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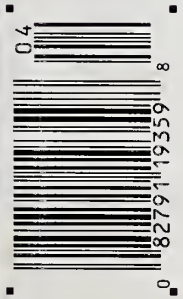
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#1 THE WEEKEND
Steve Wariner
MCA

JAZZ

#1 SMOOTH SAILIN' TONIGHT
Isley Brothers
MCA

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#1 WHITNEY
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Arista

POP ALBUM

#1 WHITNEY
Whitney Houston
Arista

B/C ALBUM

#1 BIGGER AND DEFFER
L.L. Cool J
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#1 HILLBILLY DELUXE
Dwight Yoakum
Reprise

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#1 I WANNA DANCE WITH SOMEBODY
(WHO LOVES ME)
Whitney Houston
Arista

12" SINGLE

#1 RESPECTABLE
Mel & Kim
Atlantic

WINNER'S CIRCLE

Cash Box research from both radio and retail activity indicates the following record exhibits Top Ten potential.



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special
12"
mix
SH 1204



Dance
all
night



single
SH 7004



cassingle
SHK 1204

from their new album "Bad Boys"





UNIVERSAL ELTON-MCA recording artist Elton John celebrated his return to the label and new release, "Elton John Live In Australia with the Melbourne Symphony Orchestra" by holding a press conference on the Universal Studios lot recently. Shown afterwards (l-r): James Newton Howard (arranger and conductor for Australian concerts), Bernie Taupin (songwriting partner), John Reid (John's manager), Elton John, MCA's Irving Azoff (president, MCA Music Entertainment Group), Richard Palmese (executive vice president, marketing and promotion), Jheryl Busby (executive vice president artist acquisition and development), and Larry Solters (senior vice president, artist development).

Former Elektra Mrktng & Promo Head

Bone To Replace Craigo As Chrysalis President

NEW YORK - Mike Bone has been named president of Chrysalis Records, replacing Jack Craigo, it was learned this week. Bone most recently served Elektra Records as senior vice president of marketing and promotion. It is not known whether Craigo left voluntarily or was relieved of his duties.

Reasons for the change were unannounced, and representatives at Chrysalis had no comment at press time.

R.I.A.A. Backs DAT Scanner

LOS ANGELES-The Recording Industry Association of America (R.I.A.A.) announced plans to better acquaint recording industry executives with the copy-code scanner technology. Scanner requirements in Digital Audio Tape (DAT) machines are part of proposed in legislation now in committee on Capitol hill.

Demonstrations of the copy-code system developed by CBS Records Technology Labs will take place for industry executives in Nashville on July 21, in Los Angeles on July 23 and in New York on July 28.

The system is scheduled for an im-

partial testing by the National Bureau of Standards. Members of Congress have asked that equipment manufacturers refrain from importing DAT machines and that recording companies refrain from encoding product until a legislative decision has been reached. Marantz, a maker of DAT machines, has already pledged to begin introducing DAT into the U.S. in October.

Critics have said there is audible sound degradation in the copy-code scanner system. The demonstrations in the R.I.A.A. offices are meant, in part, to show this criticism to be groundless.

Seeks Injunction, \$50 Million

Songwriter Sues Lionel Richie

LOS ANGELES-Michael Frenchik, a Los Angeles-based songwriter, has filed a \$50 million lawsuit against Lionel Richie claiming that Richie's song "Dancing On The Ceiling" was an infringement of his copyright.

According to Frenchik, Carlos Rios, an employee of Richie and the law firm of Manatt, Phelps, Rothenberg, Tunney & Phillips, also named in the suit, unduly influenced him to relinquish authorship rights in his original musical work to Richie for inadequate compensation. The law firm, according to Frenchik, represented both himself and Rios, knowing their interests were adverse to each other.

Frenchik claims that a demo tape of his song was given to Rios in December, 1984 and that Rios "appropriated said musical composition without

Plaintiff's lawful authority, right, title or license and converted" his song over to Rios, Richie and Richie's publishing company, Brockman Music.

Richie released "Dancing On The Ceiling" in July 1986, and, according to the suit, did not credit Frenchik for writing the song.

Frenchik seeks an injunction enjoining the defendants from further distribution of "Dancing On The Ceiling," \$50 million for copyright infringement, unfair competition and conversion and a full accounting of all defendants' profits.

Named as co-defendants in the lawsuit are Richie, Brockman Music, Motown Records (Richie's label), Rios, Jody E. Graham (an attorney with Manatt, et al) and Manatt, Phelps, Rothenberg, Tunney & Phillips.

A Guide To The New Music Seminar Shows

By Paul Iorio

NEW YORK - When Mark Josephson called this year's New Music Seminar "a music festival," he wasn't kidding. Josephson, an NMS director, helped shape this year's Seminar around performances by over 250 acts. In many ways, these shows mean more than the panel discussions taking place this week at the Marriott Marquis Hotel (13 - 15).

A wide variety of music is scheduled, and nearly every genre is represented, from rap and ska to country and rock. As might be expected with an event of this size, there are a few glaring omissions. For example, Tim Berne, wrongly excluded from Columbia's recent JVC showcase, should have been given a hearing at NMS. And bands such as Sonic Youth, The Young Fresh Fellows, The Feelies, and others should also have been featured.

But, overall, the choice of bands is superb and the amount of talent is stag-

gering; you won't be able to attend a single show without missing another one that's just as good. This guide is a semi-hopeless attempt at simplifying matters.

MONDAY, JULY 13.

TOP SHOWS: Two shows stand out: Homestead's showcase at CBGBs and Relativity's at Nirvana. The former includes performances by Phantom Tollbooth, Live Skull, Salem 66, Big Dipper, and others. Live Skull, a particularly hot live act, and the other bands can be sampled on a new Homestead compilation called "The Wailing Ultimate." Relativity's show features Scruffy The Cat, Thelonious Monster, Bleached Black, and The Brandos. Best bet is Scruffy, whose second album, "Tiny Days," translates well on stage.

Vernon Reid's Living Color, the pride of the Black Rock Coalition, performs at 1018 with hardcore bands the

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POST-CONCERT CELEBRATION-As part of an extensive 35th Anniversary international tour, Atlantic recording group The Modern Jazz Quartet recently gave a concert at New York's Carnegie Hall. The concert coincided with the release of The MJQ's latest album, "Three Windows," which marks the group's return to the Atlantic label after a 13-year hiatus. Following the show, Atlantic Records and WEA International hosted a celebration in honor of the MJQ at the Russian Tea Room. Shown toasting the legendary quartet's 35th anniversary and continued success are (l-r): Atlantic vice president of creative marketing services Mark Schulman, The MJQ's manager Monte Kay, and The MJQ's Percy Heath, Connie Kay, Milt Jackson, and John Lewis.



BMI SALUTES HANCOCK - Herbie Hancock, the award-winning composer/instrumentalist, was recently saluted by the international music press at a party hosted by BMI. Pictured here with BMI pres and CEO Frances Preston and Hancock are (l - r): Branford Marsalis; Tony Reedus; Darius Brubeck, (obscured), James Williams, Dave Brubeck, Bob Cranshaw, George Coleman, Jimmy Owens, George Shearing, Herbie Hancock, Frances W. Preston, Harold Mabern, Lionel Hampton, Donald Byrd, Buster Williams, Bob Brookmeyer, and Tony Williams.

McKeon Becomes RCA V.P. of Album Promotion

NEW YORK - Jim McKeon has been named vice president, album promotion for RCA Records, as announced by label promotion head Butch Waugh in New York July 6th.

