminiscent of old radio serials. Devotees of offbeat radio programs, satiric revues, and the art of improvisation will be delighted with the discovery of this new album. of this new album.

In recent months, the Firesign The-

ater has made a number of in-person appearances and has conceived many appearances and has conceived many highly praised television and radio commercials. The group is at present working on new material for both live working on new material for both live and recorded performances. Columbia Records will be sending to college stations special 45 rpm discs serializing the "Nick Danger" side of the group's LP, thereby helping to increase the growing number of Firesign Theater devotees. Ron Weisner of Buddah Records reports two huge breakout smash records happening for him, "Mind, Body, and Soul" by the Flaming Ember on Hot Wax and "Say You Love Me" by the Impressions. Sid Bernstein will present the Rascals in concert for two shows on Saturday, October 18th, at a special matinee per-

in concert for two shows on Saturday, October 18th, at a special matinee performance at 2:30 p.m., a show made necessary by the heavy public demand to see the act, and at 8:30 p.m. At the 8:30 performance, Atlantic Records execs Ahmet Ertegun and Jerry Wexler will present the Rascals with the platinum record for the group's LP "Time/Peace." This is the Rascals' first platinum record, though they have had ten gold records. They currently have a chart hit with "Carry Me Back," and their seventh album will be out shortly. . Reports are in that flip side of the smash hit "Mah Na Mah Na" on Ariel Records, a melodic ballad titled "You Tried To Warn Me," is about to break out nationwide and follow its partner right up the charts. If this kind of success keeps up, they'll have to change the title of "Sweden: Heaven And Hell," from which both songs are taken to "Sweden: Heaven And Heaven" Several fund raising parties will be getting underway within the next week, the purpose of which will be to raise money for Mayor John V. Lindsay's mayoralty campaign. One will take place at the Electric Circus, Sunday, October 19th, and will have RCA's Leon Bibb and Polydor's Tony Williams Lifetime supplying the entertainment. Also performing will be Ella Mitchell and The Gospel Allstars . . Jazz guitarist Larry Coryell opening at the Cafe Au Go Go October 23-26. The Vanguard artist's second solo LP will be out shortly . . . Jim Guercio has been in Europe for the past month laying the groundwork for the upcoming European tour by Columbia Records' exceptional sevenman band, Chicago. In addition to playing seven countries in Europe, Chicago will be appearing in 29 cities in Canada and the U.S. in their upcoming tour . . Len Chapman, East Coast regional sales manager and N.Y. branch manager of Paramount Record Distributors, says that the soundtrack LP from the soon to open film "Paint Your Wagon" is a "veritable goldmine." Paramount Seast Haverford, New Jersey warehouse shipped over 66,000 albums during the first 8 days of the LP

Producer's Profile



MIKE DUCKMAN

Production partner of Stan Vincent at Progressive Media, Inc., Mike Duckman entered the field of record production through the field of film-making, and much of Mike's training for his post in music production comes in the area of film production. Though there are great and obvious differences in the two forms, film and recording, Mike's succes in both areas would seem to point to some similarities in them. Perhaps,

good taste is simply the most basic quality of a successful producer.

Mike Duckman was born in 1943 in Brooklyn, New York in his father's own hospital, the Williamsburg Maternity Hospital. As a boy, Mike worked in his father's club, the Club Capri in Port Washington on Long Island. In addition to generally assisting his father, Mike worked a great deal with the boats at the club, even serving as dockmaster.

Later, Mike graduated from Penn State University where he had majored in maketing management. After college, Mike

University where he had majored in marketing management. After college, Mike formed a film production company with director Michael Cooper, and specializes in the production of promotional films for record companies. Slowly being drawn closer and closer to the record industry, it was while Mike was producing music for TV commercials that he met Stan Vincent. Ultimately, Progressive Media was formed. With Stan Vincent, Mike produced the current Lou Christie smash "I'm Gonna Make You Mine," and released on the Ariel label "Mah Na Mah Na."

