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Stereo Turns Phono Outlook Red Hot

Manufacturers Glow in Anticipation Of Heavy Sales in Next Four Months

By RALPH FREAS

NEW YORK - A sampling of opinion among phonograph manufacturers indicates that the next four months are expected to be the biggest in terms of sales that the industry has ever seen. Stereo sound is the reason.

Manufacturers make no bones about the fact that sales were spotty last fall and winter. And they freely admit that there are some big questions about the period ahead that top-management brainstorming cannot answer. Nevertheless, they are strongly optimistic ind are positive that they aren't "whistlin' past the gravejust yard."

Growing Public Acceptance Here are some of the reasons they give for their bullish point of view:

1. Dealer orders have been heavy on the new merchandise and their inventories on last year's models are cleaner than they have ever been before. One reason for their clean inventory position is that they ordered little during the spring in anticipation of the month-earlier Music Industry trade show at which the 1960 models were shown.

2. Manufacturers personally feel more sure of their product than they did last year. The 1959 lines took several routes to stereo. In a sense, it was a shakedown cruise. With the experience they gained, they designed lines they believe to be packed with consumer appeal. 3. Stereo disk sales are up to

Hi-Fi Style? It's Old Hat

NEW YORK-"What's all this ralk about putting components in packages? I've been doing it for years.

That's the way Avery Fisher, Fisher Radio topper, views the current trend toward furniture styling in the high fidelity industry.

22.7 per cent of the LP dollar volume and 19.3 per cent of the Le unit volume (based on The Billboard-New York University School of Retailing continuing study of disk sales in record stores). By way of comparison, the dollar volume last November was only 12 per cent and, in December, 18 per This steady stereo disk cent. growth pattern indicates a growing appreciation of stereo on the part of the public.

4. Dealers themselves are optimistic. In the final analysis, after the manufacturer has done all he can in production, promotion, advertising, sales aids, etc., his success or failure depends on the dealer's ability to merchandise the product. Right now, the dealer feels his fall prospects are red-hot. This has a healthy effect on the manufacturer's nervous system.

The big question in the over-all picture is the consumer. No one really knows how much he does or doesn't know about stereo. Is he confused? Has he made up his mind that stereo has obsoleted his old phonograph? Does he really know what stereo is?

Tradesters agree on one thing: stereo has to be demonstrated. Here again, manufacturers have to look to the dealer. They can shout "stereo" in their advertising and (Continued on page 14)

FREY ANTITRUST CASE MAY SET A PRECEDENT

NFW YORK — The im-plications of the civil com-plaint filed this pas week by Attorney General William P. Rogers against Sid Frey and his Dauntless International record and tape firms alleging violation of the Sherman Anti-Trust Act (see separate story this issue) are far reaching for the entire record business. The complaint alleges that Audio-Fidelity, and Frey 'conspired with its distributors to affocate exclusive sales territories tor each distributor, and prevent sales to dealers or customers located in a territory allocated to another distributor.

It has long been known that record companies could not, under the law, limit distributors to certain geographical areas, but of course most distributors have themselves stayed within geographical areas. If the Attorney Gen-eral is upheld in court then transshipping, long considered an evil in the business, will achieve a legal status, and will probably thrive mightily. It might then not be at all unusual for three or four distributors to offer the same line — at different prices —

in the same city. Frey was also alleged to have conspired to "fix resale prices at the wholesale and retail levels, and prevent distributors and dealers from ad-(Continued on page 6)

Fairs Sign Young Waxers in All-Out **Drive for Teeners**

Pop Record Market Exerting Influence on Country Bookers

By JUNE BUNDY

NEW YORK - Young record artists-particularly those in the P. Morgan and the Morgan Brothrock and roll category-played the fair circuit last year largely on an experimental basis. However, the record acts were so strong box office-wise, that this year a flock of new disk performers have been booked by fair owners thruout the country in an all-out attempt to attract teen-age ticket buyers.

Thus the pop record market an ever-increasing audience building factor today for TV, movies and stageshows—is beginning to exert the same strong influence over talent booking practices in the fair field.

Joe Higgens, who heads up the GAC-Hamid fair department, reports an unprecedented number of fair bookings this season for young disk artists, including Connie Francis, Fabian, Frankie Avalon, Bobby Darin, the Everly Brothers, Johnny Mathis and Betty Johnson; plus such long-time pop record names as Tony Bennett, Rosemary Clooney, the Four Lads, and the Mills Brothers.

Also active in the fair field this

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year—altho not all are booked by GAC-Hamid — are Ricky Nelson, Fred Waring, the Chordettes, Jaye ers, Four Coins, Poni Tails, Nick Todd, Lennon Sisters, Diamonds, Fontane Sisters, Gordon McRae, Fontane Sisters, Gordon McRae, Fontanessee Ernie Ford, Molly Bee, Tommy Sands, Carmel Quinn, Bob Crosby, Modernaires, Snooky Lanson, Mariners, Spike Jones, Jerry Murad's Harmonicats, Lancers, Sammy Kaye, Guy Lombado, Peo Wee Hunt, King Sisters, Billy Williams, Clyde McCoy, and others. The Dick Clark show at the Michigan State Fair, Detroit, Sep-tember 4-7, will spotlight 16 young disk names — most of them on the best-selling charts-Avalon, Duane Eddy, Jack Scott, LaVern Baker, Coasters, Freddy Cannon, Skip and Flip. Santo and Johnny, Dave Arpel, Bobby Rydell, Anita Bryant, Billy and Lilly, Jan and Dean, Rusty York, Dick Caruso, and Joe Bennett and the Sparkletones.

PRICE:

Earlier this year (July 27-28) Higgens booked a rock and roll unit featuring Gary Stites, Mystics, Bellnotes, Frankie Ford and Dick Caruso at the Chautauqua County Fair, Dunkirk, N. Y.

Another rock and roll show featuring Buddy Knox, the Rhythm Orchids, John Ashley and Can-(Continued on page 11)

Charlie Uno Dies at 83

NEW YORK - The entertainment world was saddened last week by the passing of Charles M. Feldheim, known popularly as "Uno." The veteran show business reporter, editor and columnist was 8° and had been involved in enter-

NEWS OF THE WEEK

TV, Disk Names to Get Spotlight At State Fair of Texas, Dallas . . .

State Fair of Texas, Dallas, this year will feature a series of TV and record name acts in its Music Hall, which for several years has offered road companies of Broadway hit musicals. Lack of any sock musical this year was given as reason for the shift. Page 61

Ringling-Barnum, Tenn. Ernie Gross Big at Wis. State Fair . . .

The Ringling-Barnum circus grossed a total of \$101.000 in nine grandstand performances at Wisconsin State Fair, Milwaukee. In the first three of seven scheduled performances, Tennessee Ernie Ford had close to \$35,000 in the till.Page 60

Meeting was informational only with final decision on decree to be reached in hearing Oc-

July '59 LP Sales Better

Than July '58; Singles Lag .

Sales of LP's were up this July over July a year ago with most dealers contacted by The Billboard last week. But singles sales and EP sales were off. Page 3

DEPARTMENT AND FEATURES

"I have nothing against hi-fi components out in the open," Fisher said, "after all, I sell components - lots of them. On the other hand, nobody buys a car that's nothing but motor and chassis. We want a body on a car. We make a pretty package out of it. Same thing with hi-fi,"

Evidently, the rest of the high fidelity industry subscribes to Fisher's point-of-view. That's the way they're all going.

Wrangling Over Consent Order Marks ASCAP Member Meeting . .

One of the bitterest ASCAP general meetings in recent annals took place Thursday (27) in New York. Two-hour presentation of terms of the new proposed consent order by special counsel Arthur Dean was followed by impassioned pleas for acceptance on the one hand, and bitter attacks by dissidents on the other

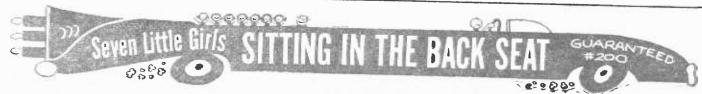
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tainment journalism for some 67 years-since 1892.

Uno succumbed at Kings County hospital last Friday (21) after an illness of several weeks. Baptist and Masonic rites were held at the James G. Nugent Funeral Parlor in Brooklyn, and interment was at Cypress Hills Cemetery, also in Brooklyn. He is survived by two sisters.

Charlie Uno was best known for hi devotion to all the people who contributed to burlesque, in its (Continued on page 70)

A SMASH- ON THE NEW ARANTEED" LABEL



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Diskeries to Reap Video Song Hypes

Top Pop Recording Performers Stud The Networks' Fall Programming

By JUNE BUNDY

NEW YORK - Record companies and publishers will reap a rich crop of network TV plugs this fall, via an extensive line-up of new musical series, specials and dramatic shows with music business themes scheduled for the upcoming season.

From the pop record fans' viewpoint — at least the teen-age seg-ment of that market — ABC-TV probably has the outstanding artist line-up. Elvis Presley will make his first post-GI appearance on that web on a one-shot hour show next February or March. Dick Clark is scheduled to host six hourlong specials, featuring top pop disk talent, in addition to his new show "World of Talent," which de-buts September 27, and his regular Saturday night telecast and daily afternoon show.

Also on ABC-TV's fall schedule are three Frank Sinatra hour-long specials-October 19, December 13 and February 15; two Bing Crosby specials — the first set for September 29, and an Eydie Gorme - Steve Lawrence one-shot, "The Golden Circle," November 25.

Pat Boone will also do a cou-ple of specials — first one October 1 — in addition to his regular weekly half hour. Crosby and Dean Martin will guest on Sinatra's first show, and Sinatra re-turns the favor for Crosby on his first program. Lawrence Welk, of course, will continue on his regular



NEW YORK — "Legalized pi-racy, that's what I would call it," Howie Kaye, Brunswick - Coral sales chief declared emphatically this week, in the wake of a report that Brunswick's hit disk "The Mummy," had been covered by a "Elorida outfit" "Florida outfit."

The Brunswick version, by Bob McFadden and Dor, landed in the 81 spot on the Hot 100 this week. The so-called Florida version on the Sphinx label by Bob and Bubbi, was apparently the work of deejay Bob Green of W1NZ, Mi-ami. "I don't mind a cover," said Kaye, "but when they take your arrangement note for note, that's something else again, something 1 would call piracy. In this case, isle Rolontz's news sources are however, we're so far out in front, understood to be hopeful that now

ABC-TV time slot, as will Red Foley's "Jubilee U. S. A."

Gets Into Drama, Too Harry Belafonte will star in the first of five hour-long Revlon spe-cials on CBS-TV, December 10. The show will feature folk songs from all over the world. Also on CBS-TV's programming schedule is "The Ballad of Louis the Louse" (an original musical comedy starring Phil Silvers with six original tunes by Gordon Jenkins and Nat Hiken) on October 17.

Another original musical, "A Diamond for Carla," will be presented by CBS-TV on "Westinghouse Des-ilu Playhouse," September 14, with Anna Maria Alberghetti and Johnny Desmond. Leland Hay-ward will produce "The Fabulous Fifties," "a 90-minute panoramic turn-of-the-decade look at America in music, comedy, song and dance," which will be aired over CBS-TV, January 17.

In the dramatic field, CBS-TV Leahy (Continued on page 12) label.

addressed the Fourth Annual Mil-

waukee Record - Music Industry

party. More than 300 record

dealers, deejays, distributors and

juke operators were in attendance at the Jewish Community Center

for the fete which also had as

guests such personalities as Ten-nessee Ernie Ford, Molly Bee,

Rolontz Weds

NEW YORK - Bob Rolontz

this past weekend exchanged bachelorhood for the joys of hearth

and home. Those who have had the pleasure of meeting the bride,

the former Sue Morgan, could spot

instantly why The Billboard's de-mon reporter finally took the

Miss Morgan is children's fash-

ion editor at Tobe & Associates.

Following the ceremony Saturday

(29), the couple was off for two

weeks at an unnamed enchanted

Sue Morgan

plunge.

Dealers Hear Marek

MILWAUKEE - Frank talk Chico Holiday, Ray Peterson.

was the order of the evening here Tuesday (25) when RCA Victor Records chief, George R. Marek, Warek first addressed himself to dealers, taking them to task for

Discuss Discounts

GLUED TO COL., SAYS MITCH NEW YORK — Mitch Mil-ler told The Billboard this week in emphatic terms that

he had no intention of leaving Columbia Records. He said that despite any offers he had received to date or might receive in the future, he expected to remain with Columbia Records "for a long, long time.'

Joe Leahy To Join Dot

HOLLYWOOD - Joe Leahy, former artist-repertoire head of the Felsted label, will join Dot Records former firm is cleared. Leahy will in handling singles artist-repertoire and aid album a.&r. chief Tom Mack in production of album sessions.

moved to the Coast and reportedly into the schools with dance prowill officially join the Dot organization as soon as Felsted sanctions his release. Prior to joining Felsted, some years ago by quite a few of Leahy headed RKO's Unique the ballroom operators, including Leahy

claiming that record clubs are hurt-

ing the business. "Far from harm-ing dealers, the clubs help them,"

Marek asserted, citing an independ-

ent survey which allegedly showed

that consumers who buy from

clubs, buy far more records from

dealers after joining the club. "The dealer's big job," suggested

Marek, "is first to put a good phonograph in the customer's home an

second, to keep that phono spin-ning." On the matter of discount-ers, Marek advised the dealers to

care of those in and outers who

make no real contribution to the

Marek also issued a blast at what he called "the promiscuous issuance of new records" by record companies. "The major companies

have the responsibility of becoming

(Continued on page 12)

industry.'

Ballrooms to Unveil Publicity Program

Vegas Convention to Get a Look at 'New Look' Approach to the Business

CHICAGO — Giving the ballroom business a new look will be a part of the program for the National Ballroom Operators Association at its annual convention to be held at the Flamingo Hotel at Las Vegas on September 21-23.

Carl Braun of the Commodore Ballroom at Lowell, Mass., president of the NBOA, announced the association would unveil its public relations program at the conven-tion. The ballroom operators have as soon as his release from the been working on the program for the past year and Braun announced assist Dot President Randy Wood the association is now set to put it into operation.

Tied in with the ballroom oprators will be other segments of the industry including band lead-Leahy will bring vocalist Kathy rs, bookers and other groups. Em-Linden to the Dot roster. He has phasis will be placed on getting grams as a part of school activities.

the ballroom operators, including record hops and teen-age dances in the ballrooms under well-supervised operations has started to pay off as the teen-agers climb into the adult ages," Braun said. "Many of the teen-agers of three or four were Top years ago that would only listen to rock and roll are now regular dance customers, dancing to good solid dance music."

The NBOA prexy stressed that studies made by the association shows that good dance music is the answer to the ballroom business and the bands and ballrooms doing top business today are the ones with good dance music..

The association has interviewed a number of public relations firms and at the convention will announce its decision on a firm and the program to be followed. The operators are reported ready to spend some heavy cash in order to put on a nation-wide campaign.

RCA Revamps "push harder for greater volume in order to compete," indicating that discounters were a part of the Prices on business which the record compa-nies could do little about. On this topic, Marek also pointed out that Cartridges the law of economics will take

NEW YORK — RCA Victor is setting up a new simplified price schedule for all tape cartridges. Move is designed to bring the new tape cartridge within reach of all consumers, and is effective im-mediately, it was stated by Jack Burgess, commercial sales and merchandising department chief.

New manufacturer's nationally-advertised prices will run from

Braun also pointed out consid-erable progress has been made in adopting the so-called internationaldance step in some ballrooms with a resulting hike in patronage business.

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The NBOA president said he was also encouraged as to the future business with plans in the (Continued on page 12)

lop Rank's Top Brass in ondon Meet

LONDON - Officials of Top The teen-age program started Rank Records and affiliates from America and various parts of the world gathered here this week for the Top Rank International London Conference. The meet was set to run from Tuesday (1) to

Among the Stateside visitors were Top Rank of America veepee, Norm Weinstroer, plus Felix Ziffer and Paul Marshall, Amercan attorneys who have been instrumental in setting up a world-(Continued on page 12)

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DISK CLUBBERS OUT- BUY OTHERS OVER COUNTER

By THEODORE D. ELLSWORTH, Ph.D. **Director Research and Publications** New York University School of Retailing

When people have been members of a record club for six months or longer, do they buy LP's from retail stores in as large quantities, on an average, as album buyers who do not belong to a club?

Based on a special study of the record buying habits of 1.355 club members and 438 non-members, the answer is "yes." In fact, the evidence suggests that club members actually tend to buy albums in retail records stores at a slightly higher rate than do non-club members.

The basic finding of the study is that about the same proportion of club members as non-club members (one out of five) had purchased an LP in a retail record store "within the past two weeks." However, over the six-month period just preceding the study, club members estimated that they purchased an average of 7.0 albums from retail record stores while non-club members had purchased an average of 6.4 albums during the same period.

Research by RCA

Home inventories of the actual purchases made by club members in the six-month period shows that they tended to underestimate rather than overestimate the number of LP's purchased at retail record stores. Specifically, the home inventories indicated that club members actually had purchased an average of 7.5 albums rather than the estimated 7.0 from stores during the six-month period in question.

The cost of this research was borne by the RCA Victor Record Division of the Radio Corporation of America. As an organization involved both with a record club and sale of records thru retail record dealers, RCA Victor was anxious to learn how much, if any, effect its record club was having upon the sales of its records thru dealers. To secure authentic data, the company decided to finance a research project to be conducted under the supervision of the New York University School of Retailing.

The study revealed additional data concerning differences in taste and listening habits between club and non-club mem-In taste and instening nabits between club and non-club mem-bers. For example, club members outdo non-club members in the frequency with which they play LP's. Specifically, 9 of every 10 club members claimed they played albums at home "once a week or more often," whereas only 7 of every 10 non-members made this claim. Additionally, among respondents who claim to play LP's "once a week or more often," club members are more likely then non-members to play cluburs every day are more likely than non-members to play albums every day.

Record club members apparently also are more apt to devote their full attention to the music when playing records. In response to a question about the type of activity in which. the respondents were engaged while listening to their records, replies indicate some other kind of activity was being performed by 7 of 10 non-club members, by 6 of 10 "popular" club members, and by only 5 of 10 "classical" club members.

An indication of future preferences in albums is suggested by answers to a question about whether respondents are more apt to buy classical or popular LP's. Only 1 of 10 "classical" club members said he plans to purchase more popular than classical albums, but 3 of every 10 "popular" club members declared an intention to purchase more classical than pop albums.

Collections Are Checked

The study quoted here was made during the first two weeks of February 1959. Interviews were held with 1,355 members of the classical and popular RCA Victor record clubs. Of these, 908 were interviewed by telephone and 447 were home interviews; 671 interviews were with members of the popular club and 684 were with "classical club" members.

All persons interviewed were queried about how many long-play records they had bought from a store within the past six months. Those interviewed in their homes also had their entire LP collections checked, record by record, to identify all those purchased from stores during the six months preceding. All club members interviewed were members for six months or longer.

To provide a comparison, the same technique was used with individuals who were not club members. There were 438 such interviews and these represented a parallel sampling to the interviews of club members. The names of non-members were obtained from the club members who were interviewed at home by asking for the name of the "nearest friend or neighbor" who owned record playing equipment but who was not a club member. The interviews with non-members also included an inventory of that person's LP collection, item by item, to identify date and source of purchase.

The club and non-club members were generally similar in age and income characteristics. Rough

July LP Sales Beat July '58 But EP's and Singles Lag

17% Dip in **Singles Sales** Vs. July, 1958

By SAM CHASE

NEW YORK - Retail sales of single records fell off sharply in the four weeks end-



ing July 17, with only 82.6 per cent as many singles sold in that period as in the compa-rable four-week spread in 1958. Actual units

sold in this period were 4.3 million this year against 5.2 million last year. Long-play disk sales continued ahead of the same time last year, however, accounting for 1.9 million units in this seventh fourweek sales period of the year against 1.8 million in the same pe-riod of 1958, an increase of 5.6

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'OPRY' TAKES UP; Less Shops FAIR DATES ZOOM Carrying NASHVILLE - Encourag-The Latter

NASHVILLE — Encourag-ing figures attesting to the popularity of country and western music at the box office were revealed here last week.

Ott Devine, managing direc-tor of WSM's "Grand Ole Opry," announced that boxoffice figures for the show's Saturday night performances at Ryman Auditorium here are showing a 7 per cent increase over the same period in 1958.

Also during the veek, Harry Peebles, of the Harry Peebles Agency, Wichita. Kan., who books considerable "Opry" talent on his various shows and promotions, in a communication to Devine revealed: "Our shows at the fairs this year are drawing about 40 per cent more people than they did last year and about 60 per cent more than they drew two years ago."

NEW YORK-Sales of LP records were either the same or better this past July than July a year ago, but sales of singles and EP records were off according to dealers surveyed in New York, Wash-ington, Cincinnati, Los Angeles and Chicago this past week. Only in New York City did dealers say that their LP sales were off this July as against July a year ago; in the four other cities many dealers scored gains in LP sales of up to 20 per cent. The general unanimity about poor singles sales was striking, however, in that most dealers felt their sales of the smaller disks had dropped about from 5 to 15 per cent. Perhaps what was even more surprising was that many dealers checked said they no (Continued on page 55)

'Consent' a Fighting Word At Steamy ASCAP Session

N. Y. Battle Is Getting Rougher As Day of Decision Approaches

By PAUL ACKERMAN AND REN GREVATT

NEW YORK - As the day of decision nears for the acceptance or rejection of the proposed ASCAP Consent Decree by the Federal Courts, the infighting gets rougher and rougher.

This was plainly evident Thursday at the Sert Room of the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, where Arthur Dean, senior partner of the law firm of Sullivan and Cromwell, and ASCAP special counsel in the negotiations with the Justice Department, presented an analysis of the meaning and effects of the proposed order.

The meeting continued at a quiet key for nearly two hours, then rapidly developed into one of the bitterest sessions in ASCAP annals -highlighted on the one hand by impassioned appeals that the pro-posed order be approved for the good of the Society, and on the other by direct attacks on the part of the dissidents who have scant

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The meet is followed by a week a relatively quiet session on the West Coast, where approval of the consent order was obtained. At the Eastern meeting, no clear ap-proval was indicated, despite the fact that administration spokesmen pointed to such alternatives as long litigation with no assurance of victory, and even the possible dissolution of the Society

Compares Regulations

President Stanley Adams stated that the Society was entering a new chapter in its history; that the old formula must be changed. He opined that nothing in the decree was detrimental. He claimed it contained improvements which would have come about in time, and that the document must stay in the best interests of all. He warned that the Society must stay in business to protect writers and publishers, and that too much dis-sension would result in "6,000 members following a casket of buried hopes.

Dean compared present ASCAP regulations with those in the pro

voting, distribution, etc. He then answered questions which had been submitted by members to ASCAP; and he prognosticated that if approved, the document would provide a modus operandi for ASCAP "for the foreseeable future." He urged members to study the proposals and submit questions.

Adams congratulated the mem-bership on its sober, adult attitude; but the quietude was short lived. Tension reached a peak when publisher Fred Fox went to the mike and asked Dean a series of questions. He wished to ascertain Dean's fee, and whether Dean considered the ASCAP board or the membership as his client. The fee was not revealed, Adams stat-(Continued on page 59)

ASCAP Unit Grids to War On 30% Pool

NEW YORK - Much interest

were 30 years of age or more and slightly less than half in each group had total annual family incomes of \$7,500 or more.

LIEBER AND STOLLER HAVING A BIG YEAR

Mike Stoller, the gold dust twins of the rock and roll business, are having one of their greatest years. Right now the writing - producing the producing the producing to return team, who are making records for now also starting to get sales ac-Atlantic, Atco, Big Top and United tion. Artists, are riding the hit parade with two smash hits, they pro-duced, "Lavender Blue" with Sammy Turner on Big Top, and "There Goes My Baby" by the Drifters on Atlantic. And coming

NEW YORK-Jerry Lieber and up is the Coasters' latest on Atco,

But this is only the duo's summer track record. So far this year they have had a smash hit with

NEW YORK — Pressing plants around the Metropolitan area have formed a trade organization recently, titled the Independent Cus-tom Record Pressing Association. Larry Press of Abbey Records is president, and Jack Caiden of Empiresident, and sack Conden of Din pire is in charge of membership. Caiden states the young org has 23 members to date, including pressing and plating plants, biscuit makers, manufacturers of albums and jackets and recording studios. With the growth of the record business, particularly the numerous indies, pressing plants, etc., have mushroomed all over the nation. It is estimated that in the "Kansas City," a tune they wrote (New Jersey, Connecticut) there (Continued on page 55) are approximately 45.

Frey Firm

U. S. Cites

WASHINGTON-A civil complaint charging Audio-Fidelity, Inc., and Sidney Frey, of Dauntless International, both of New York City, with violating the Sherman Antitrust Act in connection with the sale and distribution of high fer Sherman Edwards, who said he fidelity and stereophonic records represented the Current Writers and tapes, was announced last week (26) by Attorney General "A number of watter." William P. Rogers. Complaint was filed in the U. S. District Court, New York.

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continued to be centered on the question of the 30 per cent "Rec-ognized Works" pool share of the ASCAF revenue distribution at the general membership meeting of ASCAP, held at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel here Thursday (27).

Following a long discussion of the proposed new consent order by special counsel Arthur Dean, clef-Committee, delivered a prepared

"A number of authors and composers have formed a committee and have called themselves by this Complaint alleges that Audio-Fidelity, Inc.. "conspired with its distributors, including defendant" "Our group is represented by (Continued on page 59)

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JAZZ FESTIVALS BOOMING

2 Bashes Are Big Smashes; **Record Crop Slated for '60**

By BOB ROLONTZ

NEW YORK - Altho the scorecard on the jazz festivals staged so far this year indicates that only two turned out to be solid moneymakers, it looks like there will be more bashes staged next year than ever. To date, of the seven festivals produced, only Newport and French Lick, Ind., really made promoter George Wein happy. Wein's Boston Festival did a little better than break even, but the Toronto show was a flop. Playboy's Chicago extravaganza, which was marked by the wildest spending for talent in the recent history of jazz festivals, only made a little loot, altho it probably could have been another solid moneymaker

Missle Firm Moves Into **Cleff Trade**

HOLLYWOOD — Thompson Ramo Wollridge, Inc., the automotive, aircraft, missile and elcctronics combine, last week moved into the recording industry by acquiring Bel Canto Stereophonic Recordings, Inc., one of the pioneers in the realm of stereo tape and disk. TRW lists among its

launched a full-scale invasion of

market. It spearheaded its drive by

offering a full 100 per cent guaran-

tee on all its merchandise. Accord-

the past 13 years in selling chain

stores. The label will adhere to its

traditional one-step (i.e. factory

direct) distribution pattern, operating sans distributors. Dealers will

days for a full refund.

11 in Sept.

Tops Records Invades

roll. Detroit and Randall's Island both ended up on the black side of the ledger, but neither came near the Newport or French Lick grosses.

Yet in spite of the in-and-out season, both George Wein and the Playboy execs and a number of other promoters are readying new jazz al fresco affairs. Wein is readjazz al fresco affairs. Wein is read-ing a troup to play a number of cities in the U. S., and is trying out the package idea via a European tour that starts September 8. Wein may or may not stage the Newport fests with the Sheraton Hotel chain next year in French Lick, Toronto and Boston. (Seems the Sheraton evers were so shock the Sheraton execs were so shook up by the bomb laid at Toronto that they will wait a while before deciding about next year.)

They Need Time Playboy's gambit is to take the Playboy festival to a number of cities via jet planes next year. Since the Playboy chiels are not

Decca Issues A Cheap LP In Britain

week issued its first cheap longplaying pop disk, under its "Ace of Clubs" series, retailed at \$7 each. This move follows a recent an-Division whose products include tape decks, tape cartridge player-recorders, amplifiers, tuners, inter-(Continued on page 16)

with a tighter hand on the bank- looking to make money, but to promote the magazine, they have more loot to spend on talent and less pressure to cut corners.

The only festivals left for the 'summer season'' are the Hollywood Bowl clambake due the end of September and the Monterey Fes-tival due early in October. The Monterey shindig is in its second season, the Hollywood affair is brand new.

The history of jazz fests indicates that if the promoters can (Continued on page 9)

RCA in Deal With Vender

NEW YORK-RCA Victor Custom Record Division has made a tie-up with the Automatic Canteen Company of America to supply the vending-machine firm's loca- Seg Consists the vending-machine firm's loca-tions with background music record libraries.

Ben Selvin, manager, custom art-Ben Selvin, manager, custom are ist and repertoire for RCA Victor, will direct and produce the new service. A.C.C., largest vending machine concern in the world, will pop albums, six in its "Capitol-of-pop albums, six in its "Capitol-of-LONDON-Decca Records this commercial and public locations.

Selvin, who was the first program director of the Muzak Cor-poration, and Emmett Dunn, manager of custom records for RCA Victor, embarked on a nationwide tour last week to confer with Canteen distributors thruout the country on the project.

Vanguard Joins UST Roster

HOLLYWOOD - Vanguard Records last week became the latest label to join the United Sterco Tapes roster of recording companies whose product is distributed in four-track, seven and a half ips form by the Ampex Audio subsid. UST will manufacture and distrib-ute the tape versions of Vanguard's

Approximately 15 Vanguard albums will be included in UST's mid-October release. Bill Muster,

NEW ASCAP VIEW ON POP, ROCK & ROLL? NEW YORK - ASCAP

meetings have often been the scene for occasional derogatory remarks about types of music largely controlled by BMI. At the Thursday meeting, therefore, observors took particular interest in comments of President Stanley Adamsbelieving that these comments perhaps augured a changing point of view within the Society.

In arguing for the adoption of the proposed Consent Decree, Adams stated that dissolution of the Society would mean chaos for copy-right owners and users. "The Society makes it possible for writers to make a cultural contribution" he said, adding that "the equities of all must be protected-old and new writers, rhythm and blues writers, rock and roll, country and western and pop."

Cap's Second Of 30 Packs

supply the RCA Victor libraries the-World" series and nine classical to more than 25,000 industrial, albums.

All pop offerings, with the ex-ception of a Stan Freberg pack-age, will be issued simultaneously in stereo and monaural form. In addition to Freberg, other artists included are Nat King Cole, Glen Gray, Bobby Hackett Quartet, Kenyon Hopkins, John La Salle Quar-tet, Tommy Sands, Dakota Staton, Van Alexander (his first Cap al-bum), Faron Youn, Hank Thomp-son, Les Baxter, Jackie Gleason, and Felix Slatkin, who appears in his initial pop disking.

C.&w. release includes two al-

Consent Data Sought From U. S. by Fox

NEW YORK — Late Thursday, the day of the ASCAP meeting at the Waldorf (see separate story) the publishing firm of Sam Fox filed a motion asking that the Justice Department make available certain data having to do with the negotiations on the proposed Consent Decree. Papers were filed by attorney Herbert Cheyette on behalf of Fox and others similarly situated, and were served on ASCAP late in the day. ASCAP publisher Fred Fox had requested such information at the ASCAP meeting.

The motion specifically asks that Justice answer certain interrogations with respect to data on which the proposed judgment is based, on the grounds that his data is solely in the custody of ASCAP and the Justice Department, and not obtainable elsewhere. Without such data, it is claimed, interested parties intending to appear on Oc-(Continued on page 11)

UST Booming Four-Track **Stereo Tape**

HOLLYWOOD — United Stereo Tapes, the multi-label onestop tape distribution wing of Ampex Audio, is bringing heavy promotional artillery into action in support of its four-track open reel stereo tape product. UST, headed by Herb Brown, is currently han-dling four-track tape versions of recordings produced by 16 separate companies and is continuing negotiations with other firms to

bring them into his fold. UST will launch its consumer bums recorded in Italy with others (Continued on page 9) advertising campaign in September (Continued on page 16)

In China, the Musical Menus Run to Cha Cha Mein, Pops

NEW YORK - The Chinese ger of the Diamond Music Comare more and more abandoning their own native music for Western style rhythms, with string instrumentals, pop ballads and cha chas UST's marketing manager, plans making strong inroads. This is the (Continued on page 11) opinion of Francis da Silva, mana-

pany, Mercury Records' Hong Kong affiliate. The 21-year-old miss has been in New York and Chicago the past few weeks attending the Mercury convention in Madrid and visiting Mercury affil-iates in Germany, Holland, England and Italy.

Miss da Silva pointed out that (Continued on page 11)



Disk Dealers Market HOLLYWOOD—Tops Records, enjoy a 40 per cent mark-up on w price LP line heretofore aimed all Tops products. low price LP line heretofore aimed at volume chain stores, last week The Tops line lists at \$1.49 per

LP. Tops Prexy Carl Doshay promthe record dealer facet of the disk ised disk dealers that the line will be price protected. He pointed out that more LP's priced under \$2. are being sold today than their ing to the Tops offer, all unsold \$3.98 counterparts.

As a further dealer lure, Tops product is returnable within 60 offered 10 free albums to music merchants who are not handling its line. Disks are being given to deal-In extending its "no risk" plan to music merchants Tops is following the same principle it has used for

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R & R's Cross Over

The Bridge to Filmland

line.

Set by Angel in the rock and roll type By REN GREVATT recentiv with ew exce NEW YORK - Radio, TV, movie exposure for pop diskers pix. Presley, however, in each of NEW YORK - Roulette Recmovies and records, once viewed was limited to the out and out his films, has been cast in a star ords last week purchased a master, HOLLYWOOD - Angel's 11 acting role with singing efforts only a part of the total picture. 'Who-Hoo," by the Rock-A-Teens, album September release consists as mutual arch-threats to each rock and roll film, featuring a simof nine packages to be issued in other's existence, have today both monaural and stereo forms reached a stage of compatibility from Doran Records, at a price ple and transparent story line described by Executive Veepce Joe Kolsky as "the highest price Rou-Presley has so far been featured in which made room for a host of four pictures. including "Love Me Tender," "Loving You," "Jailhouse Rock" and "King Creole." Now, with two in monaural only. Latter never before dreamed of. This is pop acts to move in for a solo lette has ever paid for any master performance of a hit record. Today true particularly in the talent detwo includes a highlight package purchase." featuring Maria Callas in a cycle the pop acts are being auditioned partment with frequent successful and frequently signed up for rela-tively "heavy" roles calling for dramatic work, with singing values put at a minimum. This is being producer Hal Wallis is already at cross-overs by an artist from one of Verdi arias performed with the The disk, which has been kickwork filming background mate-rial for "G. I. Blues," the next Presley epic. The singer will start ing up some action in the Virginia La Scala Opera House orchestra field into the next, with not only fering is Eileen Farrell's "Songs and Ballads." good sales results but with added and chorus. Other monaural ofgood sales results but with added area, was cut by George D. Mc-Graw, who owns Doran, a division filming at Paramount immediately of Mart Records, Salem, Va. Mc-Graw, who also wrote "Who-Hoo," seen as of special interest in light after his discharge from the Army of the oft-repeated placement of Works included in the release Perhaps the most marked examnext winter. Other pic deals are Mozart arias, Weber overtures, Brahms' Haydn variations, Wag-ner's "Seigfried Idyll," Gilbert and Sullivan's "Yoemen of the Guert" the "no talent" tag on the pop hitsold a master ("Happy Birthday are Franck's D Minor Symphony, ple of the trend is the increasing also in the works for Presley. Jesus" by Little Cindy) to Colummakers. Another notable example is that Presley an Example bia last Christmas. Roulette Recof Fabian, Chancellor Records star The records-to-movie switch is ords was tipped off on the Rock-A-Teens disks by Joe and Milt who is now filming "Hound Dog Man." Fabian who has often been overnight sensation route on rec-ords. and who are acknowledged rock and rollers, have recently advent and for a time after he had Sullivan's "Yoenen of the Guard," Mahler's "Songs of the Wayfarer" and Schubert's "Trout" quintet. Sinzheimer of Allen Distributors in described as having "no talent but Richmond, Va. (Continued on page 9) been put to work in pictures. Until arrived, the pop stars were seen

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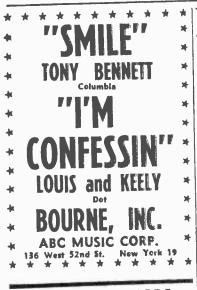
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THEATER REVIEWS 'Can-Can' Good Outdoor Fare

The final offering of New York City's Hudson Celebration In the Theater-in-the Park was Cole Porter's "Can-Can," starring Genevieve, the tiny French gamin who has been charming the nation via the Jack Paar TV show. The book by Abe Burrows, while not a world-beater, continues to be good for an ample quota of laughs, and Porter contributed a sufficient number of his better songs to this opus. We can expect increasing attention to same as a film version gets rolling, with a cast including Maurice Chevalier, Frank Sinatra, Shirley MacLaine, Louis Jordan and Juliet Prowse.

The score includes such potent numbers as "C'st Magni-e," "It's All Right With Me," and "I Love Paris." The fique." latter proved Genevieve's top effort, sentiment mingling nicely with sincerity. David Atkinson, with a spate of operatic as well as musical show credits, has the appearance and voice to become a major figure both on stage and in films, tho his thesping needs stronger direction.

Other standouts in the cast included Gabriel Dell, who was very potent in the comedy role of the Bulgarian sculptor; Eric Rhodes, who recreated his original characterization of the elderly but ardent art critic; and lovely Pat Turner, who danced the feature role in the big "Four Arts" ballet sequence. Producer Jean Dalrymple and her associates have brought off

a minor miracle, for which they should be heartily applauded. Here's a vote for more of this kind of outdoor summer theater Sam Chase. fare.

M-G-M Speeds Solon Cheery 'Hur' Disks

NEW YORK-Music from the upcoming "Ben Hur," film spec-tacle, and a re-release of an old

Dick Hyman hit of "Moritat" from "The Threepenny Opera," figured in the news at M-G-M Records

Diskery prexy Arnold Maxin ASCAP consent decree "and the approach to agreement" by juke operators and artists' representa-and Nicholas Rozza, who is the tives, a means may be found composer and conductor of the "whereby the composers who give "Ben Hur" music. The film opens the nation its songs may receive rationally in November and the the just rewards of their genius diskery hopes to have album product out prior to that time. There'll be a total of three sets

issued, including a de luxe twoemption and double mechanical royalty for jukes, is recuperating in Bethesda Naval Hospital from M-G-M, and a recording of the score on the Lion, low-price line. All will be available in stereo and

mono form. Meanwhile, the label re-released the Hyman "Moritat" hit of several years ago, retitling the disk "Mack the Knife," to cash in on the current interest in the revived tune. The single carries a special jacket.



NEW YORK-Sound Plastics, Inc., makers of vinyl biscuits for the record business, has acquired controlling stock interest in B. & C. Recording. Norman Jacobowitz, prexy of Sound Plastics, will also be head of the B. & C. firm. John Bubbers will head the pressing plant in Westbury, L. I., New York. B. & C. will continue to have its offices and mastering studios in New York City and its custom pressing plant and laboratories in Westbury. B. & C., one of the pioneers in stereo platters, manufactures both monophonics and stereophonic LP's.

FREY CASE MAY SET INDUSTRY PRECEDENT

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vertising or selling products at has wide - reaching implications. and withhold supplies from those distributors and dealers who do not comply with these agreements." This part of the complaint also

Two Distrib Vets Go in **For Selves**

CHICAGO - Two new Midwestern record distributors have been opened by veterans of the disk industry. Johnny O'Brien, one of the original salesmen for Mercory 13 years ago and later owner of Major Distributing, Milwaukee, firm opened in the Beer City, has opened his own record operation. John O'Brien Distributing is lo-Henry George, one-time part of which shuttered its doors recently, has paired with Al Julius to form Head Distributing, Cleveland,

handling VeeJay, Argo, Checker, Gone, Monument, Nashboro, Excello and other indies. The new firm is located at 1227 W. 9th, Cleveland, Ohio.

UA Hits Road To Puff Sales

NEW YORK - United Artists Records' entire promotion staff will take to the road this week in a full country swing to wage an extensive promotion campaign for the latest crop of UA and Unart singles.

Ray Free, Lelan Rogers, Larry Maxwell and Harry Goldstein will cover every major market during the next month, working with distribs and deejays.

Current contenders for UA and its subsid are "Love Potion No. its subsid are "Love Potion No. 9" by the Coasters, "You're Mine" by the Falcons, "Ronnie Is My Lover" b-w "Black and White Thunderbird" by the Delicates, "Nashville, Tennessee" and "No Ma er What You Do" by Wendell Ma the difference the Chercher Smith and "Crying in the Chapel" by Mary Swan.

The label has also added "An Evening With Jerome Kern" by the Stanley Melba ork to its August LP schedule.

The diskery has pacted the Jaye Sisters to an exclusive recording contract. The trio formerly toured and appeared on TV with Fred Waring. They are also past Arthur Godfrey Talent Scout winners and have appeared at important night clubs around the country.

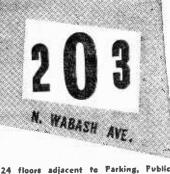
prices other than those established Again, if the Attorney General's thinking is upheld it means that the suggested list price becomes just that — suggested — and re-sale prices, at either the wholesale or retail level, cannot be established by a record manufacturer. And of course, no wholesaler or dealer can be withheld product for not observing suggested resale prices.

Frey has tried over the past few years to run a "clean" business. Of all the manufacturers he has striven to protect the distributor and dealer against transshipping, cut-pricing, et al. Frey himself stated this week "I think I am being persecuted for being the first company to introduce ethics in this business. Because we have acted as the conscience of the record inand more recently the major domo dustry . . . and have tried to edof Garmisa Distributing, when that ucate the trade not to establish Audio-Fidelity as a loss leader or sue our label as sucker bait in discount operations we have encated at 2830 W. Vliet, Milwaukee. abled the dealer to maintain his mark-up and to reap a greater Custom Distributing, Cleveland, profit from a business based on quality products and consumer de-mand." Whether Freu's "almethods will be upheld or whether the Attorney General will be able to prove violation of the antitrust act, in either case, the decision will vitally affect the record industry as it is now established.



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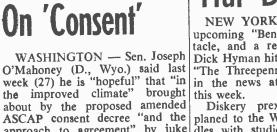
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O'Mahoney (D., Wyo.) said last week (27) he is "hopeful" that "in the improved climate" brought about by the proposed amended and efforts."

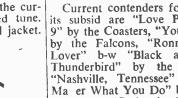
O'Mahoney, author of a bill to end the performance quality exeffects of a stroke suffered in June.

He said that when his bill was being considered last year by the Senate Judiciary Committee, ASCAP was charged with violations of a consent decree under which it had been operating since 1950. The proposed amended decree, which he said a "spokesman for the Justice Department says is satisfactory to that department," would seem to "remove one objection made by opponents of the bill last year."

The climate may improve still further, the senator indicates, when a conference set by Rep. Emanuel Celler (D., N. Y.) for September gets under way. Interested parties have been invited to take part in the meeting. (The Billboard, July 27.)

Rep Celler is also author of a bill to end juke performance exemption under the present copyright law. He has proposed the setting of a trustee fund with a proposed ceiling of \$5 performance royalty per box annually.

Meanwhile, a House Small Business Committee is studying the proposed decree, and hopes to have a staff report ready in the



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future that will evaluate the decree and overcomes as far as it should and give the staff's opinion to or could the problems that were whether the decree adequately brought out during hearings held meets the small business demands earlier.

HOT 100 ADDS 10

NEW YORK—Ten new sides appear for the first time on this week's Hot 100. These are:

65. Just Ask Your Heart-Frankie Avalon, Chancellor 67. Put Your Head On My Shoulder-Paul Anka, ABC-Paramount

68. Somethin' Else-Eddie Cochran, Libert 69. You're Gonna Miss Me—Connie Francis, M-G-M 84. The Three Bells—Dick Flood, Monument 87. Suzy Baby—Bobby Vee and the Shadows, Liberty 90. Betty My Angel—Jerry Fuller, Challenge 92. I Cried—Joe Damiano, Chancellor 96. Sweet Bird of Youth—Nat King Cole, Capitol 100. Caterpillar Crawl-The Strangers, Titan





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R.&R.'s Cross Into Filmland FOUR MORE JOIN LABEL PARADE

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chanter is getting about \$35,000 for his work in the film.

Dodie Stevens, 13 - year - old thrush who recently scored heavily with a ditty called "Pink Shoe Laces," on Crystallette Records, and who is looked upon as a rock and roll thrush, joins Fabian in the pic which also stars Carol Lynley, Betty Field and Stuart Whitman. The CinemaScope 20th-Fox release marks her entry into the film

mark in "The Alamo," an "\$8,000- of a similar variety, featuring mu-000 outdoor epic" to be released thru United Artists. Shooting starts other blood and thunder detective in September. Previously, Avalon appeared in "Guns of the Timberlane."

\$ Million Deal for Darin

Paul Anka. 18-year-old Canadian star of ABC-Paramount Records, has just completed filming of "The Private Lives of Adam and Eve.' a pic which also features Mamie Van Doren, Mickey Rooney and Mel Torme. Anka also wrote background theme music the which runs behind the credits plus several additional tunes. Earlier this year, Anka was featured in "Girls Town," for which he also cleffed some of the music. The latter is due for October release.

Tho he has not yet actually gone before the cameras; Bobby Darin, young rocking star of Atlantic Records, has just been signed by Paramount to a six-year pact which calls for a minimum of one picture a year. The non-exclusive deal is expected to pay off to the tune of about \$1,000,000 for Darin.

There are other examples as

looks." has the featured billing in outings, and even the Italian the pic with a credit line which Domenico Modugno, who has the reads, "Introducing Fabian." The hit disk, "Volare," on Decca to his credit, has just been cast by Paramount for a role in "Bay of Naples," to star Clark Gable and Sophia Loren. Back in the rocking school, Ricky Nelson recently ap-peared in a relatively "heavy" part in "Rio Bravo" with John Wayne and Dean Martin.

The interplay between TV and records has been highlighted in the past year by the emergence of instrumental disks of theme music the dealer to sample the Tops Frankie Avalon, within recent weeks, was signed to appear with John Wayne and Richard Wid-mark in "The Alarea" "A large " sic from the background scores of saga

Film Names Make Disks

Directly related to the private eye scene is the recent emergence of one Edd Byrnes as a disk star. Byrnes is a featured player on "77 Sunset Strip." Then along came a disk titled "Kookie Kookie, Lend Me Your Comb," on Warner Brothers Records. The disk soon moved up to the top five listings and Byrnes found himself a hero in a new field. Now, Byrnes is put with his first full-length feature picture, George Sherlock, the firm's pro-"Yellowstone Kelly," which is the motion chief, is currently on a subject currently of a cost to coast promotion tour for the star.

A number of personalities originally identified with the film world, have also made the jump into records. Names that come to Dick Clark. The Clark is not a disk mind immediately would include disk was issued this week.

NEW YORK - Four new labels joined the label parade during the last few days. Here are the names and

addresses of the newcomers: Etowah Records, Rt. 1, Cartersville, Ga.; Radio Records, 427 Gettysburg, San Antonio; Sir Records, care of United Telefilm Records, 701 Seventh Ave., New York 36, and Vacationland Records, R R. No. 1, Port Clinton, O.

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ers to serve a twofold purpose: For product and determine for himself whether it lives up to the label's claim that it's equal in quality to LP's selling for \$3.98; to allow the dealer to display some of the albums and thereby test their sales appeal.

The offer was made in a display advertisement in The Billboard (August 24) containing a coupon. Dealers new to the Tops line were asked to fill out the coupon to receive the 10 free albums.

Tops is supporting its move into the record dealer level with a deeexploitation campaign. - It blanketed deciays with a two-LP sampler package containing 32 selections from an equal number of its fastest moving albums. nationwide deejay tour introducing the line to radio spinners in all the key markets.

artist as such, he is certainly iden-Tab Hunter, Sal Mineo, Tony Per- tified in the closest way with the kins, Robert Wagner and now record scene. He is also an impor-Rock Hudson, whose initial Decca tant TV personality. Now Clark has embarked on a film career, Capitol's accelerated consumer ad It may be that the prime with his own production company. campaign plus dealer displays, inwell. Beginning with "Friendly It may be that the prime with his own production company. campaign plus dealer displays, in-Persuasion," Pat Boone has enjoyed example of all will become Ameri- He is engaged in filming his first cluding wider use of album side

Two Bashes Big Smashes

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more they have a good chance of ming. The Playboy bash, the most making money. Newport didn't hit until its fourth season, but since then has really done sensationally. French Lick was an exception to built steadily each season.

The one thing that seems to be apparent about the outdoor jazz fests is that they all have to present huge talent programs, with eight to 10 acts on a night's bill, or else hire the five or six top names in the business, like Ellington, Garner, Armstrong or Ella Fitzgerald, in order to draw the crowds.

New Kind of Fun

And perhaps the other item that is noticeable about all the jazz fests, and pointed up by the differences at the Playboy bash, is that all of the festivals need better

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originating in Germany, Greece, England, and Hawaii.

Classical release is highlighted by the Sir Thomas Beecham recording of Haydn's "The Seasons," issued in a three-LP package. Other artists featured include harpist Marcel Grandany, pianist Rudolf Firkusny, pianist Leonard Penario, conductor William Steinberg, flutist Elaine Ahaffer, conductor Efrem Kurtz, violinist Yehudi Menhuin and conductor Afeael Kubelik. Release includes a new version of "Swan Lake," featuring Menhuin in the violin solo part.

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keep them going for three years or stage work, lights and programprofessionally handled of them all, indicated that jazz and smart showmanship can go together.

As the jazz festivals are multithe rule, making money immedi- plying, a new kind of summer jazz ately, but most of the others have entertainment is growing up too. The summer tents are hiring jazz acts for an evening a week or so and making out with them. Erroll Garner, who helped get the summer tent scene in jazz moving, has cracked records at a number of canvas spots this year.

The festivals, of course, have been a good thing for the jazz acts, who often laid off or rested in the summer. With all of the various festival promotions, the prices are going up too, and an act now can make a respectable income if it can get on the summer circuit bandwagon.