McKeon comes to RCA from a long stint with CBS Records, first as Epic's regional album promotion manager for the Los Angeles market, then as Columbia's director of album promotion.

In commenting on the appointment, Waugh said "We were looking for someone well-respected and well-versed in album radio promotion because of our commitment to all of the RCA Records label's exciting rock artists and to the AOR format. Jim has spent 11 years with CBS Records and has built a great reputation for himself throughout the industry."

McKeon will relocate from Los Angeles to New York for this position, and joins the RCA staff working Bruce



Hornsby and Starship product to the AOR market. He will be responsible for all promotional activities with regard to both album releases and artist development at rock radio.



Heyward Landers Rappaport White

Heyward Named—Sharon L. Heyward has been appointed to the position of director, national R&B promotion for Virgin Records, it was announced by Phil Quartararo, vice president, promotion. In her new position, Heyward will be responsible for overseeing Virgin's overall R&B promotion staff, and she will report to Quartararo. She comes to Virgin from RCA, where she most recently held the position of national director, black music promotion.

Landers Appointed—Jay Landers has been appointed director, film music and special projects, A&R, west coast, for Columbia Records, it was announced by Ron Oberman, vice president, west coast, A&R, Columbia. Landers was most recently manager of Columbia recording group Cock Robin, and in his new position will work closely to develop music opportunities for Columbia artists in the film and soundtrack communities and will be responsible for coordinating soundtrack album projects.

Rappaport Appointed—Jerry Rappaport has been appointed to the position of director, A&R for Mango Records. The announcement was made by Cathy Jacobson, vice president of independent labels, Island Records. Rappaport comes to Mango from Tower Records' 4th and Broadway store, where he was International, Blues, Country and Gospel buyer.

White Appointed—Jeffrey White has been appointed vice president and chief financial officer for BMI, it was announced by Frances Preston, president and CEO. White will oversee the company's accounting, collections, and general services activities and he will report directly to Preston. He joins BMI from CBS, where he most recently served as vice president, finance, for CBS News.

Coppen Named—Bobbie Coppen has been named head of promotions for CBS Records, U.K., as announced by Alan Phillips, marketing director of the label. Coppen will be responsible for the label's activities at National Radio and Television. She was most recently manager, TV promotions for CBS.

Green Appointed—Jamon Green has been named as local marketing coordinator for the Los Angeles area for A&M Records, it was announced by David Steffen, senior vice president of sales and distribution. Green will be based out of the Hollywood office and will report to regional sales director Nick Stearns. Most recently, Green was a buyer for the Warehouse Entertainment retail chain.

Lipman Named—Monte Lipman has been promoted to the position of local marketing manager for Arista Records, it was announced by James Cawley, vice president of sales. Lipman will be responsible for the overall merchandising visibility of all Arista product in the New York market.

Lambert Named—Eddie Lambert has been named creative director of Largo Music, a New York based music publishing company. Lambert, who will be based in Largo's Los Angeles office, was most recently A&R director of Motown Records for four years.

Yarnell Elected—Kenneth A. Yarnell has been elected president and chief operating officer of the Primerica Corporation, the parent company of the Musicland Group. He had previously been senior executive vice president and chief financial officer.

AIM Names Two—American Interactive Media, a joint venture of PolyGram B.V. International and the Corporate Group Home Interactive Systems division of Philips International, has named Jim Hoekema CD-I software design engineer and Pamela Kellman editor of technical publications, it was announced by Gordon Stulberg, chairman and chief executive officer. Hoekema will work with the Smithsonian Institution to supervise the design and creation of upcoming Compact Disc Interactive titles, and Kellman will prepare and edit technical documents related to the CD-I production and design process.

Borman/Sternberg Formed—Harriet Sternberg and Gary Borman have announced the formation of Borman/Sternberg Entertainment, a personal management firm specializing in the representation of recording artists, comedians, actors, and directors. The firm will be based in Los Angeles.

TICKERTAPE

NEW YORK—SBK Entertainment World has sold its subsidiary, Music Theatre International, to ITM Enterprises for approximately \$11 million...The RIAA plans to better acquaint recording industry executives with the DAT copy-code scanner with demonstrations in Nashville, July 21; L.A., July 23; and N.Y., July 28; call the RIAA at (202) 775-0101 for details...In other RIAA news, that organization and the Maryland State Police broke up a major illegal audio recording ring, June 2, involving the sale and distribution of bootleg recordings in the Baltimore area. And the RIAA was awarded \$18,400 restitution from James Lee Long, Sr. of Tupelo, MS, who was recently sentenced to a year in prison and five years probation on one count of trafficking in counterfeit cassette labels...Schwartz Bros. Inc. reported that revenues and net income jumped to new record first quarter highs this year. Net income rose to \$270,720 from \$240,945 for the previous period last year, with revenues increasing to \$19,929,793 from \$17,466,428...Joseph Meyer, an ASCAP composer who penned such standards as "California, Here I Come" and "If You Knew Susie," died June 22 at the age of 93...Anne David, the wife of former ASCAP president Hal David, died June 26 at the age of 62...Gospel United to Save America's Youth will take place August 8 on Detroit's Belle Isle to raise money to benefit local and national youth service agencies in the areas of substance abuse, AIDS, teenage pregnancy prevention and youth homicide and suicide...The Songwriters Guild Foundation, the non-profit arm of the Songwriters Guild of America, has added a new year-round workshop, the Artist Development Workshop. For information about the summer session call Bob Leone at (212) 686-6820...NARAS is actively seeking a candidate to fill the position of full-time paid president. Resumes should be sent to Chairman Presidential Search Committee, 303 No. Glenoaks Blvds, Suite M140, Burbank, CA 91502...In other NARAS news, they've announced a new program of cash grants being initiated by the trustees of the Academy. Three grants, up to \$2,500 each, will be awarded for "innovative creations, investigations, research or educational projects which focus on recorded music or other sound." Applications must be postmarked by October 1 to the National Educational Coordinator at the above address...Carnegie Hall and its president, Isaac Stern, recently roped in a passel of awards: the Municipal Art Society's Certificate of Merit (to the Hall, for its restoration), a 1987 Governor's Arts Award (to the Hall), the National Music Council's American Eagle Award (to Stern) and the American Symphony Orchestra League's Gold Baton Award (to Stern)...The Indianapolis Symphony received a \$168,000 commission from the Indiana Arts Commission, the IAC's largest single grant this year...SBK Entertainment World has entered into an exclusive print agreement with the Milwaukee-based Hal Leonard Publishing Corp...New on the bookshelves: *Music Video—A Consumer's Guide* by Michael Shore (\$9.95, Ballantine), and *Tougher Than Leather: The Authorized Biography of Run-DMC* by B. Adler (\$2.95, Signet).

SINGLE RELEASES

OUT OF THE BOX

PAUL SIMON (Warner Bros. 7-28389)

Diamonds On The Soles Of Her Shoes (5:25) (Paul Simon/BMI) (Paul Simon-Joseph Shabalala) (Producer: Paul Simon)

"Graceland" has sold 3 million plus without the benefit of the perfunctory Top Ten hit single. CHR can redeem itself here with this sweet, ethnic and graceful tune. The sparse arrangement allows for the subtle guitar of Ray Phiri to sparkle while Simon's loaded lyrical political blast is laced, unsuspectingly, across the song by its placid melody.