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"Mah Na Mah Na."
Mike's approach to production is based upon his belief that a successful record has to contain in it something catchy and immediately alluring, some special something Mike calls a "hook." "It's that something," he says, "that something you can't get out of your head." He believes that the only way to create the hook for the record is to "go into the studio with all of the best things you can get together." But he doesn't see it work. " But he doesn't see it work get together." But he doesn't see it working the same way every time. "Sometimes," he says, "the song brings it together. Sometimes the artist brings it together." Mike, like Stan, feels that it is the producer's job to organize these factors so that the whole thing works. The success of Progressive Media, Inc. points to his ability in this aspect of the work of t get together. to his ability in this aspect of the work of

Letter To The Editor

Dear Producer's Profile,

I am writing about your Producer's Profile Joe Jones. I mean no offense to Profile Joe Jones. I mean no offense to Joe Jones, but on behalf of all the great producers who are not musicians, I think his statement he is a producer "not by title" but by application. He believes that in order for someone to call himself a producer, he must be a musician. May I remind Joe Jones that it's not so important to know what your musicians are doing, but how they sound doing it. The only thing that counts in producing a record is the end result: a sellable product.

I also disagree with Joe's statement that too many producers are just record promotion men without any musical background that are given jobs as A & R men. I think a promotion man has a great advantage because who knows better what a music director wants to hear in a record that who knows better what a music director wants to hear in a record than the promotion man, who for years has played hundreds of records and heard thousands of comments about why a record is or is not good enough to go on the play list. Also, the promotion man that has turned producer already has good friends at a lot of important radio stations that are waiting to hear what their buddy has produced and maybe play a part in his success.

I am sure that you have probably already guessed that I am a promotion man who has turned producer. I was a local promotion man for Seaway Dist. out of Cleveland and also regional

man who has turned producer. I was a local promotion man for Seaway Dist. out of Cleveland and also regional promotion man for a great record company out of Chicago, Chess Records. Just because I disagree with some of the Joe Jones' ideas doesn't mean I don't have great respect for his success. I am sorry, I just can't buy the bit that promotion men shouldn't be producers and to be a real producer you have to be a musician.

Phil Gary

Phil Gary

Roe Forms Prod. Firm

HOLLYWOOD—Singer Tommy Roe and Butch Parker, former West Coast professional manager for Capitol's Beechwood Music, have formed Troupe One, an indie production house First artist signed to the firm is songwriter Ray Whitley, responsible for such hits as Bill Deal's "I've Beer Hurt" and the current "What Kind O Fool Do You Think I Am" (latter making its second chart stand); and a well as several hits by the Tams, in cluding "Hey Girl Don't Bother Me Last named tune, coupled with the Tommy Roe-penned "Everybody" (a hit for Roe several years ago) will mark Whitley's first outing. Whitley' disks will be released on Bill Lowery Capitol-distributed 1-2-3 label, with the first single set for release in earl November.

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Roe, signed to ABC, is riding with his third straight hit, "Jack & Jill, and has had numerous disk successe over the last few years. Parker left his Beechwood post some time ago to put ogether Roe's nitery act. Future plan for the new firm include entry into the film and TV fields.

NAM Studios Open In Rochester, NY

NEW YORK—NAM Recording Studi at 572 Lyell Ave. in Rochester, NY open for business. Firm is present installing an up to 12-track consol having facilities ready for 4,2 and multi-tracking. President of NAM A.A. White; C.J. White is vp and Mi M.M. Noakes is head of public rel tions.

and Donald Byrd. Ed will also be the emcee at the Nina Simone concert at Philharmonic Hall on Sunday, October 26th . . . Ace conductor Angelo DiPippo reorts that singer Franco Avorio really broke it up at the Concord Hotel two weekends at ... Buddah completing Edwin Havins Christmas LP and new Sha Na LP at Mirasound. Motherlode is from Canada for LP sessions for the Revolution label at Mirasound.

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CashBox Looking Ahead

MOMMY AND DADDY

(Screen Gems/Columbia -Monkees (Colgems 5005)

EVIL WOMAN, DON'T PLAY GAMES WITH ME

(Yuggoth — BMI) Crow (Amaret 112)

WHY IS THE WINE SWEETER (East/Memphis — BMI) Eddie Floyd (Stax 0051)

IT AIN'T SANITARY (Tree — BMI). Jee Tex (Dial 4094)

LOVE AND LET LOVE (Fox Fanfare — BMI) Hardy Boys (RCA 0228)

GET READY Jobete — BMI) Ella Fitzgerald (Reprise 0850)

ONE TIN SOLDIER BMI) (Cents & Pence Musique Original Caste (RA 186)

HOW DOES IT FEEL (Unart — BMI) The Illusion (Steed 721)

SEE THAT GIRL (Screen Gems/Columbia — BMI) The Vogues (Reprise 0856)