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FAIRS INK DISKERS **TO DRAW TEENERS**

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nonball Taylor, is set for the Cen-|cluding with the Central Washing-

California State Fair, Sacramento, Fair last week, August 26-30. September 6-9 and the Michigan State Fair, September 11-13. Fabian is booked for the Kentucky State Fair, September 11-12; Read-ing (Pa.) Fair September 15-16; Some of them (Cash, Reeves, etc.) National Dairy Cattle Congress, Waterloo, Ia., October 8-10, and North Carolina State Fair, Ral-giving fair owners a dual market North Carolina State Fair, Ral-eigh, October 13-14.

Personal Contact

Betty Johnson is playing more fair dates this year than any other pop artist-13 separate fairs for a total of 33 days over a period ex-tending from August 9 thru Octo-ber 14, including the Kentucky State Fair, Louisville, September 17-19.

Higgins attributes the canary's booking success in part to the fact that she personally contacted a flock of fair officials when she attended the Chicago convention last year

Bobby Darin will appear at the Santa Clara County Fair, San Jose, Calif., September 14-15; and the West Texas State Fair, Abilene, September 16-17. The Everly Brothers play the California State Fair, September 2-5. Johnny Mathis follows at the same fair, September 10-13.

Tony Bennett is booked for the Du Quoin State Fair, Du Quoin, Ill., September 7 (with Rosemary Clooney and Jimmy Dean); Kentucky State Fair, September 11 and Michigan State Fair, September 11-13

The New York State Fair, Sy-racuse, N. Y., will spotlight Johnny Cash, Guy Lombardo, Tommy Sands, Jaye P. Morgan and the Morgan Brothers, September 11-12. Ricky Nelson, the Chordettes and Homer and Jethro headlined the September 2-3 bill at the Indiana State Fair, Indianapolis.

The Four Lads have played six fairs this summer, winding up September 24-25 at the New Jersey State Fair, Trenton. The Poni Tails also appeared at six fairs, and are finishing the season at the Ashland County Fair, Ashland, O., Septem-ber 22-26.

Strong in Pop Field

The Lennon Sisters play the Nebraska State Fair, Lincoln, September 5-8 and the Los Angeles County Fair, Pomona, Calif., September 21-25.

The Mills Brothers kicked off their usual extensive fair season August 18, play the Michigan State Fair. September 11-13 and con-

Consent Data • Continued from page 4

tober 19 before Judge Ryan cannot present an informed opinion on the value or efficacy of the proposed document.

The motion is of more than passing interest inasmuch as the pro- ist Micha Elman. posed decree is in a sense precedental. The proposed decree is considered by some as a legal milestone in that it marks the first • Continued from page 4 time interested parties are given a chance to comment on whether the decree should be entered. Some tradesters note therefore, that it will be of much interest to see what position Justice will take on the motion, particularly in view of fact that Justice is given credit for enabling members to state their views before Judge Ryan on October 19. At the ASCAP meeting, Arthur Dean argued that certain confidential matters need not be revealed. Others believe that ASCAP would be averse to revealing certain data on grounds that private parties may at a future date use such data in a suit.

tral Wisconsin State Fair, Marsh-field, Wis., September 4. Connie Francis will play the Ford played the Milwaukee State

In spite of the heavy influx of pop disk names, the country and western recording artists retained

box office attraction. Red Foley has a particularly heavy schedule this year with his "Jubilee, U.S.A." show, playing more than 18 fair dates this season. circuit are Gene Autry, Roy Rog-ers, Ernest Tubb, Skeeter Davis, Kitty Wells, Johnny and Jack, Bill

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Vanguard Joins • Continued from page 4

to couple two Beethoven symphonies in a single tape package, marking the first time two major symphonic works have been included on a single tape reel. Symphonies are the Eroica, the Fifth, Sixth and Seventh. They were recorded by Adrian Boult and the Philharmonic Promenade Orchestra of London.

Other Vanguard artists to be in-cluded in the UST release are conductors Anatol Fistoulari with the Vienna State Orchestra and Mario Rossi. Soloists include Erich Kunz, pianist Denis Mathews and violin-

Decca Issues

stores selling records exclusively, in the city.

Phillips, Jimmy Dickens, George Morgan, Carl Perkins. Pee Wee King and Rex Allen. China Cha Cha • Continued from page 4 Hong Kong will probably convert to stereo much faster than any other European or Asian market.

The Japanese are furnishing the British Crown Colony with good stereo sets retailing at \$100. She says that 35 per cent of all LP's

Hong Kong, according to the petite lass, has a high potential

for records. Because of its duty-

free status, tourists buy heavily there. And servicemen from Oki-

nawa and other American bases shop there consistently for records. Miss da Silva is one of the few women engaged in the engineering

phase of record manufacture. She

majored in chemistry at the Univer-sity of Hong Kong. She is now in charge of the processing of mas-

ters and stampers. She is in charge

of a 45-minute radio show spon-

sored by her comapny, Mercury Diamond, which she programs, writes and supervises. Her firm

also owns two retail outlets in Hong

Kong, which she says are the only

sold are stereo.

ther follows Top Rank's move to get into the "cheap price market." Decca's long-playing pop records have up to now been retailing at nearly \$14.

William Townsley, assistant to Decca's chairman, Ted Lewis, this week denied that his company's decision meant that the trade was in for a "cut price war." Says he: "We are trying to stimulate top LP sales. This is not a price war. The boom reached its peak some time ago and has remained steady." The first disks to be released by Decca will be "Songs From the Shows," and a Winifred Atwell album.

program and order from the records featured in Billboard ads each week.

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Diskeries to Reap Stereo Hypes

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will debut its new "Staccato" mystery series September 10, with with background nusic by Elmer Bernstein.

Record talent will also be heav-

(featuring Kern's most popular tunes), will be telecast December 22. "A Night at the Palace," will be George Burns, and Bobby Darin and Lack Benny as gueste will be and Jack Benny as guests will be shown sometime later this season. Darin will also guest on NBC-TV's "An Evening With Jimmy Du-rante," along with Lawrence Welk, Sal Mineo and Gisele MacKenzie. Durante is trying to sign Van Cliburn for his December 6 spec.

Musical nostalgia will also play a prominnent role this coming season on two of NBC-TV's "Project 20" programs — "Life in the Thirties" and "That Ragtime Rev-olution."

NBC-TV is currently dickering with M-G-M's top musical producer Arthur Freed for a two-hour musical based on Freed movie musi-cal hits — "Gigi," "Silk Stockings." etc. Freed penned "Pagan Love Song." "Temptation," "I Cried for You," and other standards.

NBC-TV also is working on a musical special centering around the life and times of the old West 52d Street, and a Ford spec. starring Tony Curtis in "The Russ Columbo Story," a bio-tribute to the late crooner, who was as big as Sinatra in the '30's. Westerns With Themes

Art Rush is producing seven country and western specials for NBC-TV this fall. The first one, starring Roy Rogers and Eddy Arnold, is scheduled for September

Coca-Cola's "America Pauses in September," NBC-TV, September 18, will feature the McGuire Sisters, the Kingston Trio and Honolulu's Alfred Apaka. Still in the discussion stage at NBC-TV are a couple of Broadway musical projects with Frank Loesser and David Merrick.

Ethel Merman will do an NBC-TV special in November for Ford. Other musical programs on NBC-TV's fall agenda include Gene Kelly's Pontiac special and Fred Astaire's second hour-spec. Also planned by NBC-TV are four NBC Opera shows.

In the dramatic field, NBC-TV has "Laramie," starting September 15, with Hoagy Carmichael introducing a number of songs he has written especially for the series in each episode. Carmichael also wrote the "Laramie" theme music.

Top Rank's Brass

An anti-rock and roll music tery series September 10, with John Cassavetes in the title role, Johnny Staccato, a jazz pianist who plays detective on the side. Jazz 21. William Demarest plays the nusicians appearing in the series veteran publisher "once a picker include Pete Candoli, Barney Kes- of hit songs," who hates r.&r. Pop sel, Shelly Mann, Red Mitchell, disk artists and songwriters will Red Norvo and Johnnny Williams, guest on the show from time to time, and each episode will spotlight both standards and new tunes.

NBC-TV's regular musical variily showcased on regular CBS-TV shows, particularly Ed Sullivan's Sunday night telecast. ety shows — Dinah Shore, Perry Como, Steve Allen, etc. — will continue to spotlight top disk Sunday night telecast. NBC-TV is placing strong em-phasis on musical nostalgia this fall. "A Toast to Jerome Kern" on his NBC-TV Buick specials.

Ballrooms Unveil

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making by several operators to establish new ballrooms, especially on the West Coast. We have heard of plans for at least two milliondollar ballrooms in California within the last few weeks. Reports elsewhere also indicate new ballrooms in the making.

Braun reported quite a few of the top band leaders in the country as well as bookers and other's in the industry would attend the NBOA convention. Band leaders expected to attend include Lawrence Welk, Les Brown, Ralph Marterie and Harry James and others. AFM President Herman Kenin, who will be attending the AFL-CIO convention in San Francisco at the time, has been asked to attend.

The convention program calls for a joint meeting of all the band leaders, bookers and operators on Tuesday, September 22. The convention session on Wednesday, September 23, will be devoted to NBOA affairs.

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more critical at the source and of putting out only those records we are convinced will fill a demand or have within them the germ of success," he remarked.

"Our company," Marek confin-ued, "has begun this year to curtail the number of records we release. We will continue this practice. I hope you can persuade others to do the same so that the industry won't release in the same season seven LP's of Swedish folk songs.

"The horizon is there beyond the clouds, if you can see it. The present struggle is not a death struggle, it's a growth struggle. And please let me reassert our position that nothing in this business can take the place of a sound dealer structure," Marek concluded.

Following Marek's talk, the an-nual "Millie" award for public Tom Shanahan and to Station WEMP.

Life Album Hype

Aug. 24 "4 Stars"	Aug. 29 "Pick of the Week"	Aug. 26 "Best Bet"	REPORIER Aug. 24 "Scoop of the Week"
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wide Rank network of affiliates for purposes of exploiting American disks in foreign markets. Others attending included Ewart G. Abner, chief of VeeJay Records, and Johnny Vincent, prexy of Ace Records, both of whom will have releases overseas via Rank affiliates, and Ned Herzstam of Allied. The schedule called for a number of working sessions, starting Tuesday with an address by Ziffer on "Acquisition of Product for Members." On Wednesday, the topic was to be "Production Plans

and Recording for the International

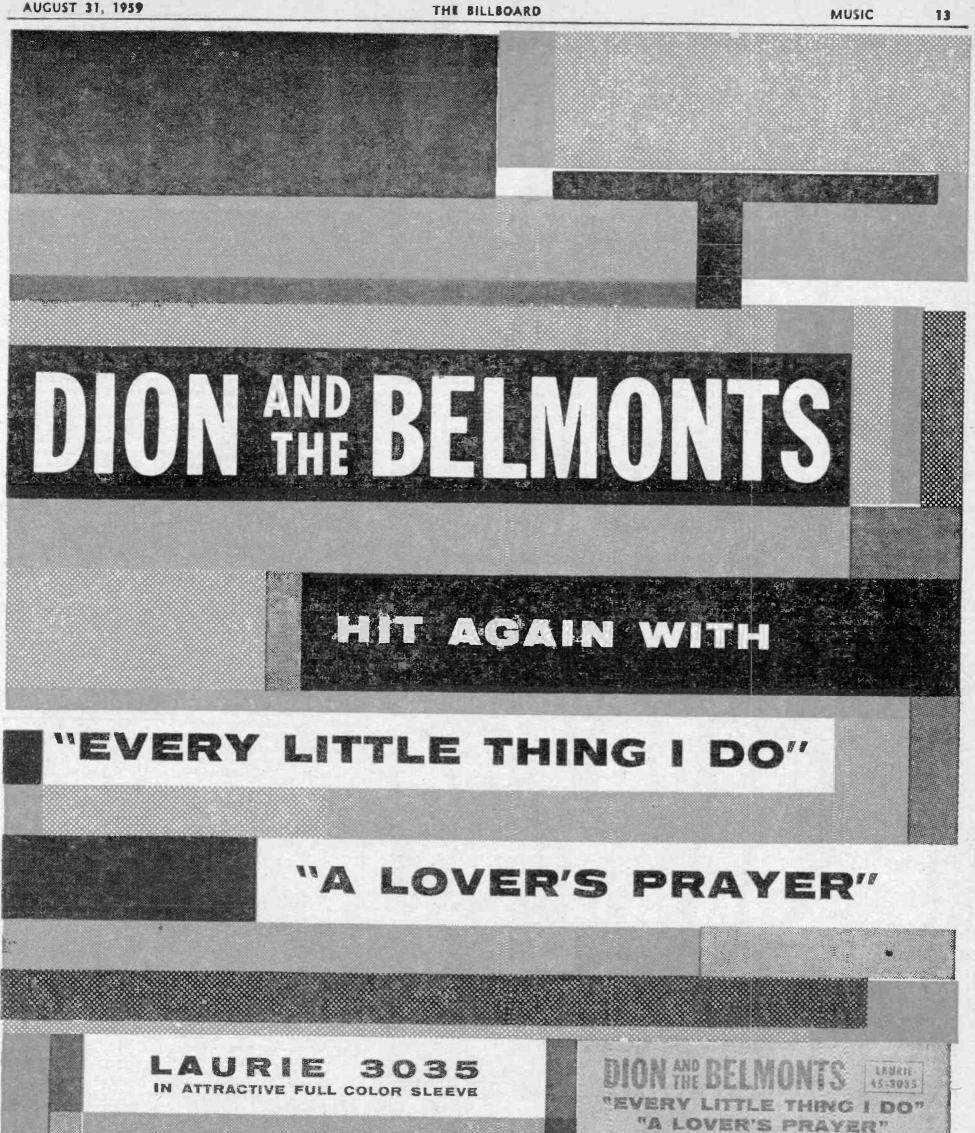
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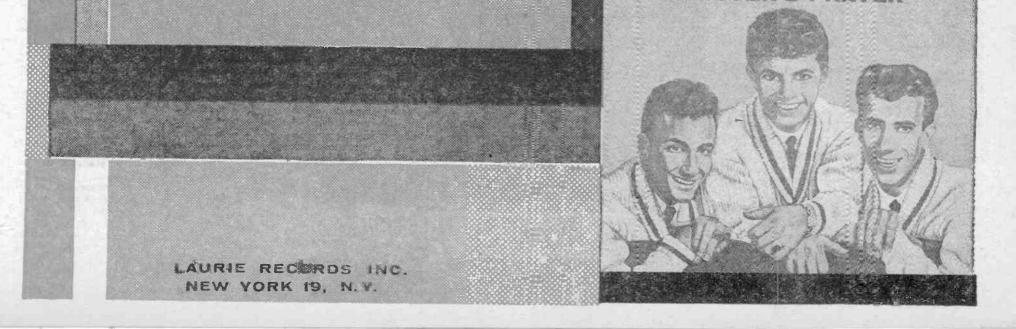
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Crosby Enterprises subsidiary. The Life magazine adaptation was Project's first project. Artists included in the album are Bing Crosby, Rosemary Clooney, Jimmy Driftwood (loaned out by RCA Victor), Sam Hinton, Tarryton Trio, and Bob Thompson conducting his arrangements.

Date of release has not been set, but is scheduled for sometime this fall. It will be made available in stereo and monaural.

Now that the project label's first offering is completed, Rady is Weinstroer and Richard Rowe, starting pre-production prepara-British a.&r. exec of the firm. On tions for the firm's next disk ven-Thursday, Paul Marshall was sched-uled to deliver a talk on "The Development of the Co-Operative." panies.





PHONOGRAPHS • COMPONENTS •

AUDIO NEWS

Communications to 1564 Broadway, New York \$6, N. Y.

New 4-Track

400 Recorder

NEW YORK - The North

American Philips Company an-

nounces a new Norelco tape re-corder the Continental "400"

corder, the Continental "400" (Model EL 3536). The unit will

record and playback four - track stereo tapes at three different speeds— $7\frac{1}{2}$, $3\frac{3}{4}$ and $1\frac{7}{8}$ ips.

A flexible unit, the Continental

400 has several input and output

connections. It can be connected

to play stereo recorded tapes thru

a hi-fi system. The inputs permit

microphone and there are facilities

for mixing (recording from two sig-

Packaged in "high fashion" car-

rying case, it has two amplifiers

packing four watts each. For

stereo playback, an extra speaker

motor housing are located normally but the two speakers are mounted

cabinet is the detachable second

speaker. It also differs from other

ly in that it has a stereo balance

control in addition to volume con-

Unit is priced at \$399.50.

nals simultaneously).

is needed.

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Westinghouse Bows Norelco Shows

31 Phonos for 1960

NEW YORK - A total of 31 At the high end are 23 self-confrom \$149.00 to \$595.00. Some have phono only; others are available with AM radio and AM-FM radio. On the low end are eight models — seven portables and a ment of tape playing mechanisms. consolette — at \$29.95 to \$159.95. Seven consoles have AM radio; 12 Six of these models are stereo.

Consoles are styled in four furni ture groupings. There are nine American Contemporary, nine Custom Traditional, two Imperial Provincial and three Early American models. This division into the four styles applies also to the firm's TV line which debuted at the same time.

Zenith Adds To '60 Line

CHICAGO - Rounding out the Zenith portable phono line are two stereo carry-abouts, and a carrya'l mono instrument, which brings the local firm's portable total to two mono portables and three twochannel portables. The Dante is a four-speed, two speakers in each portion of the dual cabinetry, with loudness, variable tone control and stereo balance control at \$99.95. The Stereo-Teen is also tandemmounted on the front of the phono, manually operated four -speed phono with two speakers in each portion of the cabinet with dual volume controls at \$49.95. The Cheerleader, at \$29.95. is the low-end pricewise of the Zenith line with a four-speed turntable with built-in spindle.

Stereo Turns **Phono Outlook** Red Hot

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try to dramatize it as much as possible on the printed page. But it's up to the dealer to take the word out of the ad page and make it a listening experience for the consumer.

Price Is the Question

Still another pressing question, from the phono firm's point-of-view, is what price categories the consumer will find most attractive. If stereo phono sales follow the pattern established over the they are easy to merchandise. past few years, biggest unit volume will be in the \$40 to \$50 class, the four-speed stereo manual portable player with "bat-wing" speakers. Biggest dollar volume should be in the \$130 to \$150 class, which this year includes de luxe portable, consolettes and table models. What makes price category a bi, question is the number of finefinish consoles available this year. Stress, from components as well as package firms, is on decor. Will the public want that fine furniture enough to pick up the higher tab?

Wide sound separation can be new phono models made a debut achieved at the option of the lisfrom Westinghouse here last week. tener with the use of either small satellite speakers or a console tained stereo consoles, tagged at speaker system which comes in furniture styling to match every unit in the line.

All models, except consolettes, feature two tape inputs for attach-Seven consoles have AM radio; 12 have AM-FM radio. Number and size of speakers and power output vary within the furniture groupings. Amplifiers are powered up to as much as 100 watts.

On the low end, as indicated recording from phono, tuners or above, there are eight models, six of which are stereo. Low end leader is a low-boy consolette at \$139.95. This is a completely selfcontained stereo, requiring no ex-tras, but for widest sound separation, an optional speaker in match-ing enclosure can be used. The optional speaker plugs into a jack provided and it sells for \$29.95. Speaker and consolette come in ood finishes. Top of the portable line is a de Arvin Adds mahogany, limed oak and fruit-wood finishes.

luxe unit at \$149.95. Twin detachable speaker enclosures contain six and four-inch speakers. The preaker system can be senarated **To Portable** speaker system can be separated by as much as 16 feet. Unit has four-speed changer, twin diamond and sapphire stylus and automatic shut-off feature. It comes in charcoal and dark brown. At \$109.95, Westinghouse offers

a variation on the de luxe model in charcoal and tan.

Low end of the stereo portable line is tagged at \$39.95. A four- previous in that the turntable and speed manual unit, it has twin sapphire stylii. Colors are gray and

white, red and white, and turquoise and white. Two of the portables have lift-away speakers. At \$89.95, the model has a speaker unit that de-taches from the cabinet. The cabinet is the detable have a speaker while the other speaker is permanent-the portable case, while the other speaker half of the top of the cabinet is the detable have taches from the cabinet. The \$69.95 unit has a lift-away lid. with automatic shut-off, matching economy-priced equipment generalspeakers for each channel and flipover cartridges.

Two monaural models round out trol. Each speaker contains a four-(Continued on page 16) inch wide frequency speaker.

Dealer Pays Rent Via Needle Sales Formula

CHICAGO - Mac Arbit, owner | zer always sits up on top of one of of Kenmac record shop on the the Kenmac counters, where it is north side here, estimates sales at put to work frequently. over \$500 worth of phonograph "About 99 out of 100 comover \$500 worth of phonograph

needles every month. Arbit, with over 20 years in the music business, said he sells dles. When I receive such a complaints of record scratches inevilarge volume in needles because plaint," says Arbit, "I invite the customer to bring in his needle His formula is simple: "I sim- for inspection. It's easy to slip the ply ask the customers if they need needle under the microscope and

Audio Feedback By RALPH FREAS

PHONO PROSPECTS

What's the phonograph business going to be like this fall? We put that question to Roland Kalb, Chairman of the Board of the Steelman Radio & Phonograph Company, Inc., one of the largest phono firms in the world.

"We have a very clean fall ahead of us for a number of reasons," Kalb said. "Go into a dealer's store as I did last weekend. You won't find a new phonograph on the floor. This is interesting. We've been shipping for some time already. But the dealer has been warehousing the new merchandise and he's been cleaning house on the old. In September, he'll bring out the new models and do a real selling job with them.

"Dealers today have more to select from. He has a number of styles and wood finishes. And the models we're producing today appeal to every taste.

"Frankly, a year ago, we didn't know what we were doing. Stereo happened too fast. We didn't know what the public would want or what the dealer could sell. We produced a stop-gap line.

'Today, we're producing an integrated unit. The customer can buy it as a single self-contained stereo unit. If the customer wants wide separation, he can buy satellite speakers that will separate sound just as far as he wants itinexpensively too. If he wants separation with big high fi-delity sound, we have that, too, with a matching console speaker system that will give wide separation and good sound at the same time. If the customer has the room, this is the unit he'll buy.'

HOLDING DEALER BACK

Is the dealer set to do a good job? "He's much better prepeared than he was last year," Kalb said. "One of the things that held him back last year was inadequate display and floor space. Self-contained stereo solves this problem somewhat. But, if I were a dealer and had inadequate space, I'd clean out a stock room and make a demonstration room of it. Or I'd take additional space either in the building where my store is located or in a nearby empty store, if one is available. A prospect doesn't mind walking a few steps if his interest in stereo is high.

"Another thing in the dealer's favor is the wide selection of stereo disks available. Last fall, the selection was inadequate and the stereo disks that were available, weren't nearly as good as they are today."

WHAT DEALERS CAN DO

Kalb believes that dealers should show loyalty to the brand of phonographs they carry. "What our dealers need," said Kalb, "is the same

kind of selling philosophy followed by the automobile dealers in this country. By that I mean, an auto dealer has one line of merchandise. He's a Ford dealer or a Chevvy dealer and that's it. And, if he's a Ford dealer, he knows each model thoroly. He knows all the features and he can demonstrate them properly. Did you ever see a car dealer get in a car and not know where the brake or starter button was?

"I'd like to see our music dealers operate in the same way. Let them handle one full line—Steelman's or any other. And, if he's a Steelman dealer, he should be interested in and know the company and its business practices. He should know our product thoroly and be able to answer any question about it. He should promote. In short, if he's going to make profits the way we'd like him to, he has to 'go with the product.

SIMPLE STEPS

"The dealers who will make money from a phono line this fall - and I can't stress this enough --- are the ones who know the product inside-out. When a customer comes in for a demonstration, the salesman shouldn't have to hunt around for the 'off-on' switch. He shouldn't have to fiddle around with the changer mechanism to get it to operate properly. And the unit on the floor should be ready for instant demon-stration. All the packing material should be out of the unit. The fine furniture finish should be polished to a high gloss.

"We know the customers are going to be in the stores in great numbers. A new generation is coming along - all those kids who were born around 1940 are approaching the marriageable age and high on their list of most-wanted appliances for their new homes is a phonograph. "What's more, this new group of buyers --- as well as the older group — knows about stereo. The transitional, waiting period is over. Advertising and publicity have taken effect. The selling is about to start in earnest."

Stereo Line COLUMBUS, Ind.-Arvin here added to its portable stereo line us week with a new styling in manually operated carry-about at \$42.95. Model differs from any

If the manufacturers are guessing right and if the dealer can transform his optimism into sales, the American public will be largely listening to two-channel sound next dollar volume.

a replacement needle and tell them point out the damage that worn how important it is to replace needles periodically," Arbit says.

His sales of diamond needles are very high, he reports, because he gives the prospective customer a quality price sales pitch.

"A diamond needle costs more initially," Mac explains, "but it gives 50 times as much value and playing life in return for relatively small difference in price."

Arbit believes point - of - pur-chase material increases impulse purchases of needles substantially. Window displays accenting the importance of replacement needles are used frequently. In addition, Arbit displays his basic stock of year-a factor that will have a still Fidelitone needles and record achealthier effect on disk industry cessories in an illuminated show-dollar volume.

needles can do to a valuable collection of records.

"Experience has taught me," Mac continued, "that being helpful to a needle customer helps to build sales of other articles. People appreciate a little courtesy and usually reward it by continued patronage."

The Chicago dealer said he would rather lose a sale than self the wrong needle to a customer.

"Generally it's not difficult to give the customer the correct needle," Arbit said. "If he or she doesn't have an old needle or a cartridge for identification, I generally can use whatever information they give me to find the right needle in the needle replacement

STEELMAN PROGRESS

Steelman, which formerly operated out of nine widely scattered plants, recently moved into new \$2,000,000 manu-facturing facilities in The Bronx, N. Y. Going thru the new plant is an education in the modern fabrication of electronic equipment. Sub-assembly and assembly lines are working fulltilt at present to deliver the goods dealers will sell next fall. Coming off the lines are Steelman phonos, a full line of Roland radios and the tirm's "Transitape" portable tape recorder.

The firm explains that the new plant will have several healthy effects on their business. For example, the "light level" is a lot higher. In other words, (Continued on page 16)

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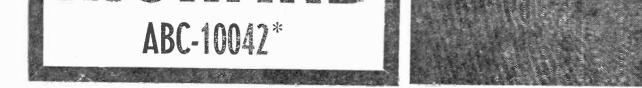
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Columbia Sets Hefty Fall Phono Promotion

NEW YORK - CBS Electron- "Gunsmoke," "Amos and Andy," s, Columbia's phonograph divi- "Bob and Ray," "Have Gun, Will ics, Columbia's phonograph division, is set to kick off what is probably the most elaborate promo-Party." Programs have been seprobably the most elaborate promotion campaign in the company's lected to cover all hours of the history. Tied to the theme, "Stereo day and night. 1, Number One in the Wonderful World of Sound," the campaign will begin in national print media in September. in September.

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Twelve national magazines will be used, including Life, Saturday Evening Post, Time and The New Yorker. The number of ad insertions in each ranges from three to five and are spaced to cover the complete fall selling season - September to December.

Nine network radio shows will be used to tell the Columbia phonograph story and dealers are being alerted to tie-in with the radio shows with a plug for their store in areas reached by the CBS network. Some of the shows that will

Promotion "plusses" from mag-azines that will carry Columbia

Time and easel displays from the Saturday Evening Post. Addi-tional promotion materials avail-able from Columbia are: (1) Three dimensional display for floor, win-dow or counter, (2) stereo motion display for Columbia's C-1004 portable, (3) banners and streamers, (4) line folder, (5) line book in full color, (6) full color wall chart, (7) pocket data folder for salesmen, (8) transistor radio spec sheets, (9) transistor radio stuffers, and, (10) a permanent outdoor sign.

Promotion ideas are spelled out for the dealer in a large advertising-merchandising program book. The book gives samples of direct mail pieces the dealer can use, specific telephone sales pitche: to be used in contacting the customer that way, spot announcements for use on local radio - the dealer has only to fill in his name. Extensive product ad mats and special muts for special promotions can be ordered by number from the Columbia distributor.

"We think we've touched all mounted speaker and separate volbases in getting this 1960 Colum-bia line started," Bill Horne, Columbia's ad and promotion director told The Billboard.

"We have a product that everyone tells us has quality and appearance. The promotion aspect is All the news of your industry geared to keep excitement going constantly thruout the fall selling



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a four-speed manual player, front-

mounted speaker, volume and tone

controls and flip-over cartridge.

Colors are gray and white, tur-quoise and white and red and

white.

the workers on the line will be able to work faster and do a better job simply because the fluorescent tubes are throwing considerably more illumination than they had in their other facilities.

MORE STEELMAN UNITS

Steelman's business has changed radically in recent years, Roland Kalb explained. In 1953, 70 per cent of their business was "contract" business, that is, sets made for other firms and distributed under the other firms' name. Only 30 per cent was put on the market under the Steelman name. And of the 70 per cent of contract business, practically all of it was for one firm.

Today, the reverse is true. Only 30 per cent is contract business and that is spread evenly among six large firms. The other 70 per cent bears the Steelman label. Business generally has, at the same time, increased greatly. The firm is doing 30 per cent this year over last.

Kalb attributes the company's growth to one important factor.

"We keep the consumer in mind," he told The Billboard. "That is, we don't turn out a product to sell on a quota basis to various dealers. We don't load them with just any product and tell them, 'this is what you have to sell.' We have the ultimate buyer just a few short years."



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com and public address systems. Thus, the acquisition of Bel Canto places TRW in the position of manufacturing recorded mate-rial as well as playback equipment.

Russ Molloy, Bel Canto's former executive director, will become president of the TRW subsid. Existing BC management will remain unaltered by the change in ownership. Molloy will report to Bill Jones, veepee in charge of TRW's commercial electronics group. Bel Canto becomes the third member of the group, joining Bell Sound and Dave Television, manufacturers of closed circuit television equipment for military and commercial use.

TRW's purchase of Bel Canto climaxed an extended period of on and off negotiations. After a series of hot and cold talks when it appeared that no agreement between buyer and seller could be reached Molloy resigned his post at Bel Canto to accept an exec sales and market development position with the recently formed United Stereo Tapes, an Ampex Audio subsidiary. A few days later, before Molloy actually reported to his UST post, the TRW negotiations flared anew. Molloy resigned the UST position and returned to Bel Canto to enter into the talks which led to the final sale.

were not revealed at press time. It track tape in action. s known, however, that Molloy UST will be launching consumer owned 20 per cent of BC's stock. The remaining interest in the firm behalf of its dealers. It has access was shared by Nate Dureff and to housands or four-track equip-Nate Rothstein, 'owners of Monarch Record manufacturing plant, its parent firm (Ampex Audio) and one of the largest independent several other manufacturers. It disk pressing facilities on the Coast. With Molloy at BC's helm, it will operate as a completely autonomous subsidiary of TRW. The BC catalog consists of 66 titles and includes stereo tape and disk product. In addition, Bel Canto holds tape releasing contracts with such labels as Dot Records, Liberty, Stereo Fidelity, Am Par and Jubilee. The firm will make its product sales activities. He will then take available in all the existing tape forme, including two-track, four-track seven and half ips and the firm's distributors.

UST Booming Four-Track Stereo Tape

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preaking with full page ads in eight national publications. Ads bunch home the four-track concept of superior sound reproduction plus economy with the slogan, "Music Sounds Best on Tape — It Always has — But Now You Can Afford It." Space is devoted to singing tape's praises and impressing the prospective buyer with the vast selection of recorded material available to him in four - track seven and a half ips tape. This is achieved by listing the labels who have come aboard the UST bandwa_bon.

United tones down its own identity, running its sig in smaller print as distributor and offering to give readers further information as to where they can buy the tapes by writing to its Sunnyvale (Calif.) headquarters.

In addition to the consumer ads, UST marketing manager Bill Muster has prepared an imposing arsenal of promotional material and merchandising programs to support the product and expedite its sale at the dealer level. These include dealer displays, in-store promotional devices, point of sale aids, direct mail material plus a direct mail campaign by UST on behalf of the individual dealers.

Altogether, the combined national ad campaign and promotion at the dealer level will give prerecorded tape its widest consumer exposure and strongest support in its history. It will mark the first time that a concerted drive of such magnitude has ever been staged.

Each in-store promotional device will carry the UST theme, "Music Sounds Better on Tape," thereby effecting a tie-in with the national consumer ad campaign. Promotional material currently available to UST's dealers includes full color displays composed of an array of tape album covers of top sellers found in its current release. Merchandising rack, holding 50 tape boxes is intended to serve as a selling display as well as the starter for a dealer's tape department.

In addition, window streamers bearing the UST slogan and counter pamphlets explaining the fourtrack story and listing some available recordings are also being sent to dealers. A 12-by-14-inch counter card carries answers to typical questions usually asked about fourtrack tape, will also be furnished music merchants handling UST's multi-label line.

To further expose consumers to this tape concept and help bring customers into the store, UST has prepared invitation mailers. These are for dealer mailings to their patrons inviting them to a tape lis-tening party. These "parties" will help the dealer demonstrate his Financial details of the sale tape equipment as well as four-



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AUDIO BOOK COMPANY St. Joseph, Michigan

every week in The Billboard ... season," Horne said.

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PHONOGRAPH DIRECTORY ISSUE

Today's Phonos-and how to sell them

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DETAILED DIRECTORIES of current and coming phonographs by SPE-CIFIC PRICE CATEGORIES

a wealth of practical ideas and suggestions to help dealers make the most of the outstanding sales and profit opportunities offered by today's phono equipment.

direct mail campaigns of its own on will blanket these prospective tape buyers with literature on the fourtrack story plus a list of dealers who carry the tape stock.

three and three quarter ips tape cartridge.

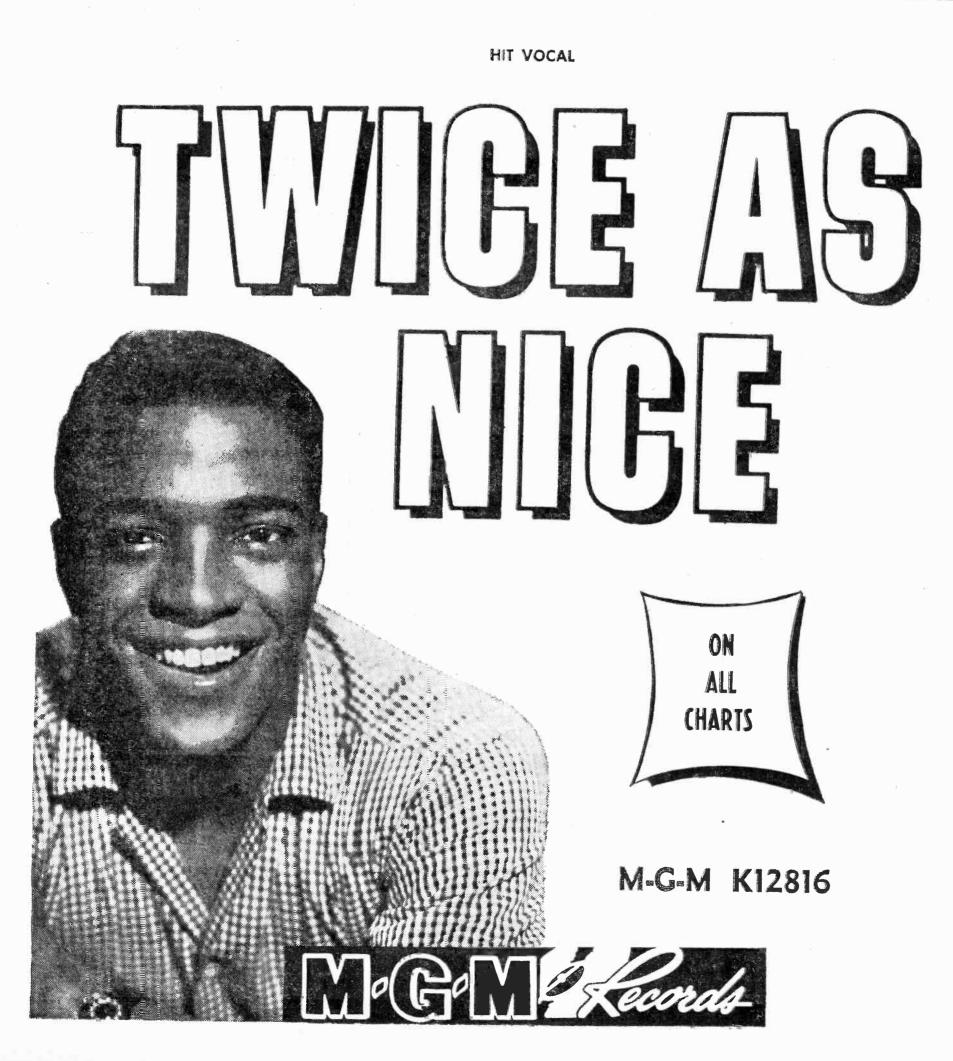
Molloy leaves this weekend for a national sales conference of his firm's reps where he will outline BC's accelerated recording and AUCUST 31, 1959

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This is it—the announcement they've all been waiting for!

Billboard's brand-new quarterly programming edition is now in the works...will be issued in the same type of conveniently-sized $8\frac{1}{2} \times 11$ format, on bright white slick-stock, and stitched into the Billboard's September 28 issue.

It's another great opportunity for advertisersrecord companies, recording artists and publishers-to make a really strong impression on far more disk jockeys and station programming people than it is possible to reach in any other way.

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IMPORTANT NOTE: Because of the special mechanical requirements of The Billboard's Sept. 28 slick-stock Quarterly Programming Guide, It has been necessary to advance the advertising deadline to September 21. Advertising material received after that date (and up to the afternoon of September 23) will be accepted only for the regular newsprint section of Sept. 28 Billboard.

MUSIC FEATURES

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By JUNE BUNDY

HAWAII'S ALL-FEM STATION: Hawaii was once ruled by a Queen, so it seems only fitting that Honolulu station KNDI (pronounced Candy) will operate as an all-girl station by mid-fall. Jim Ownby, prexy of Aloha State Broadcasters and Telecasters, Inc., said that "an island-to-island talent search will be undertaken and we're confident we'll find an abundant supply of feminine talent personifying the natural charm of the many races that make Hawaii so interesting." He added that islanders will be given first consideration, altho mainland talent will also be interviewed.

In keeping with its slogan, "Candy, the sweetest sound in all the Hawaiian Islands," KNDI will spotlight sweet music. The 24-hour station, a 5,000 watter, is expected to send a clear signal over the entire Island group. Ownby currently operates WJN, Jackson, Miss.; KONI, Phoenix, Ariz.; and KELE-FM, Phoenix, Ariz.

MUSICASTERS MEET: The Musicasters Programming Conference met in Portland, Me., this month to elect a new Advisory Council to serve on future regional meetings. Presiding at the meet was Lee Novak, executive secretary. Elected to the Council were was Lee Novak, executive secretary. Elected to the Council were Roger Clark, WGH, Norfolk; Tony Davis, WOCB, West Yarmouth, Mass.; Paul Drew, WGST, Atlanta; Bob Furry, KTAR, Phoenix, Ariz.; Evan Hughes, KVOL, Lafayette, La.; Ron Jacobs, KPOI, Honolulu, Hawaii; Paul Kasander, WABC, New York; Bob Klose, WFIL, Philadelphia; Ben Mayo, WGAC, Augusta, Ga.; Mark Prichard, WTGO, Cypress Gardens, Fla.; Dick Smith, WORC, Worcastar, Masse, Lim Stake, KGFE, Bakerstield, Calif. Kenny Worcester, Mass.; Jim Stoke, KGEE, Bakersfield, Calif.; Kenny Vincent, WBRD, Brandenton, Fla.; Bob Weils, WEBR, Buffalo, and John Wrisley, W1S, Columbia S. C.

"AIR" JOCKS: Still more jocks are literally taking to the air this summer in various promotional moves. Jim Hummel, KOIL, Omaha, was suspended in space (in a 1959 auto) by a giant crane some 70 feet high this month at Cape Calandra (Calandra's Camera Store in downtown Omaha) vowing to remain their until the Nebraska Highway fatality toll for 1959 is lower than that of 1958. The stunt, brainchild of KOIL veepee Vill Stewart, is designed to focus public attention on the rising traffic death toll on Nebraska's highways.

Hummel expects to remain aloft for from four to six weeks. Utilizing the theme "There's Life in Omaha," Hummel will urge listeners to stay in the city over the long Labor Day holiday.

Meanwhile, Tim Tate, KISN, Portland, Ore., is hanging from the "KISN Cage" some 40 feet in the air above the Oregon Centennial Exposition and says he won't come down until the millionth visitor passes thru the Exposition gates. at the writing he had been in the cage some three weeks, airing his daily "Fabulous 50" show from space.

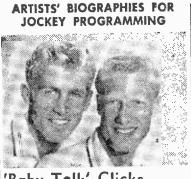
CHANGE OF THEME: Dick Shepherd, formerly with WNEW and WCBS, New York, will join WABC, same city, September 14 in the noon to 2 p.m. spot across-the-board. Fred **Robbins** returns to his fall schedule—2-4 p.m. on WABC at that time. Joe Ford, formerly with KATR, Corpus Christi, Fla., and Jeff Davis, formerly with WHHM, Memphis, have joined KNUZ, Houston. Ford emsees two daily shows, from 8 to 9 p.m. and from noon to 2 p.m. Davis takes over the "Housewives' Hit Parade."

John Nebel, host on "Long John Party Line," WOR, New York, midnight to dawn, has renewed his contract with the outlet for another year. Plans are also in the making for "Long John" to emsee a WOR-TV show. Edward A. Whitney Jr., will replace Robert M. Peebles as veepee-general manager of WKNY, Kingston, N. Y. Peebles leaves WKNY next month to join Capital Cities TV Corporation, Albany, N. Y.

"Lucky Pierre" Gonueau, heretofore night-time deejay for WBNY, Buffalo, is moving into that outlet's 3-7 p.m. time slot with a "Top Forty Show."... Bob Lynn, formerly with KNUZ, Houston, has moved to KPRZ, Freeport, Tex.... Don French is resigning as chief deejay of KTSA, San Antonio, to become program director for the Crowell-Collier radio group in Minneapolis.

Joe Brannon left WEYE. Sanford, N. C., last month. New appointments at KWON, Bartlesville, Okla., are as follows: New jocks include Pete Bryant, Ray Morgan and Charlie Wilser; while Jim Chase, formerly with KSYD, Wichita Falls, Tex., is KWON's new program producer. . . . Jim Procter, formerly with WEZL, Richmond, has moved to WLLY, same city.

New general manager of KIKK, Bakersfield, Calif., is Bill Hasbrook, who "is looking for both albums and singles." ... Ronnie Esty appointed program producer of Murray Kaufman's all-night show on WINS, New York.... Arthur E. Haley is the new general manager of WEZE, Boston.... Chuck Peller, WSOO, Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., needs records, particularly from Indie labels. Clark Race, KDKA, Pittsburgh, celebrated his first anniversary with the station this month by featuring disks that were popular one year ago. . . Clyde Battin has taken a leave of absence from KMOP, Tucson, Ariz., to make personal appearances to plug his new hit record, "It Was 1." Battin is "Skip" of Skip and Flip. Joe McLaine, WAEB, Allentown, Pa., is running a contest tying in with the Olympics new disk, "Private Eye." Listeners are asked to write and tell the jock the names of "Private Eye"-type shows which are mentioned in the lyrics. Winner receives a "Dick Tracy Private Eye" set. BACKFIRE: Over 10,000 match book covers poured into the WGY, Schenectady, Pa., mail room in response to a plea, aired four times by Tony Carvell, on the station's late evening record show. The rain of covers started when a listener wrote and asked Carvell if he would send his empty match book covers to an injured friend who collects them as a hobby. In response to Carvell's suggestion that his listeners join him in sending match book covers to the disabled person, the station was flooded.



'Baby Talk' Clicks For Jan and Dean

Jan and Dean, whose "Baby Talk" is showing strong chart ac-tion, are two 18-year-old lads from Los Angeles. Their full names are Jan Berry and Dean Torrence. In appearance, the boys are look-alikes. Both are blond and over six feet tall. At L. A.'s University High School, they earned letters for football and sang together at school dances and parties.

Jan had a hit record a while back with his friend Arnie Ginsberg. The disk was "Jennie Lee.' When Ginsberg entered the Navy, "Jan and Arnie" became "Jan and Dean.

"Baby Talk" was taped in Jan's garage, and was released on the Dore label. The partners are now science majors at California colleges. Their favorite sport is swimming.



Yugoslav Hits U. S. Via German Waxing

Twenty-eight-year-old lvo Robic (pronounced Eevo Robish) is a Yugoslavian who's hitting the American charts via a German record.

Robic was born near Zagreb. He studied at the Conservatory for a career as a music teacher. But after a successful audition with the Zagreb Radio Dance Orchestra, he became a pop singer.

The artist speaks and sings in German, French, Italian, Spanish and English. In 1948 he cut his first sides for Jugaton, a Yugoslavian diskery. Since then, he has made over 100 records. As his country's top performer, he is much in demand for personal appear-ances. Robic has toured Germany extensively. He waxed his current International hit in Hamburg for the Polydor label. "Morgen" has been released in the U. S. by Laurie Records.

YESTERYEAR'S TOPS-

The nation's top tunes on records as reported in The Billboard

- AUGUST 17, 1949
 - 1. Some Enchanted Evening 2. Room Full of Roses
 - 3. You're Breaking My Heart

DISTRIBUTOR NEWS

By HOWARD COOK

DISTRIB DOINGS: Dynasty Records has switched to Best Record Distributing Company in Buffalo and to Huffine Distribut-ing Company in Seattle.... Trinity Record Distributors is now handling United Artists and Unart' Records in East Hartford, Conn.

PHILADELPHIA: Ted Kellem of Marnel sends word that "Morgen" by Ivo Robic on Laurie is one of his fastest breaking disks. Cameo has a smash with Bobby Rydell's "Kissin' Time." Top Imperial platters are "Sweeter Than You" b-w "Just a Little Too Much" by Ricky Nelson, "I Wanna Walk You Home" by Fats Domino, "Love Me Now" by Jules Farmer and "La Shabla" by Henri Rene. Golden Crest is swinging with "Mau-Mau" by the Wailers and "Billy Boy's Tune" by the Three Graces. Epic strong ones are "Make Believe Baby" by Sal Mineo, "Time Marches On" by Roy Hamilton and "My Little Grass Shack" by Joe Harnell.

Carlton is still flying with "Till There Was You" by Anita Bryant, "The Way I Walk" by Jack Scott and "A Girl Like You" by Gary Stites. "Porgy" by Monte Kelly is also showing. Specialty is hot with "One Little Answer" by Don Christy and "Shake a Hand" by Little Richard. Top UA items are "I'm Coming Home" by Marv Johnson and "Love Potion No. 9" by the Coasters. Claro Records has a hit with "Mrs. Billy Brown" by Judy Scott. Colpix has a big record with "Angel Face" by Jimmy Down by Judy Scott. Corplet has a big record with "Angel Face" by Jimmy Darren, and Nina Simone's LP, "The Amazing Nina Simone," is strong. Savoy's strongest are "A Good Man Is Hard to Find" by Big Maybelle and "I Need Your Love" by the Gay Poppers.

Bob Heller of Chips Distributors writes that "Mary Lou" by Ronnie Hawkins on Roulette is his top seller. "Sleep Walk" by Santo & Johnny on Canadian-American is a close second. "Morgen" by Rex Allen on Vista is starting to take off. Top LP's of the week are "Chuck Berry on Top" on Chess and "Breakfast Dance at Miami" by the Count Basie ork on Roulette. Heller thinks that Stereo-Fidelity is going to have a big season with their new flock of LP's

CHICAGO: Hal Gold of Capitol Records Distributing Cor-poration lists "Worried Man" by the Kingston Trio as his top record. "Midnight Flyer" by Nat King Cole is big. "On an record. "Midnight Flyer" by Nat King Cole is big. "On an Evening in Roma" by Dean Martin and "High Hopes" by Frank Sinatra are holding well. "Tango Militaire" by Frank Pourcel has been getting play. Ditto "You Came a Long Way From St. Louis" by Peggy Lee and George Shearing. "I'll Be Seeing You" by Tommy Sands is starting. Strongest new albums are "No One Cares" by Frank Sinatra, "Beauty and the Beat" by Peggy Lee and George Shearing, "Glad to Be Here" by Ed Townsend, "Gather 'Round" by Tennessee Ernie Ford and "Island Paradise" by Webley Edwards.

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Bern Bain of Columbia Record Distributors, Inc., lists "Party Sing-A-Long With Mitch," by Mitch Miller, "It's the Talk of the Town" by the Ray Conniff Singers, "Charlie Weaver Sings for His People," "Songs of Our Soil" by Johnny Cash and "Heavenly" by Johnny Mathis as the strongest of the new Columbia LP's. Top singles are "Smile" by Tony Bennett "You're All I Love For" by Johnny Bennett by Tony Bennett, "You're All I Love For" by Johnnie Ray, "Battle Hymn of the Republic" by the Mormon Tabernacle Choir, "Sal's Got a Sugar Lip" b-w "Johnny Reb" by Johnny Horton and "Small World" by Johnny Mathis.

Monte Hirsch of the RCA Victor Distributing Corporation Monte Hirsch of the RCA Victor Distributing Corporation reports strong action on "The Three Bells" by the Browns. "Makin' Love" by Floyd Robinson is big. "Don't Tell Me Your Troubles" by Don Gibson is getting action. "A Big Hunk o' Love" by Elvis Presley is still strong. "Come and Get It" by Ray Peterson is hot "Bermuda" by the Crew Cuts is also showing. Top albums are "A Date With Elvis" by Elvis Presley, "Peter Gunn" and "More Music From Peter Gunn" by Henry Mancini, "Impact" by Buddy Morrow, the sound track of "South Pacific," both volumes of "Victory at Sea" and "Favorites in Hi-Fi" by Jeanette McDonald "Victory at Sea" and "Favorites in Hi-Fi" by Jeanette McDonald and Nelson Eddy.