OUT OF THE BOX

HUEY LEWIS AND THE NEWS (Chrysalis VS4 43143)

Doing It All For My Baby (3:41) (Bibo-Zookini/ASCAP-Vogue-Lew-Bob/BMI) (P. Cody-M. Duke) (Producer: Huey Lewis And The News)

Lewis puts his good-time rock and roll touch to yet another infectious CHR certainty. A lively gospel-inflected organ howl spices up the romantic lyric, punctuated by brassy horn charts and a medium-grooving tempo.



OUT OF THE BOX

HERB ALPERT (A&M 2949)

Making Love In The Rain (3:50) (Flyte Tyme/ASCAP) (Jimmy Jam-Terry Lewis) (Producers: Jimmy Jam-Terry Lewis)

A&M's founder is enjoying his company's 25th Anniversary in style. He just finished scoring Top Ten success with "Diamonds," and now takes another stab at it with this sumptuous, soulful ballad.



OUT OF THE BOX

JOHN HIATT (A&M 2950)

Thank You Girl (4:07) (Lillybilly adm by Bug/BMI) (John Hiatt) (Producer: John Chelew)

From his most accomplished, impassioned work to date ("Bring The Family") comes this bluesy roots rock cut oozing with optimism and newfound faith. With Ry Cooder's incomparable slide guitar coloring the track, and Nick Lowe and Jim Keltner keeping a torrid backbeat, Hiatt delivers his nifty lyric with unerring care and emotional power.



FEATURE PICKS

CHRIS ISAAK (Warner Bros. 7-28374)

Blue Hotel (3:10) (C. Isaak/ASCAP) (Chris Isaak) (Producer: Erik Jacobsen)

Alternative formats will have a field day with this moody fifties-influenced rocker from the eighties embodiment of the spirit of Presley-Pitney-Cochran.

ERIC CLAPTON WITH TINA TURNER (Warner Bros. 7-28279)

Tearing Us Apart (3:38) (E.C. adm by Unichappell/BMI-Poopy's/ASCAP) (Clapton-Phillinganes) (Producer: Phil Collins)

"Slowhand" teams with the "Queen of Rock and Roll" on this steamy rock and blues burner. A rootsy, gutsy song is the foundation for their spirited, soulful duet.

JENNIFER HOLLIDAY (Geffen 7-28298)

Heart On The Line (3:33) (Glasshouse-Irving/BMI) (Preston Glass-Alan Glass) (Producers: Preston Glass-Alan Glass)

The Dreamgirl with the million dollar voice breaks out with a blistering, slow-burn soul tune that has BC, Power and CHR potential.

FIGURES ON A BEACH (Sire 7-28270)

No Stars (3:40) (Squared I-Xerxes adm by Squared I/ASCAP) (C. Ewen-A. Kaczynski-J. Rolski-M. Smith-P. Tell) (Producer: Ivan Ivan)

A progressive modern sound, ala Ultravox, forms the primary focus for band's debut. A rousing chorus recommends the single to forward-leaning CHRs and alternative outlets.

DOCTOR AND THE MEDICS (I.R.S. 53129)

Burning Love (3:17) (Dennis Linde/BMI) (D. Linde) (Producer: Craig Leon)

Quickly becoming the premier cover band, British outfit are back with a decidedly precious version of Presley's 1972 hit. They scored last time out with Norman Greenbaum's "Spirit In The Sky" and the B-side to this single is Abba's "Waterloo."

PRINCESS (Polydor 885 885)

Red Hot (4:01) (Virgin/ASCAP) (Burton-Straker) (Producer: Richard James Burgess)

New Polydor diva debut with a sexy, sensual floor polisher.

38 SPECIAL (A&M 2955)

Back To Paradise (3:36) (Adams-Calypso Toonz/PROC-Irving/BMI-Big Tooth-Rare Blue-TCF/ASCAP) (Giraldo-Vallance-Adams) (Producers: Jim Vallance-Don Barnes)

Southern boogie basics mark 38 Special's contribution to the comedy film *Revenge Of The Nerds II*.

CHILL FACTOR (Warner Bros. 7-28364)

Conversation (3:59) (Romeo Dancer/BMI) (Chris "The Mentor" Powell-Keith Alexander) (Producers: Chris "The Mentor" Powell-John A. Bokowski, Jr.)

Trio debuts their ferocious, bottom-heavy beat music here. Very funky.

RONNIESPECTOR (Columbia 38 07300)

Love On A Rooftop (5:00) (April-Desmobile-Pending/ASCAP) (D. Child-D. Warren) (Producer: Desmond Child)

Replete with sixties wall-of-sound charm, Spector's new single promises to put her back on the charts.

PEE-WEE HERMAN (Columbia 38 09301)

Surfin' Bird (2:42) (Beechwood/BMI) (A. Frazier-C. White-J. Harris-T. Wilson, Jr.) (Producer: Gary Usher)

The captivating, looney Herman stretches his signature vocal chords on this zany novelty track from the upcoming Annette Funicello/Frankie Avalon flick *Back To The Beach*.

RECORDS TO WATCH

THE OTHER ONES (Virgin 7-99428)

Holiday (3:44) (Virgin-Nymph/BMI) (Klimek-Klimek-Hoffmann-Gottwald-Schwartz-Rusczyński) (Producer: Christopher Neil)

ROY ORBISON (Virgin 7-99434)

In Dreams (2:49) (Acuff-Rose-Opryland/BMI) (Roy Orbison) (Producers: T Bone Burnett-David Lynch)

SLY & ROBBIE (Island 7-99427)

Yes We Can Can (3:50) (Screen Gems-EMI/BMI) (A. Toussaint) (Producers: Bill Laswell-Material)

SYLVESTER (Warner Bros. 7-28284)

Sooner Or Later (4:22) (WB-Wirrick adm by WB/ASCAP) (J. Wirrick) (Producer: James "Tip" Wirrick)

FATBOYS (Tin Pan Apple 885 960)

Wipeout (3:50) (Miraleste-Robin Hood/BMI) (The Surfaris) (Producer: Albert Cabrera-Tony Moran)

NOEL (4th & B'Way/Island BWAY7439)

Silent Morning (3:55) (pub not listed) (Noel Pagan) (Producers: Roman Ricardo-Paul Robb)

THE CONWAY BROTHERS (Ichiban 87-123)

Lady In Red (3:55) (Almo/ASCAP) (Chris DeBurch) (Producers: The Conway Brothers-John Abbey-Nina Easton)

CHICK WILLIS (Ichiban 87-122)

What Am I Living For (3:43) (pub not listed) (Fred Jay-Art Harris) (Producer: Garry B.B. Coleman)

ALBUM RELEASES

OUT OF THE BOX

GRATEFUL DEAD - In The Dark - Arista AL-8452 - Producers: Jerry Garcia-John Cutler - List: 9.98 - Bar Coded

It's been a long strange wait for Dead Heads in need of a hit of new Dead studio music. The wait has been worth it, though. "In The Dark" is as satisfying a record as these guys can serve up given the confines of a studio. Generous portions of Garcia guitar and songcraft make the album shine.



OUT OF THE BOX



WETTON/MANZANERA - 24147 - Producers: John Wetton, Phil Manzanera-Kelth Bonin - List: 8.98 - Bar Coded

Wetton (Asia) and Manzanera (Roxy Music) team for this full-scale AOR blockbuster. Certain to motivate fans of both Asia and the later Roxy Music. The songs are largely optimistic pop rock material produced on a grand scale with dramatic sweeps.