WHITE BIRD

(Davlin — ASCAP) It's A Beautiful Day (Columbia 44928) **HOW ARE YOU** (Jacolm — ASCAP) Jake Holmes (Polydor 14006)

TEN COMMANDMENTS OF LOVE (Arc — BMI) Little Anthony & Imperials (Veep 50598)

COMMENT (Wright Gerst/Tamerlane — BMI) Charles Wright & The Watts 103rd St. Rhythm Band (WB-7 Arts 7338)

14 BACKFIELD IN MOTION (Cachand/Patcheal — BMI) Mel & Tim (Bamboo 107)

IT'S HARD TO GET ALONG (Shelby Singleton — BMI) Joe Simon (Sound Stage 7 26411)

HOROSCOPE

(Yo-Ho — BMI) Young Holt Unlimited (Brunswick 755420) **EARLY IN THE MORNING**

(Duchess — BMI) Vanity Fare (Page One 027) 18 I WHO HAVE NOTHING (Trio — BMI) Dee Dee Warwick (Mercury 72966)

19 STONE FREE (Arch — ASCAP) Jimi Hendrix (Reprise 0853)

DISMAL DAY (Screen Gems/Columbia — BMI) Bread (Elektra 666)

FOR THE LOVE OF A LADY (Hi-Life/Elephant V/United Artists — ASCAP) Jay & the Americans (United Artists 50567)

THINGS GO BETTER WITH LOVE (Shelby Singleton — BMI) Jeannie C. Riley (Plantation 29)

DON'T SHUT ME OUT (Screen Gems/Columbia — BMI) Underground Sunshine (Intrepid 75012)

CRUMBS OFF THE TABLE (Gold Forever — BMI) The Glass House (Invictus 9071)

I GUESS THE LORD MUST BE IN N.Y.C. (Dunbar — BMI) Sagittarius (Together 122)

26 LOVE, LOVE, LOVE (Progressive — BMI) The Tams (ABC 11228)

SOME OF SHELLY'S BLUES (Screen Gems/Columbia — BMI) Nitty Gritty Dirt Band (Liberty 56134)

ALL GOD'S CHILDREN GOT SOUL

(East Memphis — BMI) Dorothy Morrison (Elektra 45671)

RIVER DEEP—MOUNTAIN HIGH (Mother Bertha/Trio — BMI) Ike & Tina Turner (A&M 1118)

30 **MIDNIGHT COWBOY** (Unart/Barwin — BMI) Ferrante & Teisher (UA 50554)

MISS PITIFUL (East/ Memphis/Time — Etta James (Cadet-5655)

GINGO 32 (Columbia 45010)

BABY YOU COME ROLLIN' ACROSS MY MIND (Bresnahan — BMI) John Beland (Ranwood 853)

YOU GOTTA PAY THE PRICE (Myto — BMI) Gloria Taylor (Silver Fox 14)

ALWAYS DAVID (Ruler & Press — BMI) Ruby Winters (Diamond 265)

MARY, DON'T TAKE ME ON NO BAD TRIP (ARC — BMI) Fuji (Cadet 5652)

37 LONG RED (Windfall — BMI) Mountain & Leslie West (Windfall 831) 38 GOODBYE COLUMBUS

(Ensign — BMI) Association (Warner Bros. /7 Arts 7267)

IT'S A FUNKY THING-RIGHT ON (Part 1) (Herbie Mann — ASCAP) Herbie Mann (Atlantic 2671)

40 CAN'T TAKE MY EYES OFF YOU (Saturday/Seasons Four — BMI) Nancy Wilson (Capitol 2644)

41 SUGAR BEE (East/Memphis — BMI) Mitch Ryder (Dot 17290)

42 WHERE (Gambi — BMI) The Moments (Stang 5008)

43 MY WOMAN'S GOOD TO ME (Gallico — BMI) George Benson (CA&M 1076)

44 CUPID (Kags — BMI) Johnny Nash (JAD 220)

SWEETER HE IS (Birdees Music Corp. — ASCAP) Soul Children (Stax 0050)

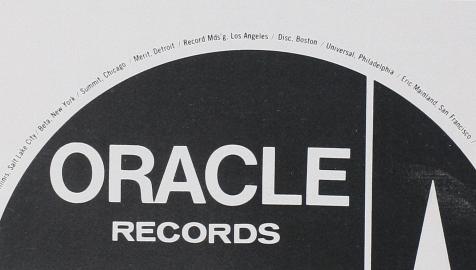
IT'S TOO LATE (Ruth — BMI) Ted Taylor (Ronn 34)