Margaret Kraft of Decca Distributing Corporation men-tions "I Ain't Never" by the Four Preps, "My Heart Is An Open Book" by Carl Dobkins Jr., "Just as Much as Ever" by Bob Beckham and "She Loves the Love I Give Her" by Tompall and the Glaser Brothers.

SHREVEPORT, La.; Sandra Lewis of Stan's Record Shop writes that her boss Stan Lewis is advertising nightly over KTHS, Little Rock, Ark. and KWKH, Shreveport. On the particular program only LP's are played. Top LP's at the moment are those by Jimmy Reed, B. B. King, Chuck Berry and Bo Diddley.

Again 5. Someday (You'll Want Me to Love You) 6. Baby, It's Cold Outside The Four Winds and the Seven Seas 8. Riders in the Sky Maybe It's Because 10. Forever and Ever AUGUST 28, 1954 1. Sh-Boom 2. Hey, There 3. Little Shoemaker Little Things Mean a Lot 4. High and the Mighty 5. In the Chapel in the Moonlight 6. Three Coins in the Fountain 8. Hernando's Hideaway 9. Goodnight, Sweetheart, Goodnight 10. I'm a Fool to Care

NEW YORK: John Stevens of King Records Distributors places "Porgy" by Nina Simone on Bethlehem at the top of the list. Following are "Leave My Kitten Alone" by Little Willie John and "After Hours" by Bill Doggett on King, "It Was You" by James Brown on Federal, "Sugaree" by Hank Ballard and the Midnighters on King and "Hard Luck Blues" by Roy Brown on King. Strongest LP is "Little Girl Blue" by Nina Simone on Bethlehem.

SAN FRANCISCO: Stan Cumberpatch of New Sound Distributors called to report that "Sleep Walk" by Santo & Johnny is now the most played record on all of the top stations in San Francisco. He has received a vocal cover by Betsy Brye also on Canadian-American, and the initial response is heavy. Other platters that are doing well are "In the Mood" by Ernie Field on w Rendezvous, "My Own True Love" by Jimmy Clanton on Ace and "Morning Star" by the Balladeers on Del-Fi.

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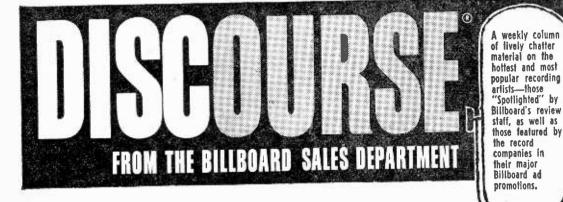
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HARRY BELAFONTE arrived in New York last week after a cross-country singing tour to promote his new film, Odds Against Tomorrow. The picture was produced by Belafonte's own inde-pendent movie-making organization, and stars Robert Ryan and Shelley and stars kopert kyan and Shelley Winters along with Belafonte, RCA Victor has released Belafonte At Car-negle Hall, a collection of his finest songs recorded during his concert there.

PAT BOONE is in Hollywood putting the finishing touches on his science fiction film Journey to the Center of the Earth. Pat and the family will return to their Teaneck, N. J., home in time for rehearsing his TV show which commences Oct. 1. Dot has another winner in his new releases, Fools Hall of Fame b-w Brightests, Wishing Star, both Billboard Picks.

JIMMY CLANTON: The young man from Baton Rouge, La., who hit the million mark with Just a Dream, is on the charts with a Billboard Pick, My Own True Love. The Ace recording artist will be at the Fox Theater, Brooklyn, N. Y., Sept 4 thru 13. He will be part of the Dick Clark Cara-van scheduled for one-nighters starting Sept. 18. Sept. 18.

CARL DORKINS JR. is the 17-yearold from Cincinnati, O., whose Decca release, My Heart Is An Open Book, puts him in the running as one of the best of the new singers on the scene this year. Decca has re-released one this year. Decca has re-released one of his earlier efforts. If You Don't Want My Lovin' b-w Love Is Every-thing, both Spotlighted by The Bill-board. Carl is on his way back from Hawaii where he was making personal appearances, and will be doing a string of personals in the Frisco area from Sept. 3 to 12. The Ohio National Guard hea him scheduled for a six Guard has him scheduled for a sixmonth engagement beginning Sept. 27.

BIRTHDAYS OF THE WEEK: Aug. 31, Arthur Godfrey. Sept. 1, Jimmy Clanton. Sept. 4, Dick Morgan — one of the Morgan Brothers. Sept. 6, John Charles Thomas.

TOMMY EDWARDS' latest on M-G-M I've Been There, is climbing on the Hot 100. A native of Richmond, Va., Tommy's interests center around music. In addition to singing, he's a plause and collecting song writer, piano player and collects classical music as a hobby. As Tommy said in his million seller "It's All in the Game."

PAUL EVANS is a new name on the first release of a new label. Guaran-teed Records is the label, a subsid of Carlton, and Seven Little Girls Sitting in the Back Seat is the song. Evans, 21, is from Jamaica, Queens, and from a musical family. He also plays guitar, drums, plano and composes—wrote When, recorded by the Kalin Twins. This new release, written by Bob When, recorded by the Kaim Iwins. This new release, written by Bob Hilllard (Dearie, Clvilization, Dear Hearts & Gentle People) and Lee Pockriss (What Is Love, My Heart Is an Open Book), is a cute tume belied nicely by Evans with a strong assist from a female group called The Curls. Rates a Billboard Spotlight.

FABIAN: After he finishes making his film which will be sometime early

The GAYLORDS: Burt Bonaldi and The GAYLORDS: Burt Bonatol and Ronnie Gaylord are the two Detroiters who make up this singing-comedy duo. Their Mercury recording of The Shovel (La Shabla) is chart material.

TAB HUNTER is hoping his latest Warner Brothers release, Waitin' for Fall b-w Our Love, will be as big as his gold record Young Love. Tab's athletic past—professional ice skater, championship tennis player, Olympic skier and rider of jumping horses— helped put him in condition for the vigorous role he plays in the movie vigorous role he plays in the movie They Came to Corduro.

ISLEY BROTHERS, Ronald, 18, Rudolph, 20, and O'Kelly, 21, are three brothers from Cincinnati, O. on the scene with Shout, Part 1 and 2, on RCA Victor out of Hugo & Luigi Productions.

JERRY KELLER, now up on the hit list with Here Comes Summer, offers another appealing single on Kapp, If I Had a Girl b-w Lovable. Jerry was born in Fort Smith, Ark., and raised in Tulsa, Okla.

JOHNNY MATHIS was recently de-scribed as "a cunning stylist possessed of a voice which can soar high into the exosphere of the male range and which, at its best, shimmers with the which, at its best, shimmers with the delicate, pure, ocarina tone of a choir boy, yet at the same time throbs with a sure-fire sensuality that has the quail quaking in their bobby sox." Audiences at the Bolero Club, Wild-wood, N. J., are being exposed to his eloquence till Sept. 6.

McGUIRE SISTERS, Chris, Dotty and Phyllis, will probably include their new Coral release, Red River Valley b-w Compromise, in their performance at the Municipal Aud., Phila., Sept. 11 and the New Arena, Pittsburgh, Sept. 127 Sept. 17-27.

********** To help you spot the ones you need, when you need them, all artist items are carried in strict

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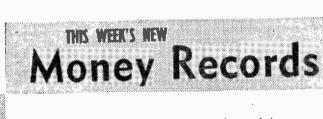
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TEDDY RANDAZZO is in The Billboard Spotlight Circle with a hot entry on ABC-Paramount. Title is Lies b-w I'm On a Merry-Go-Round. Trile is Los b-will probably include these tunes in his act at the Club Safari, College Point, Queens, N. Y., Sept. 18-19.

TOMMY SANDS' days as a civilian are numbered. The Capitol artist is expected to enter the Air Force blue expected to enter the Air Force office shortly. Tommy's latest single is 1'll Be Seeing You, a smooth chanting with lush arrangement, and That's the Way I Am, both picked by The Billboard.

ANDY WILLIAMS: The singer who has had one of the most successful summer TV shows, should have chart sides with his lattest platter: Summer Love b. w Lonely Street. Andy's luck-iest break was getting a job on the Tonight TV show a couple of years back.

PROMOTION MONTH, DAYS AND WEEKS: September is Child Foot Health Month, National Bet-ter Breakfast Month, National ter Breakfast Month, National Welded Products Month, Ameri-can Wool Month, American Home Lighting Fixture Month and Sons' and Daughters' Month. Sunday, Sept. 6 is Labor Day. Purpose: To honor the workers of the nation in recognition of the contribution they make to the welfare of the gountry as a whole."



. an alphabetical listing of the records manufacturers are backing with special feature treatment in big-space Billboard ads.

SINGLES

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BRIGHTEST WISHING STAR-Pat BooneDot
DON'T TELL ME YOUR TROUBLES-Don Gibson RCA Victor
DON'T YOU KNOW-Della ReeseRCA Victor
EVERY LITTLE THING I DO-Dion & The Belmonts Laurie
EVERYTHING I HAVE IS YOURS-Dorothy Collins Top Rank
FOOLS HALL OF FAME-Pat BooneDot
GOT THE FEELING-FabianChancellor
LIVING DOLL-Cliff Richards & DriftersABC-Paramount
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MILLS SECURES FRENCH HIT

Jack Mills, on his recent trip to Europe, secured the recent French pop hit "A Bientot" for U. S. publication. Tune was penned by Paul Durand, with lyrics by Pierre Havet and Pierre Delance. Song has been given English lyrics by Mitchell Parish, and the tune is now titled "(I'm Alone Because I Want) You Alone."

New York

Eli Oberstein has appointed Reggie Haney as Midwest field sales manager. Oberstein also this week pacted Russ Case to the position of musical director of the Rondo label. Case and Oberstein were together at RCA Victor from 1945 thru 1948... Bill Hill, sales chief of Fiesta Records, will be off to Europe early in September on a month long business trip. Bill is going overseas to pick up new material for the label's international line and to work out distribution arrangements abroad for Fiesta in many countries. .. Rose Weitzner Goldberg, mother of Bernie Wayne, died last Saturday at the age of 62.... Robert Merrill has signed with the Metopera for his 15th consecutive season.... Castle Records has signed Gene Demar, young vocalist. Label also is releasing this week an album featuring thrush Jean Martin.... James Darren, young Colpix hitmaker, will be a singing guest star in the Dick Clark movie "Because They're Young," which will be released by Columbia Pictures.

Sol Winkler, president of Audicon has okayed a deal to join Laurie Records as a.&r. man. He will handle most of their sessions, working with Laurie exec Gene Schwartz. . . Barbara Mc-Nair is now at the Flame in Detroit.... Rocky Matero has signed with Atlantic.... The McGuire Sisters will play the New Arena in Pittsburgh starting Thursday, September 17.... Kai Winding and his combo are now at Trader John's in Pensacola, Fla.... Gene Krupa and his crew will be at the Colonial Tavern, Toronto, starting September 7.... Chris Connor opens at the Village Vanguard, New York, on September 1.... Roy Eldridge starts at the Arpeggio in New York, Tuesday (September 1) for a week.

Dancer Roberto Iglesias, who will open with his Ballet Espanol at the Winter Garden in New York on September 22, has a new album out on RCA Victor of Mexico, which was produced and directed by Carlyle for the label, with the libretto by his wife, Doris W. Carlyle... Jon Hendricks will write special verses to introduce all major artists appearing at California's Monterey Jazz Festival in October. ... The Sal Salvador Ork is looking for a new girl singer. Prospective thrushes should send demo records and pictures to the ork at the Adler Building on West 46th Street in New York.... Westwood Records chief, Charlie Roach has signed young rocker N. A. Stephenson. Bob Rolontz.

Chicago

Mel Price, 20-year-old son of Morry Price, is acting as d.J. contact man until he returns to Northwestern University this fall for his junior year. Ralph Cox is senior contactman with the distribbery. . . . Dave Young, former sax with Lucky Millinder and Roy Eldridge, is advertising space salesman with The Chicago Defender, Negro daily. Millinder now a liquor salesman in Manhattan. . . . Fred Waring devoting the full week here at the choral workshop under the auspices of the Catholic Music Educators of Chicago. . . Mercury Records set to open its own branch in Pittsburgh. . . Elizabeth Lands, Gotham folk warbler, inked . Orchestras. with Mercury, with an LP due out in mid-October. . . Inc., here has set Russ Carlyle and his orchestra on Mercury, with Mercury picking up a Carlyle original polka master to start.

Smokey Stover and the Original Firemen have inked with Argo's Jack Tracy for an album and are set until January 1 on Midwest locations. . . Orchestras, Inc., is handling radio and TV deejay, Jim Lounsbury, for record hops. . . Joe Kayser, veteran indie band booker, has a week of one-nighter special attraction dates in ballrooms for Myron Florin, the Welk accordionist, and dates in October on the Tiny Little Junior Trio, led by ex-Welk 88-er. . . Allan recording artist, Harold Thunderbird Ward, is reportedly doing S.R.O. business at Club Moderne. Prexy Jerry Allen, of Allen Records, is readying Ward for a new session at Hall Recording Studios. This will be a follow-up to his earlier disk "How Wild Can a Woman Be?"

Cincinnati

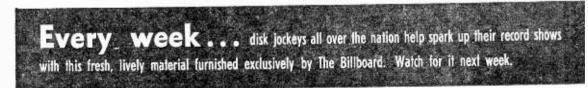
Pianist Burt Farber, a Cincinnatian by way of Brooklyn, will be musical director of Dick Clark's new show, "World of Talent," which bows on the ABC-TV network October 4. . . . Rex Dale, formerly for nine years on WCKY here, where he developed into one of the most popular platter spinners in the area, and for the last 18 months on Pittsburgh radio, is back on the local scene doing the morning show on Ed Skotch's WZIP . . . Chapin (Chick) Crabtree, who owned and operated a music store in Edinburg, Ind., died there August 21 at the age of 53. . . . Shirley Jester, mended from a recent operation, has resumed her pianistics in the Coal Hole of the Hotel Sinton. . . . Guitarist Jose Madrigal holds forth nightly in the suburban Key Room Lounge. . . . Ralph Marterie and ork are the Friday night (4) feature in Stardust Gardens at LeSourdsville Lake, Middletown, O., with the Crew Cuts moving in Saturday (5) to appear with Sammy Leeds' orchestra in the park's pavillion ballroom.

Sept., Fabian will head for Australla (a favorite performing grounds for recording artists) and a week of personal appearances beginning Sept. 14. The young Philadelphian has two Got the Feeling b-w Come On and Get Me-Billboard Spotlight Winners.

TENNESSEE ERNIE FORD offers a variety of folk nusic of many lands in his new Capitol album Gather 'Round. This is his first offering of folk songs in nearly two years. When he has time, Ernie enjoys hunting, fishing and ranching. He will be back at the TV stand Oct. 1.

THE SHOVEL (LA SHABLA)-The Gaylords TWICE AS NICE-Clyde McPhatterM-G-M wHO'S NEXT IN LINE-Sonny JamesCapitol

According to statistics maintained over a period covering thousands of releases 7 out of 10 will reach Billboard's "HOT 100" in the weeks ahead!

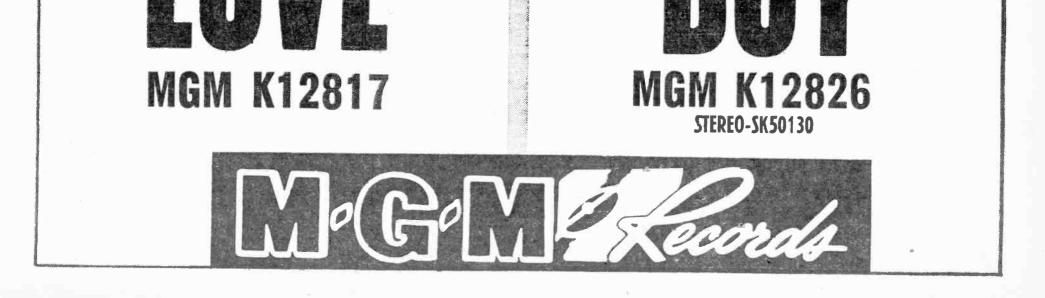


Carl Dobkins Jr. ("My Heart Is an Open Book") flew to San Francisco early last week for a quick hop to Hawaii to work five dates, August 26-30, in a package show booked by Ray Suzaki, Honolulu radio station owner. He is set for dates in the San Francisco area September 3-12, and September 27 begins a six-month hitch with the Ohio (Continued on page 24) THE BILLBOARD

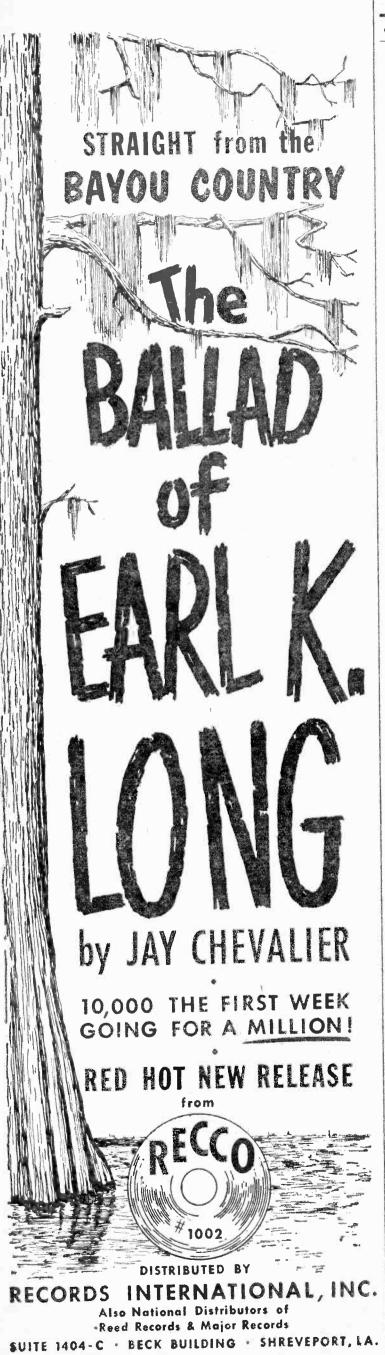
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National Guard. On the Coast jaunt with him is Kay Sheppard, who with her hubby Gil, handles Carl's personal management. Dobkins' newest release on the Decca label, just out, is "If You Don't Want My Lovin'" b.w. "Love Is Everything." . . . Maurie Rose, former head of Columbia Records here and now chief for that label in the Chicago area, in town for a few days for the funeral of his mother. He planed back to Chicago Monday (24).

Fraternity Records prexy, Harry Carlson, planed out of here Thursday (27) for Philadelphia to supervise the appearance of his new artist, Jack Larson, on the Dick Clark TV-er Friday night (28). Carlson will also cover the Philly jockeys with Larson's new novelty tune, "Roaches," before jumping into New York Saturday (29) for a session at the A.&R. Recording Studios with his artist, John Gary. Carlson left Cincy mulling the idea of making the jet jaunt to London Monday (31) with the Rank International delegation. Pearl Records bossman, Larry Vincent, infos that his tune, "If I Had My Life to Live Over," was featured by the Barry Sisters with Ed Sullivan's revue on its recent appearance in Moscow. Vincent is in his seventh year as entertainer-pianist in the cocktail lounge of Beverly Hills Country Club, Southgate, Ky. . . . The Poni Tails pulled 730 paid, at \$1.40 a head, in the second last of a series of weekly teen-age hops at Moonlight Gardens at Coney Island Tuesday night (25). Appearing in support were Bob Braun, WLW deejav, and the Keynotes. Bobby Darin winds up the series next Tues-Bill Sachs. day (1).

Nashville

Nashville's two leading recording studios, source of at least three of the five top tunes in the nation's pop charts during the past month, have been booked for land-office business as a result of their hit-maker roles. Local a.&r. men, Chet Atkins (Victor) and Owen Bradley (Decca), topkicks of the RCA Victor and Bradley studios, respectively, have had heavy session schedules of their own, and M-G-M's a.&r. man, Jim Vinneau, was in town last week to record Marvin Rainwater and Jimmy Newman. Columbia's Don Law completed a Hank ("Sugafoot") Garland instrumental album for the label last week; signed Mary John Wilkin, Cedarwood Publishing Company writer, for her first Columbia session cut Tuesday night (25): recorded veteran Carl Smith Wednesday (26), and directed a John Louttermilk session Thursday afternoon (27), and a Ray Price session Friday (28). Miss Wilkin and Louttermilk co-authored "Waterloo."

The Kalin Twins wound up a Decca session at Bradley Studio at 1:30 a.m. Friday (21), followed immediately by a Johnny Bragg session for the label which went until 5:30 in the morning. . . Frances Williams, BMI Southern rep, celebrated her birthday Thursday (27) at the 216 Dinner Club at a huncheon given her by two other members of "The Three Most-Careered Girls." Trio includes Frances and Cedarwood Publishing Company's Dollie Dearman and Mary Clare Rhodes. . . Johnny Wiggins came into town Thursday (27) from his home in Horseshoe, N. C., on the first leg of a promotion tour for his Dollie label release, "Uh-Huh." . . . Webb Pierce and wife, Audry, motored to Paducah, Ky., last week with Decca promotion man, Harry Silverstein, and Cedarwood Publishing Company's Curley Rhodes, where Webb was the featured guest at the opening of a new F. W. Woolworth store.

Carl Smith and hand played to an overflow square-dance crowd at a local Kroger store parking lot Tuesday (25). . Chuck Berry drew better than 1,300 at the Hippodrome here Wednesday night (26). Also featured at the hop were five local youngsters from Pearl High School who call themselves Snookie and the Four Pearls, and singer Hal Hebb. Show was booked by WLAC radio deejay, Bill (Hoss) Allen. . . . Eddie Hill's "Country Junction" on WLAC-TV goes this week from 7:15-7:45 a.m. to 7-7:45 a.m. Last 15 minutes of show, which spins both pop and c.&w. platters, will feature live talent. Hill will be spotlighted host of c.&w. Station WENO during week of the Tennessee State Fair. September 21-26, when he will broadcast remote a "Guide to the Fair" each morning, interviewing personalities from the midway to the livestock barns. Afternoons, station will star Hill and his own band, plus name guests. Station WKDA deejay, Ronn Terrell, whose "Ronn Terrell Show" has moved to the 7 p.m. to midnight slot, is conducting a "Date With the Stars" each week. Show features telephone interviews with artists in station's top 40 list. Terrell telephoned Fabian on last Wednesday night's show (26). Pat Twitty.

Hollywood

The Dick Clark Hollywood Bowl personal appearance Sunday (30) is a sell-out. (Bowl seats 20,000.) As of the preceding Friday, all that's left are some seats in the 75-cent section, farthest from the stage.



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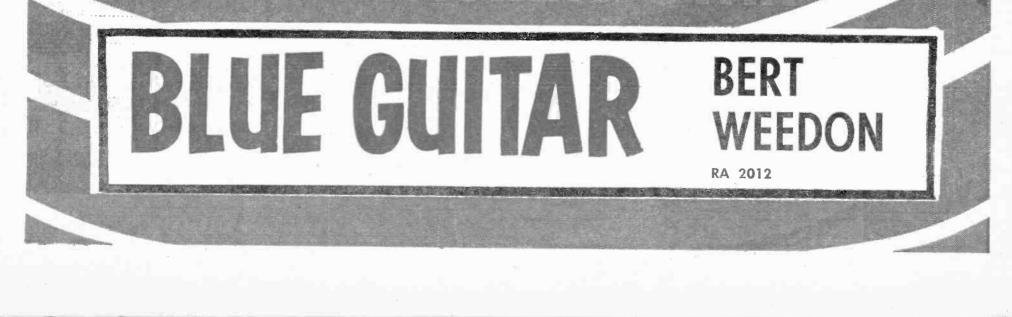
Dot is entering the "Morgen" derby with a Billy Vaughn instrumental cover. Laurie's German import already has received dual treatment on Columbia and Vista's vocal version (English lyrics) by Rex Allen. Vaughn's instrumental is to be issued domestically in EP form and in Germany as a single (backed with "Under the Double Eagle"). According to Dot, the Vaughn version was cut 10 hours after its German distrib, Teledek requested a covering release by the batoner who continues to ride that country's popularity crest.

Capitol added firepower to its launching of **Nat Cole's** "Every Time I Feel the Spirit" album, his first spiritual offering, by combining publicity activity for the package with Cole's recent Hollywood Bowl appearance. Selections from the album comprised latter half of the Bowl program, making it a natural tie-in for Cap to have wire service at national consumer mag reps at Cole's Bowl appearance. Lee Zhito. facturers themselves consider their real money records—the ones, from among all of their releases, which they'll back with strong, hard, dollars-and-cents promotion money. How to spot them? You'll find them FEATURED in the big-space ads in Billboard every week... and actual statistics, compiled over a period of thousands of record releases, prove that 7 'out of every 10 of them will hit the Hot 100, with four actually reaching the best-seller class!

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Best Selling Pop EP's

The information given in this chart is based on actual sales to customers in a scientific sample of the nation's retail record outlets during the week ending on the date shown above. Sample design, sample size, and all methods used in this continuing study of retail rec-ord sales are under the direct and continuing super-vision and control of the School of Retailing of New York University. 80

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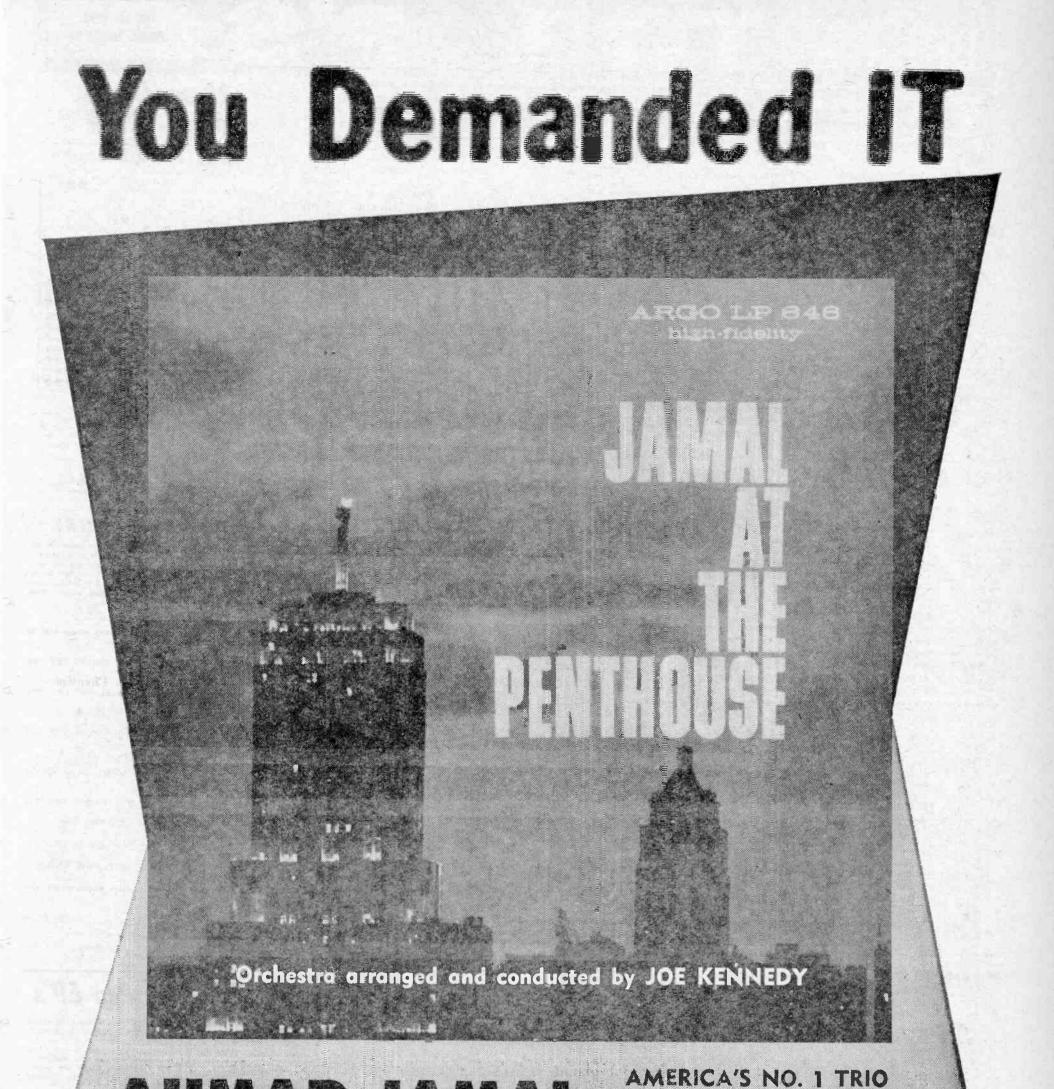
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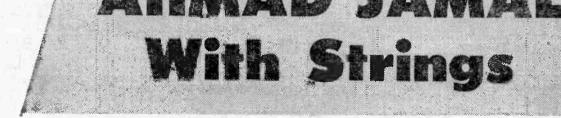
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1.	Side hy Side Pat & Shirley BooneDot DEP 1076
2.	Ricky Sings Again Ricky NelsonImperial EP 159
3.	Crazy He Calls Me Dakota StatonCapitol EAP 1-1170
4.	Spirituals Tennessee Ernie FordCapitol EAP 1.818
5.	Peter Gunn Henry ManciniRCA Victor EPA 4333
6.	Nearer the Cross Tennessee Ernie FordCapitol EAP 1-1005
7.	Songs Our Daddy Taught Us Everly BrothersCadence CEP 110
8.	South Pacific Original CastColumbia EPA 850
9.	The Late, Late Show Capitol EAP 1-876
10.	Hymns Tennessee Ernie FordCapitol EAP 1-756





Comme Ci, Comme Ca; Ivy; Never Never Land; Tangerine; Ahmad's Blues; Seleritus; I'm Alone Without You; Sophisticated Gentleman; I Like to Recognize the Tune. ARGO LP 546 (monaural) 5646 (stereo)

Other JAMAL Best-Seller LP's:

But Not for MeArgo LP 628 AHMAD JAMAL at the Spotlite Club.....Argo LP636*

Portfolio of AHMAD JAMAL (deluxe 2-pocket LP)......Argo LP 2638* *Available in both monaural or storeo. Use letter "s" before LP number to indicate storeo. **Reviews of THIS WEEK'S**



Strongest sales potential of all albums reviewed this week.

BOUQUET

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The Percy Faith Strings. Columbia CS 8124 & CL 1322. (Stereo & Monaural) — Here's a lovely, lush album of wonderful tunes that should please the mood music listener as well as the stereo and hi-fi fan. The arrangements are beautifully moulded for stereo, and the recording itself is excellent. The tunes are handled with shimmering brilliance by the Faith crew. Selections include "Soli-tude," "Intermezzo," "Deep Purple," "Tenderly" and a host of other fine selections.

DANCING ON THE CONTINENT



Lester Lanin Ork. Epic LN 3578 - Lanin is heard with his new "cosmopolitan group" on this LP, which spot-lights colorful, danceable arrangements of popular con-tinental themes — "Volare," "La Mer," etc. — and tunes with a European flavor — "C'est Magnifique," "I Love Paris," etc. A strong sales entry.

PORGY & BESS-WEST SIDE STORY



RCA Symphony Orch. (Robert Russell Bennett). RCA Victor LSC 2340 & LM 2340. (Stereo & Monaural) — The Bennett concert version of "Porgy and Bess" is one of the conductor's most famous works. In this LP, it gets a sensitive and quality reading. The dance music from Leonard Bernstein's "West Side Story" is dynamically presented. Stereo is especially effective on the dance music. Cover paintings on both sides offer strong display material.

MR. PERSONALITY



Lloyd Price. ABC-Paramount ABC 297 - Leading off with his own smash "Personality," Price delivers here a broad range of material, including songs of his own and several standards. Ray Charles' "Mary Ann" and War-ren Dubin's "I Only Have Eyes for You" are examples. Cover art captures the magnetism of the artist. Package should do very well.

TWILIGHT ON THE TRAIL



Jimmie Rodgers with Joe Relsman Ork & Chorus. Roulette R 25081 - Rodgers styles a group of standard western and folk tunes in warm fashion with fine ork and chorus backing from Joe Relsman. It's a spinnable jockey item, and his fans should also find it an attractive buy. Tunes include "Cool Water," "High Noon" and "Ghost Riders in the Sky." ______

SONGS OF THE BRITISH ISLES



The Norman Luboff Choir. Columbia CL 1348 - The rich, melodic music of the British Isles is wrapped up in effective choral treatments by the Luboff Choir with able performances by soloists Patricia Clark, Betty Mulliner and Douglas Blakeley. Selections include "Lavender Blue," "Ye Bands and Braes of Bonnie Doon," "Loch Lomon'," etc. Pretty programming for dreamy jockey segs.

Miles Davis. Columbia CL 1355 - Miles Davis, with his

KIND OF BLUE

- Jazz -



almost-regular group, composed of Cannonball Adderly, Paul Chambers, James Cobb, Johnny Coltrane, Wynton Kelly and Bill Evans, turns in some wonderfully bluesy and yet imaginative jazz on this new recording. Staying within the confines of what might be called the "interior" style of cool jazz, with much help from Evans, Adderly and occasionally Coltrane, Davis performs his solos with feeling and skill and the arrangements are intriguing. The tunes are originals, titled "So What," "Freddie Free-

Classical · **1812 OVERTURE**

The Philadelphia Orch. (Ormandy). Columbia MS 6073. (Stereo & Monaural) — Any performance of this Tchaikovsky warhorse has to be prepared to meet the hot competition from the Mercury set by Dorati and the Minneapolis Symphony, now also available in stereo. If any has that power, this one should. There's top artist and performer name value, an excellent performance and recording, plus carefully selected other Russian works, in-cluding "Night on Bald Mountain," a favorite Mous-sorgsky work, and two by Borodin, "Polovtsian Dances," and "In the Steppes of Central Asia." The cover, a shot of an old-fashioned woodcut type engraving of the Napoleon Armies at the gates of Moscow, is a natural for display.

DEBUSSY: AFTERNOON OF A FAUN; LA MER; RAVEL: DAPHNIS & CHLOE, NO. 2

The Philadelphia Orch. (Ormandy). Columbia MS 6077.

(Stereo & Monaural) — Fine performances by the Phila-delphia orchestra of three well-known orchestral works. The compositions show off the dazzling string section of the Philadelphians. The recording is excellent and the stereo sound is exceptional. This should be a steady seller.

MOUSSORGSKY: PICTURES AT AN EXHIBITION; RIMSKY-KORSAKOV: CAPRICCIO ESPAGNOL

The New York Philharmonic (Bernstein). Columbia MS 6080. (Stereo & Monaural) - This has just about all the elements of success. Foremost is the brilliant performance of two infinitely popular and oft recorded works. This set can offer strong competition anywhere, anytime, with a top name like Leonard Bernstein and an unusually eyecatching cover, dramatizing the title of the Moussorgsky work. A sparkling production thrugut which can become standard merchandise of the repertoire.

FRANCK: SYMPHONIC VARIATIONS; D'INDY: SYMPHONY ON A FRENCH MOUNTAIN AIR

Robert Casadesus, Piano, with the Philadelphia Orch. (Ormandy). Columbia MS 6070. (Stereo & Monaural)-A good, and oftimes exceptinal performance of the Franck work by Robert Casadesus on this new recording, plus the wonderful sound of the Philadelphia orchestra under Eugene Ormandy. It stands up well against the other stereo versions of the Franck work now available, and will please the pianist's many followers.

THE STRINGS OF THE PHILADELPHIA ORCH. PLAY EINE KLEINE NACHTMUSIK

Columbia MS 6081 (Stereo & Monaural)-The charming Mozart work is the chief lure of this set, tho the string section of the famed orchestra also presents Bach's "Air on the G String," Corelli's "Concerto Gresse in G Miner" and Mendelssohn's "Scherzo From Octet in E Flat." For beginning classical buyers and for seasoned customers this can prove attractive fare.

TCHAIKOVSKY: PIANO CONCERTO NO. 1

Eugene Istomin, Piano, with the Philadelphia Orch. (Or-mandy). Columbia MS 6079 (Stereo & Monaural)-Istomin's interpretation of the Tchaikovsky first piano concerto is sensitive and romantic, but never becomes saccharine. Ormandy's control of the orchestra is complementary to the solist. Competition is heavy, but the combined sales strength of the Istomin and Ormandy names can still make this a profitable item. A lovely and displayable cover and excellent sound are sales pluses.

Children's Low-Price

SOLO FLAMENCO-THE FABULOUS SABICAS

CAPTAIN KANGAROO'S TV PARTY Bob Keeshan with Ork & Chorus. Harmony HL 9508-A natural for the pre-teen set. Television's Captain Kangaroo has a large and devoted national following. They will be pleased with this disk which, besides being highly entertaining, also provides musical lessons in manners plus games and riddles. Should be particularly good rack merchandise.

SHIRLEY TEMPLE TELLS THE STORY OF WALT DISNEY'S DUMBO

RCA Victor LBY 1026 - It's hard to see how this combination narration and dramatization lavorite story can miss among the kiddle element. Shirley Temple already a TV heroine to the younger population via her "Shirley Temple Story Book" presentations, handles the story telling, and she's ably helped by a good cast and excellent sound effects. Companion piece on the flip side is "The Tootlepipers' Circus." Solid merchandise with a salable cover of Dumbo, the floppy-eared baby elephant himself.

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POPULAR ****

**** EYDIE GORME ON STAGE ABC-Paramount ABC 307 — Miss Gorme has a fine collection of ballads and swingers for her latest, listenable album effort. Don for her latest, instenable aloum erfort. Don Costa as usual provides good instrumental showcase for the thrush. Selections include "But Not for Me," "Better Luck Next Time," and a smart up rhythm treatment of "Taking a Chance on Love," now out as a single. It's a strong deejay programming set and it should also move strongly sales. et, and it should also move strongly saleswise.

**** THE BILLY BARNES REVUE Original Cast. Decca DL 9076 — The witty and smart revue received rave re-views on its New York opening after a long run on the West Coast. The tunes are clever. Eight talented principals are sup-ported by planists Billy Barnes and Armin Hoffman. The lyrics are superior and the tunes for the most part are interesting and musical.

ork does a lovely job with this fine collection of Strauss waltzes. They include the "Blue Danube Waltz," "Southern Roses," "Artists' Life," and "Voices of Spring," and they are all performed with the taste and touch that have made the Kostelanetz crew a strong seller. This set, with its attractive cover, could also be a big seller.

**** SWING SOFTLY WITH ME Steve Lawrence. ABC-Paramount ABC 290 - Steve Lawrence. 290 — Steve Lawrence provides smart, tasteful warbling treatments of some great standards, with swingy, Sinatra-type backing by Don Costa. Top-flight deejay program-ming. Selections include "So in Love," "The Lamp Is Low," "The One I Love," Belongs to Somebody Else," etc. Fine for jocks.

**** DREAMSVILLE Lola Albright with Henry Mancini Ork. Columbia CS 8133 & CL 1327. (Stereo & Monaural) — Lola Albright is featured as Monaural) — Lola Albright is featured as actress-vocalist in the top-rated TV series "Peter Gunn," famed for its best-selling Henry Mancini score. Mancini backs the canary on this package, which should at-tract considerable jockey play and sales attention from "Gunn" fans. The thrush sings in pleasant, husky tones on a group of dreamy jazz-flavored, standards—"Two Steamy Menters" "Inst Me." of dreamy jazz-flavored standards—"Two Sleepy People," "Just You, Just Me," etc.—plus some interesting Mancini originals.

**** POPS AND PRADO Perez Prado Ork. RCA Victor LSP 2028 & LPM 2028. (Stereo & Monaural) — Ac-cent is on the cha cha in this spicy effort by the Latin orkster. He applies the pop-ular dance beat to a flock of standards all for highly listenable results. Teen and all for meny instruction testing. For an an-adult buyers can be sold. Stereo is an im-portant factor and the attractive cover will also help. Tunes include "Paper Doll," "Manhattan" and "Ida."

**** JOE REISMAN SALUTES Joe Reisman Ork. & Chorus. Roulette R 25082 — This album contains a collection of such great instrumental hits as "Holiday for Strings," "Ebbtide," "Meiody of Love," "Canadian Sunset," and "Moulin Rouge." They are performed brightly and warmly by the large Joe Riesman crew, and they make for mighty satisfying listening. Very good wax here.

**** THE IMPALAS Cub 8003 — The Impalas, who came thru with a big hit on "Sorry (I Ran All the Way Home)." a few months ago, have a good collection of tunes here, including their hit song. The others in the set include some items previously released as sincles, includ-



Folk ·







"Flamenco Sketches" and "All Blues." loader,"

BREAKFAST DANCE & BARBECUE



Count Baise Ork. Featuring Joe Williams. Roulette R 52028 — Jocks will find this of more than casual interest Sides were recorded at the disk jockey convention in Miami, May 31. The crowd sounds are here, together with some good performances by the Basie band with blues singer Joe Williams. "In a Mellow Tone," "Counter Block," "One o'Clock Jump," etc., are here.

- Jazz Low-Price --

SCHEHERAJAZZ



Studio Symphony and the Video All-Stars (Skip Martin). Stereo-Fidelity SF 9700. (Stereo Only) — Here's a sock item for the low-priced market. A group of topflight jazz and classical musicians, under the leadership of Skip Martin, provide a provocative, exciting blend of styles, tagged "a symphony in jazz." Should appeal to pop buyers as well as jazz fans.

items previously released as singles, includ-ing "Sandy Went Away," "Woodchuck Song," and "Fool, Fool, Fool," The boys are better than the average hit rock and roll group, they can handle a tune and they have a good style. Their fans will want this set this set.



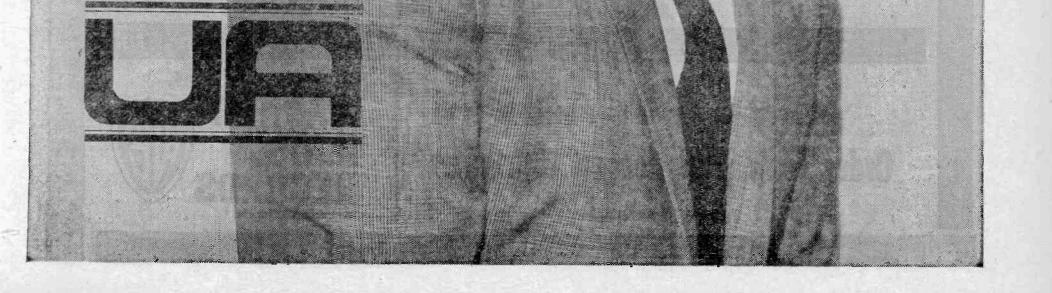
**** A BOW TO THE BIG NAME BANDS BY RICHARD MALTBY ORK. RCA Camden CAS 526 & CAL 526. (Stereo & Monaural) — An excursion into nostalgia. The era of big bands is saluted by the Dick Maltby ork, playing numbers associated with the most prominent bands ABC-Paramount ABC 304 - For this album, the artist associated with the most prominent bands has chosen "cantes" of various moods. All of the tradiassociated with the most prominent bands of the days gone by, Among them are "One o'Clock Jump," "In the Mood," "Marle," "Take the A Train" and "String of Pearls." Arrangements are top-notch. Lucid liner notes by Dom Cerulil provide back ground on the period as well as for each number. A rack specialty for house-wives over 30. tion-based compositions are his own, and all contribute to showcase his use of the guitar as a solo string instrument, and not merely a backing for singing and dancing. The drama and variation Sabicas achieves consistently thru his highly personal style has brought him a growing wives over 30.

U. S. concert and record public. Fine cover portrait. (Continued on page 31)

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Strongest sales potential of all albums reviewed this week.

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International



GIGI

Maurice Chevalier, Sacha Distel, Marie-France, Jane Marken with Paul Baron Ork. Columbia WL 158 The great Lerner-Loewe score sounds just as good in French as it does in English. Chevalier, standout of the movie, is at his showmanly best; while a group of French singers give him excellent support, particularly dewyvoiced Marie-France who sings the title role. Interesting jockey wax. This should be a solid sales item in the international market, with considerable strength on the pop market as well.

- Sound

PERSUASIVE PERCUSSION Command RS 800 SD. (Stereo & Monaural) - Both



stereo bugs and hi-fi fans should love this new recording. First of all the sound is excellent, but more than that, the recording has been made to take full advantage of both stereo channels so that you can get a kick out of listening to it musically and also test your equipment. The music is by the Terry Snyder crew with smart ar-rangements by Lew Davies. Tunes include "Whatever Lola Wants," "Miserlou," and "Tabu." A wonderful set for dealers to merchandise to stereo fans.

THE MILLION DOLLAR SOUND OF THE WORLD'S MOST **PRECIOUS VIOLINS**



Command RS 802 SD. (Stereo & Monaural) - Here is a lovely new album, featuring wonderful sound. It displays an out-of-this world string section, all playing classic violins and performing a fine group of standards with taste and charm. The arrangements are first-rate, and the recording is one to treasure. Tunes include "Laura," "All or Nothing at All," and "Temptation." Leader of the ork is Maestro Enoch Light.

PERCUSSION!



Los Angeles Contemporary Music Ensemble (Craft) & The Manhattan Percussion Ensemble (Price). Urania USD 1034 & UX 134. (Stereo & Monaural) - Urania previously turned out one of the best LP's of this type, en-titled "Breaking the Sound Barrier, Vol. 1" with some outstanding works for percussion. This new release is a worthy follow-up, containing Carlos Chavez's classic, "Toccata for Percussion Instruments" and George Antheirl's still controversial "Ballet Mechanique" as well as works by Alan Hovhanness and Ronald LoPresti. Sound addicts should snap this up.

– Specialty ·

SON OF DALLIANCE



Ed McCurdy. Elektra 170-About this one, little need really be said. It's long been awaited by the many avid fans of this genre of ribaldry and it may be said that Ed McCurdy has again turned out a package that will not disappoint. With such tune titles as "A Maiden's Delight," "She Lay All Naked," etc., it could hardly go far wrong. Then, too, baritone balladeer McCurdy is in excellent voice as he carries off these bold ditties, ably accompanied by Erik Darling and Billy Faier on different occasions. Cover helps sell it too.

– Low-Price Specialty —

GOOD HOUSEKEEPING'S PLAN FOR REDUCING THE SPORTING WAY



Harmony HL 7199 — Harmony has a solid follow-up to its smash "Reducing Off the Records" LP. Again, an extensive calorie chart is included in the package, while the exercises (each tied in with a different sport) are illustrated on the cover. Clear, pleasant instructions are given by Rosemary Rice, while Tony Aless' Quartet provides a bouncy background with musical treatments of standards.













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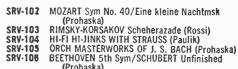


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Massed Pipers of the Scots Guard. Hi-fi and stereo addicts will find it of tremendous appeal too. It may be considered a com-panion album to "Scots Guards Pipes and Drums," which is in Angel's same release. With the American market in mind, how-ever it is likely that this dits "Hit Fi in ever, it is likely that this disk, "Hi Fi in the Highlands," will have more appeal than the companion volume, because the repertoire of the regimental band has a broader appeal than that of the pipes and drums.

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The London Philharmonic Orch. (Boult). A good version of the Tchalkovsky 6th Symphony by the London Philharmonic under Sir Adrian Boult. The orchestra per-forms with spirit, and the stereo recording is excellent. A good buy for classical fans.

**** BRAHMS: SYMPHONY NO. 4 The Philharmonic Orch. (Klemperer). An-gel S 35546. (Stereo & Monaural) - A beautiful reading of Brahms' last symphony. Klemperer breaks away from the super-compressed modern style and restores the work to its original perspective with un-furled pace and drama. Altho American orks have a bigger sound, the Philharmonia does well with this sensitive interpretation.

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**** SHARI LEWIS SONGS - FAVORITE

Golden EP 568 — Miss Lewis sings a roup of four familiar selections — "Back group of four familiar selections — "Back in Your Own Backyard," "Let a Smile Be Your Umbrella," "Waitin' for the Robert E. Lee," and another. She's ably as-sisted by her collection of TV characters like Lamb Chop, Charley Horse, Wing Ding and Hush Puppy. Cute stuff and the kiddies are sure to like it.

**** ROCKET TO THE MOON Golden EP 562 - A wild and wooly tale of space operations, including an assignment of great danger, rescuing a run away space platform. Lots of sound effects calculated to keep close interest of the youngsters. Solid gift item for kids, with a jacket that gives the general idea of what's inside in colorful illustrations.

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**** TV TERRYTOONS CARTOON TIME

The Terrytoon Players. RCA Victor LBY 1031—The favorite TV characters like the Terry Bears, Farmer Al Falfa, Heckie and and Jeckie and all the others come to life via the efforts and voices of Tom Morrison via the efforts and voices of 10m Morrison and Roy Malee. The kids are familiar with these little characters and they should go strongly for the cute series of brief story segs on the disk. In addition to the narra-tion at the beginning, kids, of course, will constantly hear their favorite TV voices on the wax. the wax.

**** TALES FROM THE **GREAT BOOK VOL. 2**

Brian Aherne & Ronald Reagan. RCA Victor LBY 1029 - The second LP of material adapted from the comic strip and comic book, "Tales From the Great Book," created by John Lehti. This is divided into two parts. Part One, the story of Joseph, occupies all of Side One and part of Side Two, and is narrated by Brian Aherne. Ronald Reagan is the reader for Part Two, which takes up about half of Side Two. Both actors make the material convincing and fascinating for youngsters, with drama-tic effects contributed by an organ behind the voices. Solid sales fodder here.

LOW-PRICE RELIGIOUS ****

**** SACRED SONGS BY THE MASTERS FAMILY

Harmony HL 7197 - The Masters group fall into what might be called the swinging wing of the sacred school. Their songs are wing of the sacred school. Their songs are mainly of the narrative, gospel style, and the family gives them all a bright, happy rhythmic bounce that still does not detract from the reverent spirit. "The Cry From the Cross," "Glory Land March," and "Marching on to Glory" are among the hand-clappers. Should have special appeal in the Bible belt midlands and Southera territories

*** KAYE BALLARD SWINGS! United Artists UAL 3043 - Kaye Ballard performs some of her funniest night club material in this package which was re-corded at the Bon Soir in New York City. corded at the Bon Soir in New York City. In addition to her hilarious special material (including a Count de Sade arrangement of "Autumn Leaves" with special lyrics by "Sicknik" comedian Lenny Bruce) Miss Ballard displays her very real vocal talent on a buoyant version of "Love is a Simple Thing."