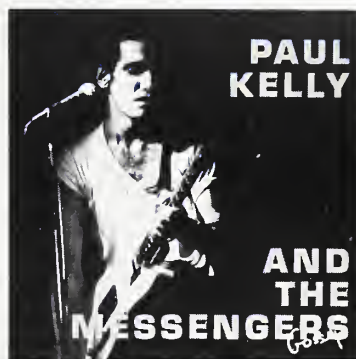
OUT OF THE BOX

STEVE GOODMAN - Unfinished Business - Red Pajamas RPJ 005 - Producers: Peter Bunetta-Rick Chudacoff-Steve Goodman-Jim Tullio - List: 8.98

The tragically shortened life of songwriter Goodman has nonetheless left a legacy of amazing songs ("The City Of New Orleans"). These collected here are those gleaned from his final years and it is fortunate they've come to light, especially for the gems "Whispering Man," "In Real Life" and "Colorado Christmas." Also included on the record are some rare live recordings



NEW AND DEVELOPING



PAUL KELLY AND THE MESSENGERS - Gossip - A&M SP 5157 - Producers: Alan Thorne-Paul Kelly - List: 8.98 - Bar Coded

Australian songwriter is guaranteed to light a fire on these shores with his intelligent, gritty U.S. debut. The songs are literate, sophisticated capsules of emotion, often delivered in a driving rock and roll, drenched in jagged guitars and Springsteen-esque conviction.

FEATURE PICKS

CRUZADOS - After Dark - Arista AL 8439 - Producers: Greg Ladanyi-Waddy Wachtel-Rodney Mills-Billy Steinberg-Tom Kelly - List: 8.98 - Bar Coded

Angelenos are ready to make their biggest splash to date with this set of lean, topically keen, insightful tunes. A commercial sheen has not watered down their essentially roots-conscious music. They get some heavyweight assistance from Don Henley, Pat Benatar, J.D. Souther *et al.*

SOUL OF THE MACHINE-THE WINDHAM HILL SAMPLER OF NEW ELECTRONIC MUSIC - Various Artists - Windham Hill WH-1700 - Producers: Will Ackerman-Dawn Atkinson-Peter Maunu-Patrick O'Hearn - List: 9.98 - Bar Coded

Windham Hill underscores its continuing evolution away from being a strictly acoustic venture here as they highlight some adventurous electronic music from various artists including Mitchel Forman, Philippe Saise and others.

FRIEDEMANN - Indian Summer - Narada Equinox N-63002 - Producers: Friedemann Witecka-Johannes Wohlleben - List: 9.98 - Bar Coded

U.S. debut by skillful German guitarist who also utilizes evocative synth textures & sounds to augment his own beautifully sculpted guitar pieces.

NATALIE COLE - Everlasting - Manhattan ST-53051 - Producers: Various - List: 8.98 - Bar Coded

"Jump Start," this LP's first single, has done just that. It is a Top 30 BC hit. Cole's LP will have its battery charged by that cut, as well as the fist full of other cookers on "Everlasting."

GO WEST - Dancing On The Couch - Chrysalis BFV 41550 - Producer: Gary Stevenson - No List - Bar Coded

Keyboard-laden and glistening funk from Brit duo who scored big last time with "We Close Our Eyes."

LIVING IN A BOX - Living In A Box - Chrysalis BFV 41547 - Producer: Richard James Burgess - No List - Bar Coded

Clean, punchy British soul *ala* Level 42 and labelmates Go West.

GRIM REAPER - Rock You To Hell - RCA 6250 - Producer: Max Norman - List: 8.98 - Bar Coded

With titles like "Rock You To Hell" and "Suck It And See," it is unlikely Grim Reaper will reap much airplay with this one. But no worry. Word travels fast among metal's mavins and this one could score heavy sales on the strength of its no frills HM orthodoxy: crunching guitars, thunder drums, screaming vocals.

COVER GIRLS - Show Me - Fever SFS 004 - Producers: Various - List: 8.98 - Bar Coded

Indie dance floor sensations release their debut LP and it is start to finish dance music extravaganza.

LIME SPIDERS - The Cave Comes Alive! - Virgin 90618 - Producer: David Price - List: 8.98 - Bar Coded

This is dense, throbbing, but articulate, rock from Australia. Includes the frantic thrill of "Just One Solution."

GREAT WHITE - Once Bitten - Capitol ST-12565 - Producers: Niven-Lardie-Kendall - List: 8.98 - Bar Coded

L.A.'s Great White have a knack for melodic, smart metal, that mellows in places before grinding to guitar-wailing climaxes. Includes the possible CHR cut, "Rock Me."

CLAUDJA BARRY-I, Claudia-Epic BFE 40622-Producers: Jurgen Korduletsch-Joerg Evers-No List-Bar Coded

A fixture at dance clubs with her string of indie 12"s, Barry's major label debut is a tantalizing collection of floor polishers.

RECORDS TO WATCH

VAL YOUNG - Private Conversations - Amherst AMH 3314 - Producer: Rick James - List: 8.98 - Bar Coded

HURRAH! - Tell God I'm Here - Kitchenware/Arista AL-8489 - Producer: Gil Norton - List: 8.98 - Bar Coded

DAVID LANZ & PAUL SPEER - Natural States - Narada Equinox N-63001 - Producers: David Lanz-Paul Speer - List: 9.98 - Bar Coded

THE MIGHTY LEMON DROPS - Out Of Hand - Sire 25595 - Producers: The Mighty Lemon Drops-Pete Brown-Ted Sharp-Noel Thompson - List: 6.98 - Bar Coded

THE WITCHES OF EASTWICK - Original Motion Picture Soundtrack - Warner Bros. 25607 - Producer: John Williams - List: 9.98 - Bar Coded

TRANCE DANCE - A Ho Ho - Epic BFE 40865 - Producers: Trance Dance-Paul Inder - No List - Bar Coded

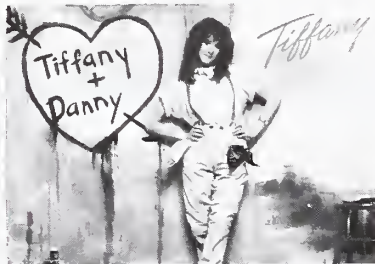
KID CREOLE AND THE COCONUTS - I, Too, Have Seen The Woods - Sire 25579 - Producer: August Darnell - List: 8.98 - Bar Coded

PATRICK MORAZ - Human Interface - Cinema/Capitol ST-12558 - Producer: Patrick Moraz - List: 8.98 - Bar Coded

STEVE JONES - Mercy - MCA 42006 - Producer: Bob Rose - List: 8.98 - Bar Coded

ICE-T - Rhyme Pays - Sire 25602 - Producer: Afrika Islam - List: 8.98 - Bar Coded

THEEN MALL QUEEN MCA Records is ecstatic about the first two stops on new artist Tiffany's tour of our nation's shopping malls. This sharp young singer (14 years old!?) is wowing them everywhere she goes, belting out tunes from her self-titled debut LP like the single "Danny." So far, sales and traffic at the tied-in retailers indicate a tremendous success.



The weekend-only tour commenced June 26 at the Bergen Mall in Paramus N.J., where the local Record Town outlet sold out of all Tiffany LPs, cassettes, and singles. The next weekend found our young heroine in upstate New York, and the Record World there sold over 100 albums. According to Harold Sulman, vice president of sales for MCA, "we've done two shows so far and they've both been extremely successful. It's doing great for something that has no airplay."

The tour will continue all summer long, with stops in Detroit, Chicago, Minneapolis, Denver, San Francisco, and Los Angeles among others.

Three shows are being done at each mall (Friday night, Saturday and Sunday), and with thirty malls on the agenda, it appears young Tiffany will be a busy lady well into the fall. Major retailers in on the project include Musicland and Warehouse.