AMEN (Pamco Music — BMI) Ace Cannon (Hi-2166)

DON'T FORGET TO REMEMBE (Casserole — BMI) Bee Gees (Atco 6702) YOU FOOL

(Screen Gems/Columbia — BMI) Eddy Arnold (RCA 0226) MY BALLOON'S GOING UP

(Assorted — BMI) Archie Bell & The Drells (Atlantic 26631)



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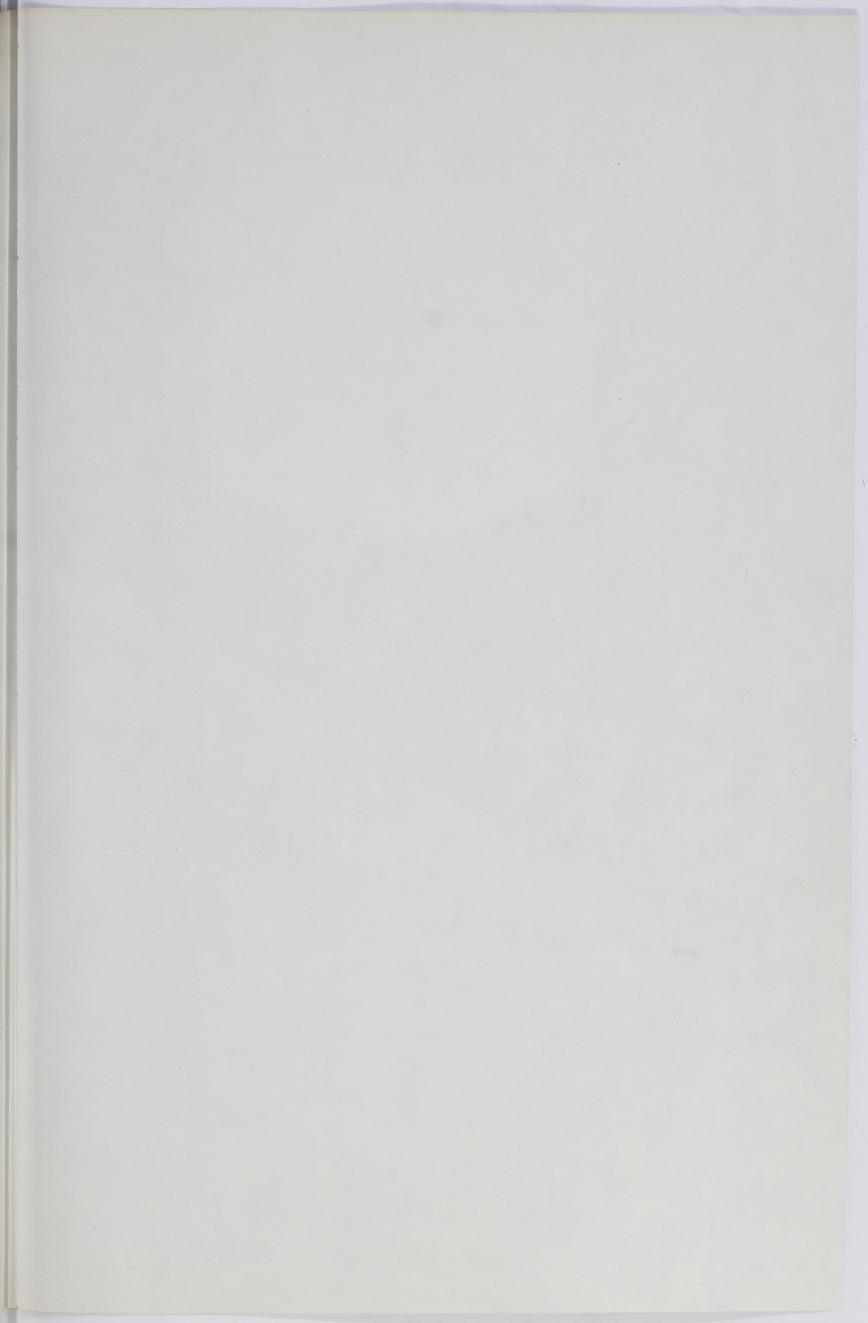