******* THE HOFFNUNG INTERPLAN ETARY MUSIC FESTIVAL

Various Artists. Angel S 35800. (Stereo & Monaural) — Hoffnung fractured the staid Royal Festival Hall audience in London with his first music festival in 1956. This was a series of deadly lampoons on serious music and its performers, both vocal and instrumental — all of which developed thru tuba player Hoffnung's caricatures and cartoons of same in papers and magazines. This disk is a recording of the second such concert, cut live on the stage of the Hall and including much laughter from the aud-ience. Unfortunately the fun doesn't get across as much without the visual effects

but there'll be those who will want this.



POPULAR $\star \star \star$

*** PAT SUZUKI

RCA Victor LPM 2030 — This album, originally issued on the old Vik label, finds originally issued on the old Vik label, finds the pert and vivacious talent sounding very well indeed. Miss Suzuki gives out with a group of solid standards, with both ballads and rhythm tunes getting equally fine treat-ments. Selections include, "Daddy," "I've Grown Accustomed to His Face," "The Lady Is a Tramp," and "As Time Goes By." Lovely cover shot of the thrush is also duplicated here, still good for display.

*** SONGS TO WARM THE HEART Jim Reeves, RCA Victor LSP 2001 & LPM 2001. (Stereo & Monaural) — The warm, rich, deep tones of "Grand Ole Opry" warm, rich, deep tones of "Grand Ole Opry" star Jim Reeves sound especially pleasing on this handsomely produced set. The singer turns to a sentimental pop-styled grouping which includes "Some Day (You'll Want Me to Want You)," "A Fool Such as I," the great Kity Wells hit, "Making Be-lieve," and other equally dedicated to heart interests. Chet Atkins produced the date with an exceptionally tasty and simple backing of two guitars, which gives Reeves' voice a chance to be heard at its very best. Singer creates a soulful, romantic mood. Good listening.

*** THE BIG GUITAR

Owen Bradley. Decca DL 78868. (Stereo & Monaural) — Alternate title could be "the big beat" because strong heavy beat is something this set has plenty of. Pro-gram includes such familiars as "Tequila" and a batch of lesser-known rockers. Demonstrate to the young crowd as good dance material. Could sell well on that level with a little promotion.

*** PIANO BON BONS BY BONNE-MERE

The Eddie Bonnemere Trio. Roost LP 2236 — Bonnemere, who used to be a swinging piano player in the early days of rock and roll, turns here to the sweeter songs, and comes thru with a warm, listen-

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playing is just about as infectious as this type of performance can be. Package has a colorful cover.

*** DREAMS OF THE ISLANDS Sam Makia & His Hawaiians. Urania SDU 2027 & UR 9027. (Stereo & Monaural) --Steel guitar, xylophone, ukulete and a flute are among the complement heard on this unusually attractive and nicely recorded group of familiat Hawaiian songs. "Blue Hawaii," 'Hawaiian Wedding Song." 'Aloha Oe," and others are included. An unusually restful, dreamy mood set which is worth pushing as a solid item among the many issued in this idiom. Stereo has a fine quality.

*** MY HAWAH Ed Kenney with Luther Henderson Ork. Columbia CS 8142 & Cl. 1333. (Stereo & Monaural) — Kenney, young male lead of "Flower Drum Song." sings with expressive warmth and sincerity in both English and Hawaiion on this effective collection of is-Hawalian on this effective collection of island themes — some genuine, others pop items with South Seas flavor. Exotic inexcellent background for such listenahle selections as "Return to Paradise." Ha-wailan Welding Song," "Blue Hawaii," and 'Aloha Oe."

***HELLO YOUNG LOVERS Richard Maliby Ork. Columbia CS 8151 & CL 1341. (Stereo & Monaural) — As the & CL 1341. (Stereo & Monaural) — As the title of the LP suggests, this disk is dedi-cated to young lovers, but the tunes here should please the "older folks" too. The Maltby touch provides fine listening and dancing music with such tunes as "You and the Night and the Music." "Fools Rush In." "Let's Fall in I ove," and "Stay as Sweet as You Are." as You Are.'

*** IT SEEMS LIKE ONLY YESTER-DAY

Hal McIntyre Ork. Roulette R 25079-The swinging reed sound that identifies the fine McIntyre crew is in the spotlight in this fine band package. Some of the tracks have vocals by featured thrush Jeanne Mcnave vocals by featured thrush Jeanne Mc-Manus. It's a smooth listening or dance set that can have wide appeal. Displayable cover and sound will help sales. Numhers include "September Song," "Get Happy" and "Yesterdays."

*** TRY A LITTLE TENDERNESS Tyree Glenn with Strings. Roulette R 25075 — Glenn sticks to "trombone for this set of lushly styled standards. His mellow sound is listenably backed by a flock of romantic strings on such fare as "The Song Is You," "It's Easy to Remember" and "I Got It Bad." Excellent item for late hour listening and also a good, light terp and mood set.

*** RONNIE HAWKINS Roulette R 25078 — Hewkins repeats his best-selling single disk here — "Forty Days" —along with 11 of his own compositions. The rockin' selections include "Mary Lou," "My Gal Is Red Hot," and "Need Your Lovin" For rock and rollers, and blues collectors. collectors.

*** DOUBLING IN BRASS

Morton Gould & Ork. RCA Victor LSC 2308. (Stereo & Monaural) — This is band music with a "difference." It differs from other band records, particularly in the stereo version, in that it uses stereo effects to give version, in that it uses stered effects to give a type of movement to the marching bands. Disk contains a couple of Gould originals ("St. Lawrence Suite," and "Jer-icho") and "Jericho" establishes some new kind of record for hi-fi cacaphony. It lit-erally blasts the listener from his seat. RCA engineers must have had quite a job certing to much lead on the disk. Try it on getting so much level on the disk. Try it on your hi-fi enthusiasta.

*** SING AROUND

THE BANDSTAND Marty Ames Ork. & Chorus. Dot DLP 3203—A smart, society styled band with a bit more driving sound in reeds and brass than might usually be expected in this field. There's a vocal group which also takes a turn now and then thru the program. In all there are 28 numbers, most of them stand-bys out of the Gershwin, Porter, Berlin type of book. Pleasant, well-cut set.

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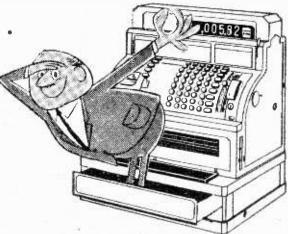
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*** COOL FEVER

Fletcher Henderson & All Stars. Urania USD 2012. (Stereo & Monaural) — Alumni of the Fletcher Henderson band, led by Rex Stewart, and with such potent jazz names as Taft Jordan, Benny Morton, J. C. Higginbotham, Emmett Berry and many others, join together here to turn out a swinging band set. The ork features hard driving Henderson artangements of such standards as "Sugartoot Stomp," "Wrappin' It Up," "Honeysuckle Rose" and "King Porter Stomp." The band plays them solidly and the stereo sound is good.

*** FRANK FROBA FROLICS ABC-Paramount ABC 278 - Lovers of ABC-Paramount ABC 278 — Lovers of the honky-tonk piano style have it here — done by a master. Froba has selected a batch of wonderful old chestnuts—the kind that choke up your throat—like "Little Girl," "Smiles," "'Deed I Do," etc. The

Monaural) othe series of sets by Vox, featuring the wellpublicized Cadet Glee Club from West Point. The large group again proves itself skilled in the art of Glee Club singing with renditions of the expected songs like "Shenandoah" and "Brothers Sing On," and something more unexpected (and pleasant) like a specially arranged "Careless Love." Cadet Quartet entertains, too, with a trio of tunes, Good salable merchandise stereo or mono. Cover seal of the Academy can be an eye-catcher.

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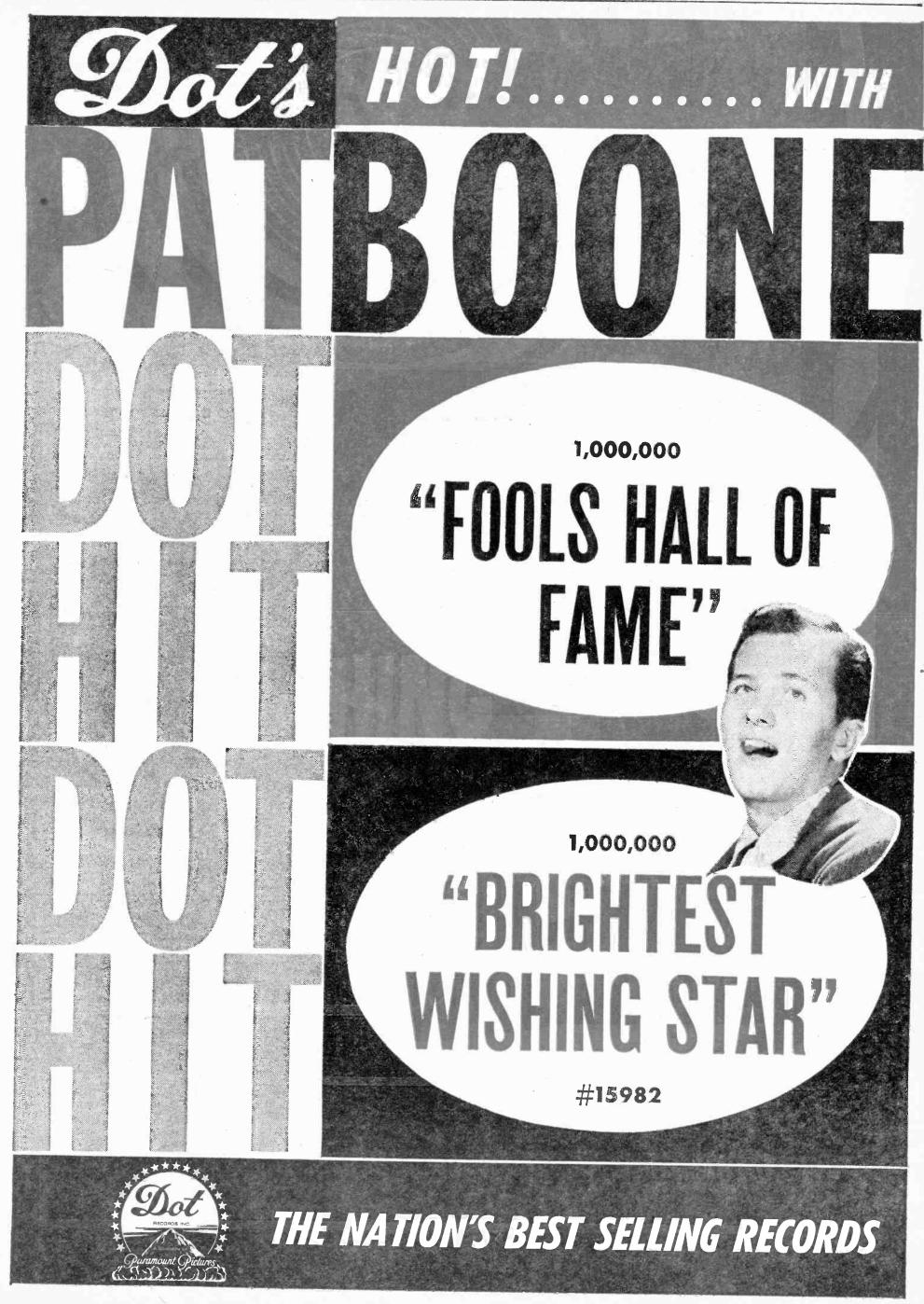
*** MY FAIR LADY AND BRIGA-DOON

Harmony HL 7195 - Repertoire and cover wise, these three companion sets figcover wise, these three companion sets fig-ure to be excellently tailored for the rack and supermarket areas. Show titles all have the magic touch and the covers, each of π_{-} which carry caricature drawings of a prin-cipal character from each show are made to order for display. The occasionally the renditions of the familiar songs seem (Continued on page 36)

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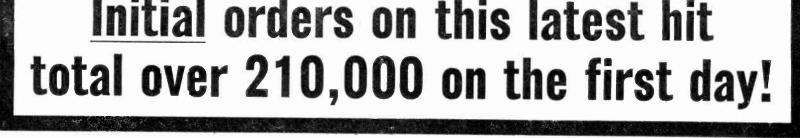


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1.	The Three Bells By Dick Manning and Jean Villerd-Fublished by Harris (ASCAP) BEST SELLING RECORD: Browne, RCA Victor 7555. RECORDS AVAILABLE: J. T. Adams & the Men of Texas, Word 686; D Monument 408.	1 Dick Flood,	4		There Goes My Baby By Patterson J. Treadwell—Published by Jat Progressive (BMI) BEST SELLING RECORD: Drifters, Atlantic 2025. A Big Hunk o' Love	5	9
2.	Sea of Love By G. Khoury & P. Battiste-Fublished by Kamar (BMI)	2	5		By Schroeder & Wyche-Published by Elvis Presley Music (BMI) BEST SELLING RECORD: Elvis Presley, Vic 7600.		
3.	BEST SELLING RECORD: Phil Phillipt, Met 72465. Sleep Walk By Farine-Farine-Published ty Trinity (BM1) BEST SELLING RECORD: Santo & Johnny, Canadian-American 103. RECORD AVAILABLE: Betsy Brye, Canadian-American 106.	8	2		What'd I Say By Ray Charles—Published by Progressive (BMI) BEST SELLING RECORD: Ray Charles, Atlantic 2031. My Heart Is an Open Book	7	
4.	Lavender Blue By Larry Morey & Eliot Daniel-Futlished by Joy (ASCAP) BEST SELLING RECORD: Sammy Turner, Big Top 3016.	6	8	-	By Hal David-Lee Pockriss—Published by Sequence (ASCAP) BEST SELLING RECORD: Carl Dobkins Jr., Dec 30803. RECORD AVAILABLE: Jimmy Dean, Col 41265.	-	
5.	I'm Gonna Get Married By H. Logan-Lloyd Price—Published by Llcyd-Logan (BMD) BEST SELLING RECORD: Lloyd Price, ABC-Paramount 10032.	12	2	10.	Red River Rock By King-Mack-Mendelsohn—Published by Vicki (BMI) BEST SELLING RECORD: Johnny and the Hurricanes, Warwick 509.	26	2
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11.	I Want To Walk You Home By A. Domino-Published by Alan-Edwards (BMI) BEST SELLING RECORD: Fats Domine, Imperiat 5606.	14	3	16.	Thank You Pretty Baby By Benton-Otis—Published by Eden (BMI) BEST SELLING RECORD: Brook Benton, Mer 71478.	16	6. 10
12.	Broken-Hearied Melody By H. David-S. Edwards-Published by Mansion (ASCAP) BEST SELLING RECORD: Sarah Naughan, Mer 71477.	24	2	17.	('Til) I Kissed You By Don Everly—Published by Acuff-Rose (BMI) BEST SELLING RECORD: Everly Brothers, Cadence 1369.		
13.	It Was I By Garry Paxton—Published by Trinity-Desert Paims (BMI) BEST SELLING RECORD: Skip & Flip, Erent 7002.	15	5	18.	Baby Talk By Melvin Schwartz-Published by Hilliary-Ultia-Admiration (BMI) BEST SELLING RECORD: Jan & Dean, Dore 522.	17	
14.	Lonely Boy By Paul Anka—Published by Spanka (BM1) BEST SELLING RECORD: Paul Anka, AEC-Faramount 10022.	9	13	19.	The Battle of New Orleans By Jimmie Driftwood—Published by Warden (BMI) BEST SELLING RECORD: Johnny Horton, Col 41339. RECORDS AVAILABLE: Jimmie Driftwood, Vic 7534; Vaughn Monroe. Vic 7495; Seeger and Frank Hamilton, Folkways 201; Buddy Starcher, Starday 439.		17
15.	What a Diff ² rence a Day Makes By Grever-Adams-Published by E. E. Marks (BMI) BEST SELLING RECORD: Dinan Washington, Mer 71435.	11	10	20.	Mona Lisa By Jay Livingston and Ray Evans—Published by Famous (ASCAP) BEST SELLING RECORDS: Carl Mann, Phillips International 3539; Conway T M-G-M 12804.	18 witty,	2
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21.	My Wish Came True By Ivory Joe Hunter-Published by Desiard (BMI) RECORD AVAILABLE: Elvis Presley, Vic 7660.	23	7	26.	Kissin' Time By Mann & Lowe—Published by Kellem (ASCAP) RECORD AVAILABLE: Bobby Rydell, Cameo 167.	29	53
22.	Forty Miles of Bad Road By Duane Eddy and Al Casey-Futlished by Gregmark Music (BMI) RECORD AVAILABLE: Duane Eddy, Jamie 1126.	13	9	27.	Porgy By Heyward-Gershwin-Published by Mills (ASCAP) RECORD AVAILABLE: Nina Simone, Bethlehem 11021.		1
23.	What Is Love	19	5	28.	Waterloo	21	12

By Pockriss-Vance-Published by Flanciaty (ASCAP) RECORDS AVAILABLE: Pat O'Day, Crest 100; Playmates, Roulette 4160; Terry & Jerry, Class 240.

24. Sweeter Than You

By B. Knight-Published by Hilliard (BMI)

RECORDS AVAILABLE: Gaylords. Mercury 71450; Ricky Nelson, Imperial 5595.

25 25. I'm Gonna Be a Wheel Someday

By Hayes, Bartholomew-Domino-Published by Travis (BMI)

RECORDS AVAILABLE: Fats Domine, Imperial 5606; Bobby Mitchell, Imperial 5475.

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By Wilkin-Louttermilk-Published by Cedarwood (BMI) RECORDS AVAILABLE: Homer & Jethro, Vic 7585; Stonewalt Jackson, Col 41393.

20 29. Just a Little Too Much By J. Burnetie-Published by Hilliard (BMI) RFCORD AVAILABLE: Ricky Nelson, Imperial 5595.

30. Here Comes Summer 27 By Jerry Keller-Published by Jaymar (ASCAP) , RECORD AVAILABLE: Jerry Keller, Kapp 277.

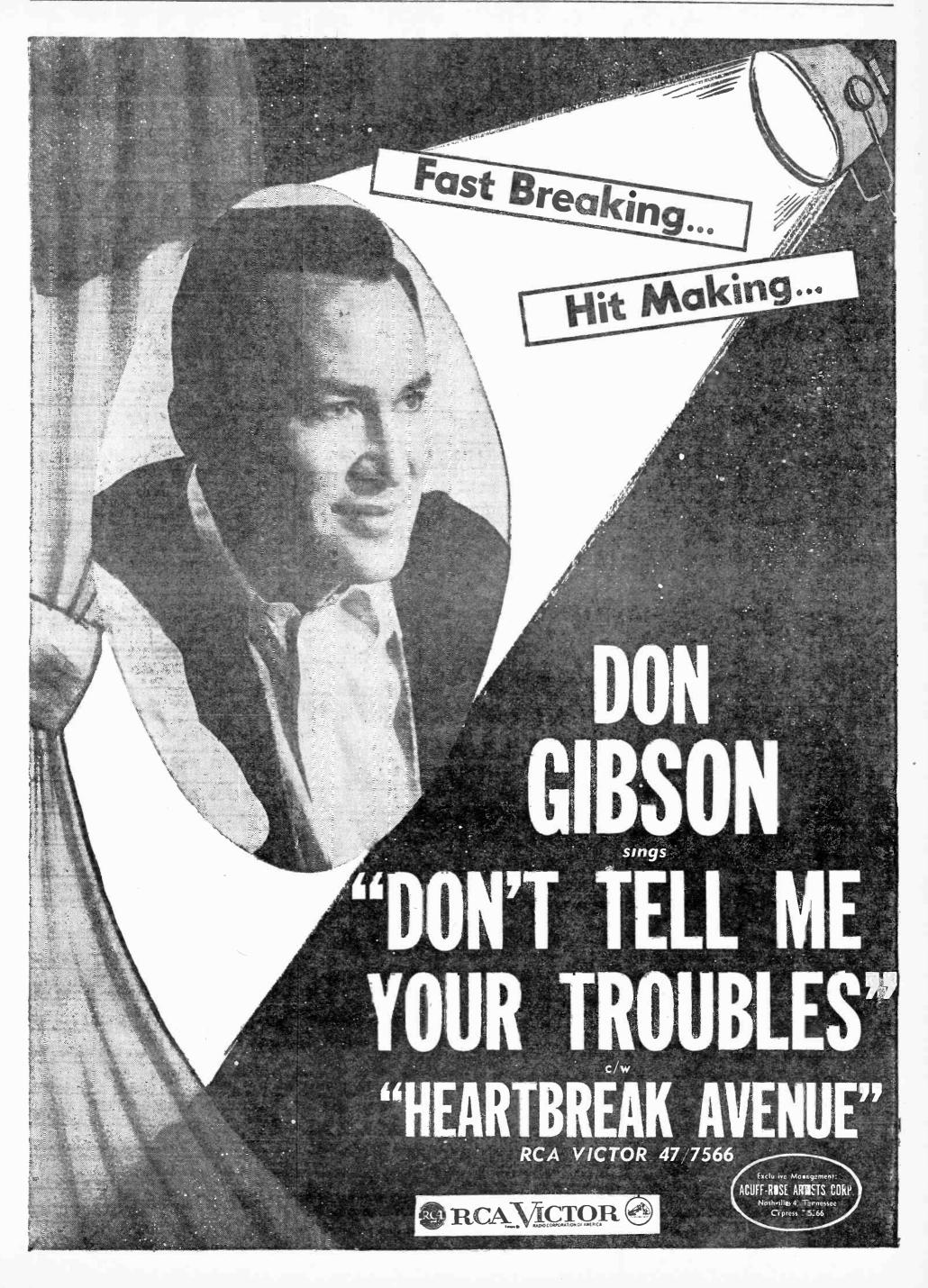
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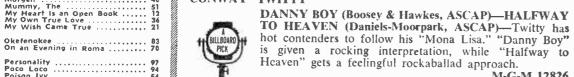
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		UNDER THE HOT 100
These records, of all those on the Hot 100, have be show NATIONAL sales breakout action this week for t time. They are recommended to dealers, juke box ope and disk jockeys as having the greatest potential to the way. Previous Billboard Spotlight Picks are marke	go all	These records, while they have not yet developed enough strength thruout the country for inclusion on any national chart anywhere, already have stimulated considerable regional action. Rank position indicates relative potential to earn an early listing on the Hot 100.
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*SOMETHIN' ELSE	55203 TRUE, TRUE HAPPINESS John Tillotson (Tannen, BMI) Cadence 1365	The Mormon Tabernacle Choir, Columbia 3. LOVE POTION NO. 9
*JUST ASK YOUR HEARTFrankie / (Rambed, BMI) Chancellor		7. YOU
*YOU'RE GONNA MISS MEConnie (Francon, ASCAP) M-G-M		10. DECK OF CARDS
*PUT YOUR HEAD ON MY SHOULDER Paul (Spanka, BMI) ABC-Paramount		14. BATTLE OF KOOKAMUNGA Homer & Jethro, RCA Victor 15. I'M CONFESSIN'Louis Prima & Keely Smith, Dot
HOT 100: A TO Z 🛛 RE	VIEWS OF	nnan ann ann ann ann ann ann ann ann an
A Big Hunk o' Love	THIS WEEK'S	SINGLES
Battle of New Orleans, The 34 Betty My Angel		
Caribbean	The pick of the new releases:	EN CHARLES
Cry	OF THE WEEK	STAGE COACH (Jamie-Lu Tal, BMI)—Tune is a folkish sort, and the lyrics mirror a facet of American history. Charles handles the tune with appeal, and the side could be a big one. Flip is "Never Before Been in Love," (Jamie-Lu Tal, BMI). Guyden 2025
Hushabye	st sales potential of all records reviewed this week.	LY COLE
I Got Stripes 47 I Want to Walk You Home 10 I'll Be Satisfied 77 I'm Gonna Be a Wheel Someday 22 I'm Gonna Get Married 51 It Was I 11 I've Been There 61	NE	"D" NATURAL ROCK (Dornix, BMI)—This is Cole's first on this label. The side starts with a moving bass figure and then moves into a raunchy theme. It's a solid bid that can make it. Flip is "Strange" (Jay & Gee, BMI). King 5242
Just as Little Too Much	two strong sides—both of which appear chart bound "Fools Hall of Fame" is a ballad with beat. "Brightest	SHOUT (PARTS I & II) —These are two of the most
Lavender Blue 4 Leave My Kitten Alone 7 Like Young 6 Linke Young 6 Lipstick on Your Colfar 55 Lonely Boy 24 Lonely Guitar 59 Mack the Knife 43 Makin' Love 56	THE BELMONTS EVERY LITTLE THING I DO (Stratton, BMI)—A LOVER'S PRAYER (Schwartz, ASCAP)—Dion and the Belmonts are strong bets to score again with these two potent efforts. "Lover's Prayer" is a rocking waltz that is well we "Every Little Thing I Do"	frantic sides to come along in a spell. It's a mixture of gospel and rockabilly, and the trio has a likely smash. Side One is great, but Side Two is even more intense, building in volume. sound and excitement. Watch 'em! RCA Victor 7588
Mary Lou 56 Mau-Mau 71 Miami 85 Midnight Fiver 55 Mona Lise (Mann) 37	well-sung. "Every Little Thing I Do" is a rhythmic ballad. Laurie 3035	Country & Western
Morigen 40 Mummy, The 51 My Heart Is an Open Book 12	DANNY BOY (Boosev & Hawkes, ASCAP)—HALFWAY	Rhythm & Blues
My Own True Love	TO HEAVEN (Daniels-Moorpark, ASCAP)—Twitty has hot contenders to follow his "Mona Lisa." "Danny Boy"	NO SELECTIONS THIS WEEK.

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YOUNG IN YEARS (Arch, ASCAP)-THE TWENTY-SECOND DAY (Vivo, BMI)—The group turns in fine chanting jobs on these two potent bids. "Young in Years" is a charming ballad, adapted from a classical theme.' The boys give it a good go. Flip, "The Twenty-Second Day" is a gospelish tune that also has the sound.

Mercury 71505

M-G-M 12826

SAMMY SALVO

THE DIAMONDS



AFRAID (Milene ASCAP)-MARBLE HEART (Acuff-Rose, BMI)-Sammy Salvo has two fine debut sides on his new label. Both are rhythmic rockers, and he delivers each with a hit sound. Either can go all the way.

Imperial 5615

RONNIE SELF



ELF BIG TOWN (Champion, BMI)—Self gives the blues a good shout over relaxed backing. It has a similar quality to "Kansas City." It's a good effort, and the side could take off. Flip is "This Must Be the Place," (Champion, BMI). Decca 30958

SPOTLIGHTS

The following records have been picked for outstanding merit in their various categories, because in the opinion of The Billboard Music Staff, they deserve exposure.

- POP DISK JOCKEY PROGRAMMING -

THE ISLANDERS

THE ENCHANTED SEA (Volkwein, ASCAP)-This pretty and unusual mild-rock theme makes for excellent programming fare. It's basically an instrumental, tho a chorus does fill in on some segs with sounds of the sea in the background. Flip is "Pollyanna" (Volkwein, ASCAP). Mayflower 16

- POP TALENT -

JACKIE SHANNON

LIES (Shapiro-Bernstein, ASCAP)-TROUBLE (Tiger, BMI)-Miss Shannon comes off to strong advantage on her initial wax attempts. (Continued on page 44)



MICKEY & KITTY

LARRY BIRDSONG

Another history lesson set to the marching, rolling trap drums. Good country perform-ance by Delmore. (Linco, BMI) 12

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★★★ Birth of the Blues—A bluesy read-ling of the standard with occasional com-the instrument. The boundard with occasional com-birth in the instrument. The boundard of a driving hand along the instrument.

*** Midnight Monsters Hop-Here's a

*** St. Louis Blues—ATLANTIC 3609— The Handy classic gets a rockin' perform- ance from the duo. Good rhythm backing	ment by a dancing couple. Essentially an	and playing the instruments. The boys are good and could hit, if exposed. (Dundee,	vocal. This could grab some coins if	country blues sound by Delmore. He's sup- ported by a traditional rhythm complement.
*** First Love—Soft approach on a pretty, Latinish ballad with beat makes for a strong side. It bears watching. (Progres- bive, BMI) LARRY LAWRENCE *** Bongo Boogle—BALBOA 008—In- strumental with percussion strongly marked; later getting a big assist from horns. For deejays. (True Blue. ASCAP) *** Goofin' Off—Instrumental built on a couple of familiar riffs makes a very nice side. Arrangement builds with horns giving a lift midway. (True Blue, ASCAP) BOBBY SMITH ORK " *** Coffee Break—BUZZ 105—Bluesy fustrumental with horns prominent. Relaxed,	JOHNNY PRESTON *** My Heart Knows — MERCURY 71474—A slow and pensive rockaballad, cleffed by Preston with the late Big Bop- per Richardson. Moderate appeal. (Big Bopper, BMI) *** Runny Bear—This moderate rhythm side is in the Indian kick and punctuated with the typical Indian grunts. Song was written by the Big Bopper. (Big Bopper, BMI) JERRY AND BRAD *** The People Hater—SHAD 5009— The pair essay something of a Homer and Jethro approach to this novelty. There's also a suggestion of the Coasters here.	pretty ballad, strongly accented with ttipleta in the plano. Vinton sings in dual track style thruout. Disk is well made, and there's a teen flavor here. (Cynthia, BM1) *** You'll Never Forget—An upbeater with Latin-rock beat in the rhythm. Vinton sings again in dual track harmony style. (Roncom, ASCAP) ARTHUR PRYSOCK *** My Faith—OLD TOWN 1073—Th- spirational type rockaballad is given a listen- able reading by the artist over Jush string support. Side can move, if plugged. (Maurcen, BM1)	 ★★ You're My Baby—On this side the chanter shows off his fine style on a listenable blues ballad over rather scanty support. (LaVern, BMI) JIMM1Y SHAW ★★ Take a Chance On Me—IMPERIAL 5603—High-pitched vocal blues reading with a rocking instrumental accompaniment. Shaw generates some excitement. (Wren, BMI) ★★ Big Chief Hug-Um an' Kiss-Um—Novelty blues. Shaw's high-pitched vocal is backed by a chorns of chicks and a rocking arrangement. Watch it. (Wren, BMI) 	(Linco, BMI) THE DU-ETTES ★★★ Donny — MECCA 2422 — The Du- ettes sing this bouncy novelty brightly over a good, rhythmic arrangement. Could get spins. (Bonnie Dee, BMI) THE VANGUARDS ★★ Wild—The Vanguards handle the in- strumental on this side, and it is just as wild as the title says it is. (Bonnie Dee, BMI) HERB HENSON ★★ Goodbye, Baby, Goodbye—SHASTA 121—The chanter sells this bouncy folk effort neatly over good backing by the vocal group and rhythm.
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AUDITION THE MONTHLY MUSICAL SHOPPING GUIDE



AN EVENING WITH LERNER & LOEWE Robert Merrill, Jan Peerce, Jane Powell, Phil Harris (2-12''), RCA Victor LSP 6005 (S&M)

CHET ATKINS IN HOLLYWOOD RCA Victor SLP 1993 & LPM 1993 (S&M)

BEACH ROMANCE Roger Smith, Warner Bros. WS 1305 (S&M)

CHUCK BERRY IS ON TOP Chess LP 1435

DANCE AND ROMANCE WITH THE TOMMY DORSEY ORCH. STARRING WARREN COVINGTON Decca DL 78904 & DL 8904 (S&M)

DO YOU REMEMBER Fred Waring and His Pennsylvanians, Capitol ST. 1208 (S&M)

ESPECIALLY FOR YOU Duane Eddy, Jamie JLP 70-3006

FOR THE VERY FIRST TIME Gienn Miller & His Orch. (3-12"), RCA Victor LPM 6100

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GREAT WALTZES Andre Kostelanetz, Columbia CL 1321

GYPSY Original Cast, Columbia OL 5420

HOLLYWOOD ALMANAC Frank Chacksfield & Orch. (2-12"), London PSA 3201 (S&M)

HUM AND STRUM ALONG WITH CHET ATKINS RCA Victor LSP 2025 (S&M)

IMPACT Buddy Morrow Ork., RCA Victor LSP 2042 & LPM 2042 (S&M)

IT'S THE TALK OF THE TOWN Ray Conniff Singers, Columbia CL 1334

KINGSTON TRIO AT LARGE, THE Capitol ST 1199 (S&M)

ENOCH LIGHT & THE LIGHT BRIGADE PLAY I WANT TO BE HAPPY CHA CHA'S Grand Award GA 222

MODERN TIMES Sound Track, United Artists UAL 4049

MORE JOHNNY'S GREATEST HITS Johnny Mathis, Columbia CL 1344

MUSIC FROM M-SQUAD, THE Stanley Wilson Ork, RCA Victor LSP 2062 & LPM 2062 (S&M)

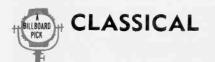
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BACH: THE SIX BRANDENBURG CONCERTOS (2-12") The Boston Symphony (Munch), RCA Victor LSC 6140 (S&M)

BEETHOVEN: CONCERTOS NOS. 1 & 2 FOR PIANO AND ORCH. Emil Gilels, Piaso with Orch. De La Societe Des Concerts Du Conservatoire (Vandernoot), Angel 35672

BEETHOVEN: SYMPHONIES NO. 8 & 9 Boston Symphony Orch. (Munch), RCA Victor LM 6066

BEETHOVEN: THE WALDSTEIN & NO. 18 SONATAS FOR PIANO The RCA Symphony Orch. (Bennett), RCA Victor LSC 2335 & LM 2335 (S&M)

BRAHMS: SYMPHONY NO. 2 IN D MAJOR OP. 73 Minneapolis Symphony Orch. Conducted by Antal Dorati, Mercury SR 90171 (S)

CHOPIN SCHERZOS Leonard Pennaria, Piano, Capitol SP 8486

DVORAK: NEW WORLD SYMPHONY Bruno Walter, Conducting, Columbia ML 5384

MOZART: SYMPHONIES NOS. 29 & 36 Brune Walter, Conducting, Columbia MI 5375



DANCE TO THE CITY BEAT The Kai Winding Trombones, Columbia -CL 1329

MILES DAVIS AND THE MODERN JAZZ GIANTS Prestige 7150

BILLIE HOLIDAY With Ray Ellis Ork, M-G-M E 3764

MODERN JAZZ QUARTET AT MUSIC INN, THE (Volume 2) Sonny Rollins, Atlantic 1299

OTHER

FOLK

CONCERT WITH HILLEL AND AVIVA

FLAMENCO PURO Sabicas, Guitar, Columbia WL 154

MY EYES HAVE SEEN Odetta, Vanguard VSD 2046 & VRS 1059 (S&M)

INTERNATIONAL

JACQUELINE FRANCOIS AT THE PLAZA

Columbia WS 302 (Stereo & Monaural)

QUINTETTO BRUNO MARTINO

OPERA

MARIA CALLAS PORTRAYS THE VERDI HEROINES Angel 35763 (Stereo & Monaural)

DONIZETTI: LINDA DI CHAMOUNIX (2-12") Various Artists, Columbia M3L 403

MOZART: THE MARRIAGE OF FIGARO Various Artists (4-12"), RCA Victor LM 6408

ROSSINI: THE BARBER OF SEVILLE Metropolitan Opera, RCA Victor LM 6143

SAINT SAENS: SAMSON AND DELILAH (ABRIDGED)

Rise Stevens, Mario del Monaco wifh Metropolitan Opera Orch. & Chorus (Cleva), RCA Victor LSC 2309

SPOKEN WORD

ALEXANDER KING READS FROM HIS BEST SELLER AND OTHER STORIES Urania X 120

Mitch Miller, Columbia CL 1331

PORGY AND BESS Sound Track, Columbia OS 2016 & OL 5410 (S&M)

SONGS OF OUR SOIL Johnny Cash, Columbia CL 1339

STEPHEN FOSTER SONG BOOK The Robert Shaw Chorale, RCA Victor LM 2295

WHEN I FALL IN LOVE Tab Hunter, Warner Bros. WS 1292 (S&M)

WITH MY EYES WIDE OPEN I'M DREAMING

Enoch Light & The Light Brigade, Grand Award GA 33-406

WORLD RENOWNED POPULAR PIANO CONCERTOS

George Greeley, Piano with the Warner Bros.' Orch., Warner Bros. WS 1291 (S&M) sector and a secto

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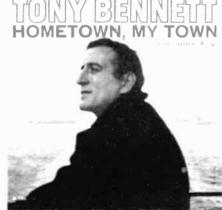
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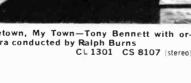


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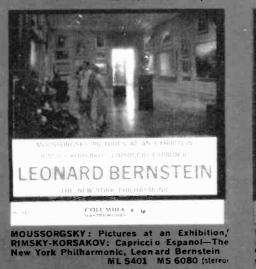


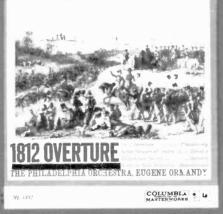
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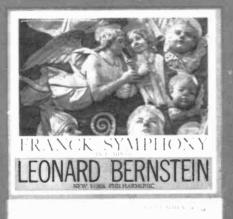


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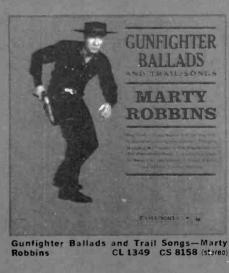


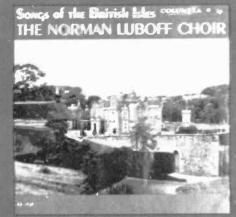
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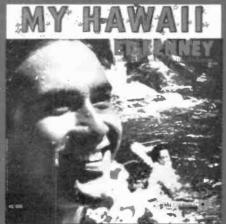
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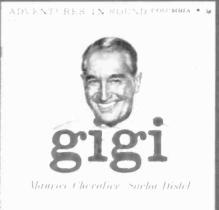


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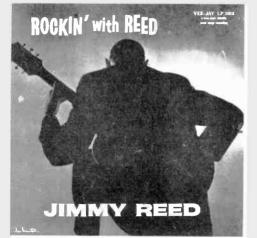
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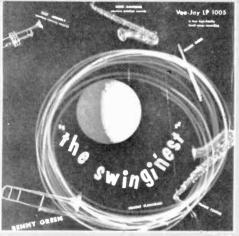
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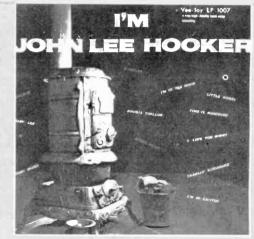
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--GLAZOUNOV Sym. No. 4, Op. 48. Kansas City Phil. Orch. (Schwieger) Urania US 131 (M)

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Strings. Starer, Five Miniatures

for Brass. Rimsky-Korsakov, Con-

certo for Trombone and Military

Band. Beethoven, Three Equali for

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vinsky, Capriccio. Horsley, Piano.

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pes of Central Asia. Rimsky-Korsa-kov, Flight of the Bumble Bee.

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NIGHT AT THE OPERA-Various

Selections. Wal-Berg & Orch. Mercury MG-20419 (M)

OPERATIC HIGHLIGHTS FOR OR-

CHESTRA—London Symphony Orch. (Gamba) London CS 6087 (S)

OVERTURE! OVERTURE! - Various

Selections. New Symph. Orch. of

PAS DE DEUX-Various Selections.

PIANO RECITAL-Various Selec-

tions. Gyorgy Cziftra, Piano. Angel 35611 (M)

POPS CAVIAR-Various Selections.

REFLECTIONS - Capitol Symphony

ROS AT THE OPERA-Edmundo Ros

ROSSINI DVERTURES-Various Se-

lections. Chicago Symphony

RUSSIAN OVERTURES-Various Se-

SCHUBERT—His Story and His Music Vox MM 3540 (M)

SCHUMANN & GRIEG-Their Story

and Their Music Vox MM 3550 (M)

SONATA EXOTIQUE-Various Selec-

SONGS OF INDIA-Various Selec-

STRAUSS, JOHANN-His Story and

His Music Vox MM 3590 (M) TCHAKOVSKY—His Story and His Music Vox MM 3570 (M)

TEMPO ESPANOL-Various Selec-tions. Capitol Symphony Orch. (Dragon) Capitol P-8487 (M)

VENICE-Various Selections. Orch. of the Royal Opera House (Gar-den) RCA Victor 1M-2213 (M)

tions, Boston Pops (Fiedler)

Urania UR 9032 (M) USD 2032 (S)

RCA Victor LM-2320 (M) LSC-2320 (S)

lections. Royal Phil. Orch. (zinski) Capitol G-7182

& Orch. Various Selections

RCA Victor LSC-2202 (S)

Capitol P-8491 (M)

London LL 3104 (M)

RCA Victor LM-2318 (M)

SP-8491 (5)

PS 157 (5)

LSC-2318 (S)

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RCA Victor LSC-2134 (S)

Capitol SG-7160 (S)

Westminster WP 6108 (M)

Vox MM 3530 (M)

WST 15041 (S)

Vox MM 3510 (M)

SR 60092 (5)

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ROSSINI-Various Selections. Bam-

STRAUSS. JOHANN-Various Selec-

tions. Orchestra der Staatsoper (Strauss) Vox VX 26.030 (M)

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ALBRIGHT, LOLA-Dreamsville

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ATKINS, CHET -- Hum & Strum

BENNETT, TONY - Hometown,

Bostic Workshop, Vol. 2

Bostic Workshop, Vol. 3

BOSTIC, EARL-Bostic Workshop

Sweet Tunes of the Fantastic 50's,

Sweet Tunes of the Roaring 20's.

Sweet Tunes of the Roaring 20's,

Sweet Tunes of the Roaring 20's,

BRUBECK, DAVE-Gone With the

CASH, JOHNNY-Songs of Our Soil,

CHUCK WAGON GANG, THE-The

Songs of Our Soil, Vol. 2

Songs of Our Soil, Vol. 3

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The Chuck Wagon Gang

The Chuck Wagon Gang

COVINGTON,

CORLEY, BOB-Bermuda Bound

TOMMY DORSEY ORK-The Swing-In' Era Decca ED 2660 (M)

DAVIS, JIMMIE-Jimmie Davis' All-

Time Hits Decca ED 2654 (M)

DOBKINS JR., CARL-My Heart is

ELLINGTON, DUKE-Anatomy of a

ELGART, LES-The Great Sound of

FAITH, PERCY & ORK-Percy Faith A His Orchestra Columbia B 2633

FIRESIDE GANG, THE - Let's All

FOLEY, RED-Let's All Sing to Him

FOUR ACES, THE-Hits From Broad-

FOUR ACES, THE—The Four Aces Sing Decce ED 2665 (M)

GRIFFIN, KEN-Ken Griffin at the

Jimmie Davis' All-Time Hits

DAY, DORIS-Doris Day

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berg Symphony Orch. (Periea) Vox PL 11.180

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STPL 511.180 (S)

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RCA Victor EPA 4343

Columbia B 13011

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King EP 433

King EP 434

King EP 436

King EP 437

King EP 439

Columbia B 13471

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Columbia B 13393

Columbia B 2829

Columbia B 2830

Columbia B 2831

RCA Victor EPA 4341

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Decca ED 2664

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Telefunken TC 8002 (M) TCS 18002 (S) ITALIAN OPERA INTERMEZZI-Philharmonia Orch. (Galliera)

RIMSKY-KORSAKOV - SCHEHERA-ZADE. Symphony Orch. of the Belgian National Radio (Andre) Telefunken TC 8011 (M)

(Andre)

SCHUBERT-ROSAMUNDE, INCIDEN-TAL MUSIC. MENDELSSOHN, A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM, IN-CIDENTAL MUSIC. Orch. of the Berlin Municipal Opera (Rotner) Telefunken TCS 18017 (\$)

SYMPHONY NO. 8 (Unfinished). The Bamberg Symphony Orch. (Keilberth). BEETHOVEN SYM-PHONY NO. 8 Hamburg State Philharmonic Orch. (Keilberth) Telefunken TC 8010 (M)

SCHUMANN-PIANO CONCERTO IN A MINOR. CARNAVAL. Hamburg Pro Musica (Riede)

Forum F-70007 (M) STRAUSS, JOHANN - OVERTURES.

Orch. of the Berlin Municipal Opera (Rother)

WALTZES-The Bamberg Symphony

Orch. (Kellberth) Telefunken TC 8018 (M)

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SUITE; SERENADE FOR STRINGS.

Sym. Orch. of Belgian Nat. Radio

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CADEMICI DI MILANO. Biffoli, Vio-

WAGNER - DIE MEISTERSINGER

PRELUDE TO ACTS 1 & 3. LOHEN-

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Hamburg State Philharmonic Orch.

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BALLET HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE

OPERA--Concert Arts Symphony Orch. (Leinsdorf)

BEETHOVEN-His Story and His

BERLIOZ-His Story and His Music

BERLIOZ, MUSIC OF-Various Se

lections. Paris Conservatoire Orch. (Martinon) London CS 6101 (S)

BOLSHOI THEATRE BALLET PRO-

DUCTION, Vol. 2-Various Selec-tions Bruno Hi-Fi BR 14035 (M)

BOLSHOT THEATRE BALLET PRO

DUCTION, Vol. 3-Various Selec-tions Brune Hi-Fi BR 14036 (M)

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CLAIR DE LUNE-Various Selections Urania UX 138 (M

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Various Selections. Egon Petrl,

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London CS 6082 (\$) Piano Concerto, Franck, Variations.

No. 5 In B Flat Major. Decca DGMA.(M)

DGSA-7300 (S)

-WEBER Konzerstuck in F Minor. Schumann Piano Concerto in A Minor. Vienna Phil. Orch. (Andreae) Gulda, Piano. London CS 6082 (\$)

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Invitation to the Waltr, Falls, The Three Cornored Hat. Ravel, Bolero, Alborado Del Graciosa. Paris Cons. Orch. (Wolff) London CS 6077 (\$)

--WILLIAMS, VAUGHAN_ Sym. No. 8. Ba3, Garden of Fand Butterworth, A Shropshire Lad. Halle Orch. (Aarbirolli)

Mercury TR 90115 (8)

Hamburg Pro Musica (Byrd)

Forum F-70008 (M)

LISZT - HUNGARIAN RHAPSODY NOS. 3 & 6, ENESCO, ROUMANIAN RHAPSODY NO. 1; BORODIN, PO-LOVTSIAN DANCES; IN THE STEP-PES OF CENTRAL ASIA. Symphony Orch of the Belgian National Radio (Andre)

Telefunken TC 8007 (M) TCS 18007 (S)

MENDELSSOHN - A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM. INCIDENTAL MU-SIC. SCHUBERT, ROSAMUNDE. IN-CIDENTAL MUSIC. Orch. of the Berlin Municipal Opera (Rother) Telefunken TCS 18017 (S)

SYM. NO. 4 IN A. MOZART, SYM. NO. 40. Oslo Phil. Orch. Camden CAS 508 (S)

MOZART - OVERTURES. Hamburg Pro Musica (Newstone) Forum F-70010 (M) FINLANDIA - Various Selections. London Proms Symphony Orch. (Mackerras)

RCA Victor LM-2336 (M) LSC-2336 (S)

FOSTER & SOUSA-Their Story and Their Music Vox MM 3620 (M) FOSTER, STEPHEN, SONG BOOK-Various Selections, Robert Shaw Choral RCA Victor LM-2295 (M LSC-2295 (S)

GERMAN SONGS OF THE MIDDLE AGES AND THE RENAISSANCE Westminster XWN 18848 (M)

GILBERT & SULLIVAN H.M.S. PINAFORE-The Pro Arte Orch. & Glyndebourne Festival Chorus (Sa gent) Angel 3589 B/L (M) S-3589 8/L (S)

HANDEL-His Story and His Music Vox MM 3560 (M)

HAYDN-His Story and His Music Vox MM 3610 (M)

HAMBLEN, STUART-Stuart Ham-Columbia B 2827

VIRTUOSO OBOE-Vienna State IVES. BURL-Cheers Opera Chamber Orch. Andre Lard-rot, Obee. Vanguard VSD-2036 (S)

SP-8487 (S)

WAGNER PRELUDES-Various Se-Vienna Phil. Orch. Capitol G-7180 (M) lections. (Kempe) SG 7180 (S)

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Low Price Classical Misc. CONCERT OF OVERTURES—Royal Danish Orch. (Frandsen) Forum F-700D1 (M)

FRENCH OVERTURES—Various Selections. Symphony Orch. of the Belgian National Radio (Andre) Telefunken TC 8016 (M) TC\$ 18016 (S)

GERMAN OVERTURES-Various Selections. Orchestra of the Berlin

Decca ED 265D (M) ED 72650 (S) JACKSON, MAHALIA-Great Gettin' Up Morning, Vol. 1 Columbia B 13431

Great Gettin' Up Morning, Vol. 2 Columbia B 13432

Great Gettin' Up Morning, Vol. 3 Columbia B 13433

Mahalia Jackson Columbia B 2636

KING, WAYNE-Orchids to My Lady Decca ED 2662 (M) ED 72662 (S)

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The Kingston Trio at Large Capitol 2-1199

The Billboard's Music Popularity Charts . . . POP RECORDS

Less Shops Carrying Latter

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both.

New York Off In New York Carl Fisher Music said its LP sales were slower this past July than July a year ago. This was also true of singles and EP's. The over-all drop was 5 to Mart, downtown, Lou Epstein, 10 per cent according to the spokesman.

Sam Goody's emporium claimed that dollar volume was off 10 per cent as against July of 1958 in seemed more interested and willspite of the fact that Goody opende a new store on the East Side of town in mid-July.

One of New York's largest East Side shops noted that it was able to just barely better its sales this the pop EP's fell off somewhat, July as compared to July a year ago. (This store no longer handles rock 'n' roll EP's held their own. singles and according to the spokesman is getting rid of its EP's due to poor sales.)