If you are a retailer and you have signed up for this unique show, be prepared for some serious customer flow. Note: even the P.O.P. material (posters) is going over big. MCA is attempting to transfer this newfound success to the airwaves, as yet unwilling to take a chance on the unknown singer. "We're really going to work to try to get this information passed over to radio," Sulman confided to *Shop Talk*. "We want to get them involved."

RACK JOBBERS UPDATE - The 1987 NARM Rack Jobbers Conference will take place in beautiful, sunny Palm Springs, California over October 26-28. Conference chairman Mario DeFilippo of the Handleman Company plans to deal with many different issues this year, including the cassette single, CD packaging, CD Video, and DAT. Also, there will be an increased emphasis this year on home video, coinciding with the ever-expanding influence of this format on retailers everywhere. The third day of the conference will focus on the video front, with a keynote speech by Cy Leslie, former chairman of the MGM/UA Home Entertainment Group, and currently chairman of Leslie Group,

Inc. Jay Berman, president of the RIAA, will keynote the overall conference. With all these technological advancements coming down the pike in the coming months, retailers need to stay abreast of all new developments, and this "working" conference is a great way to do just that.

ULTIMATE CDs - Rykodisc has announced a summertime promo in conjunction with Tower Records and Sony to push their successful **Jimi Hendrix Experience**, "Live At Winterland" CD. The promo will award Sony D-10 and D-3 Discman players, Rykodisc CD samplers, and subscriptions to *Pulse!*, Tower's music mag, to entrants who can successfully answer the Hendrix trivia question in the July issue of *Pulse!*. Winners will be selected at random by Sony in N.Y.C.

And speaking of the Hendrix CD, Ryko has issued 10,000 units in a special gold configuration to celebrate

breaking the 50,000 sales barrier in only two months. The gold discs will be packaged to retailers in a 6 x 12 package affixed with a gold star to denote the special disc. According to Ryko, this "Live At Winterland" CD is the largest-selling CD-only release in history.

NEW FOR NEW AGE FANS - New age music has been selling like hotcakes in many markets this year, and now consumers will have three more titles to choose from. Global Pacific Records, through their distribution deal with CBS Records, is now offering three classic albums previously unavailable in regular retail outlets: Ben Tavera King's "Desert Dreams," Georgia Kelly's "Scapeace," and Bob Kindler's "Waters of Life." Some of these selections are being issued for the first time in the compact disc mode.

Rob Yardumian



BAD ANIMALS IN THE MOTOR CITY - Len Mardeusz (l), Capitol Records' special accounts manager in Detroit, is shown handing an autographed picture of Heart to Harmony House Records and Tapes owner Carl Thom. The hard-rockin' quintet is spending their summer in our nation's hotels and sports arenas in support of their latest LP, "Bad Animals."

CASH BOX TOP 40 COMPACT DISCS

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1 WHITNEY HOUSTON (Arista ARCD-5732)	1	6	10 WHITE SNAKE WHITE SNAKE (Geffen 24099-2)	13	13	21 INVISIBLE TOUCH GENESIS (Atlantic 816412)WEA	25	51
2 SGT. PEPPERS LONLEY HEARTS CLUB BAND BEATLES (Capitol 27479-2)CAP	2	7	11 RUBBER SOUL BEATLES (Capitol CDP-46440)	9	10	22 SLIPPERY WHEN WET BON JOVI (Mercury/PolyGram 830 264-2)POL	10	31
3 THE JOSHUA TREE U2 (Island 2-90581)	3	16	12 REVOLVER BEATLES (Capitol CDP-46441)	12	10	23 THE WAY IT IS BRUCE HORNSBY AND THE RANGE (RCA PCD 1-8058)RCA	26	34
4 DUOTONES KENNY G (Arista ARCD 8427)	4	16	13 STRONG PERSUADER ROBERT CRAY (Mercury/PolyGram 830 568-2)POL	16	22	24 SOLITUDE STANDING SUZANNE VEGA (A&M CD-5136)	29	10
5 BAD ANIMALS HEART (Capitol CDP-46676)	5	4	14 LIVE AT WINTERLAND THE JIMI HENDRIX EXPERIENCE (Rykodisc RCD 20038)	17	6	25 NEVER LET ME DOWN DAVID BOWIE (EMI America 46677)	27	9
6 GRACELAND PAUL SIMON (Warner Bros. 2-25447) WEA	6	39	15 ONE VOICE BARBRA STREISAND (Columbia CK 40788)	14	9	26 CROWDED HOUSE (Capitol CDP 12485)	18	12
7 TANGO IN THE NIGHT FLEETWOOD MAC (Warner Bros. 25471-2)WEA	7	11	16 SAMMY HAGAR (Geffen 24099-2)	23	2	27 COLLABORATION GEORGE BENSON/EARL KLUGH (Warner Bros. 2-25580)	DEBUT	
8 BACK IN THE HIGH LIFE STEVE WINWOOD (Island/Warner Bros. 25448-2)WEA	8	47	17 RADIO K.A.O.S. ROGER WATERS (Columbia CK 40795)	21	2	28 INTO THE FIRE BRYAN ADAMS (A&M CD 3907)RCA	28	14
9 KISS ME, KISS ME KISS ME THE CURE (Elektra 2-60737)	11	3	18 GIRLS, GIRLS, GIRLS MOTLEY CRUE (Elektra 60752-2)	19	4	29 SO PETER GABRIEL (Geffen 24088)	32	53
			19 RAPTURE ANITA BAKER (Elektra 60444-2)WEA	24	25	30 HELP! BEATLES (Capitol CDP-46439)	15	10
			20 LOUDER THAN BOMBS THE SMITHS (Sire/Warner Bros. 2-25569)	22	3			
						31 LET ME UP (I'VE HAD ENOUGH) TOM PETTY AND THE HEARTBREAKERS (MCA 27479-2)MCA	30	7
						32 TRIO DOLLY PARTON, LINDA RONSTADT, EMMYLOU HARRIS (Warner Bros. 2-25491)WEA	20	17
						33 AUGUST ERIC CLAPTON (Warner Bros. 25476-2)	33	13
						34 LOOK WHAT THE CAT DRAGGED IN POISON (Enigma CDE-73202)	34	9
						35 CLOSE TO THE BONE THOMPSON TWINS (Arista ARCD-8449)	35	12
						36 DEAD LETTER OFFICE R.E.M. (I.R.S./A&M CD70054)	36	8
						37 COMING AROUND AGAIN CARLEY SIMON (Arista ARCD-8443)	37	9
						38 CONTROL JANET JACKSON (A&M CD 3905)	38	11
						39 A CHANGE OF HEART DAVID SANBORN (Warner Bros. 27479-2)WB	39	18
						40 MEN AND WOMAN SIMPLY RED (Elektra 2-60727)WEA	40	15

THE CASH BOX TOP 40 COMPACT DISCS CHART IS BASED ON SOLELY ON ACTUAL PIECES SOLD AT RETAIL STORES.



BACKSTAGE SUNSHINE—The members of Duran Duran, who license their music through ASCAP in the USA, performed at New York's Madison Square Garden last week in support of their current "Notorious" album. On hand to greet them backstage was ASCAP public relations manager Ken Sunshine. Pictured are (l-r): John Taylor, Sunshine, Nick Rhodes, and Simon LeBon

Friesen Performs For Soviet Dignitaries

LOS ANGELES—Global Pacific recording artist David Friesen was the only non-classical American musician invited to play for a large group of visiting Soviet dignitaries who were in Vancouver, Washington June 20 to celebrate the 50th Anniversary of the first trans-polar flight, accomplished by a Russian crew when they landed there on that date in 1937.