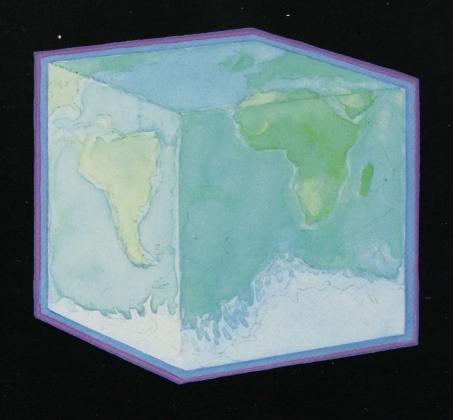
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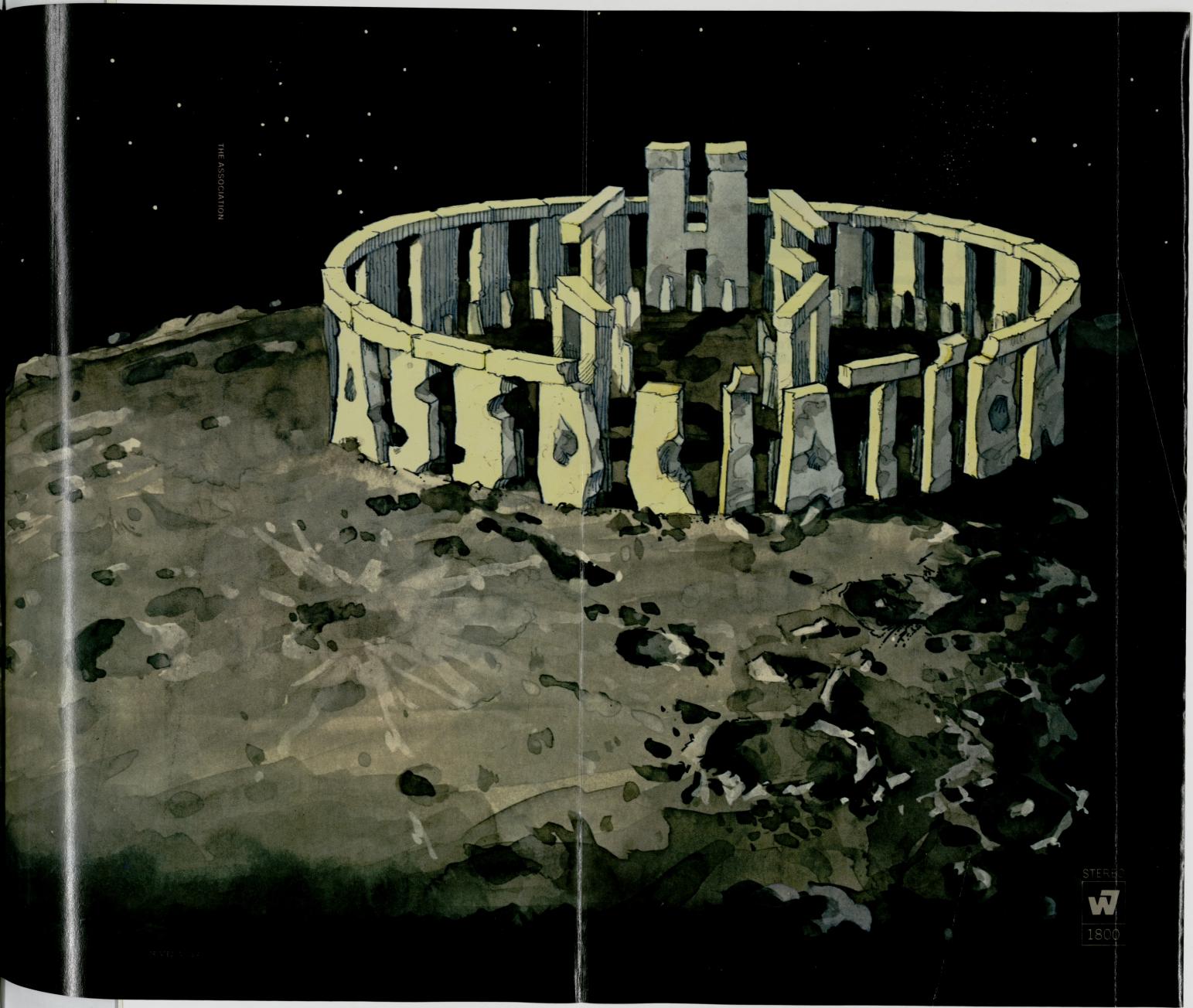
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