Cincy Trade Dips

CINCINNATI — A spokesman for the Song Shop, one of the town's two top retail record outlets, reported singles business for July down somewhat from last year, and attributed the decline to the type of music being offered on the singles and the fact that the locals just don't seem to have the money to plunk down 98 cents for a single record. There was no appreciable difference in LP business this July over a year ago, the spokeman said.

While EP business generally in the area was down this July from that of a year ago, the Song Shop EP business rode it out on an even keel. "If there was a drop from a

The Kingston Trio at Large Capitol 3-1199	
KOSTELANETZ, ANDRE—Andre Kos- telanetz conducts the Robin Hood Dell Ork of Philadelphia Columbia B 2637	
LANZA, MARIO—For the First Time RCA Victor EPA 4344	
MARTINEZ, RAOUL—Cha Cha Cha Tops 609	
MASTERS FAMILY, THE—The Mas- 1ers Family Columbia B 2828	
MATHIS, JOHNNY—Heavenly Columbia B 13511	
Heavenly Columbia B 13512	
Heavenly Columbia B 13513	
MILLER, MITCH-Party Sing Along	
With Mitch Columbia B 13311	
Party Sing Along With Mitch Columbia B 13312	
Party Sing Along With Mitch Columbia 13313	
MORGAN, JANE—Jane Morgan Kapp SE 415	
O'DAY, MOLLY—Molly O'Day & the Cumberland Mountain Folks Columbia B 2826	
PIERCE, WEBB—Webb Decca ED 2653 (M) ED 72653 (S)	

RAY CHARLES SINGERS, THE-In the Evening by the Moonlight Decca ED 2652 (M) ED 72652 (S)

ROBBINS, MARTY—Gunfighter Bal-Columbia B 13491

longer stocked singles or EP's or year ago, it was hardly noticeable." both. the spokesman said. "The reason we do not suffer like some of the other stores," he said, "is because we try to keep a very complete inventory in EP's."

At the Jimmy Skinner Music manager, reported July singles business down noticeably from that cent; doesn't stock singles. of a year ago. He attributed the decline to the fact that customers ing to spend their money on packaged records. The store's LP business showed a substantial increase over that of last year. In regard to the EP business, Epstein said that but that country and western and The c.&w. EP business was benefited considerably by the fact that of July decline still showed him 24 the Skinner firm sells most of its c.&w. EP's thru mail order, an important facet of the store's business.

Baumert & Reddert, suburban outlet, described July singles business as bad. "Partly responsible," said a member of the firm, "is the fact that all releases sound the same; something a little different would help a great deal. A hot number stays hot only about two weeks. By the time the retailer gets it, it's on the way out. The kids want the records right away, and will follow the advice of deejay who says 'get this now,' and they mean they want it right now. This is a real headache for the retailer."

LP's make up the biggest part of Baumert and Reddert's business. and they offered no complaint in that department. While this year's over-all sales picture was not as good as that of July a year ago, June of this year was better than June a year ago which leveled things out. The company has very little going in the EP line and is planning on closing out its stock on them, perhaps stocking only the better-known artists.

D. C. Unspectacular

WASHINGTON — Area record dealers enjoyed good business during July, but sales of singles, EP's and LP's were not "spectacular," they say.

Campbell Music Company says sales of LP's are very good-as high as figures for July 1958, which was a good month. Campbell does not sell singles or EP's.

The number of LP's sold during singles to keep volume consistent July by Glen Music Company was "normal," according to Manager Kruglak, but very few singles were sold, and no EP's. The volume increased this July over the same month a year ago, but Kruglak believes the increase is due to enlargement of the store. He added that there has been an increase in demand for Belafonte records, following an appearance by the artist at the Carter Barron outdoor theater here.

Max Silverman, owner of the Quality Music Company, says his sales figures for July ran ahead of those for July, 1958, but did not show the same rate of increase as did figures for the first six months the most unique contracts with

California Music (Los Angeles): LP's 20 per cent up; EP's 50 per cent off; singles, holding. Music City (figures include two

volume stores, Hollywood and in Lakewood section): LP's up 10 per cent; EP's down 15 per cent; singles down 5 per cent. (Please note: Music City's major appeal to buyers is fact its stock is most complete in town, thus probably carries area's biggest singles' inventory.)

Crawford's of Beverly Hills: LP's up 20 per cent; EP's down 15 per

50-50 at Chicago

CHICAGO - Record dealers here reported a 50-50 split between business in 1959 showing improvement or maintaining almost identi-cal level with 1958. V. H. (Andy) Anderson of Record Center, northwestern store, said that the last two weeks of Mercury's Operation Pageworth boosted his business greatly so that the final two weeks per cent ahead for the month. In the singles and EP (approximately 5 per cent of his total runs into EP's and that is primarily c&w sides) category, he showed a 22 per cent decline. Anderson, like several other dealers, said this decline is partially accounted for by the fact that his teen customers are buying more Jimmy Darin and Duane Eddy rock 'n' roll type LP's and light jazz like Ahmad Jamal.

Bernie Skidell of ABC Recordteria, far south store, faced a steel strike barrier all month, as he has many of the mills' workers as customers, but a wheel of fortune gimmick, wherein every purchaser selected a number from a chest and if that number showed up his purchase was free, and special leaders showed business up 15 per cent on both singles and LP's over the preceding year.

Survey generally indicated that special promotion of some sort was necessary to keep business up, even with the "help of stereo LP's." All dealers said that twotrack sales have helped maintain LP volume.

Dealers contacted said that they have found that stocking a larger supply of more different singles since the first of the year has helped to bring customers back who were buying off racks or from variety type stores which have initiated small record departments. All dealers said that the over-playing of rock 'n' roll singles by Chicago top 40 type stations have cut down on the number of an individual hit they are selling, so they had to stock the larger number of different with 1958.

Lieber & Stoller

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a few years ago and which has created a copyright dispute between original publisher Sid Nathan and the other labels who recorded the tune. They have also had two other smash hits with the Coasters, "Along Came Jones" and "Charlie Brown." Right now the boys are pinning high hopes on a Clovers recording called "Love Po-

tion No. 9." Lieber and Stoller have some of

• Best Selling Sheet Music in U. S.

Tunes are ranked in order of their current national selling unportance at the sheet music jobber level.

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1. THE BATTLE OF NEW ORLEANS (Warden)	. 1	13
2. WATERLOO (Cedarwood)	. 3	7
3. PERSONALITY (Lloyd-Logan)	. 2	13
4. TILL THERE WAS YOU (Frank)		4
5. LONELY BOY (Spanka)	. 5	6
6. MY HEART IS AN OPEN BOOK (Sequence)	. 7	2
7. THREE BELLS (Harris)	. —	1
8. AN EVENING IN ROMA (Zodiac)	. 10	2
9. LIPSTICK ON YOUR COLLAR (Joy)	. 9	7
0. SUMMER DREAMS (Rio Grande)	. 6	10
1. BROKEN-HEARTED MELODY (Mansion)	. 15	2
2. HAWAIIAN WEDDING SONG (Pickwick)	. 14	33
3. KANSAS CITY (Fire)	. 4	11
4. FIVE PENNIES (Dena)		4
15. 77 SUNSET STRIP (Witmark)		19

• Best Selling Sheet Music in Britain

(For week ending August 22)

A cabled report from the Music Publishers' Association, Ltd., London. List is based upon their weekly survey of England's leading music dealers. American publishers in parenthesis

Roulette-Mills (Mills)

Livin' Doll—World Wide (Maurice) Side Saddle—Mills (Mills) The Heart of a Man-David Toff (Shapiro-Bernstein) Goodbye, Jimmy, Goodbye-Bron (Knoll-

wood) Only Sixteen—Ardmore & Beech (Kags)

Lipstick on Your Collar-Joy (Joy) Battle of New Orleans-Acuff-Rose (War den)

China Tea-Mills (Mills)

May You Always-Essex (Hecht, Lancaster & Buzzell) Teenager in Lowe-West One (Rumbalero) The Wonder of You-Leeds (Random) I Know-Feldman (Roncom) Lonely Boy—Bron (Spanka) Waterloo—Southern (Cedarwood) Trampolina—Harvard (--) Trudie-Henderson (Kassner) Personality-Leeds (Lloyd-Logan)

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• Best Selling Pop Records in Britain

(For week ending August 22)

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LIVING	DOLL-Cliff Richard (Columbia)	. 1
	BOY—Paul Anka (Columbia)	
ONLY SI	IXTEEN—Craig Douglas (Top Rank)	6
LIPSTICK	K ON YOUR COLLAR—Connie Francis (M-G-M)	2
DREAM	LOVER-Bobby Darin (London)	3
BATTLE	OF NEW ORLEANS-Lonnie Donegan (Pye)	4
HEART (OF MAN-Frankic Vaughan (Philips)	9
SOMEON	E-Johnny Mathis (Fontana)	., 13
CHINA '	TEA-Russ Conway (Columbia)	–
ROULET	TE-Russ Conway (Columbia)	8
A TEEN	AGER IN LOVE-Marty Wilde (Philips)	., 10
BIG HUN	NK O' LOVE-Elvis Presley (RCA)	7
MONA I	LISA—Conway Twitty (M-G-M)	
RAGTIM	E COWBOY JOE-David Seville-Chipmunks (London)	14
I KNOW	-Perry Como (RCA)	11
TALLAH	ASSEE LASSIE-Tommy Steele (Decca)	., 18
THE WC	ONDER OF YOU—Ronnie Hilton (HMV)	
SIDE SA	ADDLE-Russ Conway (Columbia)	•• -•
	E, JIMMY, GOODBYE-Ruby Murray (Columbia)	
PERSON	ALITY—Anthony Newley (Decca)	12

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Gunfighter Ballads Columbia B 13493	are "picking up" and that his sales of singles are about the same as for July of 1958. EP's constitute	Atlantic and Atco, but they have a deal with the Abarbach Frence to	SAVING Billboard
\$INATRA, FRANK—Frank Sinatra Columbia B 2638	just a "small part" of his business. Max believes that kids want to	cut whatever Big Top Records they	SUBSCRIPTION
No One Cares Capitol 1-1221 No One Cares Capitol 2-1221	spend their allowances on LP's rather than on single records, and says they will buy EP's only if	si irit or the artist or the tune moves them. They also write bal-	Order
No One Cares Capitol 3-1221 TUBB, ERNEST — The Ernest Tubb Story Decca ED 2655 (M) ED 72655 (S)	they're after rock and roll records in that speed. LP's Up On Coast		The Billboard, 2160 Patterson St., Cincinnati 22. Ohio Enter my subscription to The Billboard for a full year (52 issues) at the rate of \$15 (a considerable saving ever single copy rates). Foreign rate \$30. 707
WELLS, KITTY-Dust on the Bible Decca ED 2646 (M) ED 72646 (S) WILLIAMS, ROGER-Roger Williams	HOLLYWOOD—Arcadia Music (Arcadia, Calif.) states that LP's are 20 per cent up: EP's 10 per cent off; singles, 20 per cent off.	7 OUT OF 10	Name
Koger Williams Roger Williams Kapp SE 412 Roger Williams Kapp SE 414	House of Sight & Sound (Van Nuys section) reports LP's up 20 per cent; EP's unchanged; singles off 15 per cent.	In this week's ads will be among the	City Zone State Type of Business This



pitching to fan club members Artist Bureau, Nashville, and and the public at his personals. MCA, New York, to handle ... Jimmy Newman kicks off a new tour September 2 which the Browns (Jim Edward, will keep him busy for most Maxine, Bonnie and Norma) of September and October in on "certain facets of their the West and Pacific North-

★★ Dasvidanya—The smart, night club thrush sings a romantic song of old Moscow, full of the strummed gypsy man-dolin sound. Song has a repeated slow verse with a change of pace uptempo chorus. Some jocks will go for this. (Thompson, ASCAP)

west. . . . Ira Louvin, of the Louvin Brothers, and his wife, Fay, have purchased a farm near Goodlettsville, Tenn., and are slated to locate there around mid-September. . . Betty Foley's "Old Moon," on the Bandera label, is being published jointly by Sundown Music and Golden River Music.... The Brooks Twins, Ronnie and Donnie, have a new release on the Blue Ribbon label, "Trying" b.w. "An-nie From Alaska." "Trying" was penned by J. B. Powell, deejay at WPRZ, Paris, Ill.

El Rader, manager of Lucky Records, Cincinnati, and Zekie Browning, whose newest on that label is "What Else Could You bookings," as Herb puts it. Shucher is back at his Madison, Tenn., headquarters after managing the "Grand Ole Opry" show at the Wisconsin State Fair, Milwaukee, just concluded. . . . Del Reeves and Jack McFadden, general manager of Del Reeves Enterprises, Sacramento, Calif., will hit the road early in September to promote Del's new release on the Las Vegas label, "Johnny Appleseed." They kick off the trek at Albuquerque, N. M., September 8, and follow with Oklahoma City, 9; Fort Smith, Ark., 10; Newport, Ark., 11, and Memphis, 12-14. Del will continue the tour along the East Coast until October.

THE DARBY SISTERS *** Go Back, Go Back to Your Pontiac -CUB 9041-A rocker of a cute piece of material about a car which breaks down periodically to keep the young lovers apart. It's set to a Latinish rocking rhythm. Spins possible here. (Greenleaf, BMI) ★★ Misunderstood—The new gal group sings okay harmonies on this ballad of one who is misunderstood. It's medium tempo rock fare and they're assisted by a male group. (Budd, ASCAP) NICK TODD *** Sayin' Something - DOT 15981-Nick Todd sells a listenable rocker in good fashion here over a first-rate backing by the chorus and ork. A good side. (Cooga, BMI) ** An Invisible Man-A pretty new ballad is sung stylishly by the chanter over tender backing. Flip is the stronger side. (Spoone, ASCAP)

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ANNE LLOYD, THE SANDPIPERS & MITCH MILLER ORK $\star \star$ Parade of the Wooden Soldiers-An oldie is rejuvenated for the benefit of the youngsters. Similar appeal to the flip. (Marks, BMI)

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THE SANDPIPERS, JIMMY CARROLL & ORK

CAROLL & ORK $\star \star$ Swanes River — GOLDEN 554 — The Sandpipers mixed chorus sings the old Stephen Foster song in a straight, ungimmicked manner for the kiddies. Little to hold the youngsters' interest here except for those who want to sing along.

★★ My Old Kentucky Home—A similar excursion by the singers on another classic oldie. Same commercial comment applies.

International

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RENATO CAROSONE & HIS SEXTET *** Rusticanella -- COLUMBIA 41458--The side has a wistling chorus and it's in a bright marching tempo. Listenable side is taken from the album "Carsone Caravan." (Beltramo, BIEM)

*** 'O Mafiuso - Carsone himself is heard in the Italian vocal on this upbeat side. It's exuberant and it could find a market. (Edizioni Musicali Edir, BIEM)

> Jazz

RAMSEY LEWIS TRIO **** C. C. Rider-ARGO 5344 -- A





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THE BIG TEEN AGE BALLAD

Cute material for the very young. (Chappell, swingin' jazz version of the traditional blues by the Lewis combo. It spotlights good piano by Lewis and interesting rhythm backing. (Iraci, BMI)

> *** Consider the Source-The Ramsey Lewis Trio handles this blues effort neatly with Lewis featured on piano. Worth spins in both the pop and jazz fields. (Iraci, BMI)

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THE THREE SOUNDS *** Jinne Lou-BLUE NOTE 1743-The three Sounds have a good side here. It's a slight riff item, but they play it in neat fashion. A good side for jazz boxes. (Groove, BMI)

******* Besame Mucho—The fine standard is handed a good interpretation here by the group on this listenable instrumental. (Peer, BMI)

IKE OUEBEC

★★★ Blue Monday—BLUE NOTE 1748— lke Quebec on tenor backed by a group of good Jazzmen, comes thru with a warm reading of this listenable mood piece. (Marvin, ASCAP)

** Dear John-On this side Eddie Swans ton on organ gets a chance to show off his style and Quebec comes thru with another good solo. (Groove, BMI)



BARRY LIPTON

★★★ With Her Head Tucked Underneath Her Arm—IMPERIAL 5599—Side is done in cockney dialect. Unusual item can create jockey interest. Tune tells of the ghost of Anne Boleyn. (Chappell, ASCAP)

*** The Old Sow Song-Cute noveltywaltz provides an amusing side. Also a possible jockey item. (Vogel, ASCAP)



LPL WALLY

LPL WALLY $\star\star\star$ Doodle Doo Doo Polka — JAY JAY 203—The old tune by ork leader Art Kassel gets the polka treatment by Li¹ Wally. Seems to lend itself well to this rhythm and the sound is bright. Fine for its market. Lucky Harmony Boys take the vocal here. (Feist, ASCAP)

*** Love Me Forever Polka-A pretty Good bright sound throut makes this a fine box record—either side. (Jay Jay, BMI)

FRANKIE YANKOVIC & HIS YANKS **** Rosa Rosa Nina — COLUMBIA 41457—Bright, string-band effect is used on this happy polka effort. Emphasis is also on accordions. It should move well. English lyrics by a chorus. (Mills, ASCAP)

*** Moonlight Waltz-Pretty Oom-oom pah melody is expressively presented by the polka artist and crew. A likely good seller in this market. (Elsan, BMI)

• Continued from page 3 Spiritual per cent this year. Extended play | sales in retail stores, as prepared disks dropped from sales of 300,-- * * * * -000 in the same period of 1958 to 200,000 this year, a one-third fall-

off.

THE SOUL SEEKERS **** Mother Take Your Rest-CUB 9044-A rousing upbeat spiritual is belted for fine effect by the lead and the group. Here the backing of piano, drums and guitar really swings. A fine and satisfying side. (Smart, BMI)

million for the four-week period *** It's So High-A fine spiritual side. last year, a drop of just over 12 Group has a lead who is much in the Sam per cent Cooke groove. This cat gives the song great expression and the rest of the group year-to-date figures down almost across the nation. backs him in tasty fashion. (Smart, BMI)

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'Consent' a Fighting Word • Continued from page 3

board (with reference to the Juscorporated society such as ASCAP the board is elected by members and represents them. He said he studied all complaints and criticisms and he pointed out that all members still have time to appear before Judge Ryan on October 19. Fox requested certain data relative to the negotiations between ASCAP and the Justice Department be made available so that members who wish to appear before Judge Ryan could be suitably informed (see separate story). Dean noted that the courts have always ruled that confidential information may not be revealed.

Dean's handling of the questions elicited approval of many members, who gave him a round of applause. After the meeting, critics of the administration stated they felt that Fox had handled himself ir an extremely courageous, forthright fashion.

Additional steam was generated by Redd Evans, who declared ASCAP had flaunted the 1950 decree; that ASCAP meetings were like events in Hyde Park — that everything said really accomplishes nothing. "Armageddon will be Oc-tober 19," he declared. by Fox, Evans declared that he

had it on the authority of a board niember that ASCAP had spent between \$750,000 and \$1,000,000 for legal services "to continue in office the system which strangled Amer-ican music." Evans, who stated that 50 or 60 members had asked him to present his views, later added that a five million dollar organization (BMI) has most of the songs on the hit parade and ASCAP has been "lulled into a sleeping giant." He predicted the proposed consent order would be thrown out of court. He charged that many ASCAP publishers received BMI money; that the ASCAP income of important board members had doubled in the past two years.

Total sales from retail record

stores, including all speeds, thus

were 6.4 million units against 7.3

to the 1958 level. Disks of all

speeds racked up just over 57 mil-

ing that the concensus was that at this point, making an eloquent it was not germane to the meeting. argument for approval of the de-Fox pressed on, asking Dean cree, which he said was in the whether he felt it was his duty to best interests of all. He called determine whether views of the for a constructive attitude and deplored criticism by members aftice Department negotiations) were in the best interests of the Society. Dean answered that in an unin-said "The biggest personality opposing us is BMI . . . I urge you to approve this Consent Decree."

Evans took the mike to explain that before he could get into ASCAP he entered BMI; "I've been fighting with BMI to get them to allow me to put it (Valiant) in ASCAP. . . . As of Octo-ber, it is in ASCAP."

Mitchell Parrish took note of the various speeches by "People whose contribution to the general ASCAP catalog were a 'mystery'.' Irving Berlin and Cole Porter, etc. do not complain and \$2,000,000 of their income is trickling down to the lower classes, he pointed out. He likened the criticisms to "chanting of a Greek chorus." the He described the critics as "long on arrogance, and short on achievement." He said the great standards were the Society's backbone. The proposed decree, he added, is a compromise; that all cannot be satisfied. . . . but under it ASCAP could continue. He further described the attackers as "vultures and harpies circling above and salivating." ASCAP must not die he said, adding that the deserving would be well-rewarded.

Following this, one Lou Ballin took over the mike, again charging that the meeting was rigged (see separate story). He spoke in an impassioned manner for several minutes, during which time, a number of members got up and left.

The well-known Pinky Herman rose at this point to say, "I'm sorry you talked Lou, because you lost half my audience." Herman then called for acceptance by the membership of the consent order, seeing it as a constructive "compro-mise."

Following Herman's statement, another group left the room, leaving but a small percentage of the original audience. At this point, Bob A. Davis offered a plan whereby "as much as \$5,000,000 of ASCAP's \$28,000,000 annual col-Arthur Schwartz took the mike lections" be set aside for an equal

by The Billboard under the super-

vision of the New York University

School of Retailing. The complete

confidential reports also provide

each label's dollar volume and

share of the market, broken down

by record speeds, for every four-

week period to date. The reports

are compiled from cash-register di-

aries of actual sales, provided by a

The report will also note that,

based on manufacturers' list prices,

17% Dip in Singles Sales

The singles slump brought the rotating panel of record dealers

lion unit sales thru July 17 of this total dollar volume for the year to

distribution fund to ASCAP members of shorter terms of membership. "For all those who have been in for only a year, let's say, they set aside \$1,000,000 and make an even distribution," said Davis. Then, for the two-year members, you would have another pool of maybe \$1,500,000 to be distributed the same way. Maybe by doing this you could eliminate some of the problems posed by the younger and newer members in the Society."

Later a suggestion was advanced on logging procedure. It was pointed out that all stations in the land must submit complete programming data to the government. "Why not have each station simply mail a copy of this to ASCAP in envelopes to be provided by the Society?" was the query. "This 'This would be the most accurate logging system ever devised," he added.

No official decison on the or-der was reached. The meeting finally broke up with a minimum number of members still present.

ASCAP Unit • Continued from page 3

seven of the eight current ASCAP hits. We would like to think of ourselves as a grass roots group. We are certain you will all agree that this group is most important

to the continued strength of ASCAP and should be encouraged. "We have a serious reservation regarding the 'recognized works provision' in the present proposed consent decree. We believe that the alternatives presented to us for payment for our efforts as writers and composers are unfair. We believe that changes are required.

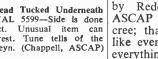
"In our efforts, we have en-gaged Lee V. Eastman as our attorney to represent us and henceforth all statements or our behalf will be made by him.'

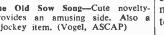
Another speaker, questioning the "recognized works" portion of the order, stated that "The current writer feels he is being penalized ir a world he didn't help create. I feel I am contributing to something (the 30 per cent portion of the ASCAP fund) which I'll never get anything from. There is an old saying about 'Taxation without rep-resentation.' I feel honestly that this 30 per cent rule will disenfranchise me as a writer."

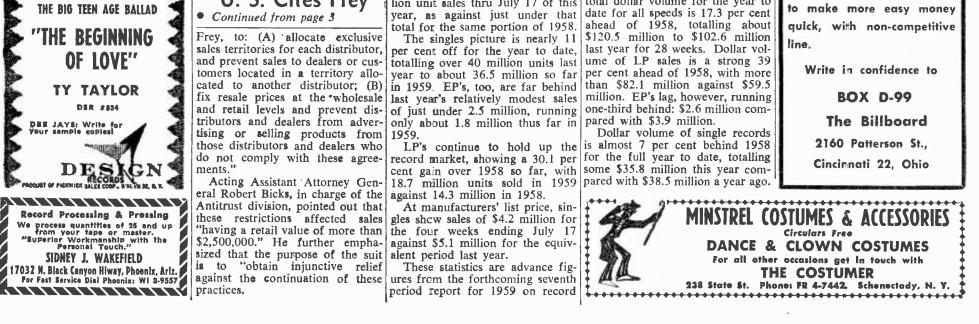
At an earlier point in the proceedings, during Dean's long dissertation, another member of the writer's committee, Lou Ballin, under an obvious strain, got up in the middle of Dean's speech and pointing to a voluminous reprint of the proposed order, said, "For God's sake, we've got it all here. What's he (Dean) wasting our time for? * tell you it's rigged." Ballin then left the room and continued his harrangue outside the meeting room.

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R-B Circus, Tenn. Ernie Sustain Wisconsin State Fair Grandstand

Ringling Grosses \$101,000 in Nine Shows; Heat, Humidity Cut Back Attendance

By HERB DOTTEN

MILWAUKEE-Hot and humid weather, which was broken only by rain that washed out two scheduled grandstand attractions, dogged the Wisconsin State Fair thru Thursday (28), seventh day of its 10-day run, but the fair's grandstand business was remarkably strong.

The Ringling-Barnum Circus, which started opening day for 10 performances, played to 57,652 who paid \$101,000, after taxes, at nine shows. The other scheduled performances-a 5:30 p.m. Sunday show—was a casualty to rain, which delayed the earlier afternoon auto races 90 minutes.

The other grandstand program lost to rain was a 200-mile stock car race Thursday. The event was hit by rain which continued until late afternoon, but that night the Tennessee Ernie Ford show played to 8,794 persons who paid \$17,410, after taxes. On the preceding day, the Ford show, presented both mat-ines and night, went on before 9,151 for a gross after taxes of \$17,440. It was scheduled for seven performances in all.

The strong grandstand business was a continuation of the trend which first set in here two years ago when Fair Manager Bill Masterson presented "West-O-Rama," instead of a traditional revue. The trend was stepped up sharply last year when Roy Rogers packed them in.

Circus and the Ford show was not expected to top the fair's receipts from Roger's record run but the fair figured to net more. The circus was an outright buy and, men turning out for the 200-unit after all expenses, the fair expected grandstand parade. to clear at least \$40,000. Ford was in on a percentage with Ernie getting the first \$20,000 and the fair the next \$20,000. Then Ford got 70 per cent of all receipts over \$40,000.

The hot, humid weather cut back attendance the first seven days. At the end of that period the outside gate count was about 50,000 under the 492,000 tally for

Colo. State Fair Starts

the corresponding period last year. of the weather the most. Receipts on the midway, except for the rides, were hardest hit.

The fair suffered a blow Saturday (22), its second day, when 20 fair patrons were stricken with food poisoning. None of those stricken was critical but the local papers played the story big. Wire services, TV and radio also blared the news and most food concessionaires reported business the following days to be down from

last year.

The Ford show, booked in by Daytime attendance felt the inroads E. O. Stacy of the Music Corporation of America, also offered Molly Bee, June Taylor Dancers, Four Preps, Rhythm Kings and Emsee Johnny Matson.

An added matinee and night attraction was the Atterbury-Hornbeck helicopter act. Nightly fireworks were by Thearle-Duffield Fireworks, Inc.

Visitors included J. C. Huskisson, manager of the Florida State Fair, Tampa.

Heat, Rain, Labor Cut Hamburg by 6%

Eight Days Pull 280,950; Midway and Kochman Succeed; Big Cars Draw 5,500

edition, to attract 280,950 during the eight days ending Saturday (22). The total was 6 per cent short of last year's 293,034.

Hamburg uses a formula to arrive at its attendance total, retaining. as it does, a traditional policy under which all children to age

More \$\$ For Fair Combined gross of the Ringling cents, plus 25 cents for parking, and paid admissions are multiplied by two and a-half. A liberal gate policy has many other thousands figured in, such as the 3,711 fire-

Daily totals reflected the handi-caps of a terrific heat wave which struck on opening weekend, the closing day's rainfall which didn't clear until mid-afternoon, and the many persons idled by the steel strike. F

strike. Figures	were:	
c .	1959	1958
Saturday	24,117	29,635
Sunday	31,610	38,417
Monday	22,179	26,624
Tuesday	34,805	34,082
Wednesday	47,582	39,515
Thursday	38,592	27,067
Friday	38,495	44,742
Saturday	43,570	52,952
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280,950 293,034 Total The James E. Strates Shows en-

HAMBURG, N. Y. - A strong | which ranged high into the 90's. comeback helped along by favor-able weather enabled the Erie County Fair, in its 118th annual big success. Local heat records were broken on three days.

Picnic Grove Created

IOWA STATE FAIR HIKES GATE TO 75c

DES MOINES-The Iowa State Fair dropped its traditional 50-cent outside gate charge for adults this year, upping the tab to 75 cents. Fair opened its 10-day run here Friday (28).

Fair Secretary Lloyd Cunningham said the boost was needed to provide more money for maintenance of buildings. He said the '58 fair made \$40,000 over expenses but expenses didn't count the maintenance of grounds.

Packs Rodeo Inks TV Name For St. Louis

ST. LOUIS-Tom Packs has signed Steve McQueen, the "Josh Randall," bounty hunter, of CBS-TV's "Wanted, Dead or Alive," for appearance at the annual Firemen's Rodeo at the St. Louis Arena, November 3-8. Packs produces the show and Tommy Steiner is stock contractor for the RCA championship rodeo.

The Packs organization just completed its circus tour and termed it a "brilliant season" and better Other entertainment included free grandstand act. and Mickey (Continued on page 80) (Continued on page 67)

Missouri State Fair Races Ahead of '58

Front Gate Count Jumps 10 Per Cent; Gooding Rides, Shows Pile Up Lead

SEDALIA, Mo.—The Missouri State Fair was having a strong run tion is managed by Hal Eifort. The SEDALIA, Mo .- The Missouri | here last week with attendance, midway takes and grandstand business all registering a healthy increase over last year.

Thru Wednesday (26), fifth of the nine days, attendance was 10 per cent ahead and the Gooding Amusement Company midway grosses were 12 per cent ahead.

First two days of the fair, Saturday and Sunday (22-23), the gate showed a 6,000 increase. Saturday afternoon and night auto races by Al Sweeney's National Speedways joyed a big week on the midway. drew almost capacity and Sunday Grandstand business was varied, afternoon's big car events did ca-with one of the rewarding results pacify business.

Mouse led the line-up of rides while the Joy Purvis girl unit topped the back end

PNE Starts Strong; Execs Eye Records

VANCOUVER — Opening day, Sam Snyder's Water Follies held Saturday (22), the Pacific National forth in the Forum the first seven Exhibition made a giant stride to- days with Polack Bros. Circus set

Rain Greets CNE; Papers **Review Show**

TORONTO - A pre - dinner thunderstorm put a damper on attendance at the opening of the Canadian National Exhibition Wednesday (26),

Officiating at the opening was Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten, chief of Britain's defense staff, whose four-ship United Kingdom squadron completed the comple-ment of 19 vessels from NATO member-nations.

George Gobel headed the twoweek grandstand show operating from the huge mobile stage. The grandstand matinee show is headlined by Duncan Renaldo (TV Cisco Kid), and Leo Carrillo (Pancho.)

Reviews by the three local papers on the preview of the grandstand show were kind but not generous.

Mayor Moore wrote in The Telegram:

"All the acts are bright with the exception of a pair of tedious (Continued on page 80)

Park Offer by **Roy Rogers**

LOS ANGELES-Roy Rogers has submitted a proposal to build an Old West town on a 300-acre site in Elysian Park here to George Hjelte, general manager of the City Recreation and Park Department.

The proposal, made by Art Rush vice-president of Roy Rogers-Frontiers, Inc., calls for Rogers to finance and operate the development with the project reverting to the city at the end of the 50-year lease.

In addition to Rogers' personal museum, the park would feature Western rides of all kinds, a theater, a hall for square dancing and a picnic area for 10,000 persons. Rogers' famed horses, Trigger and Trigger Jr., would be stabled in the town.

State Fair opened its six-day run here Monday (24) with a whopping 20 per cent increase in attendance but rain and high winds combined the next two days to bring the pac down to one that matched last year Fair opened on Monday and closed on Saturday this year, thereby dropping the Sunday, usually a slow day. A GAC-Hamid night grandstand show, brought in by Ernie Young and featuring Snooky Lanson, wat hurt somewhat by the weather or Tuesday and Wednesday. This was	being a 5,500 crowd turning out for big car races promoted by Bill Lydie, despite rainfall. The Jack Kochman thrill shows were in for four performances, pulling around 20,000 paid admissions. Gene Au- try's show, in for Saturday and Sunday (22-23), had a disappoint- ing weekend in the terrific heat, Bernie Mendelson Undergoes Surgery CHICAGO—Bernie Mendelson, top man in the O. Henry Tent & Awning Company here, lost his appendix in Weiss Memorial Hos- pital last week. He expected to be released and go home on Monday	scheduled to run modified stocks Thursday evening and additional programs on Saturday and Sunday afternoons. A GAC-Hamid night show fea- turing Betty Johnson, Shep Fields and the Harmonicats on Sunday and Monday evenings did well; Henny Youngman came in as top- per on Tuesday and Wednesday and did okay but below the first two nights. Advance sale for the five ap- pearances of the Gene Autry Show on Friday, Saturday and Sunday was fair, according to Colie Ervin, fair manager. He also said ad- vance on the weekend auto races was good. Grand Circuit harness	 ward setting a minion attendance mark. The turnstiles began revolving early in the morning and by the time Prime Minister Diefenbaker opened the fair at 3 p.m. about 5,000 were already on the grounds. When the last check of the gates was made that night, 67,809 paid admissions were counted, more than 8,000 above last year's first day. Total attendance last year was 925,000. Free attractions abound. Kings and Queen of the Sky are featured on their high wire and the theme of the fair this year, a salute to the Orient, has resulted in many exhibits from the Far East. Also free was an Arabian horse show 	A total of 76,989 came thru the outside gates on the Monday kid's day compared with last year's 59,137. Biggest news, however, is the increased spending despite strikes and unsettled labor conditions. Bankers, working on the grounds, estimated that cash turnover was up a third during the early part of the run. Late Tuesday a light rain fell which cut the evening turnouts.
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TALENT ON THE ROAD

Ottawa Sees Ford & Hines At Fair, After Near Miss

The Ford and Hines feature act came within a hair of blowing the opening show in Ottawa at the Central Canada Exhibition. They were due in on Sunday (23), a day before the premiere, but their luggage was lost while changing planes in Chicago and the pair luggage was lost while changing planes in Chicago and the pair finally arrived Monday afternoon.... All went well that night with the Barnes-Carruthers revue, but the press people awaiting Ford and Hines on Sunday were unfortunately stood up.... Free acts at the Hamburg (N. Y.) Fair were the Elkins Sisters, acrobatic; Excess Baggage, animal novelty; Matt Tuck, foot juggling; Rich and Gibson, musical novelty; Les Kimris, aerial; Natal, human gorilla; Staneks, teeterboard, and Mickey Sullivan's band, all booked thru GAC-Hamid teeterboard, and Mickey Sullivan's band, all booked thru GAC-Hamid.

Traveling with Gene Autry at fairs are the Strongs, trick roping and bull whip; Riding Kristensens; Platos, high act; Johnny Bond, vocalist; Gee Gee and Her Alaskans, trained huskies; Crowells, comedy trampoline; Gardner Sisters, novelty; Carl Cotler, musical director, and the Melody Ranch Orchestra. ... The French revue on Broadway, "La Plume de ma Tante," will put a No. 2 company on tour. Robert Dhery and his cast have been panicking audiences for 10 months and now a cohort of David Merrick, producer, is picking representatives for a Irwin Kirby second unit in France.

Mid-South Fair Lists

Follies Cast, Free Act The Third Annual Riverboat Follies, featured in three shows daily at the Mid-South Fair, Memphis, will feature Homer and Jethro. Billy Williams and his orchestra will be back with the rest of the cast to include Johnny Matson, emsee; Burk Twins, acro; Delia Weddington, dancing, and the Wagnon Sisters, vocal duets. The Wagnons are winners of the fair's 1958 youth talent contest. Names will be featured in the fair's free attractions in the exhibit buildings and will mark the return of Candy Candido who was in the Follies two years ago. Also signed are Bobby Williamson and the MacKinnon Sisters, with a food chain picking up the tab. Roy Rogers and Dale Evans and troupe will be in for six shows the final three days of the fair, October 1-3,

and Gene (Bat) Masterson will be with the 11 rodeo performances. Short Takes: Cochise, of the TV show, "Broken Arrow," will be the draw on two kid's days, September 14-15, at the Utah State Fair, Salt Lake City. Act to be featured with Seymour's German Circus there will include the Silver Condors, Les Rhodins and Po Po the Clown. . . . Tony Lavelli, former All-American cager, turned performer, is currently touring Alaska with his one-man variety and music show. This is Lavelli's second trip to the 49th State in the U.S. . . . Bob Top and Lauren, high performers, were the featured free act at last week's Oaklawn, Ill., 50th Jubilee. . . . Set by George Flint of Barnes-Carruthers at the Columbus (Miss.) Fair and Dairy Show are Roy Acuff and the Welburn Brothers with "Grand Ole Opry" on one day and the Paul Laduc "Frosty Follies" plus acts.

TV Showcase: Five or six Russian acts will be on the Ed Sullivan show from Moscow on September 27. With the Sullivan troupe in Russia are Marge and Gower Champion, Barry Sisters. Hubert Castle, Dick Contino and Eddy Manson, among others. Booked for the Red Skelton Chevy special on October 9 are Burl Ives, Tommy Sands and James (Matt Dillon) Arness. . . . McGuire Sisters are out of the September 18 Coca-Cola NBC show. Cast now has Julie London, Kingston Trio, Art Linkletter, Alan Young and cast of "Holiday on Ice." Charlie Byrnes

Folk Music Package for Abilene; Free Acts at Cincy Coney Show

Johnny Horton, Stonewall Jackson, Leon McAuliff and the Cimarron Boys, Bobby Darin and the Everly Brothers have been set for West Texas State Fair, Abilene, September 12-19. The package was lined up by Nat Nigberg, producer-promoter of Country America Productions, working with Elred Stacy, Music Corporation of America, Chicago. . . . Faron Young, Roy Drusky and other "Grand Ole Opry" talent are making August 31-September 2 appearances at Sioux Empire Fair, Sioux Falls, S. D.

Coney Island, Cincinnati, kicked off its annual Fireworks and Sky Revue with the Flying La Vals making twice daily free appearances on August 28-30. They are to be followed by Les Orioles, high pole, September 4-7. A "Sky King" TV show package comes in September 13 as a post-season feature.

State Fair of Texas Settles For Revue; Sets Stadium Acts

McGuires Top Music Hall Talent Bill

DALLAS - A musical revue starring the McGuire Sisters and featuring the comedy team of Rowan and Martin will be the Music Hall show for the 1959 State Fair of Texas, October 9-25.

The Music Hall show, the top theatrical attraction of the fair for many years, will be titled "Star Light! Star Bright!" and will have 23 performances, nightly thruout the run of the fair and with matinees each Saturday and Sunday of the exposition.

In addition to the McGuire Sisters and Rowan and Martin, the bill includes the Ballet Espanol, Somethin' Smith and the Redheads, Darvas and Julia and the Manhattan Rockets, a line of 24 girls.

The show will be produced and presented by State Fair Musicals, Inc., the fair's companion organization which presents a series of musical shows during the summer.

Producer will be Charles R. Meeker Jr., vice-president and assistant general manager of the State Fair and managing director of State Fair Musicals, Inc.

A 20-piece orchestra under the baton of Donald Yap, assistant musical director for the musicals during the current season, will be in the pit for the show.

Ticket prices for "Star Light! as for fair time Music Hall shows in the past. Top price is \$4.95, scaling down to \$1.65.

'Star Light! Star Bright!" represents a change of pace for the Music Hall shows during the fair, in 1952.

DALLAS SKEDS THREE MAJOR GRID TILTS

DALLAS-The State Fair of Texas will present three major college football games and a total of seven in all during the October 9-25 run. All will be in the Cotton Bowl.

On October 9 it'll be SMU vs. Missouri; October 10, Texas vs. Oklahoma; October 19, Prairie View A. & M. vs. Texas Southern University; October 24, SMU vs. Texas Tech, and on October 19, 22 and 23, high school and junior high school tilts.

Grape Fete Inks Polack

LODI, Calif .--- Polack Bros.' Circus will be featured at the Lodi Grape Festival and National Wine Show to be held here September 18-20, Charles Veregge, entertain-ment committee chairman, announced here last week.

The circus will be presented only on the second night of the show September 19, in the Grape Bowl, which seats 22,000.

which in most previous years have been recent Broadway hits. Last year the fair presented "The Music Man" and the year previous "My Star Bright!" will remain the same Fair Lady" was the big show. The 1959 show will be the first revue of its type for the fair since 1953, when Ethel Merman headlined a revue. Dean Martin and Jerry Lewis

were headliners for a similar show

Heat, Rain Fail To Hurt III. Fair 329,325 Attendance Up Over 1958; Night Grandstand Yields \$63,813

SPRINGFIELD, Ill.-Hot and ing night program. On the bill were humid weather, plus rain on four Hugh O'Brian (Wyatt Earp), Edd days, failed to keep the 10-day (Kookie) Byrnes, Dodie Stevens, Illinois State Fair, which closed Alan King, Mamie Van Doren, Sunday (23), from topping last Kathy Nolan, and Hugh Downs as year's run in paid attendance, mid- emsee, with Les Brown and his way receipts and night grandstand orchestra.

income. The paid gate was 329,325, up more than 10,000 from last year's stand attractions grossed \$63,813 line-up, was up sharply.

New records for paid attendance and receipts for a night grandstand show was set Saturday night (22).

The Barnes-Carruthers No. 1 revue, in the previous five nights, played to an average of about 3,000 319,225 tally. The night grand- persons nightly. A Grand Ole Opry unit, presented here for the first as compared to \$55,621 in '58 time, played to a whopping crowd Midway business for the Olson (10,811 persons who paid \$13,312) Shows, with a Mad Mouse in its on the first Saturday night (15).

(Continued on page 80) events.

Names Head **Up Stadium Free Shows**

DALLAS-The 1959 State Fair of Texas "Shower of Stars" will present seven free shows, each starring name entertainers or prominent theatrical or television personages. The shows will be presented in the Cotton Bowl stadium, on the Mobil oil midway stage and in the fair's new Livestock Coliseum.

Booking for the "Shower of Stars" to date includes Perez Prado and his band, Mitch Miller, Red Foley, Steve McQueen, Sam Cooke, Herb Shriner, Johnny Pulco and His Harmonica Gang, Woody Herman and his band, and Chris Barber and his orchestra. It is probable that other acts will be added later to augment the headliners.

"Shower of Stars" schedule is as follows:

October 12, Perez Prado and his orchestra in the Cotton Bowl as the highlight of Mexico Day at the fair.

October 13, Mitch Miller, Columbia a.&r. director and a recording star in his own right, will receive the 1959 Texas Music Festival Award and will conduct 4.000 massed high school musicians in the Cotton Bowl.

October 15, Red Roley, a popular favorite of the "Shower of Stars" program at the fair last year, will return to put on a Cotton Bowl show with his Ozark Jubilee troupers.

October 16, Steve McQueen, hero of the "Wanted-Dead or Alive" TV show, will appear in the Cotton Bowl on Elementary School Day.

October 19, Sam Cooke, blues and ballad singer, will appear on the Mobil oil stage.

October 20, Herb Shriner, the Hoosier wit, and Johnny Puleo and his gang will headline the East Texas Day show in the Cotton Bowl.

October 21, a Jazz Festival in the new Livestock Coliseum will feature Woody Herman and his band and Chris Barber and his orchestra.

There will be no admission charge for any of the "Shower of Stars" events.

When inaugurated at last year's State Fair of Texas, "Shower of Stars" events drew crowds totaling as high as 30,000 for a single attraction.

Five fireworks shows are also scheduled in the Cotton Bowl during the fair, four of them in con-Fred Waring and his orchestra, in nection with "Shower of Stars"

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Zorro Named Opening Day Lure at Calif. State Fair

Guy (Zorro) Williams, big TV favorite with the youngsters, will be the feature of the opening day at the California State Fair & Exposition, Sacramento, on September 2. He was signed for the date by Russ Stapleton, of Fanchon & Marco, Hollywood, who is also booking the Outdoor Theater at the fair. On the bill for the latter are Eddie Gordon, comedy cyclist; Jacqueline Hurley, acro dancer; Bidd Dedrick and his ponies; the Wendeanys, novelty; Boyd Kims, trained pigs; Bob Bonne, comedy music, and Art LaRue, clown.

Stapleton also had the talent at the King's County Fair, Hanford, Calif., which included Dell O'Dell, magic, and Charles Carrer, juggler, in for the entire four-day run. In for two days were the Madcaps, Jacqueline Hurley, West and Maza and Johnson and Johnson. For one day the fair had the Marion Rankin line, Libonati and Ricky, Bill David, Paul and Paulette and Kermit Dart. Sam Abbott

with 11,564 paying \$25,782 to see the traditionally big budgeted clos-

N. Y. FAIR **GIVES FREE** POLIO SHOTS

SYRACUSE - The New York State Fair will operate a free polio vaccination clinic during its September 4-12 run. Dr. Herman E. Hilleboe, State health commissioner, announced that the State Health Department and the Onondaga County and State Health medical societies will sponsor the clinic.

FAIR RECORDS TUMBLE AT SPRINGFIELD, MO

SPRINGFIELD, Mo .- Many long-standing records of the Ozark Empire Fair went by the boards during its seven-day run ending Friday (21). And veteran Secretary-Manager Glen Boyd attributed most of the success to the attractions.

Total attendance was up 10 per cent and many of the grandstand attractions showed proportionate increases.

Singled out for praise by Boyd was Harry Nelson's J-Bar-H Rodeo, featuring Rex Allen. The rodeo broke all previous attendance marks for this type of an attraction. Auto racing, brought in by Al Sweeney's National Speedways, was up 10 per cent, and the Aut Swenson Thrillcade upped its attendance figures of '58. Also a good draw was the Sky Circus produced by Atterbury-Hornbeck Enterprises.

The Heth Shows, brought in by Al Kunz, set a new all. time ride and show gross, Boyd pointed out.

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CCE Closes on 500,000 Gate; Los Angeles Opens Midway Up, Grandstand Down Big for Cristiani

By IRWIN KIRBY

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OTTAWA-A 4 per cent gate lag, the result of overbearing heat and humidity, saw the Central Canada Exhibition rack up 325,335 gate admissions thru Thursday (27), after five of its eight days had been played. Chances were good for another 500,000-plus total for the third straight year. Last year's all-time record was 533,763.

A one-day record for Tuesdays was set on that day. Wednesday had many rain predictions but turned out hot and humid. After closing hour the city was drenched by rain, which cleared by Thursday morning, however.

Or the midway the World of Mirth Shows was enjoying its best week in history b. the grandstand, where Ford and Hines highlighted a Barnes-Carruthers revue, was not pulling the people. Comments and press reception were good. First show Monday night did 5,301 peo-Tuesday had 3,536, and der 12 getting in free. Wednesday, 3,976. First two fair Inside the modern McElroy

days featured a grandstand circus. Building there was free exhibit which did not do well.

Stu MacClellan managed the B-C show, which consisted of the Eight Sons of Morocco, tumblers; Howard Hardin, emsee - juggler, Five White Guards, vocal; Roger Ray, comic; Tanya and Biagi, comedy dance; Lane Brothers, novelty acrobatic; Four Step Brothers, tapdance, and the 20 Claire Powell dancers. Also on the bill was the local dance team of Gilchrist and Jamieson. Outside the grandstand was the Great Seigrist, swaypole, replaced at midweek by Jeanine Pivoteau, aerial, as a free act feature. Price range was \$1-\$2.25. Considerable attention was

earned by the giveaways, a car daily for eight days, and the exhibition home, completely furnished with car in the garage. The autos were awarded on the basis of outside gate stub numbers. Admission, held onto doggedly thru the years, was 50 cents, with kids un-

space for public service divisions. Attention was focused on the manually-operated arms for use in work

where radiation is a danger. An operator was on hand behind a glass panel thruout the week as the arms picked up pencils to play tic tac toe with spectators.

The USAF Band and Singing Sergeants presented free programs of the mall twice daily. The grandstand performers donated their efforts Wednesday morning for shutins. A large crowd of orphans and disabled persons were transported to the fair for the show, also re-ceiving refreshments and 524 plush items from Bucky Allen and Frank Bergen of the World of Mirth Shows

Kelly-Miller **Business Dips During August**

NEW LONDON, Wis. - Business for the Al G. Kelly & Miller Bros. Circus has taken a dip since the first of August. Owner D. R. Miller said he was unable to explain the drop unless it might be connected with the steel strike. He added that the show is holding to 50-cent and \$1 admission prices, altho most other shows have gone

to higher prices. Many circuses frequently find August business off.

Meanwhile, other sources reported that the show had a threefourths afternoon house and a near-capacity night crowd in Medford (17). The clear, warm weather was ideal for harvesting and kept farmers in the fields.

An afternoon-only stop at Ladysmith, Wis., Sunday (16) brought cool weather and a capacity house. At New Richmond, Wis., Friday

First 15 Performances Include 4 Full Houses, 8 More Strong Ones

Cristiani Bros.' Circus thru Tues- On Friday (21) the 2:30 p.m. matiday (25), sixth of the 10-day run ending Sunday (30), was "about 35 per cent over expectations." according to Tom Parker, who is promoting the date on the parking lot of the Pan-Pacific Auditorium here. Parker has promoted the circus in Chicago for two years and this is his first time here.

Of the first 15 performances, four full houses were registered and eight additional performances were three-quarters or better. Three remaining shows were half filled.

Show teed off Thursday (20) with a half-house matinee. The sold-out evening performance got Hollywood treatment with a press party. The house was sold, with the exception of seats for the press, to the Saints and Sinners to benefit a children's hospital.