Bassist Friesen performed his own compositions with guitarist John

Stowell at a reception for retired General Georgibaidukov (the only surviving crew member), family members of the crew, the Soviet Ambassador to the United States, the Soviet Consul General, members of Soviet Parliament and a Soviet Cosmonaut.

Friesen was invited to perform because he had toured the U.S.S.R. in 1984 with a small American jazz group (along with Stowell and Paul Horn) performing in Moscow and Leningrad.

New Music Seminar (continued from page 6)

Bad Brains and the Circle Jerks. Across the river at Maxwells' in Hoboken, Robyn Hitchcock, newly signed to A&M, gives a solo acoustic show. Also of note: Boston's O Positive at the Bitter End, Australia's The Saints at the Cat Club, and ex-Mission Of Burma's Roger Miller at the Knitting Factory.

TUESDAY, JULY 14 TOP SHOWS: A quadruple bill at the Cat Club featuring Steve Earle, K.D. Lang and The Reclines, Dave Alvin, and Mark Brine is a must-see. Earle's second MCA album, "Exit Zero," came across well when he performed it last fall at the Bottom Line, and Lang, who mixes country with performance art, is a sight and sound wonder. Arrive early to see how Alvin fares without the Blasters.

Restless and Celluloid also have showcases that night, at Nirvana and CBGBs respectively. At Nirvana is the debut N.Y. performance by The Flaming Lips, whose "Hear It Is" album is more than amazing, on a bill with the Dead Milkmen, and The Wipers, who are on tour for the first time in ten years. The Celluloid show features The Royal Crescent Mob, The Splatscats, Secret Service, and The Toasters, one of the best ska bands since The Specials.

Also of note: Joe Ely at the Lone Star with Webb Wilder and The Beat-necks, whose album, "It Came From

Nashville" (Landslide), is one of the year's best indie debuts; Mojo Nixon at Maxwells' with the Chesterfield Kings; and Dramarama and Figures On A Beach at The Tunnel.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 15.

TOP SHOWS: This final night of the Seminar is so crazed, so overloaded with gigs that you could probably stop into any bar in town and hear a great band. Best bet is to catch Marti Jones and Don Dixon's early show at the Bottom Line and then head to the Ritz for the first New York performance by That Petrol Emotion, who have released their first Polydor album, "Babble." Also on the Petrol bill are Capitol's New Model Army, and Warner Bros.'s Jane's Addiction. Flesh For Lulu is booked but may not show because of visa problems.

Or you might want to check out The Cult's benefit concert for Amnesty International at the Felt Forum and then swing out to Maxwells' for a heady triple bill featuring Zeitgeist, Wednesday Week, and The Wild Seeds. If you do any of the above, you'll still feel guilty about missing: John Zorn at the Knitting Factory; rapper Schoolly-D at 1018; shock-rockers Skinny Puppy at the Kitchen; Buster Poindexter at the Tunnel; folkie Michelle Shocked at the Lone Star; Pianosaurus at Spacacasy; True West at CBGB; the Wygals at the Bitter End; and (again) Mojo Nixon at the Manhattan Brewery.

Reconsidering Warren Zevon

By Paul Iorio

NEW YORK — Reconsidering Warren Zevon is not such a bad idea considering that his first album in five years, "Sentimental Hygiene" (Virgin), is his best studio record since '78's "Excitable Boy." It's kind of like Zevon's "Blood On The Tracks" or "Blue Mask," a welcome return to form by an artist everyone had left for wounded years ago.

But, as he sings on the brooding "Boom Boom Mancini," "the name of the game is be hit and hit back," and he hits back hard on this album. Flat-out rockers like "Bad Karma" and "Detox Mansion" boom like nothing he's done since "Stand In The Fire," and the ballads, "Reconsider Me" and (especially) "The Heartache," haven't sounded this good since "Accidentally Like A Martyr." On this LP, Zevon looks back on the "mad love, shadow love, random love, and abandoned love" of the '70's and says "reconsider me."

Like I said, it's not such a bad idea. Zevon's not only got the songs but the backing players to match: Bill Berry, Mike Mills and Peter Buck of R.E.M. accompany him on most of the tracks; and Bob Dylan, George Clinton, Neil Young, Jennifer Warnes, Brian Setzer, and Don Henley take star turns. Zevon calls the mix "heavy metal folk."

Indeed, it was in folk music that Zevon got his first big break, as keyboardist for the Everly Brothers in the late sixties. Prior to that he had had assorted gigs: writing jingles for Young and Rubicam (fired for insubordination), writing the flip-side ("Like The Seasons") to the Turtles' "Happy Together," contributing "She Quit Me, Man" to the film *Midnight Cowboy*, and performing as a solo artist.

By the mid-seventies, Zevon, then living in Spain, was persuaded by pal Jackson Browne to return to the U.S. to make a solo record. He did, and the result was the critically acclaimed "Warren Zevon," four songs of which Linda Ronstadt covered on her "Hasten Down The Wind" album in '76.

Top ten success followed with "Excitable Boy" LP and its single "Werewolves of London," which has recently been revived through its inclusion on "The Color Of Money" soundtrack and a newly released "Best Of Warren Zevon" collection from Asylum. But Zevon's career was derailed by alcoholism, for which he was treated in '78, and it was two years before he rebounded with "Bad Luck Streak In Dancing School" and the live "Stand In The Fire." After '82's "The Envoy," Zevon took a break from recording, and last year embarked on a solo tour that featured many of the songs later included on the "Sentimental Hygiene" album.

In this interview, Zevon talks about his past work, "Sentimental Hygiene," and the road ahead.

CB: How did "Werewolves Of London" come about?

ZEVON: The way it was written was that Phil Everly said to me, "I'm doing another solo album" — which shows you about how long ago it was — "I'm doing another solo album, why don't you guys write me a song, write me a dance song like the werewolves of London" — which was like a non sequitur kind of, it was the beginning of the whole thing. I didn't ask him what he meant, I just said, "okay," and LeRoy (Marinell) was playing the guitar part that is essentially all the music in the song. Waddy (Wachtel) walked in and said what are you doing? And we said, "we're doing the werewolves of London." And he said, "you mean, ahoooo werewolves of London?" And we said, "that's right," and we wrote the song in the next ten minutes or so. I think if only I could be known for my most sensitive and intellectual composition. It may be the fact that we didn't think we were changing world culture or improving civilization or anything, which is why people always seem to enjoy it the most.

CB: Was "Lawyers, Guns And Money" another ten minute thing?

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\$100,000 DONATION—Capitol's Anne Murray recently donated \$100,000 to Springhill Nova Scotia's All Saint's Hospital Building Fund. Murray's hometown hospital is undergoing a 12 million dollar renovation and upgrading - 2.5 million of which the town plans to raise on its own. The donation was made in the memory of her father, the late Dr. J. Carson Murray, who served as a surgeon, member of the hospital board, president of the medical staff and chief of staff during his years at All Saint's. Pictured (l-r): Doug Madison, chairman of the board, All Saint's Hospital; Bill Gilbert, chief executive officer, All Saint's Hospital; Marion Murray (Anne's mother); and Anne Murray.

UP ON VINE STREET, just outside the Capitol Records Tower, is where recording vet Steve Miller gets his star in the pavement Monday, July 14 at 12:30 pm. (The Capitol Tower, in case you've never seen it, was built to resemble a stack of singles with a stylized stylus on top. An architectural marvel, to be sure. There's a fascinating sequence in the movie *Earthquake* in which all the awnings of the circular 13-story building fall off and go crashing to the ground ... but that's another story). Anyhow, Steve Miller gets his star outside the place this week, in honor of the Milwaukee native's 20-year recording history.



MILLER TIME—Capitol's Steve Miller gets a star on Hollywood's Walk of Fame this week.

AND SPEAKING OF CAPITOL, if you're waiting for Tina Turner to hit the L.A. basin, the western leg of her U.S. tour doesn't even get under way until October 2, when she makes it to the Pacific Amphitheatre in Orange County. L.A., San Diego, Oakland and Sacramento are sure to follow, though no word as to when just yet.

THE KING, REMASTERED—RCA Records is issuing four digitally remastered Elvis Presley records this month, including several recently discovered tracks from an early Sun Records recording session. The four-album package, called the "Elvis Presley Commemorative Issue," arrives in time for the 10th anniversary of his death (August 17). The issue includes two releases of historic recording dates (both of them double albums), the first being "The Complete Sun Sessions, featuring Presley's first major Sun recording date, and including new (to most of us) versions of "I Love You Because" and "I'm Left, She's Right." The tracks were discovered by digital remastering supervisor Gregg Galler during production of the releases. The second session record is "The Memphis Record," culled from a 1969 "comeback" recording date at American Studios in Memphis. The next two releases chronicle Presley's phenomenal list of #1 and top 10 hits (the guy had 18 #1 hits, 38 top 10's!) - the single-album "The Number One Hits" and the double "The Top Ten Hits" album. Elvis fans are sure to appreciate the cover art of these releases, three of which, "The Top

Ten Hits," "The Number One Hits," and "The Complete Sun Sessions," make use of rare photos of the King. Naturally, the albums will be available in all formats (one of them, "The Top Ten Hits," is a double CD), and obtainable through mail order is an audio cassette montage of Presley interviews. The tape is entitled "Elvis Talks!"... We assumed he could speak. We *know* he could sing.

FOUR CRAZZEE DUDES—"Live, Love, Larf & Loaf," on Rhino Records, is the recent release from original Captain Beefheart drummer John French, Henry Cow founder Fred Frith, experimental guitarist Henry Kaiser and guitarist/songwriter and Fairport Convention founding member Richard Thompson. The album ranges from original Kurt Weil-sounding stuff to a cover of Chuck Berry's "Surfin' USA," to give you a hint. An odd and strangely intriguing record from the bay area, not to be missed.



CHACON & SBK—Columbia's Eddie Chacon has signed with SBK Entertainment World for production and co-publishing worldwide. Pictured are (l-r): Chacon, SBK president Charles Koppelman, and SBK creative director Victoria Clare.

IN PARTING—I.R.S. Records is looking for rock musicians to take part in a new album series. Entitled "No Speak," the idea was hatched by label head Miles Copeland, who plans four instrumental albums for late 1987, featuring the music of accomplished, but unharalded (for age, lack of a singing voice, or a top 40, single-oriented sensibility, usually - reasons that have caused many of the best rock players to be overlooked, Copeland feels). Those who fit the description should send tapes to: No Speak, c/o I.R.S. Records, 100 Universal City Plaza, Bldg. 422, Universal City, CA 91608 ... L.A. rock outfit (and back-up band for Angela Bowie) Il Culto makes it to the Coconut Teaser in West Hollywood July 14 at midnight, featuring Dickies and Fear alumnus Lorenzo Buhne on bass. The band is recording an album at Village Recorders.

Gregory Dobrin



Laura Branigan Shatters A Hiatus From Recording With "Touch"

By Gregory Dobrin

LOS ANGELES—Laura Branigan's new Atlantic album, "Touch," has grit. There's plenty to dance to, several downtempo tunes, even a novelty inclusion - the 1964 Shirley Ellis hit, "The Name Game." But not only does Branigan's powerful voice display an earthiness not as evident on previous albums, there's a surprising guitar presence as well.

Has Laura Branigan gone roek? Not exactly. What she has gone for is more texture, more mystery, more of her own input, and, as the singer told *Cash Box* in a recent phone interview, "We

took more risks."

"I changed producers," she said, "and I had more involvement in this project than on all the other albums put together.

"I didn't think of it as going more rock, I just wanted to get more of a sound that I felt was me, rather than something that was placed upon me. I wanted to be the creator."

The new producer she speaks of is David Kershenbaum, producer of such wide ranging artists as Joe Jackson and Supertramp ... and now Branigan. "David seems to be the kind of

NEW FACES TO WATCH

Stan Campbell

Stan Campbell's debut solo album for Elektra Records is an invigorating and eclectic pastiche of musical styles, with influences ranging from reggae and calypso to the strobe-lit dance scene. The music, and Campbell's husky, emotive vocal delivery, engage the heart and mind as well as moving the feet. It is an extremely strong first record, but then, Stan Campbell is not a new artist.

He hails from Coventry, England, a working class town of mixed ethnic diversity. Coventry has an interesting social and economic background: in the 1950's, car makers imported into England immigrant workers from the West Indies, to work the assembly lines at cheap labor costs. Later, the British economy suffered a terrible drought, factories closed one after

another, and the black and white societies were forced together by unemployment and poverty.

This racial integration led to the development of the "two-tone sound" unique to England, and Campbell soon found himself in the middle of the



producer who is like a chameleon - he can adapt himself to the artist. He seemed to be tuned in to what I wanted."

Kershenbaum produced nine of the album's eleven tunes. For the two remaining songs - two of the album's most danceable - Branigan found herself recording in England with the dance powerhouse writing/production team of Mike Stock, Matt Aitkin and Peter Waterman (Mel & Kim, Bananarama, etc.). "We'd just about finished the album in L.A.," recalls Branigan, "and we stepped back and took a look at it, and I thought I'd really like to have something that would come out of the clubs - a nice summer dance song, because I took some time between albums this time, and I thought that would be the best way to come out fresh, you know?"

Out of the blue, Pete Waterman called Atlantic president Doug Morris (a guiding force behind the entire project) with a song he thought perfect for Branigan. The tune, written by Bob Mitchell and Steve Coe, was "Shattered Glass," a sharp, sparkling pop tune, and the album's first single. Branigan then recorded another infectious cut with the Brits, "Whatever I Do," penned by Stock and Aitkin.

And while dance oriented material does have an impact on the album as a whole, there are also the rock guitar riffs of Mark Leggett and Bob Marlette (respectively) on such tunes as "Spirit of Love," written by Rick Nowels, Ellen Shipley and Billy Steinberg, and the album's title tune, written by Sue Shifrin and Bob Marlette. And then there are the vocals, several of which reveal more gravel than most listeners are accustomed to from Branigan.

"I just went for the feeling that was instinctive to me, and I guess it does come with a bit more edge, not quite so slick," she says of the grittier sound.

"Touch" is Branigan's fifth album, and her first in nearly two years (her most recent was "Hold Me," released in 1985). The time wasn't spent on the sidelines. Aside from preparing "Touch," which was six months in recording, Branigan spent seven

months in Australia filming her second film, *Backstage* (her first was *Mugsy's Girls*, with the late Ruth Gordon), from the writer of *Breaker Morant*, in which she plays a struggling actress.

The role is not far from home. Branigan was a struggling singer/actress herself, once, who left her native upstate New York to study drama in Manhattan upon her graduation from high school. Landing a job as back-up vocalist for a European tour with Canadian poet/recording artist Leonard Cohen, she then returned to New York, where Atlantic chairman Ahmet Ertegun spotted her singing at New York's Reno Sweeney.