Three performances were given

(14) rainy weather was encountered and a one-quarter full matinee and half house at night were r corded. K-M drew two capacity houses at Rice Lake, Wis., Saturday (15), following Adams-Seils Circus by only one day.

BIG HELLO TO FAIR PREXY: **2 BUSTED RIBS**

HAMBURG, N. Y. --- It pays to have friends but being too popular can be painful, Earl Lexo of Hamburg found out here. Lexo, president of the Erie County Agricultural Society, was spotted by an old pal during fair week and was greeted by a good, old-fashioned bear hug. Cost: Two broken ribs.

LOS ANGELES - Business for | daily Friday thru Sunday (21-23). nee was three-quarters full, the 5:30 p.m. show was half full and the night performance was at threequarters of capacity. On Saturday (22) the afternoon shows were full and near-full and the night show was three-quarters full. On Sunday (23) the 2:30 p.m. matinee was full, the 5:30 p.m. show was threequarters full and the night performance was half full.

The Monday (24) matinee was three-quarters filled. Tuesday (25) afternoon was a full house, with kids' tickets at half price thru a tie-in with a television clown. Evening performances Monday and Tuesday drew three-quarter houses each.

Vicki Cristiani slipped from atop an elephant and hit the center ring curb, Sunday. After emergency treatment, she was removed to St. Vincent's Hospital. Her ankle was broken in five places. Her part in the bull turn was taken over by Norma Cristiani.

Parker said he believes the run may have had the largest advance sale of any tented show to play here in recent years. He attributed this in part to heavy billing by Elmer Kaufman's' crew, aided by several local billposters. Publicity included good breaks in the metropolitan papers, guest appearances on 68 television shows before the opening and several hundred bus cards.

Prices for the show were upped over those generally used, Parker said, because of the increased cost of operating here. Prices were scaled ofrom \$3.75 to \$2.25 for adults and \$3 to \$1.55 for children. Comparable prices were charged in Chicago also.

King Business Good in Jersey; **Detail Program**

SALEM, N. J .--- King Bros." Circus pulled good business during the recent swing thru New Jersey ending here Friday (21). Show is now routed thru the South with a late Florida closing planned. Benny Cristiani, manager, reported that business has been good with the exception of dates in Maine.

The King performance includes Red Dingler, horizontal bars; Oreste Canestrelli, trapeze, flanked by Cosetta Cristiani and Joyce Canestrelli, swinging ladders; Evy Karoly, high-school horse; Fred, Joyce, Piero and Oreste Canestrelli, unsupported ladders; Benny Cristiant and Francisco Fornasari. clown boxing: Evy Karoly, principal riding; Aldo Cristiani's Doberman Pinscher Dogs (9); clowns; first concert announcement: Chief White Cloud Troupe, and Evy Karoly, Roman riding and high jumping; Piero and Oreste canestrelli, unsupported aerial ladder; the Dinglers, trampoline; Cristiani-Conestrellis, voltege riding featuring Cosetta Cristiani; second concert announcement; clowns; Cristianis (5), teeterboard; elephants (2) worked by George Burrows; clowns and aerial leaps with Red Dingler, Fred Canestrelli and the Cristianis.

SHOW PLACES

Rural White Way

NEW YORK has its Broadway. Hollywood its Sunset Strip, Chicago its Randolph Street and Southern Illinois has the Du Quoin State Fair.

At Du Quoin the Hayes brothers-Don and Gene-bring to their patrons during fair week the top names in television, motion pictures and the record business; the top horses and owners come down for the Grand Circuit meet and the Hambletonian, harness racing's Kentucky Derby, and each year the top auto race drivers of the United States Auto Club whip their supercharged mounts around the oval in national competition.

Setting for this annual gathering of top people is one of the most modern fairgrounds in the country, located in a city with slightly over 8,000 people. It was built by Don and Gene's father, W. R. Hayes, a devotee of harness racing. He built the plant on what was worthless land, worked-out strip coal mines. The entertainment center started by their dad has been carried on, and even improved by the two boys, the most important addition being the Hambletonian, which they were able to bring to Du Quoin several years ago.

This year's night grandstand entertainment is typical of a Du Quoin presentation. For seven nights of the fair the bill will include Jimmy Durante with Eddie Jackson, Sonny King, Happy Jesters and Ford and Hines, backed by the Lou Breese orchestra and the 24 Manhattan Rockets line. A complete change of program is made for Labor Day evening, when the fair closes. This year the one-night revue will feature Rosemary Clooney, the Four Lads and Jimmy Dean.

New, entertainment-wise this year will be a big outdoor sports spectacular that will feature the Tommy Bartlett water ski show in the fair's water oval inside the regular trotting and auto race track. Logrolling, fly-casting, archery and other sports will be in for the one day show.

This year's line-up of name attractions is typical. Some of the others who have played the fair, which has used names for over 20 years, include Bob Hope, Vivian Blaine, Chico Marx, Dennis Day, Penny Singleton, Ben Blue, Ish Kabible, Milton Berle, Margaret Whiting, Joe (Fingers) Carr, Guy Lombardo, Harry Belafonte, Jack Carter, Bob Crosby, Ilona Massey, Eddie Fisher, George Gobel, McGuire Sisters, Eddy Peabody, Buddy Lester, Mills Brothers, Sammy Davis Jr., Dorothy Collins, Pat Boone, Tennessee Ernie Ford, Fontane Sisters, Joni James, Guy Mitchell, Everly Brothers, Rowan and Martin, Kirby Stone Four, Nick Todd and Jaye P. Morgan.

Beatty-Cole Finds Increase in East

ROCKY MOUNT, N. C. -- | Beatty-Cole had two-thirds after-Clyde Beatty & Cole Bros.' Circus noon houses and big night houses, marked an increase in business as with a few patrons being turned it moved out of New York State away. These towns were Williamsand jumped rapidly toward the South.

The show has encountered no ill affects of the steel strike, it reported. The season's business is running slightly ahead of last year, according to an estimate on the show. Canadian business was profitable, with Montreal and Ottawa showing up nicely. New York State, however, was light.

Manager Walter Kernan has re-The use of names at Du Quoin is also apparent in its annual turned from Europe and is reported Friday (21) and fared well with a program of three major auto races. Almost all the speed merchants to have signed some talent for next from the Indianapolis 500 are on hand each year. Rodger Ward and season. Jerry Collins, one of the Tony Bettenhausen are long-time favorites as are the Rathmanns. Dick owners, spent several days with the and Jim. Johnny Parsons, Johnny Thomson, Sam Hanks and Troy show in the neighborhood of Wash-Ruttman to name a few. ington, D. C. Several Beatty show

port, Harrisburg and York

Gov. Millard Tawes and family were guests at the over half-full matinee at Annapolis, Md., Thursday (20). Count Nicholas introduced the Maryland Governor from the bandstand and Ray Aguilar's band played "Maryland, My Mary-land." The night performance was about 85 per cent full.

The tenter played a new lot, Moores Field, at Richmond, Va., near-full matinee and straw house at night under Optimist Club auspices. On Saturday (22) the show drew a half house at the afternoon performance and a three-quarters house at night in very hot weather under the Elks at Charlottesville, Va After a Sunday off, the show played Alexandria, Va., (24) to a half house at the matinee and a near-full house at night under Lions' sponsorship. The paper carried a two-column story on the front page on show day. At New-port News, Va., Tuesday (25) and Rocky Mount, N. C., (26) the afternoon performances were twothirds filled and the night shows were near full, according to show sources.

This year's harness race program also reads like a who's who of executives visited another circus the sulky sport. Almost every harness race horse owner of prominence and said they were considering a will be represented at the five afternoons of Grand Circuit racing. This second unit, but there has been no year's featured Hambletonian, which is expected to have a \$135,000 further action reported in this conpurse, has eligibles such as Lady Belvedere, Lady Gainesway, Lord nection. Chutney, Cotton Queen, Anvil Chorus, Harmonia Hanover, Stormy

Hugo Zacchini Hurt

Hugo Zacchini, human cannonball, was injured at Annapolis, Md., Thursday (20) and missed the afternoon show at Richmond the next day.

Business was light in 95-degree heat at Auburn, N. Y. (15), with one quarter and half houses. Waverly, N. Y., was a Sunday stand. In the three Pennsylvania towns,

Ortans Canestrelli has cut out the roly-poly act with husband Fred for the remainer of the season.

few. These, as are the name stars and auto race drivers, are the cream of the crop. To this potent program, the Hayes family has added a strong line-up of carnival attractions, presented this year by Al Kunz's Heth Shows, and its farm and home show, with blue ribbon

Song, Gay Baron, Gay Duke, Gayety Hanover, Vickies Demon, Mr.

Wonderful, a string of Newport horses and Ludky Rodney, to name a

stock, and other farm products, rounds out a big program for entertainment seekers in Southern Illinois. Charlie Byrnes

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AMUSEMENT PARK **OPERATION**

NAAPPB Meeting at CNE May Draw 250 Persons

TORONTO-Arrangements are virtually complete for the 1959 late summer meeting of the National Association of Amusement Parks, Pools and Beaches, which is scheduled for Wednesday and Thursday, September 9-10, co-hosts J. W. (Patty) Conklin and Hiram McCallum have announced.

Approximately 250 amusement park operators, pool and beach proprietors, their employees and families are expected here for the affair which is being held in connection with the Canadian National Exhibition.

Meeting headquarters will be the Royal York Hotel where the NAAPPB has a block of rooms to house the visitors. The hotel will be the scene of the two principal social events, a cocktail party given Wednesday afternoon by NAAPPB President Bill Muar, of Roseland Park, Canandaigua, N. Y., and Thursday's formal meeting which will open with a cocktail party and buffet dinner. Thursday night the group is to attend the CNE grandstand show featuring TV-comedian George Gobel

NAAPPB members desiring hotel accommodations are urged to call or wire Executive Secretary John S. Bowman at Chicago on or before Saturday, September 5. Already approximately 100 of a block of 150 rooms have been reserved, Bowman said.

Steam Train & Cadillacs Earn **Top Pleasure Island Money**

WAKEFIELD, Mass.—Top grossing ride for Pleasure Island, new theme park here, is the narrow-gauge steam train, it is reported. Howard Fitzpatrick estimates that 70 per cent of the gate total takes a ride on the big-capacity unit which encircles the park. Second in popularity is the Jenny Cadillacs, gas-powered old style automobiles. Eighteen cars are in operation.

A 9,000-patron day was recorded on Sunday (2), a little short of capacity but providing excellent business all along the line. Lighting has been added to permit operation to 10 p.m. It worked the first time Saturday (8).

Water-Sponged Ad Gimmick Heralds Cincy Coney Show CINCINNATI—To promote its 1959 Fireworks and Sky Revue

(August 28-30 and September 4-7), Coney Island here used what President and General Manager Edward L. Schott described as a new technique in newspaper advertising. Local papers carried large Coney ads showing fireworks displays, done in a somber color pen-and-inksketch style. When the ad is sponged with water the sketch turns a bright red. Children presenting sponged ads at Concy's gate Friday (28) were admitted free, along with parents, and the gimmick is being carried thru for the September 4 showing. One paper carried a Page 1 item calling attention to the ad. Rossi's Famous Fireworks is supplying the pryo shows, a feature of which will be the firing of a huge rocket, accompanied by sounds recorded during a rocket firing at Cape Canaveral.

Prince Visits' London Park

LONDON-Prince Charles, young son of the royal family, paid an unheralded visit to Battersea Park Fun Fair here recently. He arrived with a governess during the 4 p.m. rush hour and tried several attractions. The youngster tried his hand at driving a Scooter car, then went up against two concessions-Laughing Clown and Hoopla-but didn't win. Next he went into the Mirror Maze and, finally, the prince was an observer of the Rotor. Many of the park people did not recognize him, but at the Rotor the attendant spotted the celebrity and told the star rider to perform well as a Rotor passenger for the prince.

Fire Jolts Sterling's Effort Against Area Unemployment

OUR SYMPATHY TO Ben Sterling, operator of Rocky Glen Park, Moosic, Pa., whose park was ravaged by a \$100,000 fire the other night. . . . Ben has been doing a very brave job in a region impoverished by widespread unemployment due to the virtual demise of the anthracite coal industry. When we visited Rocky Glen with NAAPPB President Bill Muar the day before the fire, Ben was saying that 26 per cent of the male population of his region is unemployed. Sterling has been proud as proud can be of his new Coaster, the Jet, which reportedly cost him upward of \$70,000, ... Joe Carrolo, 80-some years young and still active in business at Oakland Beach, R. I., took honors for effort in attending the recent late summer meeting of the Pennsylvania Amusement Parks Association at Dorney Park, Allentown. Carrolo sat up all night on a bus to reach Allentown from Rhode Island. Going home, however, Joe got a ride as far as Newark with Bill Muar and then flew to Providence, where his daughter met him.... Also applauded for stamina was Carl Sinclair, of Meyers Lake Park, who drove alone from Canton, O., and back. Carl and his wife. Marjorie, will not be attending the NAAPPB summer meeting at Toronto. Instead, they will be baby-sitting for their son, Goorge, and his wife. who will be taking a European trip after the park closes. The George Sinclairs expect to make Tivoli Gardens at Copenhagen and the Oktoberfest at Munich, which his folks saw last year on the NAAPPB European tour. John S. Bowman, Secretary, NAAPPB.

Disney Files Suit Against Philly Firm

Charges Philadelphia Tobbogan Infringed on Tea Party Ride Patent

patent held by Disneyland on their in Fantasyland here.

The Philadelphia firm has marketed a Teacup ride.

The action, filed in the Federal District Court in Philadelphia, asks that the court issue a permanent injunction against Philadelphia Toboggan, preventing any further infringements on Disneyland designy. Disneyland also asks triple damages as provided under patent infringement laws. Amount of damages would be based on an accounting of profits Philadelphia Toboggan has made as a result of using the Disneyland design patents.

Joseph W. Fowler, Disneyland vice president, commenting on the action, said, "Within the past two years there has been an increasing tendency on the part of certain manufacturers of amusement devices to infringe on the designs and mechanical equipment which has been developed and patented by Disneyland.

"In order to protect our designs and developments in which we

FIRE DESTROYS **3 RIDES, STANDS** AT ROCKY GLEN

MOOSIC, Pa. — Fire late Tuesday night (25) caused damage estimated at \$100,000 at Ben Sterling's Rocky Glen Park here. The fire was the second bad break to strike that day. Earlier, Leo Carrillo cancelled a personal appearance because of a ruptured blood vessel.

The fire destroyed Sterling's Merry - Go - Round, Tumble Bug and Whip as well as a custard stand and novelty shop. The manager indicated he would replace rides at once.

THE MIDWAY'S TOP

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OVER 30 YEARS

ANAHEIM, Calif.—Disneyland, have invested a great deal of time Inc., Thursday (27) filed suit against the Philadelphia Toboggan to adapt a policy of vigorously op-Company, Inc., alleging that the posing any infringements on our concern has infringed on a design copyrights or patents, and to secure damages or other restitution when Madhatter's Tea Party ride located the circumstances indicate it proper.

> "As a member of the amusement park industry, we believe that this case will be of interest not only to our co-members, but also to manufacturers of rides and other devices who serve the industry. It can serve to remind all of us of the importance of protecting various original entertainment ideas and devices for our a musement park businesses."

Ski Shows Draw At Spackman's Indiana Beach

MONTICELLO, Ind.—Indiana Beach on Shafer Lake here has received a boost for rides, concessions and refreshment stands from a daily water ski show inaugurated June 10. A 2:30 p.m. show time brings the crowds into the resort early. A 10-act professionally staged show is presented at the Aqua Theater, a semi-circular area facing Shafter Lake at the south end of the Boardwalk. An evening show, featuring an outboard motor boat jumping thru a curtain of fire, also has been drawing well.

Specialty acts include barefoot skiing, kite skiing and jumping inclined ramps. Five girls do a flag routine and a ballet number. Boats, motors, swim suits and skis were furnished thru a deal with a local dealer. Tom Spackman, manager, states that the total costs of the ski shows is expected to be about \$6,000. The new Hot Rod track has proven to be a good attraction at Indiana Beach, Spackman added.



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CIRCUS REVIEW Hagen Still Pleasing In Its 25th Road Week

By JON FRIDAY

HOLLAND, Mich. - After 25 weeks on the road Hagen Bros. Circus continues to present a pleasing program. Appearing here for the Optimist Club recently the show drew a half-house at the matinee and one-third capacity at



night. The Hagen show, now Illinois, expects to continue until November in Louisiana, according to Joe McMahon, general agent and manager.

The midway includes a Snake Show, pony ride, Side Show and concession stands. The push-pole big top, Side Show top, banner-line, marquee and jack-and-stringer seats are unchanged from last year. A spare big top was recently pur-chased from the Carson & Barnes Circus to backstop the three-yearold top now in use. A former King Bros. Circus ticket wagon

the show recently stored its own Liberty act. The elephant department is now down to three, which can be carried in one truck. The rolling stock shows the hard wear of this long season and

Performance runs a little over an hour and is boosted thruout by George Vest, organ, and Tex May-nard, drums and announcer.

Program Details

Following Little Bob Stevens' candy pitch, the traditional Grand Entry marches in, showing performers and animals with better than average wardrobe. Gaylord Maynard opens the show with a fast comedy trampoline number in tramp tatters. Crowds get a charge out of his strip routine when he removes the series of vests and ends up in ladies' undergarments. A closing routine, in-cluding a series of turntables, baranies and a louble somersault, ends the opener on a high note.

Bob Grubbs and Billie McNeil ride the menage horses into the end rings and present dancing steps. At one point, attention is turned to the track for a Spanish number. Clowns follow, with Tommy Whiteside and Jimmy O'Donnell in center ring and Buck Leahy and Bobo Zeppo in front of the blues.

Rafael Marquez presents headbalancing traps routines of spinning a plate and juggling four hoops, swinging and spinning while balanced on his head upon a metal ball. The well-done turn leaves a good impression on the audience. Next, a single bull is worked in Ring 3 by Marcie Maynard. Clowns come in with the firecracker number.

Bobo Zeppo has himself as a matador and three small dogs with horns attached as bulls in a bullfight parody. Another dog pops (Continued on page 78)

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CIRCUS TROUPING

By JON FRIDAY

ONLY A FEW YEARS ago every circus-goer expected to see a menagerie before he entered the big top. Then came a time when most shows had the animals on display in the side show instead. This season Al G. Kelly & Miller Bros. Circus went back to the idea of a separate menagerie. And D. R. Miller says the public now is confused. People no longer understood that they are to go thru the menagerie and on to the big top, he reports. But the animal display "extra" does make them happy. Kelly-Miller is getting more satisfied customers than ever. Next problem: The separate side show, now without the draw of animals, is getting about one-third of what it used to do. Question is whether the separate menagerie creates enough good will to outweigh the loss of side show revenue.

Discount recent movie trade reports about Clyde Beatty planning to set up a theme park next year. "I have a long-term contract with the circus, and regardless of what materializes with the Adventureland, I expect to fulfill my contract," the master trainer states. The park idea is for the distant future, and nothing is in the offing now. . . . The showboat Majestic has been sold by Capt. Tom Reynolds to Indiana University, which will use it in speech and theater courses. Boat will play Ohio River towns. Included in the sale was the steam calliope. Other colleges have used the boat on lease in recent years.

WHEN A SHOW plays to capacity in a certain town regularly, about the only way to win an increase is to add days or up the prices. So in Reno. Nev., the best four-day stand on the Polack route, the show took the latter step. This year the Sam Ward promotion used a \$1.50 ticket where it had been \$1.20. Result was another four-day stand of capacity business and an increase in proportion to the price hike. . . . Vicki Cristiani broke her ankle in a fall from an elephant with Cristiani Bros. Circus in Los Angeles. . . . Hagen Bros. Circus will show Jeffersonville, Ind., Labor Day (7), reports C. E. Duble. The Luvas Duo, helicopter, appeared at the Wisconsin State Fair, working just after each Ringling performance.

ployed by Pete and Norma Cristiani on Cristiani Bros. Circus. . Bertha Drane, front door and Side Show tickets, is visiting her sister in Urbana, Ill., and also undergoing a medical check-up. She expects to rejoin in September. Vernon Pratt is in Hugo, Okla., recovering from a heart ailment. Mrs. Vernon Pratt operates the office in the absence of her husband. . . . June Plunkett, former general agent, is now back on the show. . . . Norman Anderson and family purchased a new trailer and recently visited Carson & Barnes, Adams-Seils and Kelly-Miller circuses. . . . Birthdays were cele- dow of the Philadelphia Signal brated with parties fo Dorothy Copare and Bob Baker. . . . Snooks and Kennedy Swain are running the turtle pit show. . . . Pete Ivanoff was unable to work his bars for two days due to a hip dislo-cation. . . . Leo Loranger, bill Brown, Ed Schofield, Henry Hayposter, was hurt in a car accident. Shortv Linn visited friends in Al House and Bill Hall. . . Shorty Linn visited friends in Hicks, Wis. D. Roger Francis. Trenton 18,

N. J., would like to hear from old Diano, George Kienzle, John friends who worked with him. Adams, the Paul Bohlers, W. S.

Dorothy Copare Joined James- Y. Bary visited King Bros. Circus Christy Circus and is handling cor-respondence. She formerly was em-to Clyde Beatty-Cole Bros. Circus at Annapolis, Md., included Bill Galloway, Bronette Ehrlich, Dave Warden, Bill Fuzzebaugh, Frank Greene, Mike Larsen, Katherine Gardner, Bert Sheldon, Bill Rector, Vin Carey, Ed Gorsuch, Dutch Hill, Chuck Satjea and Claire and Tony Conway. . . . The new Beatty-Cole spec floats were not used at Annapolis due to the rough lot.

> Trevor Bale, Hunt Bros. Circus, recently received two bear cubs from Canada and plans to work them with ponies. . . . Jim Hassan has a circus display in a show win-Corps offices. . . . The Fredonia Family, Risley, are appearing at the Willow Grove (Pa.) Park thru Sunday (6). . . . Fans on the King and Mills lots in Pennsylvania and itors to King Bros. Circus at Wil-mington Manor, Del., were Tony Brinfield, Bob Devenney, Bill Galloway, Claire and Tony Conway and

> > -A group photo

Benny Cristiani and his sister, Cosetta, of King Bros. Circus, Chuck Sateja. Sateja spotted Lee PHONEMEN visited Hunt Bros. Circus at Phil- a. 1 Eva Hinckley on the King lipsburg, N. J. . . . The Hoffman show. He had last trouped with Family and Mr. and Mrs. Howard them on Lewis Bros. Circus. . . . TV-RADIO PROGRAMS * A. H. FISH TURNING BACK THE PAGES: 25 years ago-JAckson 5-7631, Memphis, Tenn. Collect if 1 know you taken at New Haven, Conn., of more than 1,000 of the personnel of the Ringling-Barnum circus included General Manager Sam W. Gumpertz, Mrs. Charles Ringling, Robert Ringling, Merle Evans, John F. HAGEN BROS. CIRCUS O'Connell, John Brice, Chick Bell, Clyde Ingalls, Frank Cook, Pat Valdo, Carl Hathaway, Fred Bradna, Dexter Fellows, Jimmy Whalen Wants for balance of season and winterand Eddie Vaughan. . . . Hal Silver (Hubert Castle), the Aerial Christenguarters, Elephant Trainer and Show



friends who worked with him.



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sens and the Orton Troupe were with the Seils-Sterling Circus at Terre Haute, Ind.

15 years ago-Col. Harry Thomas, equestrian director, and Arky Scott, boss elephant man of Cole Bros.' Circus, were pictured kneeling at the tomb of Old Pitt, the last of the John Robinson elephants, at Dillon, Mont. . . . Justus Edwards, former publicity man for Russell Bros.' Circus, is touring the country to get a story on the war-time circus for Yank, the Army newspaper. . . . S. L. Cronin is planning to take a circus out of Los Angeles next season. . . . Don Dorsey, aerialist with Wallace Bros.' Circus, reports the show will reopen with stadium dates September 5. Wallace closed August 12 in Clarksburg, W. Va., due to polio conditions.

5 years ago-Buck Steele, of Steele's Frontier Days, reported a \$12,000 loss in a fire that destroyed a semi-trailer and tractor loaded with his equipment. . . . Acts with Circus Royal Dumbar at Lima, Peru, include Billy Pape and Renee, perch; Truzzi, juggler, and Miriam France, single trapeze. . . . Clyde Beatty Circus was in touch with city officials at Phoenix, Ariz., with a view to wintering at Papago Park there.

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NEWSLETTER

By TOM PARKINSON

Retail Toy Sale Refined

have been combined, selling at retail the merchandise that was exhibited

to the trade a few days earlier. Now Shrine Auditorium at Billings,

Mont., where Harold Weston is manager, has come up with some

will make up their Christmas stocks. Then the same show was held over

Master Players of Lugano, Pomplona Choir, Dallas Symphony, Bach's

Broadway Theater Alliance productions, Holiday on Ice, seven con-

government aid of various kinds, the Southern Championship Horse

show at Montgomery, Ala., has taken a step in the other direction.

For two years, the show has had State aid; now it will go on its own.

H. O. Davis is president of the sponsoring organization. The show will

be at the Alabama State Coliseum, November 11-14. immediately

following the horse show at Baton Rouge, La. Back of the elimination

of State aid is the feeling that the show now is established and capable

IN THESE TIMES THAT most organizations are looking for

refinements on the idea that set the Billings plan apart.

retail sale limited to an advance order-down-payment plan.

ventions and plenty of local events signed up.

Hugh Hendrickson

Electrocuted; Was

SAN FRANCISCO-Hugh Hendrickson, 31, formerly a performer

with Shipstads and Johnson's Ice

Follies, was electrocuted here Wednesday (12) in the brine room

rink, was attempting to fix the brine

pump. He was holding an electric

light and was electrocuted when the

pump started and splashed water

CHICAGO-Russell Fifer has

been named executive secretary of

the National Association of Con-cessionaires. He replaces Thomas

Fifer managed the successful

cow-walking derby of two Ayr-shires from Vermont to St. Louis

in 1929. He was executive secre-

Fifer Takes

Concession

Assn. Post

J. Sullivan, who resigned.

Hartford Gets

New Arena Plan

HARTFORD, Conn.-The pro-

posed \$3,850,000 city coliseum plan by the F. H. McGraw Com-

pany has been formally introduced

before the city council and re-

ferred to the committee headed by

Councilman Thomas H. Corrigan.

to cover the project could be

ready by the next council meeting,

if the proposal is considered feas-

The McGraw Company proposes

Corrigan also has suggested a

site opposite the Municipal Build-

to construct a coliseum adjacent to Constitution Plaza and north of the

Corrigan said a bond ordinance

over the light.

Ex-Follies Skater

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Jacksonville **Coliseum Job** Takes Shape

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. municipal sports coliseum, part of a \$30 million city improvement program, is beginning to assume its circular shape as Daniel Construction Company completes its fourth month on the job.

If completed on time, the 12,-000-seat coliseum will be ready by October of next year. It is to be a multiple-purpose auditorium-arena.

Dallas Ice Arena **Opens New Season**

DALLAS — The Dallas Ico Arena will open its fall and winter season of public skating at 8 p.m. Wednesday, according to Clarence E. Linz, president of Ice Sports, Inc.

Instructors Norton Wait and Gerry Hartman will be available for private or group instruction by appointment, with free instruction in certain sessions reserved for Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Cub Scouts, Campfire Girls, Bluebirds and Brownies.

Sessions will be held nightly except Mondays and Monday thru Friday afternoons from 2 to 4 p.m.; Saturdays from 3 to 5 p.m., and Sundays from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. A special session for racing will be offered this year, with instructions to those interested.



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ARENA, AUDITORIUM Meet-Exhibit **Area Created** By N. Y. Hall

NEW YORK — On the heels df the San Francisco Ice Arena. Hendrickson, co-owner of the ice of the successful 42-day run of the TRADE SHOWS ARE standard fare for auditoriums and arenas, and retail sales have become fairly common. In a few cases the two Soviet show which drew over 1,-100.000 visitors — the New York Coliseum last week announced another major attraction for bringing shows and visitors to New York

City, with the adaptation of 70,-In mid-July a toy jobber whose business covers 11 Western States, 000 square feet of floor space into conducted his annual toy show at the Auditorium. It was his fourth eight new meeting and exhibit annual show and he displayed merchandise from some 500 manurooms, according to Arthur facturers. Retailers came there to see 6,000 toy items from which they Smadbeck and Howard Sloane, the building's top management at the building and opened to the public for three days. As people team.

came to the toy show, they were given order blanks which they filled out themselves as they spotted toys they wanted. All orders were taken The new meeting - exhibition area was opened by Deputy Comon a Christmas delivery basis. All items were marked down 20 per cent, missioner Vincent O'Shea of New York City's Department of Comand 10 per cent down payment was required. The whole procedure was merce and Public Events, and a tied in with a local drugstore as the retailer. Weston reports that the group of leading city, State, and idea of Christmas shopping in July caught on, that sales were brisk and federal officials, businessmen, show managers, and Coliseum officials. that all principals were pleased. And thus a trade show becomes a

The new facilities constitute eight separate rooms or combina-WITH MORE THAN six months of operation now behind it, the tions which can accommodate tary of the American Butter In-Austin (Texas) Municipal Auditorium and Convention Center counts groups from 240 persons to as many stitute for almost 14 years and more than 100 events as having been handled successfully. And it out-lines a busy season for its second time around. Manager F. W. Vickers, as 3,200 persons, thru the use of previously managed the Indiana and movable walls which run on tracks Ohio Dairy Products Association. formerly of Interstate Theaters, has the Air Force band, Stan Kenton, -making it possible to convert the entire floor space into eight sep-Aria Group, Ballet Russe, Jose Greco, National Harp Festival, the four arate rooms, three major units, or one entire floor area, according to need, in a matter of minutes.

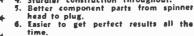
The movable walls are made of vinyl material with a hard, acoustical core and a wall of insulating air between, providing maximum privacy and soundproofing. An acoustical ceiling with incorporated lighting has been added, which, in addition to reducing noise, improves the general room appearance.

Hollywood Spot Seeks Conventions

wood Palladium, for years the film capital's dancing and dining center, now is available for trade shows, conventions, banquets, pri-vate parties and other similar events, Sterling Way, manager,

Facilities include in addition to 50,000 square feet of exhibit space, stage, kitchen, and complete beverage service. Way said that the staff will cater events or outside caterers may be brought in to handle the service. The Palladium's





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make the town more attractive to conventioners and vactioners, he added. The improvement program cov-

ers such items as Convention Hall modernization, reconstruction of Pacific and Arctic Avenues and Boardwalk redecking. Five new motels will be built in the center

HOLLYWOOD - The Holly-

said.

staff can feed 3,000 at a time.







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Founders Bridge.



Ohio and elsewhere have been discontinued, the Cincinnati Original Food Show is scheduled to operate at Cincinnati Gardens September 19-27, and producers expect it to draw nearly 100,000 people. R. G. Sand is show manager. Cincinnati Enquirer and retail grocery and meat dealers are connected with the show.

This will be the show's fifth annual edition. Among the features which management credits with contributing toward the success are a free cooking school, bingo, a baking contest, Aunt Jemima Pancake Festival sponsored by 40 local Kiwanis clubs, and a Chef Tony spaghetti dinner sponsored by Big Brother organizations of Catholic, Protestant and Jewish auspices. The Seven-Up Bottling Company offers the "biggest meal in town for 10 cents"—a hot dog on a bun plus its soft drink. Last year they served 50,000 of these 10-cent bargains.

More of the activity will include a car giveaway and the giveaway of 500 laundry baskets of groceries as well as a number of appliances. Chief attraction is food, with many of the 150 exhibitors giving out samples. Paul Dixon, WLW TV personality, will emsee a stageshow. Sand said that pitch items will be included.

Holiday Icer Opens Tour; **Playing New Stands, TV**

SIOUX CITY, Ia.—Holiday on Ice launched its new season here (12-16) at Municipal Auditorium, annual break-in spot. John Finley said the kick-off was "a great success." Show moved to Baltimore's Memorial Stadium, a new stand, for August 19-25. Also new are Allentown, Pa., and Norfolk, Va., early September stands. Holiday on Ice and Ice Capades are trading ice on one occasion so far this season. Capades used a Holiday rink at Pittsburgh, and Holiday will use Capades equipment at Salt Lake City, September 11-20. The September 18 TV spectacular for Coca-Cola, "America Pauses in September," will include about nine minutes video tape taken on the Holiday show at Sioux City.

of succeeding independently.

Cincinnati Food Show Loads Up on Promotion

CINCINNATI-While a good number of principal food shows in

Furni to Head IAAM Board

CHICAGO - The International Association of Auditorium Managers is expected to announce make-up of its committees this week A principal appointment will be that of Ed Furni, manager of the St. Paul Municipal Auditorium, as chairman of the New Buildings Consulting Board. Members of the committee will include Emmet Race, Fort Worth; Lin Lueddeke, Oakland, Calif.; Nathan Podoloff, New Haven, Conn.; Charles Bauer, Cincinnati, and P.E.M. Thompson, Atlantic City.



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EDMONTON GROSSES 560G; 125,000 NEW **TO BUILD NEW STABLES**

EDMONTON, Alta .--- The Edmonton Exhibition grossed \$560,530 from its summer fair and will start immediate construction on new stables that will cost \$1,500,000, A. J. Anderson, general manager, announced. Anderson, at a meeting of the directors, also said that net profits, as yet undecided, are expected to be around \$250,000.

Pari-mutuels grossed \$1,673,376, compared with \$1,518,469 in '58, and the net was \$66,718 as against \$60,009 last year. Midway net was \$166,341.

The grandstand show grossed \$55,000, a drop of \$27,000 from '58. Net was \$23,000 with the decline attributed in part to the absence of the RCMP Musical Ride.

Immediate construction of the stables has been approved and contracts awarded. The original cost estimate was \$1,640,000, but some plans were changed and building of a cafeteria has been postponed.

The new stables will contain 582 summer stalls, 143 winter stalls, 102 summer tack rooms, 24 winter tack rooms, 85 personnel quarters for summer and 40 for winter. Consideration is being given to lengthening the race track from a half mile to five-eighths.

RECORD FOR MIDDLETOWN Autry Clicks;

Fair Cutback to 8 Days Planned

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y. - An attendance mark of around 125,000 was set for the nine-day Orange County Fair, and officials are of the opinion that the event can win as many people without the added Sunday. It may be cut back to eight days in 1960, Ben Strong, president, indicates.

An okay opening weekend was followed by excellent mid-week turnouts and a bang-up Saturday night (15). Closing Sunday (16) was light, and the Great Western Stampede, possibly getting the backwash of a strong Gene Autry appearance earlier, drew less than 1,000 spectators for two performances.

Autry was in on Friday, when 20,483 attended the fair. His appearances (2) and the Saturday big car and stock racing promoted by Eno Van Damm, drew overflow grandstand crowds. Saturday attendance was 16,239. Friday's gate was a one-day high mark and does not include those free-gated after 10 p.m.

Weather was generally favorable. It rained off and on during the opening weekend and stayed hot thereafter. On the midway the How-Reit Shows exceeded all past midway grosses with a larger array and kept pace by breaking its own previous record. Other attractions of equipment than the fair is accustomed to.

142,675 New **Record** for **Troy Hills**

TROY HILLS, N. J. -- The 142,675 attendance total gave this year's Morris County Fair a new record, in its 25th year. It was 8 per cent more than last year's turnout of 126,100, manager Swante Swenson noted.

When the event closed on Saturday (15) after six days there were 30,000 on the grounds despite a day marred by cloudy skies and sprinkling rain. A highlight of the evening was awarding of the Northern All-Electric prefab home on a guess-value basis. Winner's estimate of the home, furnished and equipped, was \$16,137.50, \$1.27 higher than the actual cost. Trophy awards were given for rodeo riding events and sports car activities. How-Reit Shows pro-

055, up \$3,000, and the midway gross was reported up \$500. Leidig's Personal Cards Los Angeles 5, Cal. attendance mark was established Lus Angeles 3, Cal. at the two-day Wetaskiwin fair. Art B. Thomas Shows were on The 61st annual event drew more than 15,000, an increase of 2,159 the midway and the grandstand **Proclaim Visit of Rogers** GIVE TO DAMON RUNYON show was provided by the Tom over the all-time high established CANCER FUND Drake Agency. ALLENTOWN, Pa .- Plenty of people know the Greater Allenin 1956. town Fair is featuring Roy Rogers this year, and general manager Rain on the opening day re-Ed Leidig has made up special business cards proclaiming that fact. **DO YOU HAVE A PERMIT?** sulted in some even s being postponed and kept attendance down. Leidig had special fold-out cards printed in four colors, 50,000 of Chapter 59-167, Laws of Florida, passed during the recent session of the Florida A parade was a feature. Another them. Legislature, provides that after July 1, 1959. It is unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to operate a traveling show. exhibition or amusement enterprise in Alberta fair, the 69th annual at Reed Deer, drew an estimated at-tendance of 40,000 to 50,000. Florida without first securing from the Florida Department of Agriculture a permit Date Fete Names PR Chief to operate at each separate location in the State. Permit fee for each separate location is fifty dollars (\$50.00). INDIO, Calif.-Bill Arballo has been named publicity supervisor MAURY COUNTY FAIR To secure permits for your stinerary in Florida, please write Executive Secretary, for the Riverside County Fair and National Date Festival to be held here February 12-22, R. M. C. Fullenwider, fair secretary-manager, said Agricultural and Livestock Fair Committee, 115 East Call Street, Tallahassee, Florida. COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE Wants for independent midway, Sept. 7-12, Straight Sale Concessions, Nov etties, Jewelry, Hats, Kitchen Gadgets. What have you? New cars given away at this fair. Contact J. B. GRANT, Pres., P. O. Box 81, or call EV 8-7818 or EV 8-1502. Penalty for violation of Chapter 59-167, Laws of Florida, is 6 months' imprisonment. here last week. Arballo has been supervisor of publicity and promotion at the Nathan Mayo Southern California Exposition and County Fair in Del Mar since 1952. **Commissioner of Agriculture** He resigned last month to enter private business and do free-lance work.

FAIR-EXHIBITION MANAGEMENT

Experts Pick Brains Of Wisconsin Fairgoers

MILWAUKEE-Patrons of the Wisconsin State Fair, which wound up its 10-day run here Sunday (30), may shape future fairs.

Financed by a State agriculture department grant of \$5,275, the University of Wisconsin conducted a customer survey using six voting machines on which fairgoers registered their opinions.

Questions included: Have you attended the fair before? Do you think it is outmoded? Do you prefer county to State fairs? International fairs to State fairs? Do you live on a farm? Do you live in Milwaukee County? Are you interested in agricultural exhibits, industrial exhibits? Is entertainment your main reason for attending?

In addition a survey team talked to some 60 representatives of rural youth organizations, farm groups, labor unions, political parties, agricultural educators.

Texas State to Feature Seed Development Show

DALLAS-The State Fair of Texas this year will point out how a new team of professional workers made up of plant breeders, research

scientists and seed growers is changing the scenery down on the farm. The story of "Better Seeds for Better Living" will be depicted in the agriculture show at the October 9-25 run in exhibits created jointly by the Texas A&M College System and the fair.

The show will offer the general public the opportunity to study for the first time the methods used in creating corn and grain sorghum hybrids, in mating plants that differ genetically and in producing entirely new crops for specific use.

The agriculture show will feature a modern greenhouse, 80 by 40 feet, in which Texas A&M scientists and specialists will show from germinating seed to mature plant the scientific development of new varieties of eight major crops.

Quickie Spanish Lessons Offered Hoosier Patrons

INDIANAPOLIS-A one-shot Spanish lesson will be offered visitors at the Purdue University Building during the September 2-10 Indiana State Fair.

The modern languages exhibit in the building will show the "automatic" way to learn foreign tongues. Each visitor will be given ear-phones. He'll then watch a colored movie (of the "follow the bouncing ball" type) and then record a Spanish lesson by speaking into a microphone.

Bargain Advance Sale Started by Tulsa State

TULSA-The Tulsas State Fair has kicked off its advance sale

of tickets thru 200 food stores in and around this city. Tickets are being sold at three for \$1, a book of 15 for \$5, or a single ducat for 35 cents. The advance tickets may be used in many ways. Two may be exchanged for one grandstand general admission ducat, or the advance tickets may be used for main gate, one for admission and one for parking.

Two Set Pro Grid Tilts

CHICAGO-Two major fairs will have professional football games as features of their programs this year and one major annual this year dropped its pay-for-play grid game.

Kentucky State Fair, Louisville, will have the Champion Baltimore Colts and the Chicago Cardinals at its stadium on September 20 with the contest being televised on CBS, and Pacific National Exhibition patrons will see the Vancouver Lions and Edmonton Eskimos go to it

Most Records LINCOLN, Ill.-Good weather **Howdy'** Troupe and name attractions combined to give Logan County Fair the best gate and grandstand gross in its All Space Sold; 23-year history. Wilbur E. Layman, secretary, reported the fair's gross 12 per cent greater than in '58. **Charities Take Midway Tickets**

Lincoln, III.,

Fair Smashes

the best opening day on record.

Buff Hottle Shows were on the

midway for the sixth straight year

included five afternoons of harness

racing, a calf scramble, radio queen

Top money-winner was the Sun-BROCKTON, Mass. --- Indicaday GAC-Hamid revue featuring Betty Johnson, Snooky Lanson, tions are that the Brockton Fair Zippy the Chimp, Claud Gordon will have one of its biggest weeks band, Manhattan Rockets and acts. -if not a record—for the Septem-On opening Saturday, Gene Hol-ter's animal show returned after a ber 13-19 running, on the basis of response thus far. three-year absence and chalked up

Brockton Fair

Expands, Inks

George Carney Jr., president, reported all space sold for the first time in 20 years, and the addition of several new departments, all emcompassing 4-H activities. Beef cattle, swine and horses are included this season.

All buildings have been renovated and considerable plumbing has been installed. contest and the awarding of "Little Oscars" to outstanding teen-age

Carney has signed the entire citizens. Howdy Doody gang as a kick-off feature, for Sunday, September 13. Arrangements have been made for the group to visit local hospitals as well as perform before the grandstand in two free shows for kids and adults.

A departure on the midway is the setting up of a new ticket collection system. Local charitable groups such as churches will provide people to take tickets at rides and shows of the World of Mirth midway. Carney said this will improve the appearance of personnel at these units and cut into the temptation to rehash tickets. The charities will share in the revenue.

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vided the midway attractions. TIRED OF TRAVELING? Ross, secretaary-manager of the Prince Albert Agricultural Society, on August 31. Would like to hear from one or two Men looking for permanent deal in So. Cal. Protected sales program with accruals making growing in come. See or write The Ohio State Fair, which had the pro gridders last year, has **Pull Big Turnouts** and G. A. Anderson, president. dropped its contest. Pari-mutuel take totalled \$31,-ROY BELL, 2847 W. 8th 84. WETASKIWIN, Alta .--- A new

Bovee, public relations and publicity consultant, has been named publicity director for the 1959 Kern County Fair to be held September 24-October 4, Robert King, fair secretary-manager said.

Calif. Fair

Names PR

Appointment of Bovee marks the first time that the fair has contracted for a publicity service. Until this year, a full-time fair staff representative handled the combination job of press and commercial space sales.

BAKERSFIELD, Calif .--- Robert

PRINCE ALBERT, Sask.-The 76th annual Prince Albert Exhibition was regarded by officials as one of the best ever held.

Gate attendance, at 43,330, and the grandstand turnout of 17,000 were both 10 per cent ahead of last year, according to George K.

THE BILLBOARD

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ROLLER RUMBLINGS **By AL SCHNEIDER**

NEWS NOTES of the semi-annual meeting of the United Rink Operators, held July 16 in Indianapolis during the national championships of the United States Amateur Roller Skating Association: Early in the week Milton Aranson, of the Johnny Jones Jr. Company, hosted a luncheon for operators. The URO meeting was marked by the best attendance on record. Credit for the good turnout was given to the USARSA, which halted its competitive program in order to permit all operators to attend the meeting.

George D. Yoder, association president, introduced the following manufacturers and special guests: Irwin Rosee, Roller Skating Foun-dation; H. R. Miner, Melody Skateland, Indianapolis, and host to the competitions; George Apdale, USARSA president; Vi Koch, Skating Reporter; Cecil Davis, Fo-Mac Enterprises; Fred Wichlacz, Riedell Shoes, Inc.; Ed Kirik, Cottrell Wheels; W. G. Barnes, Cleve-land Skate Company; Louis Armbruster, Armbruster's Rink & Sport Supply; Bill Davis, Jiffy Toestops; Bob DeFrance, Sound Services; Perry Giles, Rink-Cote, and Joseph Shevelson, Chicago Roller Skate Company.

E. Perry Flick, of Roller Rondo, Indianapolis, was thanked for his courtesy in permitting use of his rink by contestants for practice. . . Irwin Rosee announced that roller skating is now officially a part of the Cub Scout program and that efforts continue to be made to have skating incorporated in Boy Scout activities. . . . The Riedell plant is reportedly undergoing large-scale expansion . . . Sound Services announced a scheduled September 1 release of an LP album designed for USARSA dances. . Cub Skate Cases announced Introduction of a new Cub case. ... Vi Koch, secretary of the Manufacturers' Association of the Roller Skating Industry, announced that the next MARSI trade show will be held at the Shoreland Hotel, Chicago, September 14. Operators were urged to support the show. . . . Competition organist

RINK-

COTE

Wilma Klatka was lauded for her work during the contests. She is not only a registered amateur skater, but as the wife of Paul Klatka. operator of Moon-Glo Rink, Kent, O., is also a member of the URO.

At conclusion of the dinner, members of the executive board held a short meeting. Present were George Yoder, Marvin Facher, Kenneth Trueman, Darlene Huckabee, Steve Seipp, Paul Klatka and Margaret Giles, with Bob Baker represented by Mrs. Baker. Tony Callahan could not attend due to illness. James Hoggatt, present at the general meeting, could not remain. Subjects discussed included the effect of revisions in speed rules, criticism of the design of trophies for artistic skating, and a request that in the future the URO and USARSA set up headquarters in the same hotel. . . . It was pointed out that one manufacturer 'did not pay the ARSA the courtesy of taking an ad in their competitive program. It was the unanimous feeling of the board that this striking discourtesy and the public support of one organization (RSROA) and not the other should be considered conclusive evidence that the manufacturer 'does not welcome URO business, and it was recommended that our members govern themselves ac-cordingly." . . . Toledo is being cordingly." . . . Toledo is being considered as location for the URO's December meeting, but further investigation will be made before the date is announced.

- CARNIVAL ROUTES
- A-1 Amusements: *Dale Carpen-| Big State: *Joseph Sima; (Fair) ter; Pana, Ill., Sept. 2-7; Marshall 11-12.
- Alamo: *Mrs. H. F. Reynolds; Duncan, Okla.
- All American: Charles Town, W Va., Sept. 2-5.
- American Beauty: *Mrs. H. W. Bartholomew; Tama, Ia., 31-Sept. 3. American Funland: *B. L. Me-
- Carthy; Eunice, N. M.
- Akers; Matamoras, Pa.
- Eagle Lake, Minn., Sept. 4-7; Hutchinson 12-16.
- estine, Ill., 5-7.

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Agents-including name of

- Boerne, Tex., Sept. 2-7; (Fair) Seguin 9-13.
- Blue Grass: *T. Richards; (Fair) Poplar Bluff, Mo.; (Fair) Tren-
- ton, Tenn., 7-12. Blue Valley: *H. L. Conwell; Appleton City, Mo., 31-Sept. 2. Brown, Al: *Dennis Brown; (Fair)
- Bloomfield, Neb., 31-Sept. 1; Tripp, S. D., 3-5; Wagner 6-7; Redwood Falls, Minn., 10-13.
- Amusements of America: *Pop Buck, O. C.: *J. Marchiano; Bath, N. Y., 31-Sept. 7.
- Badger State: *A. Vomberg; (Fair) Byers Bros.: *James L. Reed; (Fair) Benton, Ark.; (Fair) Camden 7-12.
- Baker United: *L. F. Tyra; Vin-cennes, Ind., 31-Sept. 3; Pal-Andalusia, Ill., 11-13. Andalusia, Ill., 11-13.
 - Capell Bros.: *H. E. Michaelson; (Fair) Manti, Utah; Hotchkiss, Colo., 9-13.
 - Capital City: *C. C. Miller; Greenville, Tenn.; (Fair) Sweetwater 7-12.
 - Carl, A. J.: *A. J. Carl; Marne, Mich.; Newaygo 6-7; Ludington 8-12.
 - Carpenter Bros.: Berne, Ind., Sept. 1-5
 - Central States: *J. D. Steinbeck; (Fair) Hastings, Neb., 31-Sept. 3; Hoisington 7; (Fair) Guymon, Okla., 8-11.
 - Cetlin & Wilson: *Tony Lewis; (Fair) Charleston, W. Va.
 - Chanos, Jimmier *Charles D. French; Cygnet, O. Cherokee Am. Co.: *J. W. Mahaf-
 - fey; Hillsboro, Kan., Sept. 1-5; Ralston, Okla., 7; Chandler 8-12.
 - Collins, Wm. T.: *Florence Han-son; (Fair) Sloux Falls, S. D., 31-Sept. 2; (Fair) Lincoln, Neb., 5-11.
 - Conklin: *George Sellmer; Sherbrooke, Que., 31-Sept. 3.
 - Continental: *Ara Solickian; Ellensburg, Wash., Sept. 1-7. Cote Am. Co.: Mio, Mich., Sept.
 - 5-7. Crafts Expo.: *Vincent B. Kuro
 - patawa; (Fair) Sacramento, Calif., Sept. 2-13.
 - Crystal United: Savannah Beach, Ga., 31-Sept. 7.
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41 Rides, 20 Shows Share Bonanza; Menagerie Flashed, Earns Plaudits

By IRWIN KIRBY

BATAVIA, N. Y .- By far the biggest week of the season was rolled up by the James E. Strates Shows, as it spilled over its usual confines at the Erie County Fair L. Hamburg, N. Y. With fair attendance trailing last year's and rain marring the closing matinee, earnings were up, all down the line.

The big layout, bulging at the seams with equipment, had several rides operating apart from the main midway, as well as Hy and Willie Stein's mechanical shows and the Strates menagerie, one of the biggest on the road. Hamburg

during an extra week created by the calendar this season, but the show appeared spic and span in Hamburg. The decorative organ was in operation as were both big Merrry-Go-Rounds.

The Menagerie continues to be a standout and is even more alluring with the addition of its new U.S. Tent top, a 70-foot round with two 20-foot middle sections. It is white, with red-blue striped sidewalls. Picket fencing within is freshly done in white, as are the two big cage wagons and five miniature ones. Strates tours six elephants (three of them working as an act), hipp., polar bear, black bear, two

plement of 41 riding devices, including Brownell's Fly-o-Plane and the eight of L. D. Powers, and 20 shows. Gene O'Donnell worked the Jones "I Got It."

Show Units Detailed

best here when strung end-to-end, were the Wild Life, Mr. and Mrs. William Warren; Illusion, Prof. Noel Lester; Glass House, Kid Adams; Brownell's Unborn, Pygmy Horses, and Mickey Mouse; Side Show and Snake Show, Slim Kelly and Whitey Sutton; Broadway to Hollywood, Jack and Bonnie Norman; Rock 'n' Roll, Lewis Scott; Motordrome, Russ Pelaquin; Pinthe biggest on the road. Hamourg produces an enormous gross and the railroad organization was amply equipped to corral every dollar possible. What fixing remained for the New York State Fair will be taken care of at the fair revival here, here the taken to be taken to corral every be taken to corral every the taken to corral every be taken to corral every the taken to corral every be taken to corral every the taken to corral every be taken to corral every the taken to corral every be taken to corral every to corral every the taken to corral every taken to corral every taken to corral every to corral every to corral every to corral every taken to corral Up Girls with Pagan Jones, Ross

Pretzel; Seaquarium. Gyp McDaniel has the Arcade, Ernie Dellabate, dart store and American palmistry, and Sammy Snead, two Derby Racers. Others include Pop Garrett, back at the cookhouse after his early-season illness, Walter Cox with 14 stands, Frances Fornier with 14, Sam Applebaum, 4, and Charley Mc-Connell, custard manager. Games had a prosperous and untroubled week, due in part to the efforts of Ben Braunstein.

LAST CALL FOR THE

Back-end units, shown at their

Du Quoin DU QUOIN, Ill.-Heth Shows opened its stand at the Du Quoin State Fair here Sunday (30) after a good run at the Mayfield, Ky. Fair and a record-breaking stand at the Ozark Empire Fair, Spring-

field, Mo. Al Kunz, owner-manager, was here ahead of the show to lay out the lot. He disclosed that he has purchased a new trailer and a boom that he called a "sky hook" for getting the new Mad Mouse up and down.

CUMBERLAND, Md. -- First jamboree reported for the Miami Showmen's Association was held at the fair here, where Amusements of America was playing. John Vi-vona, club president, reported \$1,-129 raised. A show produced by .ony Mason featured Wayne Crawn, Tony Nicholas, Bob Parish and band, and others. The auction was held by Danny Dell, Phil Cook and John Vivona, with Harry Barton, fair manager, as guest.

The Normans have the big revue water number has drawn considfor their 11th year, after a one-year departure. Featuring Val Val-other shows. It consists of rain (three of them working as an act), hipp., polar bcar, black bear, two lions, two lion cubs, two llamas, antelope, Brahma bull, zebra, two hyenas, assorted monkeys, chimp. The show carries a normal com-

CARNIVAL CONFAB

SHOW NEWS

LIF WILSON, veteran midway showman, was a Chicago visitor C last week between fair visits with his wife, Frieda. They had already scouted back-end shows at fairs in Springfield, Ill., Crown Point, Ind., and Milwaukee and were scheduled to visit Columbus, O., Toronto, Detroit, Louisville and Indianapolis. Clif disclosed that for his Memphis fair midway he'll have Dancing Waters, Velare's Double Wheel and Rotor, Garvin and Eisenberg's Wild Mouse and Hadji Delgarian's group of rides. . . . Delgarian, incidentally, is taking it easy with a heart ailment. . . . Morris Haft, attorney for the Showmen's League of America, attended the National Bar Association convention in Miami Beach and then he and Mrs. Haft headed for Central and South America to visit her relatives.

Personnel of the Chick Schloss girl show, currently at the Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto, gave their boss a birthday party recently on the Conklin midway at Belleville, Ont. . . . Chick reports he scored two sports shirts and an easy chair, the latter to be used to just sit and watch the money come in. Event was engineered by June Tracy, Tiny Tim and Anita Fischer. Schloss reported business at the small fairs was up from last year. . . Fred LaFontaine, pony ride op for 32 years, this year at Detroit's Edgewater Park, says he's retiring after this season and plans to take out a small freak show next year. . . Al Brown writes that business for Sullivan's World Finest has been just fair. Recent visitors included Bob Parker, Casper Belliono, Steve Dimitro and family and Ray Boner.

Pearls from Royal American: Charles Cohen, kiddie ride op, saw his first parade in 20 years, the American Legion doings at Minneapolis. Recognized one of the paraders who turned out to be his brother, a World War II vet. . . . Robert Leonard and Judy Wood were married at St. Paul with Mrs. L. B. Demay as matron of honor, Patty Demay as ring bearer, Cliff Brewer best man, and Mrs. Brewer and L. B. Demay as witnesses. . . . Mrs. J. Lusk and daughter, Connie Hannigan, are at the Minnesota State Fair with cookhouses, lemonade shakeups and footlongs. . . Woodrow (Woody) Woods had a birthday party. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Harold Humphrey, Mr. and Mrs. James Owens, Glen Drost, Charles (Tucson) Boyington, Betty Boese, Erline Thomas and Ralph Cadwell. . . . Dick Best was saddened by the death of his mother after a long illness.

More RAS Pearls: Back, after Kelly, Jimmy Martellaro. Mike quickie trips to Tampa, are Guy Dembrosky's Scrambler had a fine Gardner, Mary Delaney, Buck week at the CCE.

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Fortner, Charles Pelais. Mrs. Pelais dance to be held on the Skooter. . William (Bill) Johnson has his at the St. Paul fair; his wife, June, is organist on the Ricki Covette show. . . . Vicki and Molly Parks took a St. Paul apartment for the fair but will be back on the train after the run. . . Trainmaster Wally Cobb back from a Chicago visit; his assistant, Ray Milton, kept the crew busy refurbishing the cars and repairing the front gate arch. . Robert (Water Wagon) Garner, Dodgem foreman, had the cast re-Charlie Byrnes

World of Mirth notes: Frankie Schillizzi is toting three stitches in his arm, following a mishap while helping set the Skooter up at the Ottawa fairgrounds. Also suffer-ing a setback was Dave Wiles, "Gay New Orleans" operator, who took an 80-mile fishing trip to Quebec and wound up with a neck so stiff he could hardly move it. . . . the units going at the Central Cancluded Louis (Dada) King, Dave

Baizman, Ronnie Berall, Sonny

Charlie Uno (Feldheim), veteran remained at home for a physical burlesque and Coney Island writer, check-up. . . . Chet Fowler busy died Friday (21) in New York. planning the third annual barbecue- Obituary appears elsewhere in this issue. . . Freddie and Frank Cer-bini will have a Roto-Jet and the California Redwood Name Plates Cerbini-Razzano Wild Mouse at Trenton, N. J., and other Amusements of America fairs. . . . Dor-othy Anderson had her new boatstyled duck pond working the Hamburg, N. Y., fair. . . . Visitors to the Strates midway at Hamburg included Ben Hoff and Guy Markley. Also making the rounds has been Jimmy Stabile.... Mrs. Whit-ney Beardsley dropped in on the Colemans at Altamont, N. Y. During the fair there, death came to Gallagher, the cookhouse man. . . . Wenzik still in a Superior, Wis., Will-Wonders-Never-Cease Depart-ment: Bam Storey, of the conservative business outlook, told Dan Frederick, fair manager in Altamont, "Mr. Frederick, I've been playing this one for 40 years and this is the best fair you ever had. I'm having a terrific week!" It was also a red one for Maxie Sonn the hat man.

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Edward K. Johnson, veteran bec and wound up with a neck so stiff he could hardly move it. . . day on August 22 and got scores Visiting and working the Jones of cards from friends and family. bingo operations was Gene O'Don- He'll join Cetlin & Wilson at Readnell. Mrs. Bill Jones had three of ing, Pa., and Leonard Russell will run one of his concessions. Curley ada Ex. . . . Concession faces in- Schools will help on the duck pond. ... Lee Kaplan and wife, Marion, Baker, Jack Eicholz, Ernie Allen, who have operated three conces Lew Lange, Lulu Wagner, Maxie sions at Lakeview Park in Royers-Herman, Clyde Wabritten, Rose ford, Pa., will be tearing down Lange, Jack Burke, John Ander- soon, as both are Philadelphia Lange, Jack Burke, John Ander-son. Vaughn Richardson, James school teachers. Leahy, Eddie Horwitz, Al Moody, Trenton, N. J., Timonium, Md., Dave Brown, Eddie Cenname, and Danville, Va., major Eastern John and Doris Condelmo, Joe

GREATER ALLENTOWN FAIR September 20 through 26, Allentown, Pa.

Want worth-while Grind Shows. Need Bally Shows with own equipment. Can place Dark Ride, Glass House, Scooter.

Concessions: All legitimate Concessions open. Also want Direct Sales.

All Replies to: JAMES E. STRATES, GENERAL MANAGER Syracuse, N. Y., Aug. 31-Sept. 12; York, Pa., Sept. 15-19.



W \SHINGTON - The House has passed legislation reducing from \$250 to \$10

the occupational tax on claw,

crane or digger machines used

HOUSE PASSES

DIGGER BILL

at carnivals or fairs. Action came as a surprise because the bill was introduced only a few days earlier by Rep. Burr Harrison (D., Va.). Ordinarily, it takes weeks, months or years for such action.

Kunz Opens

CHIGAN'S FINEST AND COLUMBIA, TENN., WEEK OF SEPT. 7 Followed by Fayetteville, Tenn., Florence, Ala., and Lawrenceburg, Tenn. New Car Given Away Nights. 6 Bicycles Given Away Labor Day at Columbia. Want family-type Grind Shows, Motordrome, Dark -Ride. Want SHOWS Minstrel Show starting at Fayetteville. All Shows booked, please confirm.

Want Hanky Pank Conces; Bear, Bird, Glass and Pottery Pitches, etc. CONCESSIONS (HARRY CRIMMINS, PLEASE CALL.)

Contact: BUD DAVIS, Columbia, Tenn., after Sept. 2.

FLASHBACKS:---15 Years Ago--Roy F. Peugh, O. C. Buck Shows' press agent, was handling the secretary chores at the Altamont, N. Y., fair, which was being managed and promoted by Oscar Buck. ... Royal American staff at the Minnesota State Fair included Walter DeVoyne, secretary-treasurer; Sam Ward, press agent; Sam Solomon, co-owner and business manager, and William Solomon, special agent. . . Visitors on the Johnny J. Jones fun zone at the La Porte (Ind.) Fair included Ida Cohen, Lou Keller, Bob Parker, J. C. (Tommy) Thomas and Burt Wilson.

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THE BILLBOARD

AUGUST 31, 1959

Vivonas Click

In Cumberland,

HOLLY BROS. SHOWS Want for eight outstanding Georgia and Florida Fairs. WHY PLAY PROMOTIONS? "X" to party with two or more Kid Rides. RIDES Will place one Major Ride such as Tilt, Paratrooper, Octopus, Round-Up or Rocko-Plane. Prize-Every-Time or Skill, Fish CONCESSIONS Pond, Guess Age, Novelties, Basketball, Long and Short Range, Glass Pitch, Bingo, Hoopla, etc. One or two Grind Shows catering to SHOWS the family. Positively no Girl Shows. Wheel, Roll-o-Plane, Coaster RIDE First and Second Men; you HE must drive. All replies to F. Hollingsworth, Roswell, Georgia, this week, Phone Roswell, Ga., 3001. Next week Ellijay, Georgia, c/o Fairgrounds HOARD and MULLIS RIDES CONCES WE HAVE 8 "STRONG" GEORGIA FAIRS CONCESSIONS: All kinds, Bingo, Straight Sales, etc. TAYLOR BROTHERS, GEORGE MILLISON and all our friends, contact at once, HELP: Spitfire Foreman, Merry-Go-Round Foreman, Chair Swing Foreman and Man for set of Kiddie Rides. AGENTS: Cookhouse Couple, Cotton Floss, Candied Apples, Duck Pond and others. If you can produce we can use you. SHOWS: All family-type Shows, Minstrel and Girl with own equipment. Contact DAN HOARD 2005. Jackers Canzie or FLEEPT MILLIS BRoad 2-0887. Dublin Ga DAN HOARD, 9095, Jackson, Georgia. or ELBERT MULLIS, BRoad 2-0987, Dublin, Ga o rain. Will be at Indian Springs until Labor Day, then route of eight Georgia fairs. AGRICULTURAL FAIR, WINDER, GA., SEPT. 7 TO 12 INCLUSIVE BARTOW COUNTY FAIR, CARTERSVILLE, GA., SEPT. 14 TO 19 INCLUSIVE Can place Monkey, Animal and Cirl Show with flashy front. Can place experienced Ride Help and Workingmen in all departments. CONCES-SIONS: Can place Long and Short Range Galleries, Novelties, Arcade and all legitimate Merchandise Concessions. Buckner. ALL FAIRS UNTIL MIDDLE OF NOVEMBER. All address JAMES H. DREW WORLD'S FAIR SHOWS Via Western Union, Maryville, Tenn., all this week GIRL WANT WANT WITH GREEN HAIR \$150.00 A WEEK FOR GIRL SHOW Must join Sept. 12 for Saginaw, Mich., Fair, Sept. 13-19, then for Southern route. Must be young and attractive. Also want capable Girl Show Talker, \$150.00. Want Candy Pitchman and Ticket Sellers. Wire or call F. W. MILLER Fairgrounds, PL 4-4662, Saginaw, Mich., now and all next week. **MOTOR STATE SHOWS** Want for long season of bona fide Southern Fairs. Water Valley, Miss., Sept. 14-19; West Point, Miss., Sept. 21-26; and balance of season all Fairs.

Want Cookhouse, Bingo. Hanky Panks of all kinds. Will place one or two Rides and family-type Shows. All replies to

JOE FREDERICK, Fairgrounds, Wauseon, Ohio, to Sept. 9.

GOODING UP 23% AT MISSOURI FAIR Mouse Tops Rides, Dean Leads Shows; Benefit Nets \$2,000 for St. Louis Club

the big weekend at the Missouri doing good business. The Mad State Fair here Saturday (29) with Mouse topped the rides followed a 23 per cent bulge on the rides by the Flying Coaster Back end and shows, Hal Eifort, unit manager, announced.

Fairs Remain Pleasing for Marks Shows

GAITHERSBURG, Md. -Marks Shows opened its 35th annual tour of fairs August 3-8 at Lynchburg, Va. Except for 1957, when John Marks went into a brief retirement, the string has been unbroken. Lynchburg's Campbell

Kids' matinee on Saturday was sponsored for the seventh time by the local Piggly Wiggly supermarkets. Weather was clear and hot and the midway was swamped with kids, for the best matinee there since 1954. Closing night was satisfactory despite the threat

The Allegheny County Fair in (28) were down from last year. last year. Covington followed. Show was end has been particularly stressed.

Following Covington was Marks' 22d annual visit to the fair in Roanoke. Col. John Godwin was back as presiden. .nd manager of the fair, assisted by Walter C.

SEDALIA, Mo. — Gooding Despite hot weather, the line-up Amusement Company went into of 32 rides and 20 shows, were was led by the Eddie Dean show followed in order by Silas Green and the Star and Garter revue.

Eifort said that eight additional rides will be added for the Indiana State Fair and the show would have two Merry-Go-Rounds for that date.

The International Showmen's Association of St. Louis, of which Eifort is president, netted an even \$2,000 at a benefit held here. Assisting Eifort was Morris Lipsky and the club's secretary, Euby Cobb. Another benefit will be held later in the season on the Gooding organization and more are scheduled on Buff Hottle and Ernie Farrow's Wallace Bros. shows.

Sign for 1960 GILBERT, Pa. - Amusements of America split into two units last week with 12 rides, 20 concessions and the bingo playing the West End Fair here. Twenty-four rides and 10 shows played Schuykill Haven. Matamoras, Pa., was to follow.

The show played one of its best weeks of the season in Cumber-land Md. With the fair itself setting attendance records, the show, in its first appearance there, produced the largest midway the fair had known.

Harry Barton, fair manager, praised the size and quality of the show and awarded it the 1960 contract. Also visiting were Richard, Jean and Jill Eichelberger and Fred Hoover of the Bedford (Pa.) Fair. Barton said the gross far exceeded any midway earnings for Cumberland.

County Legion Fair turned out big except for a rainstorm on Friday Night. **Midway \$\$ Down** At Wisconsin Fair

MILWAUKEE - Per capita Fun-on-the-Farm area reported spending was up but receipts gen-erally on the midway of the Wis-ceipts. Shows in the same area consin State Fair here Thursday also turned in lower receipts than

Attendance was off slightly more freshly painted and enlarged by than 10 per cent from the same addition of some units from Rich- period last year. Daytime tempermond, Va., winter quarters. Back atures averaged in the 90's and humidity was extremely high.

There also was rain, more than enough to wash out two of the grandstand programs. Publicity given to a breakout of food poisoning on the grounds the second day of the fair, also hurt.

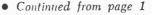
Rides, however, not only held up but actually yielded higher receipts than last year. A Mouse ride in the line-up enjoyed particularly good business.

Games concessionaires in the Burns Torture Show.

Archie Gayer, co-owner and director of the Fun-on-the-Farm operation, was heartened by the high per capita spending. He expressed the belief that if the weather turned cooler in the fair's three-day stretch run, the midway shows could finish with receipts equal to 1958.

Top grosser thru the first seven days was a "Grand Ole Opry" unit, managed by Herb Shucker, which featured Hawkshaw Hawkins and Jean Shepard. Others included Gayer's own Side Show, managed by Tony Marino; Hilton Sisters' Revue which also had Stepin Fetchit; Dave Blum's Bix Oxen, and

Charlie Uno Dies at 83



decline as well as in its heyday. His name was synonymous with burlesque and he was regarded widely as its unofficial historian, beloved by all in the field. His own definition of burlesque, quoted many times, was "the acting or action on stage before an audience, a performance by contedians aided

Charlie's "U-Notes" were a weekly eature of The Billboard, for whom he was also Coney Island correspondent. But not too many know that his earliest foray into newspaper work was as circulation man-

Coleman Wins Red One At Altamont, N.Y., Fair

ALTAMONT, N. Y. - A red per, Live Ponies, and four kiddle one in its most glittering sense re- rides. A donkey-drawn stagecoach -warded the Coleman Bros. Shows was also used. midway here, as it jammed the available midway space with ev-erything available. Included in the a performance by contention and a erything available. Included in the by straight men that ridicules, ho-kumizes, and satirizes the original." line-up were several rides from other shows playing New York other shows playing New York fairs, taking advantage of Altamont's heralded ride spending.

Eighteen rides, four shows and scores of concessions filled the section between the exhibit streets and grandstand, where a free Al Martin show assured plenty of traf-each sides, with fibreglas canopies on

On the back end were Stanley Zurich with the Girl Revue, Jimmy Hillman with a Two-Headed Baby, Dutch Alhausen bossing the Dragon's Den, and the Funhouse. Butch and Fay Rossito had their new cookhouse working with most of the bugs ironed out. A converted Freuhauf trailer, it is backed into place and works out of three

SOUTHLAND AMUSEMENTS WANT WANT WANT WANT Followed by Donalsonville, Ga.; Sampson, Ala; Colquit, Ga.; Biountstown, Fla., and Early County (Blakely, Ga.) Fair and Peanut Festival, etc. The cream of the peanut section. Only one show this year in each spot. Can place Octopus or any other flat ride, also two clean family-type Shows. Can use Second Men on Tilt, Wheel and Foreman on Chairplane. Must have proper driver's license and drive trucks. A tew Hanky Panks open. ANDY ANDERSON, your letter came back. Can place your joints. Ivene, Chuck can use Concession Agents. Also want small Cookhouse with Grab. All replies to E. J. (ED) GORDON, Fort Gaines, Ga.	horse racing and sporting gazette of the latter 19th century. It was after this that Uno launched his own publication, City Life and his famed "U-Notes" first made their appearance in it. Ir subsequent years, his column appeared in many other publica- tions wholly or partially devoted to show business. These included the Sunday Record, Bruce Duffus' Weekly Burlesque, The Morning	kids' day, the midway was jammed at noontime and capacity business continued until nightfall. Night play was also strong, with every- one sharing in the business. Three- for-25 tickets were sold, with dol- lar purchases being the rule, and long lines in front of the boxes	Smith Does Okay Gross
LOOK — GALA EXPOSITION SHOWS — LOOK For the Biggest and Best Route Arkansas Can Produce. I Know Arkansas. I Live Here. Mountain Home, Sept. 9-12; then six big ones in a row. Searcy, Sept. 14-19, 40.000 people last year; Prescott, Sept. 21-26; McCehee, Sept. 28-0ct. 3, 35,000 people or more; Eudora, Oct. 5-10; Stuggart, Oct. 12-17; then still the best, England, Oct. 19-24. You call or mainly wire only. "X" on Show, Floss and Popcorn, otherwise open midway. No flats or gypsies needed. If you want people and money, you better get placed now. Beat us, you beat the best. Imboden, Sept. 1-4. Only wire, call or come on. B. E. MILLER	Telegraph, Uno's Theater Digest, The Weekly New York Press, Zit's Weekly, Greater Show World Weekly, Nelse's Theatrical Bulle- tin, and Show Business. His warmth and generosity will be missed as much as the wealth of theater knowledge that passed	The O. C. Buck Shows had a Roundup going here, and Page Combined Shows sent a Rock-o- Plane and Helicopter. Also mak- ing the date were Slim April's Fly- o-Plane and Dodgem, and Cole-	WINCHESTER, Va. — Extreme heat sliced into daytime business at the fair in Manassas, Va., but George Clyde Smith Shows did prett; well at night, providing the fair with the largest midway they

FAIR



THE BILLBOARD AUGUST 31, 1959 **Rain Slows PNE READING FAIR** Sept. 13 to 20 Incl., Reading, Pa. After Big Start VIRGINIA STATE VANCOUVER—Business on the rides and 93 concessions. The Sept. 24 to Oct. 3, Richmond, Va. midway of the Pacific National Roller Coaster tops the rides with Exhibition was booming the first the Scooter in second and Bob CAN PLACE: Round-Up or any new Ride not conflicting. No Kiddle Rides wanted now. three days until threatening weath-er and light rain on Tuesday SHOWS: Worthwhile Grind Shows and will also place one Bally Show to feature. No Bollinger's Mad Mouse third. The latter is a new one here as are the Girl Shows night slowed up the pace. Wednes-Star Flyer and Paratrooper owned CONCESSIONS: Can place all legitimate Merchandise Concessions. Positively no exclusives by John Taggatt. Other rides inday cool weather and showers did during fairs. Wanted: Penny Arcade for balance of season. not help business. clude four from Royal Canadian ALL FAIRS UNTIL MIDDLE OF NOVEMBER at JACKSONVILLE FAIR at Gator Bowl, The fun zone made up of Bur-Shows, and seven from Bob Jacksonville, Fla. rad Amusement's Playland, a per-Bollinger. manent park with augmented rides and shows, opened to capacity Five back-end units are in operation. Dagmar, a girl show owned **CETLIN & WILSON SHOWS** line-ups at all rides and concessions. by lssy Walters, is taking top money. Pete Kortes Side Show is This year the Kiddieland formed part of the big layout, being spotted second. Luxor, an Egyptian show to the north of the major rides. owned by E. Boras; Noah's Ark There are 23 major and 22 kid and a Funhouse, owned by Bruce Taylor, complete the line-up. FOR SALE PARKER BABY-Q MERRY-GO-ROUND Sidney, Iowa, PERFECT CONDITION. FOR SALE unse Amusement Co LATE MODEL ROUND-UP, IN PERFECT CONDITION. WITH TRANSPORTA-TION. Both Rides can be seen in operation on Wm. T. Collins Shows. ALL REPLIES: **Rodeo Gives** Sioux Fails, S. Dak., this week; then per route. Ruback \$\$ WILDLIFE FOR SALE SIDNEY, Ia .--- Aided by whop-All or any part. Good Southern route if desired. Like new 20x40 knaki Top, 8 ft. wall: 22 Cages, Jacks, Flash Cloth, Light Stringers, Signs, etc. Stock con-sists of 15 Monkeys, Rhesus, Java, Green, Bonnet, Ring Tall: also Coyole. Badger, Fox, Coons, Porcapines, Golden and Amherst Pheasants, Skunks, etc., etc. Special built 2-wheel, 18 ft. Trailer. Contact ping turnouts at the 86th annual rodeo here. Jack Ruback's Alamo Exposition Shows took in higher ride and show grosses and was about even v ith concessions. The Skooter led the ride line-up season. followed by the Rock-o-Plane and WILDLIFE EXHIBIT MANAGER Scrambler. Joe Murphy's two Gal Ø/O Wallace Bros.' Shows, Elkhorn, Wis., this week; then as per route. Shows topped the back end and Tucker's Cookhouse led the front end. John Alexander's Monkey FOR SALE Show reported a good week. Larry Nolan, general agent, re-ported signing 1960 contracts for Molordron Nebraska stands at Fairbury, Geneva and York. From here the semis and lots of spare parts. show moved south for fairs in FRANK ALLEN Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas and c/o Happyland Shows Louisiani. Traverse City, Mich. Mrs. Jo-Fay Reynolds is back after working the show's bingo at SHOWS Decatur, Ill. and Davenport, Iowa. **GENERAL AGENT UENERAL AUENT** To book a 6-Up Shetland Pony Stage Coach at Shopping Centers, later for Christmas parades. All winter's work. FOR SALE: 28 ft. semi travelling Kitchen Cookhouse. 3 Frigidaire boxes, fully equipped, ready to serve. Both with transportation. C. A. VERNON Phore ME 7-0461, Indianapolis, Ind. Aug. 31-Sept. 2; then phone 9-2203, Marri-ville, Ind. (suburb of Gary), Sept. 4-7, sfter 6 P.M., or TU 6693, Gary, ind. CONCESSIONS **Others Play**

NORTHWEST MISSOURI STATE FAIR, BETHANY, MO., SEPT. 5-10 HAVE OPENING FOR COOKHOUSE AND PENNY ARCADE SHOWS: Want Snake, Monkey, Motordrome, Mechanical and Side Show. Will place Girl Shows that are capable after this spot. RIDES: Can use Rides not conflicting at Bethany. CONCESSIONS: Bear, Bird, Glass Pitches, Long and Short Range, Photos, Prontos, Ice Cream, Grab, One Ball, Pitch-Till-You-Win, Hats, Novelties and Hanky Panks, also Ball Games. HELP: Want single Caterpillar Foreman, must be sober and without car. Contact for 1960 ADDRESS: West Point, Neb., until Wed., Sept. 2; then Bethany, Mo. THE SHOW WITH A MILLION FRIENDS Bros. Shows **CARRYING 20 HIGH CLASS RIDES** Want for 8 solid weeks of fairs, commencing Benton, Ark., Aug. 31; followed by Camden, Ark., and Louisiana fairs at Coushatta, Natchitoches, Leesville, Ruston, Many and Farmsville.

All Address:

Charleston, West Va.

Want family-type Shows of all kinds. No Girl Shows. Liberal percentage.

Long Range, High Striker, Hanky Panks not conflicting. No Mitt Camp. (Lloyd Burge, contact me at once.)

Charlie Elder wants Agents for Stock Stores, Balloons, Basketball, Slat Rack, Slot Rolldown, or will frame any good concessions for capable Help.

Contact: CARL BYERS, Mgr., per route

ONDERLAND EXPOSITION SHOWS

Want for the outstanding route in the Southwest, Frederick, Okla.; Levelland, Tex.; Lovington, N. M.; Carlsbad, N. M.; Del Rio, Tex.; Eagle Pass, Tex., and top Fairs to follow through November.

SHOWS: Want Drome, Funhouse, Monkey, Side Show or any Shows with own equipment. CONCESSIONS: Place Concessions of all kinds except Popcorn, Floss and Grab. All others open. Ex open on Bingo, Glass Pitch, Scales and Age and few other choice Concessions. RIDES: Due to opening second unit after Labor Day, can book or lease Rides of all kinds. CARNIVAL OWNERS WITH NO SOUTHERN ROUTES, CONTACT ME.

HELP: Foreman for new Ferris Wheel, Second Men on Merry-Go-Round and Coaster, general useful Carnival People.

tracted by the Lawrence Greater Shows are being filled by other carnivals this fall, following dissolution of the Lawrence unit after a brief tour.

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Want Hanky Panks Concessions of all kinds for above dates. Can place Foreman for Ferris Wheel, \$60 per week, also Roll-o-Plane Foreman

All replies to TROY E. WILLIAMS, WILLIAMS AMUSEMENT CO .. Independence, Va., this week.

Those joining now can be booked into Pecos, Tex., and Roswell, N. M., with Hill's Greater Shows. (Bobbie Decker, call me.)

Contact E. J. McDANIEL, Thayer, Kan., Fair, Sept. 1-4; Kincaid, Kan., Fair., Sept. 4-5; Florence, Kan., Sept. 6-7; Frederick, Okla., Fair, Sept. 8-12.





Elmira & Malone Hold Up for Buck

the O. C. Buck Shows as it topped last year's gross at the Chemung Harold Wetherbee has the Club last year's gross at the Chemung Harold Wetherbee has the Club County Fair in Elmira, then 21 and Hot Spot. Other units are

looked like it would end in a run by Chervanne, Snake Show, Saturday (22) washout. Rain cleared by 1 p.m., however, and Also with it are Danny Dorso the matinee and night action exceeded last season's. For Malone it threatened every day thru Thurs-

N. Y., following Malone, is the last duties.

MALONE, N. Y. - A good of the show's Northern spots, endstreak of luck continued to favor ing September 5, following which

dodged the rain thru mid-week at the Hi-Fi Follies, Side Show, Mo-the fair here. Elmira pulled good weather and kelen the the Hi-Fi Follies, Side Show, Mo-tordrome, Witt's Funhouse, Pret-zel, Levengood's Wildlife, Illusion

Also with it are Danny Dorso vith "I Got It," Bernie Therit, cookhouse and grab; Danny Mann, Charley Wright, Remelard, Maxie Sonn, Lew Clark, Frank Vogt, Children's Day on Tuesday (25) c: wley, arry Marcassio, Joe Mar-ciano and Joe Jr., and others. Mrs. Buck carries 19 rides, 11 shows and 55 concessions, virtually un-changed thruout the season. Bath, and Roy Peugh has the advance

CARNIVAL CONFAB

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fairs, are getting the Cerbini-Razzano Wild Mouse. Freddy Cerbini will also have his Roto-Jet at the Park, joined Gooding Amusements

many concessionaires, has died in Stein is playing the Miami area at Arma, Kan. with their mechanical circus.

Irwin Kirby

Eimer (Skeet) Gray, former carnival and circus trouper, is now a licensed funeral director in New Orleans. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Tony Triola, who formerly had a midway trailer on the Jack Lindle Shows

County Fair, Rushville, Ind., July Cincinnati, and is expected to rerescue people in the tent.... Victor Bob Vaughn. Palmer, billposter for 40 years and last with the Morris Hannum Shows, has left the road to operate a service station in Gettysburg, Pa. Al Schneider

Ralph Lockett is on Foley & Burke Shows on the Pacific Coast this summer and Mrs. Lockett is handling their Petersburg, Va., travel agency in his absence.... Haftie Wagner writes from Mobile that her kid rides and popcorn did okay at the recent Shrine doings in Bayou La Batre, Ala., and she'll again have them at the Prichard, Ala., Labor Day cele.

Charlie Hodges, after a good New York State Fair. He also has at Missouri State Fair, Sedalia, with a Paratrooper, Rock-o-Plane and his Side Show and Fat Show. Bubble Bounce (perhaps to be port- Hodges will also manage the minstrel show for Gooding. . . . Tommy ... Frank Stabile, well known to Arger reports his bingo is doing good business on Penn Premier many concessionaires, has died in Somerville, N. J. In the roofing and air conditioning business, his business quarters were used by many to build their joints during winter and springtime. . . Helen (Ellis) Stabile, sister - in - law of Frank and wife of Jimmy Stabile, has been elected president of the Florida Hair Stylist Association. . . The Steins have their three me-chanical shows on the Strates midchanical shows on the Strates mid- and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Vannerson, concessionaires on that show, way after playing independent on son, concessionaires on that show, the Canadian "A" circuit. Willie visited friends on Holiday Shows Frank Joerling

F. M. (Pete) Sutton got plenty of publicity in the Los Angeles dailies when his Sutton's Pacific Coast Shows played nearby Ontario re-cently. The occasion was a wedding on the Ferris Wheel. Sutton and Steve Vaughn were hosts to the show's personnel at a picnic in diner, have a new 16-foot popcorn San Dimas Park. The event featured two soft ball games between after spending a couple of months the concessionaires and ride boys, with no one knowing the true out-Gilbert Butler, concession owner, come of either game. Bee Paul, who suffered shock and burned show's nurse, reported several re-hands during a blowdown at Rush porting for aid including Joe Montanque, June Sutton and Pete Sut-30, is in Good Samaritan Hospital, ton and Vaughn. Also on the date Cincinnati, and is expected to re-Helen and Steve Vaughn marked main there several more weeks, their 21st wedding anniversary. Butler was hurt as he attempted to Movies of the events were made by Sam Abbott

ROLL-O-PLANE FOR SALE New motor, paint. upholster, \$1750.00; '51 Tilt; Smith & Smith Airplane, new metal planes. Need Round.Up, Rock-O-Plane. Mouse, Scrambler, Trackless Trata and Jungle Boat. BOX D-110, c/o The Billboard 2160 Patterson St. Cincinnati 22, Ohie FOR SALE

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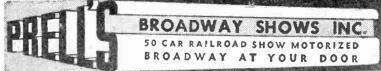
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SHOW NEWS



SCHAFER 20th CENTURY SHOWS FROM HETH SHOW BENEFIT WANT FOR THE FOLLOWING FAIRS SPRINGFIELD, Mo. — The including Rex Allen, on hand to hilding and cemetery fund of the assist. Kunz was the high bidder HANNIBAL, MO., AUG. 31-SEPT. 5 | FORT SMITH, ARK., SEPT. 28-OCT. 3 International Association of Show- for Allen's sombrero and John men of St. Louis was enriched to Taylor, glass pitch op, was the top COLUMBUS, KANS., SEPT. 7-12 LONGVIEW, TEX., OCT. 5-10 In addition to the midway per-TEXARKAMA, TEX., SEPT. 14-19 NACOGDOCHES, TEX., OCT. 12-17 sonnel, many staffers and board The benefit party was spear-headed by Al Kunz, owner-man-attended. Hal Eifort, Gooding CLARKSVILLE, TEX., SEPT. 21-26 **GILMER, TEX., OCT. 19-24** Amusement Company, president of the St. Louis club, drove over Concessions: Want Arcade, Hats, Custard, Scales and Age, Glass Pitch, Lamp Pitch, Jewelry, from Sedalia, Mo., accompanied String Game, Hanky Panks of all kinds. by C. W. (Chick) Franklin, Goodtion to tickets at \$1, an auction ing publicity man; Morris Lipsky, Shows: Fun House or Glass House, Midget Show, Horror Show or any Show not conflicting, concessions manager, and Buss Rides: Want to book Scooter or Round-Up. Want Snake Show Operator. Weekly, assistant to Eifort. An-All Contact W. A. SCHAFER, HANNIBAL, MO., THIS WEEK; THEN PER ROUTE. other party for the St. Louis club was scheduled on the Gooding mid-A CARL AND A way at Sedalia. Norman Anderson and Ben a second Stone served as auctioneers for the BELLE CITY SHOWS event and Wayne Kunz and Dennis JUNIATA CO. FAIR Silber as ushers. Also on hand were Tom Dansor and Ed Murphy from it. Louis. PORT ROYAL, PA., OPENS LABOR DAY CLUB ACTIVITIES 85,000 Attendance Last Year. Offering Bigger Program This Year. CONCESSIONS: Can book all types of Concessions that work for stock. All choice locations, Showmen's SHOWS: Want Wild Life, Monkey Show, Side Show or any worthwhile Grind Shows. League of America Ladies' Auxiliary RIDES: Can place two more Major Rides. CHICAGO - The ladies are vorking hard on all of their sum-This fair is located in a rich farm area and with BEAM'S ATTRACTIONS ON THE MIDWAY ner projects. Ethel Wadoz and BUSENESS HAS BEEN UNUSUALLY GOOD FOR RIDES, SHOWS AND CONCESSIONS. Mae Smith report the Cancer Fund ward books are coming in nicely. Address all communications to M. A. BEAM, BEAM'S ATTRACTIONS, Mae's address is 7010 North Ash-Fairgrounds, McConnellsburg, Penna. and Boulevard, Chicago. The summer membership drive s going strong. Chairman Bella and the second Lazar says that applications for nembership will be accepted to October 1, 1959. The \$2 initia-HUNT AMUSEMENT ion fee will be suspended during he campaign. President Phoebe Carsky has offered a prize to each WANTED FOR THE FOLLOWING FAIRS member bringing in 15 or more applications. Clarksville, Tenn. Centerville, Ala. Ethel Wadoz was in Chicago .. 350 from Milwaukee and is feeling Sept. 1-5 Sept. 21-26 fine. Mae Taylor is confined to the Illinois Masonic Hospital here. No Dyersburg, Tenn. Newton, Miss. calls or visitors are permitted. Sept. 7-12 Chicago, III. Sept. 21-26 CRYSTAL UNITED SHOWS Want for Elloree, S. C., Sept. 12-19 All fairs to follow. Russellville, Ala. Yazoo City, Miss. All fairs to follow. Want few more Hankles such as Cork Gallery, Sti-Down Grab, Fiches. Good opening for Glass Pirch. Ted Cole and Billie Schaffer. please contact. This is about Florida. Can use Merry-Go-Round, Coaster or any ride not conflicting. Those joining now will have preference st Wauchula and Riviera. All replies: SARL MILLER, General Delivery, Savannah Beach, Ga., until Labor Day. Sept. 14-19 Sept. 28-Oct. 3 "Big Foot" Giffen and Jimmie Wolf need Agents. Bob Boling wants Candy Apple Help. **BOBO WANTED** Detroit, Mich., State Fair. Must be good. DON PIERSON Contact LARRY FITTRO, Fairgrounds, Detroit, Mich. CAN PLACE Attention, Lee Boyce! Contact me. **3 ALIBI AGENTS** Starting Sandwich, III., Sept. 8-13; followed by the finest route of State Fairs in the South. FOR SALE 40-ft. Allan Herschell Merry-Go-Round, G-12 Allan Herschell Train; Allan Her-schell 10-Car Auto Ride, new top; Mangels Roto Whip; large Wurlitzer Band Organ with drums, plays very good. Rides are in good shape. Can be seen up and running at Charlottesville, Va., Shopping Center, All replies: RIDE MANAGER, c/o Lane's Tailor Shop, Shopping Center, Charlottesville, Va. Contact c/o Fairgrounds, Elkhorn, Wis., Sept. 3-7. Thank You **ROSS MANNING** Owner Ross Manning Shows For the purchase of eight GMC TRACTORS

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The event was held in the Club Havana top with many performers from the fair's grandstand show,

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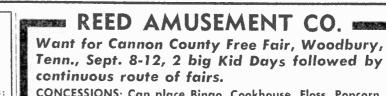
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7.		P. & J. Ams.: Canton, O.	land, Ia., 2-3; Milan, Ill., 5-7;	
Mills Bros.: *Harry Baker; Severna	Ice Capades of 1960: (Garden)	Page Bros.: *W. E. Page; (Fair)	Walnut 8-10; Forreston 11-12.	WHITESIDE
Park, Md., 31; Forestville Sept.	New York Sept. 3-20.	Ashland City, Tenn.; (Fair)	Rumble Rides: *D. P. Rumble;	CONCESSIONS
1; Laurel 2; Bethesda 3; Freder-	Ice Follies of 1960: (Aud) Los	Waverly 7-12.	Princeton, Ind., Sept. 5-7.	
ick 4; Hagerstown 5; Jeanette,	Angeles, Calif., Sept. 10-27.		Russells Ams.: Kenosha, Wis., Sept.	WANT AGENTS
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9; Midland 10; Burgettstown	Legitimate Shows		Schafer's 20th Century; *Archie	Store Agents, Alibi Agents, Hanky Pank Agents and F. C., useful working Men
11; West Brownsville 12.	Legitimute Shows		Hensley; (Fair) Hannibal, Mo.;	and Ride Help. All replies
Packs, Tom: *Grover O'Day;		Pittsboro 7-12.	(Fair) Columbus, Kan., 7-12.	A. R. (DUTCH) WHITESIDE c/o Capell Bros.' Shows
Wichita, Kan., Sept. 10-13.	Music Man, The: (Shubert) Chi-	1	Shorter's Greater: *E. Michaelson;	Manti, Utah, this week;
Polack Bros.: (fair) Vancouver,	on co. 111 indefinite mun		Bancroft, Ia., 31-Sept. 2;	Hotchkiss, Colo., next week. "Going South."
B. C., 31-Sept. 7; Seattle, Wash.,	My Fair Lady: (Aud) Vancouver,	ville, Ark., 10-12.	Graettinger 7-12.	
10 15	B. C., 31-Sept. 12; (Aud) Ed-	Penn Premier No. 1: *Dichord	Siebrand Bros.: *Don Hanna;	
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Oakland, Calif., 11-13; San		Peppers All States: *Bob Sickles:		Want Ride Men for Tilt and Kiddie Rides.
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Strong; (shopping center) Mo-		7-12.	Smiley's Ams.: *Joe Fasolas; (Fair)	Mendota, III., Sept. 7-10.
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10-13; (fair) Watsonville 24-27.	Spokane, Wash., Sept. 2-5.	III.	Taylorsville, N. C., 7-12.	
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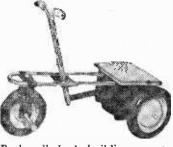
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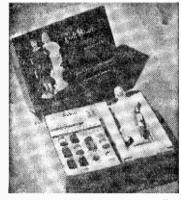
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James Logan Associates, 1485 Bayshore Blvd. Santa Monica-Santa Monica Fail Home & Decorators' Show (Civic Aud), Oct. 28-Nov. 1. Patrick J. O'Toole. Turlock-Catlf. Horsemen's Assn. Conven-tion & Horse Show, Oct. 1-4. Ivo Voll-mer, 1633 Alum Rock Ave., San Jose. this year at the fair was Lou Block, worker, and they can't miss getting Please state your business. Harold Storck. Platte City-Platte Co. 4-H Livestock Show, vet rug braider worker, who passed their share of money given decent FRISCO PETE Sept. 12. Hugh D. Triplett. Richland-Lions' Club Turkey Barbecue & Livestock Show, Sept. 7-8. E. M. Bedcrowds. The Roman company, emaway some time ago. ENTERPRISES, INC. ploying a worker who knew how to Livestock Show, Sept. 7-8. E. M. Bu-inghaus, i. Joseph — Buchanan Co. Livestock Show, Sept. 19. Webb Embrey. S. St. Joseph — Interstate Baby Beef & Pig Show, Sept. 22-24. H. M. Gariock. St. Louis—Health & Beauty Alds Show (Arena), Oct. 3-11. Erokke Productions, Inc., Ambassador Kingsway Hotel Kings-way at West Pine. **TEMPERATURES** . . . W. North Ave., Chicage 47, Ill. EVerglade 4-0244 2049 put over his message, had a demon-St near 100 degrees and high humid?" stration of cookie cutters and other 5. ity cut into attendance at Wisconitems. Jimmy Allen, who is well sin State Fair, Milwaukee, Sunday St. known in the pitch game, was work-**MAGIC BRUSH** (23), big day of the event, but ing the new automatic per for \$1 a pitchmen reportedly managed to Ind. Ambassador Kingsway Hotel Kingsway at West Pine. Springfield—Ozarks FFA Fat Beef Show Sept. 10. Vencil G. Mount. Waverly—Waverly Apple Jubiles. Sept. 17-19. R. W. Bricken. Wheaton—Barry Co. Jr. Livestock Show, Sept. 10. John L. Fergason. set and getting some real passouts. Hottast premium is years. A real bristle brush is hidden is hold their own despite the adverse Fruits for bidden is on ivery colored case that measures 2/4" a saired with the colored case of the saire of the color, hat, bag or whatever hus picts the log; brass mag cover again, and brass disappear. ready to be slowed by pochet with imprise for ad-vertising at 1 d cash extra. \$ 2.00 dot. or \$ 10 per gross is Allen displayed top form in workconditions. Among those working. Colorado ing before large tips. Harry Lataner, Florence-Pioneer Days, Sept. 13-13 the date were Mrs. Lou Block; who has been in the game about Connecticut Murray Sturm, working Hutchin-10 years, displayed something new Hartford-Cartford—Christopher Columbus Festival, Oct. 6-12. Paul Ollis, 33 Wethersfield son's auto polish, who reported biz which should get money. It's a ma- off because of the heat; Bill Gates, Nebraska Ave. chine called the Electronic Brain. chine called the Electronic Brain. After a slip of paper on which the Wright, Apex knife sharpeners, and Idaho Rolsington-Celebration, Sept. 7. Just y \$18 Cottonwood-Idaho Co. Stock Show Sept customer has written, "What will Carl Knowles and Willis Jones, 3 gross lots postatid Sample degen \$1 mostaaid, No. C.O.D.'s. Nevada CLOSED 11-14. George Cook. this machine say about me?" is de- who were getting money with a EIS.OO ser sree Bin, 2 gross Sample doc. E3.00 seeigald Oarson Oity-Admission Day Celebration Oot. 31. / Illinois ----posited in the machine, the con- nicely flashed rad stand. Beardstown-Watermelon Festival, Aug. 31 New Hampshire Sept. 5. Calumet City-Labor Day Fastival (Oity STERLING JEWELERS, INC. Manchester-Home Show (Armory), Sept Park), Sopt. 3-7. Forreston-Sauerkraut Day, Sept. 11-13. Hoopeston-National Sweet Corn Festive 1978 E. Meln St Columbus, Ohio 16-20. Jack Owen. Hagen Circus Still Pleasing Ohio Sept. 8-7. Kingston Mines-Celebration, Sept. Barberton-Oelebration, Sept. 4-7. Bradford-Bradford Pumpkin Show, Oct. 6 LARGE • Continued from page 64 Kingston Mines-Celebration, Sept. 7. Nauvoo-Nauvoo Grape Festival (State Park), Sept. 5-6. Emil O. Barter. Palestine-Celebration, Sept. 5-7. Taylorville-Soy Bean Festival, Sept. 10-11. Willisville-Firemen's Picnic, Sept. 5-8. FOX TAILS 10. Community Festival Assn. some balloons, and one of the by Tex, Marcie, Gaylord and Patti Cincinnati-Original Food Show (Garden) "bulls" does an iron jaw bit on the Maynard. Sept. 19-27. John Joehnke Cygnet-Homeoming, Aug. 31-Sept. 8. Deliroy-Street Fair, Sept. 2-5. Jacksonville-Old Settlers' Reunion, Sept. LOW PRICES red cape. Tex Maynard and his The staff includes Howard Indiana Big T Jamboree sweep in and a Suesz, president; Joe McMahon, manager and general agent; Enoch LARGE Berne-Harvest Jubiles, Sept. 1-5. Mis 5-7. Milan pitch is made for the after-show. Borne-Harvest Jubics, Sept. 1-9, Mar Lebmas. Crown Foint-135th Anniversary Celebra-tion, Sept. 25-Oct. 3. Evanyville-Nut-Club Festival, Oct. 5-10. Bill Ohning, 2218 W. Franklin St. Hartford City-Street Festival, Sept. 22-26. Indianapolis-Annual Woodlawn Festival, Sept. 17-20. Tim L. Baker, 2235 Ransell St. ---Milan Homeooming & Melon Festi-Sept. 3-5, Mrs, Ruth M. Nickels RABBIT FEET Carmen and Laura Marquez, Bradford, superintendent; Little Route 1. Route 1. Port Jefferson—Port Jefferson Community Club Labor Day Celebration, Sept. 5-7. work on swinging ladders over the Bob Stevens, concession manager; end rings. Clowns present their hair grower, followed by Johnny all colors Henry and Sondra Thompson, Side Show; Tex Maynard, equestrian di-**Ready for Fair Season Pennsylvania** (for lobbers) Zoppe with two monkeys and five Harrisburg-Pennsylvania Jr. Dairy Show, Sept. 17. William Jeffries. Matamoras-Firemen's Jubilee, Aug. 30rector; Charlie Cuthbert and C. C. Smith, contracting agents; Harry > Doran, brigade manager; Mack ST. Lagrange-Corn School Week, Sept. 29-Oct. 3. Jack Chorpenning, Hamilton. La Fontaine-Lions Club Street Fair, Sept. dogs in Ring I. **Charles Brand Novelty** Makanoras-Firemen's Jubies, Aug. Sp-Sept. 5. Mechaniosburg-Firemen's Jubiles, Aug. 30-Sopt. 5. Roy Richwine, Williams Grove Park & Speedway. Pittsburgh-Pittsburgh Bloentennial, July 27-Sept. 7. The Gaylords (Maynards), tight 154 West 27th St., N. Y. Zurchur, electrician; David Rutherwire, have dance steps, a hoop skip and long jump over the hoop, 9-12, Madison-Fall Festival Street Fair, Sept. ford, press agent; Lloyd McNeil, 14-19. Princeton-Miners' Celebration, Sept. 5-7 South Whitley -- Tomahawk Days Sept. 14-19. props boss; Roger Every, elephant **HOT ITEMS** and high barrier jump, high stepping and a back somersault off the wire. superintendent, and Al Dean, 15" STUFFED DOLL. Plas-tic Face. Contrasting Col-16-19. South Dakota steward. sailies—Versailles Pumpkin Show, Sept. 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expect pay; will play with local Phila. group for experience. Don Frain. PI 2-5027.	disclosed here by Leon Frederick, who has amusement and conces- sion rights.	with space. Fair publicist Dick Allen again devoted an issue of his Sun Suburban to the event.	Gorman, Jerry & Robinson, Robert Gorman, Jerry & Mrs. Grav. William Brook Ars.	Fisher Jake Francis, Crawford Ganti, James Lee Gentry, Billy Gillespie, Mr. & Self, Rubin
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 BALLOON ASCENSIONS - PARACHUTE Leaps for all occasions. Using modern equipment. Phone AT 8-8760 Porter Flyers, 614 Royt Ave., Muncie, Ind. se21 FOR SHOPPING CENTERS - PLAYING with death. New car driven. with driver blindfolded, 60 mph at boy chained to stake; man escapes from straight jacket suspended in air by one leg, and other stunts with jet age appeal to make this the newest, greatest shopping center attraction ever presented. Photos on pequest. Played Rapid City last week. For available dates contact Irene Babbitt. 1003 11th St., Booneville, Mo. Phone TU 2-6238. 	Hubbel Avenue, has a Miniature Train, Merry-Go-Round, Roller Coaster, Boats and gasoline Tract- ors from Allan Herschell; Hodges Hand Car, San Antonio Ferris Wheel and a Bulgy and Autos from Eyerly.	strike which has idled around 9,000 here in Pueblo. Mouse, Scrambler, Dodgem and kid rides were run- ning in that order. Fair spent some \$25,000 on im- provements this year and Fugate has submitted a 10-year plant im-	Jones, Doc & Mrs, Jones, Grady F. Jones, Mrs, Nelle Josey, Mrs, Nelle Joseyh, Mrs, Julie Kara-Kum (Wiadyslaw Michalvk (Wiadyslaw Michalvk Kara-Kum Kellar, Robert Kelly, Frank Kelly, Pete Kernan, Jimmy Kinf, Luke	Stanley, W. O. (Red) Starkey, John Steele, Raymond L. Stein, Hrs. Jack Stein, Mrs. Jack Stevens, Mrs. Rachel Stokes, Miller Stokes, Miller Stuck, Virginit Stewart, Al Sullivan, Joan Sultrain, Herman Suttes, Pete Swenson. Lucky Tarbes, Max Taylor, Frauk	opening night, went on before 3,350 persons and a \$7,820 grandstand. Motorcycle races on closing day were staged to a paid crowd of 17,002, up from 16,150 last year. The auto race crowd Saturday (22) totaled 19,352 persons, about the same as last year.





Family Pitches in to Help Busy Pa. Op Build 900-Machine Route

RAY BORGIA scoops in the pennies in his Erie, Pa., shop.

ERIE, Pa.—Pennies, not from heaven, but from the bellies of over 900 bulk venders, have made Ray Borgia one of Erie, Pennsylvania's successful young men.

But the pennies, about seven ton of them a year, represent a lot his father. Ten years later, while of ingenuity, care and plain, hard work, mostly Ray's, but also on the high school, his father died. Ray part of his two sisters, two stepsisters and stepbrothers and some in-laws.

At 28, Ray is sole owner of Rayborg Enterprises here, with bulk venders the backbone of his business. His story is another clas-

sic in the good old American "Horatio Alger" tradition.

He was born on July 27, 1931, in the little town of San Lucido, Italy. At the age of four, he and his mother came to Erie to join his he was attending Erie Technical worked a sa pin-setter in a bowling alley to help support his mother and two younger sisters. When he was 16 he quit school and went to work as a clerk in an auto supply store

After two years on this job, he

found employment in a plastics plant where he learned quickly. In less than two years he became a die-setter.

Faced with the draft, Ray in 1951 enlisted in the Navy. He served four years as a gunner's mate and saved every penny he could manage. Highlight of his service years was a cruise to the Mediterranean and a seven-day leave in his native town in Italy. Ray today speaks both Italian and English fluently.

On his honorable discharge in 1955, Ray returned to his plant job and enrolled in a night school for veterans where in 14 months he gained his diploma completing the equivalent of three years of high school.

His first venture in bulk vending came in July, 1957, when he acquired six pistachio machines. In his free time from his plant job, he built his pistachio route up to 57 stops and then branched out into ball gum venders, buying a dozen machines.

When an opportunity came to buy out an elderly operator who had decided to retire Ray was ready. With his Navy savings and a loan from his plant credit union, he bought 600 machines at The Billboard-quoted price. Shortly afterward, in June, 1958, he quit his plant job to devote full time to vending. He sold his pistachios to concentrate on ball gum venders.

Ray had a hard time getting fill for 600 machines and finding spots for them. He was fortunate in making contact with a supplier who had faith in him and extended him credit. Today, that same supplier gets all his business.

This year that business will amount to some eight or nine tons of ball gum fill, alone.

Ray's route covers the city of Erie and the Lake Erie spur of Pennsylvania extending some 45 miles from the Ohio to the New York State lines. Eighty-five per cent of his BV's are in Erie with a population of some 140,000. The others are spread thruout the metropolitan area with another 80,000 persons. His next expansion will be toward the south, Meadville, about 45 miles away in Crawford County, with a popula-tion of about 25,000, and Corry, 6,000.



200,000 - \$ 56.00

500,000 --- 135.00

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Peanut Probe Moves To Illinois Grand Jury

nois citizens taken in by blue sky evidence against them. dealers in peanut vending machines will be aired by the State's Attorney and indictments will be sought before the grand jury in September.

The move follows a drive by the local press responding to complaints of numerous parties that they have been hoaxed by sharp salesmen offering easy money from peanut vending operations.

The State' Attorney's office said last week that hundreds of people in this area have been gyped recently by peanut machine promoters. It was estimated that losses may run into "several hundred thousand dollars."

CHICAGO-Complaints of Illi- closed due to pressure for legal

The Chicago Daily News quotes Charles Vail of the State's Attorney's office in describing how the confidence game is played:

"A salesman calls at the home of the person who answers the newspaper ad, and offers to start a route cf, say, 20 peanut machines.

"The victim purchases the peanuts at 40 cents a pound, fills and cleans the machines, collects re-ceipts and pays the location 20 per cent of the gross.

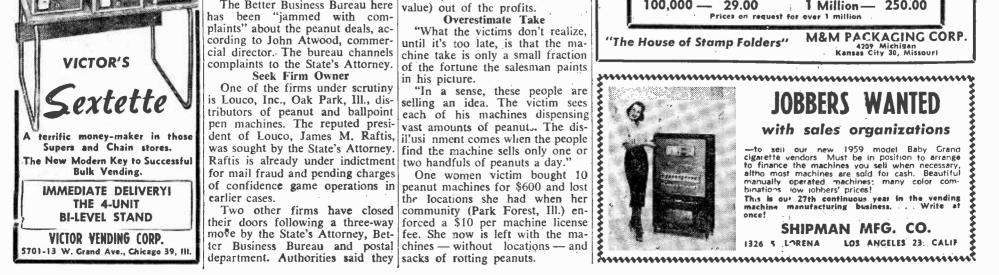
"He pays the company 70 cents a week per machine, and is made to believe he can purchase the machines (at three times their actual Multiple vending is not for this (Continued on page 83)

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NVA Group Blasts Winner Ball Operations

ciation has passed a resolution condemning the use of winner balls in bulk vending operations. The resolution is in the hands of the NVA board of directors, which is expected to act on it next week.

While the NVA has previously taken a stand against the use of expensive prizes in bulk vending machines, this marks the first time it has taken action on a formal motion involving winner balls. The language of the resolution

"That the National Vendors'

CHICAGO—A special commit- Association is unalterably opposed tee of the National Vendors' Asso- to any and all winner ball or charm operations which violate the rulings of the Internal Revenue Department, dated September 14, 1953, or June 20, 1957."

The rulings referred to are those which provide for a \$10 amusement machine tax and a \$250 gambling tax when the value of the items dispensed in the machines are excessive.

The committee was headed by Everett Graff, Dallas, NVA president. Committee members were B. F. Hutchinson, Atlanta; Harry Bell and Bob Kantor, both of Chicago, Bob Guggenheim, Paul Price, Sam Eppy and Bill Falk, New York charm manufacturers; Moe Mandell, New York: Roger Folz and Harold Folz, Oceanside, N. Y.; Dick Rollins, Cramer Gum; Rolf Lobell and Jane Mason, Leaf Brands, and Ted Raynor and Don Mitchell, NVA attorneys.

S. C. Operators Balk at Tax on **Stamp Venders**

SPARTANBURG, S. C.--A survey reveals that vending machine operators thruout the Palmetto State are taking a licking as a result of the new State tax which requires a \$10 license for each postage stamp machine. Informed sources here and in

Greenville are quick to assert that "the new \$10 levy is running vending machine operators out of business.

One operator, Mrs. Hazel Win-

VICTOR NAMES **ELLINGSWORTH**

CHICAGO - The Victor Vending Corporation here, bulk vending machine manufacturer, has named Leo P. Ellingsworth of Minneapolis as distributor for Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Montana and Wyoming. Ellingsworth, who has been a major operator in the Minneapolis area for many years, has handled Victor products for 15 years.

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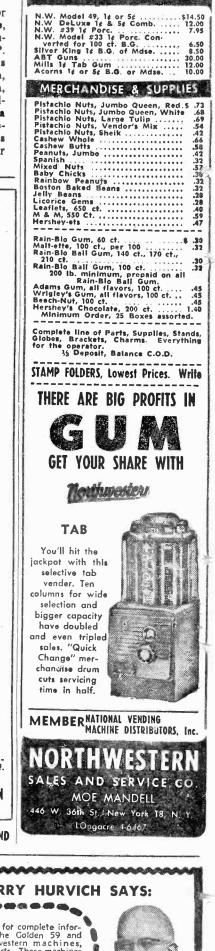
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Ausic Machine Route Prices Constant and Jame

CHICAGO-If the prices commanded for game and music machine routes are any barometer, stability has come to the coin machine industry. A check by Billboard reporters in key markets has indicated that both amusement game and automatic phonograph operations are selling for just about the same prices as they were a year ago, with more buyers than sellers.

Methods of calculating the value of routes vary. In most areas, the average weekly gross (after commissions) is figured as the base, with the price going for the gross times 30 to 50 weeks on music, and up to 40 times the gross on games. However, the condition of equipment, the presense of contracts with locations, and the proximity of locations are other factors which determine price. There is no rule of thumb.

figured on the basis of equipment value rather than location earnings as they are in most other sections of the country. A good music route a machine, about the same as it did Shuffles predominate in Chicago. a year ago. The theory is that an operator generally doesn't put junk on a good stop, and the value of the equipment is a pretty fair indication of what the location is worth.

Most operators in the Chicago area are specialists in that they are mostly those that were sold or went either game or music operators. out of business. However, in the last year, many game operators have taken on mu-

In Chicago, Frank Padula said is estimated by trade sources that

On games, Chicago operators figure a route is worth roughly nine Smaller operators, with less stable months' gross, which pretty well routes, will replace at the rate of reflects the cost of equipment. Location jumping isn't too seveteran operator has been able to hold onto 85 per cent of the game calculated, with trucking costs figstops he has acquired in the last ured at \$4 per move, for a \$16 decade-and he has done this with-

out loans. The lost locations were

Most of the Chicago game operators are veterans, and they have blood entering the field. sic, and these operators represent managed to give good service and most of the buyers of music routes. maintain cordial relations with lomusic machine operators in Chica- a game route is a fairly steady go, with the same number of ma-thing, and route prices tend to re-chines as there were a year ago. It main constant.

Also, the equipment tends to be in the metropolitan sectors the that juke box routes are generally the turnover in the operating ranks in good shape, with the average prices go way up. But there are progressive operator replacing 25 problems involved with route sales per cent of his games a year. 10 per cent or more a year.

For the operator who doesn't want to do his own servicing, the rious a problem in Chicago. One cost of \$1.10 per week per game for the outside serviceman must be weekly average.

New York Report In New York, there is little activity in the sale of juke box routes, and there is little new

When routes are available, they c, and the buyers of music routes. nost of the buyers of music routes. Currently, there are about 120 cusic machine operators in Chica-a game route is a fairly steady take, after commissions. In the among the operators to get the more rural areas, the asking prices spot on their own route. So the appear to be generally lower while

in each kind of territory.

In New York, Morris Rood of Runyon Sales Company, distribu-tors of AMI equipment, indicated that the going rate had been from 50 to 60 times the weekly take, after commissions. "But there's been little activity lately," said Rood. "You can chalk that up to various factors. First the New York City \$25 tax on boxes makes a new route a less attractive proposition. It's an extra cost and it actually tends to depress the value of a route.

Bonuses, Loans

"Also, everybody wants money (Continued on page 88)

TREASURY RULING EXEMPTS Indiana Pinballs Face Rough Going JUKES FROM CABARET TAX The Niblack decision may be the "anti-free-play" amendment is **By JOSEPH KLEIN**

CHICAGO-In response to a request filed by the Music Operators of America, the director of the Tax Rulings Division of the U.S. Treasury Department has held that juke boxes in roof gardens and cabarets are not subject to the 10 per cent cabaret tax.

The ruling came after Nicholas E. Allen, MOA counsel, had filed a brief maintaining that the cabaret tax does not apply in these cases. He was assisted by Leo Kaner, MOA tax expert. Prior to the ruling, some juke boxes in cabarets had been taxed

Here is the text of the Treasury Department ruling sent to MOA at Oakland, Calif. Copies of this ruling are available to members of MOA, who may get them by writing George A. Miller at 128 East 14th St., Oakland. Calif.

Mr. Nicholas E. Allen, 1001 15th Street N.W., Washington, D. C., your attorney of record in the matter, has requested a ruling whether the cabaret tax, imposed under Section 4231 (6) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, will apply to amounts deposited in coin-operated mechanical music devices by or for patrons or guests at a roof garden, cabaret or similar place. Mr. Allen made such a request with Revenue Ruling 57-263, Cumu-

lative Bulletin 1957-1, page 387 in view. "Revenue ruling 57-263 provides that the cabaret tax attaches to payments for food, refreshments or merchandise dispensed by coin-operated vending machines as well as where service is personal.

"We have concluded that amounts deposited in coin-operated mechanical music devices by or for patrons or guests at a roof garden, cabaret or similar place do not represent payments for 'service' within the statutory meaning of that term. Accordingly, amounts so deposited are not subject to the cabaret tax."

Ed Ratajack Answers Juke Box Music Critic

CHICAGO-In a letter recently | kegan, 111., took the juke box inpublished in the Chicago Daily News, one F. E. Palliaer, of Wau-placing "smut records" on automatic phonographs.

Friday's (21) edition of that same paper carried an answer to Palliaers' charges. The answer was written by Ed Ratajack, sales man-ager of AMI, Inc. It's worth reprinting, so here it is.

"Recently F. E. Palliaer accused MONY Skeds the juke box industry of deliberately placing 'smut' records on machines in local establishments. "Frankly, as a member of the industry for 20 years, I've adjusted my thinking to facing blame for anything from atomic fallout to Buddhism. "F. E. Palliaer, however, goes further than calling us racketeers. He accuses us of purveying 'smut.' To this we in the industry give a categorical denial. "For years our trade associations and trade press have been campaigning against the use of 'sug- modore "Banquet Dinner," the gestive' records in our juke boxeseven to the point of blacklisting ing to the music of a well-known orchestra." A souvenir journal of "Knowing this to be true, I can- the event will be published by (Continued on page 87) MONY.

INDIANAPOLIS --- With but scant exception, Indiana's 4,000 taverns are without pinball equipment as the result of a stern edict by the Alcoholic Beverages Commission, the State governmental agency vested with authority to issue and revoke liquor licenses.

The State's tavern keepers have been bluntly advised by the Commission that as far as it is concerned all types of pins-with or without counters and, indeed, even when scrupulously restricted to amusement -- must be removed from premises covered by alcoholic beverages permits. Failing to do so, the Commission warned, location owners would risk suspension and even revocation of licenses.

"And we mean business," said an ABC official, "and we mean it all the way. We'll consider an outlet in violation even when the machines are covered and when they are being only warehoused on the premises.

Police Arrests

Mere "warehousing" of equipment has already led to police arrests in some Indiana communities and to ABC suspension of licenses in others.

Pursuant to a suggestion by an Indiana witness before the Mc-Clellan Committee during its June investigation of Hoosier juke and pin operations, a bill to outlaw pinball equipment per se is certain of introduction in the 1961 session of the Indiana General Assembly. Revelations before the Committee together with the decision of Indianapolis Circuit Judge John L. Niblack upholding the 1957 "anti-free-play" law triggered the movement which left the State bared of in-line equipment.



subject to further adjudication. In unconstitutional because it leads to an appeal filed Friday (22), the the possibility of seizure of prop-Indiana State Supreme Court is erty without due process of law. asked to reverse it. With pins out, tavern keepers

Attorneys for the Ward and report a brisk bowling and shuffle-Peachey Vending Machine Com-board business. Many of them also pany, the appellants, contend that claim an increase in juke play.

Auto-Test Plays Major Role in National Highway Safety Drive



A DUAL-SEATER Auto-Test proclaims the road safety message in the Detroit Greyhound Bus Depot, as a couple of travelers try out their driving skills.

CHICAGO-What is probably fort will have two purposes. The the first effort to tie in a coinoperated amusement device with a national safe driving campaign is being made by Capitol Projectors, munity that the coin machine inmanufacturer of the Auto-Test.

most obvious one is to sell Auto-Tests. The other purpose is to demonstrate to the business comdustry is aware of its responsibili-Sam Goldsmith, Capitol sales ties, and that by promoting safe executive, explained that his or- driving, Capitol will be striking a blow for good industry public Goldsmith added that he is working with the Greyhound Bus people and has installed Auto-Tests in that company's bus depots. These machines carry a taped auto safety message as well as a commercial which suggests that the traveler would be better off leaving the car in the garage and let Greyhound

AUGUST 31, 1959

3-WAY SHUFFLE ALLEY. United Manufacturing Company's latest shuffle bowling game gives players choice of regulation, progressive or bonus scoring It's available in match play de luxe or standard models.

Oct. 31 Date For '59 Meet NEW YORK-The Music Operators of New York will hold their 22d annual banquet and show Saturday, October 31, it was announced this week. The gathering will be held in the Hotel Commodore. Subscription will be \$20 per plate and will include cocktails and hors d'oeuvres, the Hotel Com-"greatest entertainment and danc-

ganization is working closely with the National Safety Council in an lations.

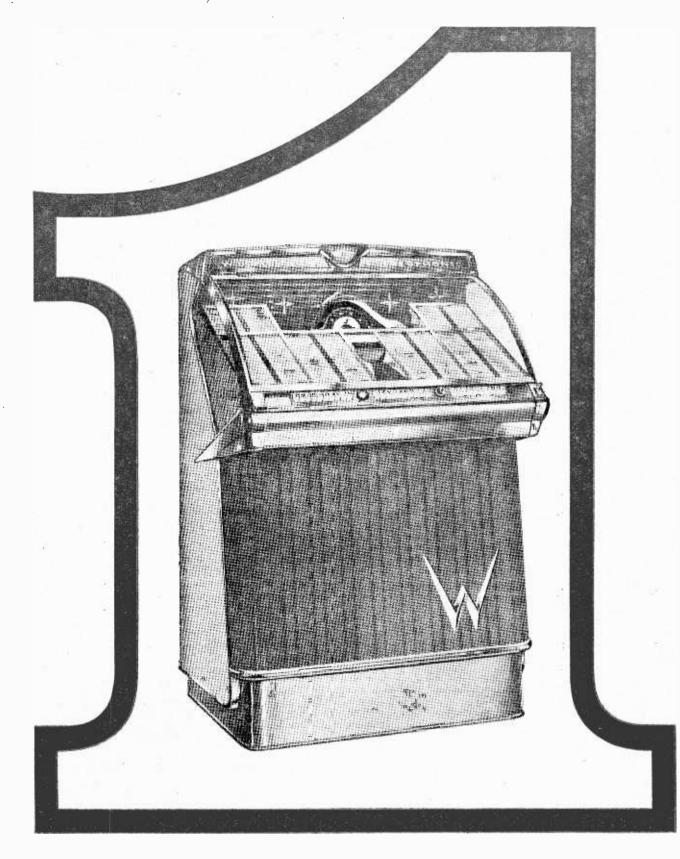
attempt to promote highway safety thru the Auto-Test. Auto-Test scores are based on safe driving practices, with points given for proper use of breaks and skillful steering, and points lost for exceeding the speed limit or violating the highway code.

As the coin is inserted in the Auto-Test, a taped message explains the scoring rules and admonishes the driver-in a humorous veinto observe the safety rules. Goldsmith will address the School and ronto this week. Other Auto-Tests, College Division of the National with one-minute taped highway Safety Council Congress during that safety pitches, are on location in organization's meeting here Octo- five Macy stores in the New York ber 19-23.

worry about the driving.

Six dual-seater Auto-Tests are part of a safe driving exhibit at the Canadian National Exhibit in Toarea and in six Bamberger depart-According to Goldsmith, the ef- ment stores in New Jersey.





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Coin Machine Price Index

How to Use the Index

HIGHS AND LOWS. Equipment and prices listed below are taken from advertisements in The Billboard for the period shown. Listings are based on the highest and lowest prices on all equipment which have been advertised either at least 10 times for the period shown or at least 5 times together with a computation based on annual average.

PRICES given in the Index are in no way intended to be "standard," "national," "set," or offer an authoritative reflection of what prices should be on used equipment. Prices in the Index are designed, however, to be a handy guide for price ranges. Any price obviously depends on the condition of the equipment, age, time on location, the territory and other related factors. MEAN AVERAGE. The mean average is a computation based on all prices of which a machine has been advertised for the period indicated and reflects the dominant advertised price level. It is not a simple average between the "high" and "low." High and low indicate price range; mean average indicates the price level at which most of the machines are advertised for. Therefore, when the mean average is nearer the "high," it indicates the "low" is a unique price probably for "as is" or "distressed" equipment.

(For 10-week period ending with issue of August 24)

Kigh Low	Mean Avg.		High	Low	Mean Avg.		High	law	Mean			Mean				Mean
MUSIC MACHINES		GENCO		6011	arry.	Screamo (4-54)	-		Avg. \$ 50	Hig Dockat (R) (R.5.4) C to		Avg.	flack that was	High	Low	Mean Avg.
		1520 Golden Nugget				Sea Jockeys (11-51)	225	225	225	Rocket (B) (8-54)\$ 11 Royal (U) (8-54) 100	25 \$ 125 0 100	\$125 100	Flash Hockey (Coinex) (9-54)	\$ 99	\$ 75	\$ 99
Model C-40\$ 125 \$ 125 Model D-30 (51) 40 sel.	\$ 125	(2-53) Invader (3-54)		\$ 35 75	\$ 35 75	Silver Skates (2-53) Singapore (10-54)	50	39 50	39 50	Score-a-Line (CC) (9-55) 24	5 245	245	Flying Saucer (M) (6-50) Football (M)		95 140	95 140
78 RPM 245 149	189	GOTTLIEB		/		Sky Way (9-54) Spark Plug (10-51	65	85 65	85 65	Shuffle Alley Deluxe 6 Player (U) (10-51) 8:		60	Goalee (CC) (1-46)	95	50	95
Model E-40 (53) 40 sel., 78 RPM 225 225	225	Arabian Knights (11-53)\$	40	e 15	* 40	Spitfire (2-55) Star Pool (10-54)	75 75	49 75	49 75	Shuffle Alley			Gun Patrol (Ex) (5-51) Gypsy Fortune Teller	10	110 10	110 10
Model E-80 (53) 80 sel., 45 RPM	295	Auto Race (9-56)	125	99	\$ 60 125	Struggle Buggie (12-53) .	55	55	55	Shuffle Alley		45	Harvard Metal Typer Heavy Hitter (B)	225 65	225 65	225 65
Model E-120 (53) 120 set.,	1,0	Chinatown (10-52) Cinderella (3-48)		39 25	39 25	Slugfest (3-52) Twenty Grand (12-52)	30	45 30	45 30	10 Player (C) 95 Shuffle Alley	5 50	60	Hi Ball (Ex) (2-38)	65	65	65
45 RPM 325 245 Model F-80 (54) 80 sel.	295	Classy Bowler (7-56) College Daze (8-49)		125 135	125 135	Times Square (4-53) Thunderbird (5-54)	45 59	45 59	45 59	11th Frame 33: Shuffle Alley Deluxa	5 150	195	Hockey (CC)	75	75	75
45 RPM	365	Coronation (11-52)	35	35	35	Three Deuces (8-55) Super World Series	79	79	79	11th Frame (U) 325 Shuffle Pool (Ge) (11-53) 50		225	(CC) (3-54) Hot Rods	95	95	95
Model F-120 (54) sel., 45 RPM	395	Cyclone (4-54) Daisy Mae (7-54)	60	25 60	25 60	(4-51)	50	50	50	Six Player (CC) 50	45	50 45	(Meteor) (6-53)	485	485	485
ROCK-OLA		Derby Day (4-56) Diamond Lil (12-54)	99 65	95 65	95 65	SHUFFLE	САМЕ	S	}	Six Player Deluxe (K) 65 Six Player Deluxe (U) 65		45 45	lack Rabbit (Amusematic) ('46)	95	95	95
	\$ 95	Dragonette (6-54) Duette (3-55)	69 85	69 70	69 85	Ace Bowler				Six Player 10th Frame (U) 75	55	70	Jet (8) Jet Gun (Ex) (12-51)	110 110	110 110	110 110
1434 50 sel., 78 RPM 125 125	125	Duette Deluxe (4-55)	135	125	135	(CC) (9-50)\$ Advance Bowler	295	\$ 95	\$ 95	Speedlane Bowler (K) 185 Speedy (U) (8-54) 135	185	185 135	Jet Fighter (W) (10-54) Jumping Jack		150	150
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1436 A 120 sel., 45 RPM 215 215	1	Four Stars (6-52) Frontiersman (11-25)		50 60	50 75	Shuffleboard (5-52)	250	225	225	(U) (9-52) 65		65	Jungle Gun (U) (7-54) Kicker & Catchers	295 20	295 20	295 20
1438 120 sel., 45 RPM 325 295	295	Gold Star (8-54) Grand Slam (4-53)	75 35	75 35	75 35	Arrow (CC) Banner (U) (8-54)	115	210 115		Starlite (CC) (5-54) 75 Super Bonus Deluxe (U) 225		75 225	K. O. Fighter	150	150	150
1442 50 sel., 45 RPM 295 245 1446 Hi-Fi 120 sel.,	315	Green Pastures (1-54)	50	50	50	Bikini (K) (6-54) Bonue Bowler (K) (3-54)	195	125 75		Super Frame (CC) (5-54) 125 Super Match Bowler		.125	Little League (W) (2-54) Lord's Prayer (M) (6-56)	125 225	125 195	125 225
45 RPM 395 395	395	Guys & Dolls (5-53) Gypsy Queen (2-55)	39 95	39 60	39 95	Bonus Score Bowler (CC) (4-55)				(CC) (10-52) 75		55	Lovemeter (Ex) Mauser Pistol (Ex)	25 89	25 89	25 89
SEEBURG		Harbor Lites	95 50	95 50	95 50	Bowlette (G) (7-50)	245	175 245	245	Super Six (U) (3-52) 100 Targette (U)	75	75 75	Mercury Counter Gripper	25	25	25
HM-100 Hideaway		Jockey Club (4-54) Jubilee (5-55)	70	70	70	Broadway Alley (U) Capital Deluxe	225	225	225	Targette Deluxe (U) (8-54) 320 Team Bowler (U) (1-54) . 95		195 95	Midget Movies (CC) Midget Racer (8) (11-56)		125 75	125
(9-49)\$ 125 \$ 125 M-100 A (9-49) 100 sel.,	• • • • •	Jumbo (10-54)		150 225	150 225	Shuffle Games Capitol iU) (6-55)	435 235	225 235		Eeam Bowler (K) (10-52) 75 Tenth Frame (K) 75	49	50 50	Midget Skeeball (CC) Mills Scales	125 65	125 35	125 50
78 RPM 195 195	195	Lady Luck (9-54) Lovely Lucy (2-54)	60 50	50 50	· 60 50	Carnival (K) (5-53) Cascade (U) (2-53)	125	45	235 85 75	Tenth Frame				325	325	325
M-100 (10-50) 100 sel., 45 RPM 325 325	325	Marathon (10-55) Marble Queen (6-53)	125 69	125 69	125 69	Century (K) (6-54)	155	75 155	155	Thunderbolt (CC) 200		60 200	Periscope (CC)	95	100 95	100 95
M-100 C (5-52) 100 sel., 45 RPM		Mystic Marvel (3-54) Niagara (12-51)	90	39	75	Champion (8) (5-54) Chet (U) (11-50)	300 115	125 115	195 115	Triple Score Bowler (CC) (6-53) 65	65	65	Photomatic (M) (1-50) Photomatic Deluxe	325	325	\$25
100-W (9-53) 535 535	535	Pin Wheel (10-53)	35 60	35 40	35 60	Classic (U) (6-53) Clipper (U) (5-55)	140	50 175		Triple Strike Bowler (CC) 200	200	200			245	245
M-100-G	395	Poker Face (8-53) QQQuartette (2-52)	50 49	50 49	· 50 49		210	210	210	Venus Bowler 150 Venus Deluxe (U) (3-55) 350		150	Pistol Pete (CC)	65 125	65 125	65 125
WURLITZER		Queen of Hearts (12-52) Rose Bowi (10-51)	65 50	65 50	65 50	Club (K) (4-53)		65 50	65 65	Victory Bowler		275	Pistol Target Skill Pitch's & Bat'm (S)	15 195	15 125	15 195
1400 (51) 48 sel., 45 or 78 RPM\$ 125 \$ 125		Score-Board (3-56)	85	85	85	Comet Targette (U) (11-54)	125	125	125	(CC) (3-52) 155 Yankees (U) 145		155 145	Polar Hunt (W)	175	175	175
1450 (51) 48 sel.,		Shindig (9-53)	150 90.	145 90	150 90	Comet Deluxe						145	Pop Up Quarterbacks (G) (9-55)	18 125	18 125	16 125
45 or 78 RPM 175 150 1500 (52) 104 set.,		Skill Pool (8-52) Sluggin Champ (4-55)	50 95	50 89	50 95	(U) (11-54) Criss-Cross	345	125	245	ARCADE EQUIPN			Ranger (K) Rifle Gallery (G) (6-54)	198 135	195 125	195 135
45-78 RPM Mix 175 175	175	Sluggin Champ Deluxe (4-55)	175	175	175	(CC) (11-53)	110	110	110	CODE: AP-Auto Photo, 8-Sal Coin, EV-Evans, Ex-Ex				225	215	225
1550 (52) 104 set., 45-78 RPM Mix 145 145	145	Southern Belle (6-55) Spot Bowler (10-50)	95	90	95	Criss-Cross Targette Regular (CC) (1-55)	75	75	75	Gb-Gottlieb, K-Keeney,	M→Int'l.	Muto-	(CC) (10-53)		350	350
1550-A (53: 104 sel.,		Stage Coach (11-54)	30 85	30 85	30 85	Crown (CC) (4-53)	80	80	80	scope, R-Roovers, \$Se			Royal Mustang Horse Scientific Boat	275 250	275 250	275 250
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45 or 78 RPM 235 235	235	Tournament (8-55) Twin 8111 (1-55)	150 75	150 75	150	(CC) (3-53)	95	49	75	ABT Challenger (5-54)\$		e 10	Shoe Brush Up	95	95	250 95
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45 RPM 249 249 1700 (54) 104 sel.		Circus (8-52) Havana (2-54)	335 50	335 50	335	Fireball (CC) (11-54)		145	145	Anti Aircraft 99	99	99	(11-49)	175	175	175
45 RPM 365 295	945	Hawaii (6•54) Manhattan (4-55)	50 30	50 30	50 İ	Flash (CC) (9-54) Gold Cup (C) (7-53)		175 75		Air Raider (C) (48) 150 Air Hockey 125	150 125	150 125	Silver Gloves (M) Six Shooter (Ex)	95	125 95	125 95
1800 (2-25) (W) 395 375	395	Mexico (3-54)	65	65	65	Gold Medal (8) (3-55)	185	185		Alr Football 150	125	123	Skee Ball (W) (B-36) Sky Fighter (M) (9-53)	245	245	245
PINBALL GAMES		Nevada (8-54) Pixie (9-55)	50 85	25 45	50	Hi Speed Triple Score				Balloonamat Capital P (1-55)	165		Sky Gunner (G) (9-53)	125	110 125	110 125
BALLY		Rio (11-53) Singapore (10-54)	30 · 50	30 50	30 50	(CC) (8-53) Holiday Match Bowler	60	60		Baseball (Sc) 95	85	95	Sky Rocket (G) (5-51) Space Gun (Ex)	125	195 125	195 125
	\$ 50		115 85	95 50	110	(CC) (9-53)		125	125	Baseball 2 Player (G) 65	65	65	Space Ranger (Deco) Space Ship	225	225 150	225
Beach Beauty (1-55) 99 65 Beach Club (2-53) 50 50	73	Stars (6-52)	50	50	50	Hollywood (CC) (5-55) Imperial (U) (9-53)		175 95		Basketball (G) 195 Basketball (CC) 175	145 175	175	Speed Boat (B) (7-53)	325	275	150 325
Beauty Club (2-53) 50 45	45	Triple Play (8-55)	50 85	50 85	85	Jet Bowler (B) (8-54)	90	90	90 1	Bert Lane Merry-Go-Round 275	275	275	Sportland (Ex) (11-51) Sportsman (K) (11-54)	135	135 135	135 135
Big Time (1-55) 85 65 Bright Lights (5-51) 60 60	75 60	Tropicana (1-55) Tropics (7-55)	60 50	60 50	50	League Bowler (U) (1-54) League Bowler Deluxe		100		Big Bounce (1-51) 350 Big Inning (B) (47) 345	350 345	350 345	Standard Metal Typer F. S		245	275
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Gayety (3-55) 60 39	60	Dealer 21 (2-54) Deluxe aseball	34	34	34	Mars (U) (1-55) Mars Deluxer (U)		135 185		Bonus Gun (U) (1-55) 175 Broncho Horse	175	175	Super Home Run (CC)			
Gaytime (6-55)		Disk Jockey (11-52)	85 40	85 40	40	Match Bowl e Ball		105		(Ex) (10-47) 375	375	375	(3-54) Super Jet (CC) (4-53)	225	125 225	125 225
Ice Frolics (1-54) 39 29	39 1	Eight Ball (1-52)	135 35	110 35	135	(CC) (8•52) Match Pool (Ge) (2-54)		45 60		Card Vendor (Ex) 50 Carnival Deluxe (U) 295	45 150	50	Super Jet (CC) (8-53)	225	225	225
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Nite Club (3-56) 135 85 Palm Beach (7-52) 29 15	135 (Gun Club (11-53)	425	395	425	Mystic Bowler (B) (12-54)	355	325	245	(U) (10-54) 160 Carousel (Sc) (11-54) 140	125 140		Super Slugger (U) (7-55) Telequiz (1-49) (T)	145 9 5	145 65	145 95
Palm Springs (11-52) 50 29	50	long Kong (10-52)	65 55	65 55	55	Mercury Deluxe	295	235	245 0	Champion Baseball (G) 140	140	140	Ten Strike (E) (46)	250 ·	175	73 17 5
Spot Lite (1-52) 50 24 Surf Club (3-54) 55 29)		65 125	65 125		Name Bowler (CC) (1-54)	50	50		Champion Hockey (46) 100	100		3-D Theater (M) (12-53)		150	150
Surf Club (3-54)	35 I	.azy Q (2-54)	35	85	35	Official (U) (5-52) Olympic (U) (8-54)	85 65	60 65		Coon Gun (\$) 125 Coon Hunt (\$) (2-54) 135	125 95	1	Three-of-a-Kind Three Way Gripper (Gb)		25 25	25 25
Yacht Club (6-53) 50 50	50		125 75	125 75	75	Original	95	50	70 [Da' Gun (Ex) 65	65		Treasure Love (Ex) (6-55)		210	25
CHICAGO COIN		_	75 75	39	75	Pacemaker (K) (9-53)		110	1	Defender (B) ('40) 150	125	125	frigger Horse (Ex) (7-53)	395	395 ·	395
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ROY McGINNIS, president of of J. H. Keeney & Company, sails for Europe Friday (28) on the U.S.S. United States. He will visit England and the Continent to see Keeney game and vending machine distributors and observe operating methods in Europe. McGinnis said that Keeney will introduce a new vending machine line for both the domestic and export trade.

Colucci Sells Record Shop

HARTFORD, Conn.—In what is characterized as merely an effort to consolidate personal operations, veteran Connecticut coin machine executive Ralph Colucci has sold one of his two Hartford Record Shops.

Donald Kahn, of Scarsdale, N. Y., has acquired control of the Record Shop, opened two years ago, at the West Hartford Suburban Crossroads Shopping Plaza, for an undisclosed sum.

Ed Ratajack • Continued from page 84

not understand the accusation unless the Palliaer complaint is construed as a criticism of the current rock and roll trend.

"We in our industry try to keep programming of this type music to a minimum.

"We sell music. The overexposure of rock and roll rhythms on other media, free, makes this type of music a slow seller on juke boxes.

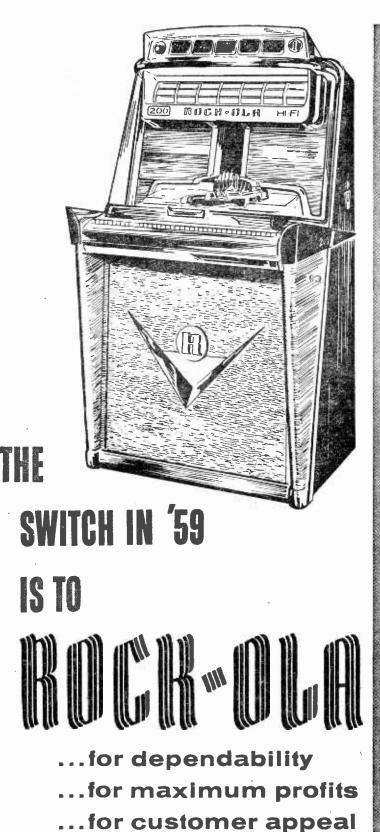
"If our Waukegan friend would take the trouble to really look at the next juke box he sees, he would find that an average 200-selection machine is programmed with less than 10 per cent of the records he complains about.

"The balance of the programming covers the entire field of popular music; old-time favorites, waltzes, folk tunes, progressive jazz, etc.

"We, as an industry, program more of this type of standard music than does any other segment of the entertainment industry. Our business is to cater to these tastes. "We do not sell smut.

"(signed) E. R. Ratajack."

HASTINGS, Neb.—The Music Guild of Nebraska will discuss the local and national public relations picture for the juke box industry, as well as copyright legislation at its



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THE BILLBOARD

you look at it, this amounts to kind of money you need." money being laid out in front. Upstate in Saugerties, N. Y., opwhat a guy has to pay to get the in considerable amounts of used politicians, and Maine about the route that the location may be a equipment, said that about 15 times only State left in New England part of. One thing is sure. It the gross weekly play less commistakes a lot of money to get into this business today. More than rate for a route. Greco said that new blood is coming in and operaever before. That factor alone is summer routes are often available tors usually sell to other operators probably discouraging some wouldbe operators."

erates his own routes, believes that a going price for a route in his joke. We have as much as \$3,000 suburban territory would run betoo, says few routes are to be is a big money investment today purchased now.

Along these lines, Pavesi took the occasion to deplore the factics used by new location owners-a restaurant for example-who demands all kinds of front money locations.

in a new store or a new lunch room or restaurant tell them all downward direction. about the money they can get out of the vending and juke box people they hold out for unreasonable demands.

Improvement

time all the legitimate operators people who were new in the business and only in it as a front would spoil location owners with terrific deals that most of us could never afford. It's not so bad that way any more, tho," he added.

Speaking of credit matters, Pavesi, like others contacted, agreed that for a decent operator with any kind of standing, it could be obtained. "Not from banks, tho," he pointed

And this may be in addition to erator Tom Greco who also deals chusetts being slowly squeezed by at this time of year, but that by and or on occasion to mechanics or large there are not too many on other workers. Bank money is Carl Pavesi who, along with be- the market. Greco added that fiof \$5,000 or \$10,000. That's a or \$4,000 today tied up in a single tween 35 and 40 times the weekly location. And you've got to have at tor that banks are reluctant to take gross less commissions. But Pavesi, least 25 locations on a route. This and for that reason I would say, there's little new blood coming in in our area.'

Boston Report

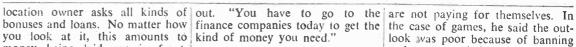
Very little in the way of optimism revealed itself in a survey of advantages from whomever gets his music and game routes prices and trends in the Greater Boston area. The real estate men who set up Indications were that the situation on price ranged from a static to a

A number of factors seem to be involved in the sale of a juke box who will want their location. So route. The matter of contracts, whether verbal or solidly written appear to be a prime deciding factor of the selling cost of the route. Pavesi also indicated that for a The condition of equipment also has a strong effect on price, as were hurt because some of "these does the age of the machines, speakers and record inventory.

There would appear to be three price categories. A superb route with strong location contracts, a fine inventory and equipment in first-class condition and of recent vintage would go in this territory for somewhere around 28 weeks of the operator's take plus inventory.

Other Categories

Going down the scale the middle type of route with some written contracts and equipment more than a year old would be about 20 weeks' take plus inventory, while older machines and no contracts could be bought for considerably less. In all categories a market price based on Billboard quotations would be added. This would seem to place music route prices at about half the price of the 50-week take plan existing in some areas.



and new restrictions with Massawith much freedom to run games.

generally very difficult to obtain ing president of the Westchester County Operators' Guild, also op-problem. "It's no longer a question private loan firms who demand up to 50 per cent down.

Banks Tough

It was pointed out by one operanotes even from operators who have a sound credit rating since the investment can sink so rapidly even in a small recession.

Most of the increase in route prices here seems to be not in music or games but in cigarettes, coffee and other forms of vending.

Several operators felt that in order for the music machine industry to survive and grow with a decent living for the operator, that it would be up to the factories to

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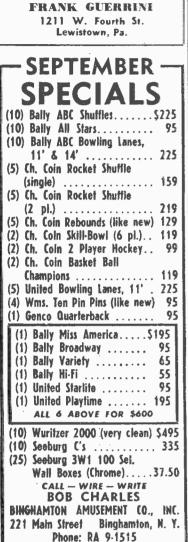
\$1,000 with less chrome and neon lighting. Philadelphia Report

"There are hardly any juke and game routes up for sale in the Philadelphia area. As a result, there isn't much new-blood coming into the business."

This, to a man, was the reply of every distributor and operator in the Philadelphia area-which includes Eastern Pennsylvania,

FOR SALE

Chicago Coin Rebound Shuffle, cannot be told from new, \$50. 1 Kentucky Derby, 5 or 10c play, like new, \$100.



produce a juke box well under Southern New Jersey and Delaware-asked the question: "Are there many routes up for sale?"

"There are more buyers than sellers," said Joe Ash, president of Active Amusement Machine Com-pany. "When one route does come up, it is grabbed up quickly."

Father and Son

Hank Grant, of the International Amusement Company, said, "This is a father and son business. The only way to get in is take the business over from your dad. A new man doesn't stand a chance." Willard Workman, vice-president of Workman's Juke Box and Amusement Machine Service in nearby Chester, Pa., said that when a route is sold "it is usually between two established operators." He, too, went along with the idea that there are not many routes up for sale and not much new blood

coming into the industry. Max Brown, president of the Philadelphia Coin Machine Exchange, also expressed these sentiments.

Price Steady

As for financing, all agreed that it can be had. "There is one bank in Philadelphia that handles most of it," explained Workman. He added that the price trend has remained pretty steady.

As for figuring the price to charge for a route, the operator who is selling must take into consideration the market price of the equipment on the route and also the amount of collections, along with good will.

"It all depends on the route in question," said Workman. "In addition to the market value of the equipment you usually figure 30 to 40 weeks of collections.

Grant explained that the 30 weeks is usually pinballs and the 40 weeks music. "Good will is very important in

figuring the price to charge for a route," reminded Ash.

So, the picture sums up this way in the Philadelphia area: There are not many routes for sale and there- as to how he would receive his fore almost impossible for new men to come into the business. But if

Charles Koski of Long Beach

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CHICAGO-The Auto-Bell

Novelty & Manufacturing

Company has named David

Rosen, veteran Philadelphia

coin machine distributor, as

the company's sales outlet for

Eastern Pennsylvania, Dela-

ware and New Jersey. Rosen, who has been in the business

for 25 years, is also the Phila-

delphia Wurlitzer distributor.

Joe Wasserman, Rosen's sales

manager, will be in personal charge of Auto-Bell sales.

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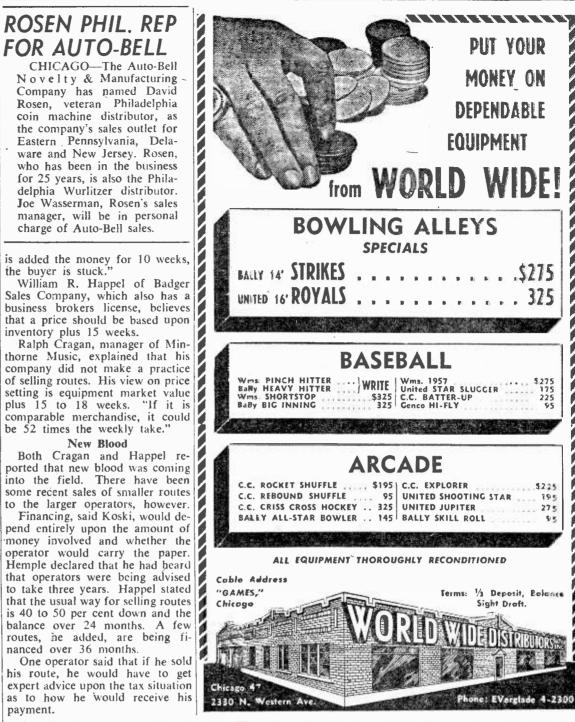
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Memphis Seeburg Distributor thusiastic about the new system, **Doubles as Bus Dispatcher**

ton Company, local Seeburg dis-tributor, has completed installation numbered and the system went into of an ultra-modern sound announc- effect. ing system for the Greyhound Lines bus station.

used a microphone to announce of a bus in the busy bus station is departure of all buses. He would push a button. For example, when reel off a dozen or two towns the bus was going to.

He would also have to announce record plays: the arrival of each bus at such and such a ramp, also listing the various for departure at Ramp 6. S towns it had arrived from.

Old System For example, say a bus was arriving in Memphis from Los Angeles. The dispatcher had to note that the bus arriving at Ramp 11 was from Los Angeles, Phoenix, El Paso, Dallas, Texarkana, Little Rock, plus many stops in between. So Greyhound officials got together with the background music industry and came up with this novel solution:

A sound system was installed in the bus station. In the dispatcher's office is a wall box-similar to juke box wall boxes-with intricate mechanism controlling dozens of records.

Connecting Phonograph A connecting phonograph was installed in the kitchen. Loudspeakers were strategically placed around the building where the announcements could be heard by all. Then the bus company sent agents to Chicago and in one of the professional recording studios there had an announcer make a number of records announcing the arrival of each bus and all the

Likewise, recordings were made for all bus departures. The records



MEMPHIS-Sammons-Penning-| were brought back, put on the pho-

Push Button

Now all the dispatcher has to do In the past, the bus dispatcher to announce arrival or departure a bus for Atlanta is about to leave. he pushes that button a

COIN MACHINE

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and George Sammons, president of Sammons-Pennington, is just as proud his company was able to provide the sound system. The system is so progressively successful that the bus company has also installed it at Chicago, Miami, Dallas, Bir-mingham; Jacksonville, Fla.; At-fanta, New Orleans, New York, Denver, Phoenix, Los Angeles and San Francisco. Other cities will also get it.

he pushes that button and the	
record plays:	to buy your
"Coach for Atlanta now ready for departure at Ramp 6. Stops at	used equipment!
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'the great increase" some eight out of fashion at the cigarette machine, the lament is "it took all of this time to get people willing to put in an extra nickel. Now we've got to dc the whole thing over VL200 500.00 again.'

V-200 425.00 be as high as 30 per cent and may continue for "at least six months," HF100G 475.00 said Joe Dobson, president of Dobson-Canteen Vending Service, M100C 375.00

> we've had between cigarette machines, and the supermarket price since we jumped from 25 cents to 30 cents, and, believe me, we're going to feel it."

> charge 35 cents a pack, however. Those placed at "street locations" restaurants, taverns, service stations -will, but those located in "industrial spots"-primarily for the benefit of employes-will range as low

vice president of Paramount Cigarette Vendors, Inc., companies that desire no commission from the vending service will_sell all cigarettes at 30 cents a pack, while those desiring "a little commission" king-size and filter tips for 35 cents.

about a change in smoking preferences, suggested Dobson.

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pleted a five-week Western tour stimulate these sales. of Wurlitzer distributors, and he reports that summer sales are hold-

CHICAGO—Joe Hrdlicka, Wur- ing up remarkably well, with litzer service manager, has com- stereophonic music doing much to

Highlight of Hrdlicka's trip was a visit to Disneyland, where Wurlitzers provide much of the music in the California park. He checked the new 100-selection mechanisms which have been installed in the Model 780, Colonial-style cabinets, popular in the 1930's.

The original 24-selection 78 r.p.m. mechanisms of the machines have been replaced by Carousel 100-selection units, with ceramic pick-ups and new amplifiers.

During his trip, Hrdlicka talked with distributors and field servicemen in Denver, Salt Lake City, Seattle, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Phoenix, Tucson, Dallas and St. Louis.

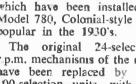
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