Gold albums followed, and hit singles, including her #1 tune, "Gloria." (The song proved to be The Single That Wouldn't Die in 1982-83, hitting the *Cash Box* pop singles chart in early July 1982, and staying there until February of the following year). She's had songs on the hugely successful *Flashdance* and *Ghostbusters* soundtracks, been nominated for a Grammy (Best Pop Vocal for "Gloria"), and won the Grand Prize at the Tokyo Music Festival ("The Lucky One").

A video for "Shattered Glass" was recently completed in New York. Directed by Larry Jordan of Calhoun Productions, the clip is Branigan's first non-storylined video, featuring performance shots interspersed with imagery (such as Branigan jumping through a pane of glass. "I couldn't wait!," she recounts with a mischievous giggle, "It was sugar glass, but they say it's still dangerous.").

A tour in support of the album will be planned in August, with national dates expected to commence in September.

In the meantime, with new management and more overall creative involvement in what she does, "Touch" rings in a new era in Branigan's career. "Everything is more me," she says. "I've finally taken over my life, and I've decided to make all my own decisions from now on. It works best."

and produced the lion's share of the material, with Stewart Levine (Simply Red's "Picture Book") producing two cuts. Campbell, along with his lead vocal duties, also displays his versatility by taking guitar, bass, and percussion chores as well. The initial single, "Years Go By," is a haunting, spare arrangement that enjoyed some multi-format radio acceptance upon its initial release.

The cover songs that Campbell has chosen to include are interesting: "Crawfish," originally performed by Elvis Presley; the Animals' 60's classic "Don't Let Me Be Misunderstood"; and Billie Holiday's "Strange Fruit." Of the latter, Campbell says "Billie Holiday was the best, and this song is my way of paying tribute to her."

One listen to this scintillating debut record should cause critics and fans alike to pay deserved tribute to Stan Campbell for quite a while to come.

Rob Yardumian

IT'S NEW MUSIC Seminar week and that means certain things are bound to happen. Someone on the artists panel will invariably show up drunk. Eight bands will claim they invented punk. A token ultra-conservative will stick up for censorship. A slightly mentally ill songwriter will shout down an A&R panelist.

There will be crackpot theories ("The C.I.A. controls music video"), cynical viewpoints ("It's all politics"), condescending speeches with something vaguely shocking in them ("In ten years, four out of five of you will be pumping gas in Altoona"), and a sure-fire cure for insomnia ("The International Publishers Debate: The European Centralized Accounting Controversy," aka the Snoozatorium).

Promo people will say you've got "to take chances." Rack jobbers will say you've got "to take chances." Marriott bartenders will say "you've got to take chances." But few will ("Too risky").

Other things that will be said: "There's always the luck factor," "The Seminar is a sell out," "Sex sells," "Radio won't play it," "Why didn't you invite me?"

Most used Seminar phrases: "cutting edge," "roots consciousness," "leading edge," "mainstream viability," "independent interfacing," "no, I won't go to bed with you."

A brief glossary for the Seminar:

1. "Exhibition Area," n. Bar. 2. "Trendy," adj. the album is too expensive; cannot score a promo copy. 3. "Maverick," n. unemployed. 4. "Mogul," n. last year's maverick. 5. "Passe," adj. friends bought record before you did. 6. "Revenue neutral," v. No, I won't go to bed with you. 7. "Grassroots," adj. revenue neutral. 8. "Cutting Edge," adj. see maverick. 9. "New music," n. old music. 10. "Interface," v. jump your bones.

Get ready for three days of peace, love, and panel discussions. And see you at the exhibition area.

real time. In fact, the most remarkable thing about the concert was that the band was able to sound just like its records, even if it did come off a bit muddy at times.



ZORN AND MORRICONE - John Zorn plays a New Music Seminar show at the Knitting Factory July 15. Zorn played with the music of Ennio Morricone (r) and came up with one of the most original albums of '86.

The muddiness was fatal in some cases, particularly on "More Than A Feeling" and "Cool The Engines," which rely on a clearly-defined power chording that was largely absent here. The audience didn't seem to mind though. After playing about a half hour of greatest hits from its first two albums, Boston did "Third Stage" (MCA) from beginning to end, and the crowd called the band back for more. The best song of the evening was one of its least fussed over tunes, "Something About You," which was straight-up power pop without the six-years-in-the-making pretension of their other stuff. Except for that song, Boston didn't let loose much or stray from the seventies rock that will probably enthrall audiences well into the nineties. Opening was Warner Bros.'s *Fahrenheit*.

JENNIFER RUSH's new album, "Heart Over Mind" (Epic), features a duet with Elton John called "Flames Of Paradise." The song is a hit for Rush, who is just beginning to achieve the kind of U.S. success she's had in Europe, where her albums have moved eight million units over the years.

Rush met John last year when they were both doing *Top Of The Pops* in London. "I was number one in England and he was number two," says Rush. "I didn't know this at the time but our dressing rooms were one right next to the other. I had a cassette with me, I was singing and I was by myself and just amusing myself between rehearsals on the show. And he said...when I heard you singing like that I thought it was great." So when I started doing the record, the guys that wrote the song and produced it asked me, 'would you be willing to sing one of our songs with Elton John?' And I said, 'yeah.'" Rush and John hit it off so well that they even did a few European gigs together. "We're getting real good at it," says Rush. "Elton is great on the shows."

Paul Iorio



HARMONY - Jennifer Rush and Elton John duet on Rush's "Flames Of Paradise," from her "Heart Over Mind" (Epic) album.

BOSTON's show at the Meadowlands Arena (July 1) turned into an old music seminar of sorts, evoking the ghost of seventies rock and making few concessions to the eighties. Tom Scholz riffed and power-chorded like a guitar god while the green and red lights of his self-made amps flickered behind him. Brad Delp, the man with a voice not found in nature, showed everybody that he can indeed sing like that in

Coventry music scene. He first joined The Selector in the early 1980's, but it was his stint as lead vocalist for Special AKA that garnered him critical attention and acclaim. That band's 1984

The music, and Campbell's husky, emotive vocal delivery, engage the heart and mind as well as moving the feet.

European smash "Frce Nelson Mandela" featured Campbell on lead vocal, and it opened a lot of eyes and ears.

On this album, Campbell has written

THE BEAT

CLUB'S FIRECRACKER 4TH—The 4th of July 1987 was a most memorable musical explosion in Los Angeles.

Warner Bros. King Jay recording artist Club Nouveau virtually turned The Universal Amphitheater out. In less than a year this group of talented entertainers consisting of Jay King, Denzil Foster, Valerie Watson, Thomas McElroy and Samuelle Prater have skyrocketed from being unknown to one of the top recording groups in the United States, as well as the International marketplace. King, president of King Jay Records, who serves as manager for the group literally hand carried the song *Rumors* around the industry until he obtained a deal under another name, thus the subsequent birth of the hit making quintet Club Nouveau.

The concept of their show is based solely on the hit filled platinum plus selling album *Life, Love And Pain*. This is unusual because most new artist have been known to rely on singing previously recorded songs in order to maintain an audiences' attention. Such was not the case with Club Nouveau. The show was approximately an hour of fun filled entertaining showmanship that kept the audience on its' feet. In addition to the fine display of choreography the show featured some tremendous vocalizing by King, Prater and Watson, (this diminutive lady possess a phenomenal octave range, don't be surprised to hear a solo effort soon on Valerie) along with the outstanding music provided by Foster and McElroy. Speaking of solo efforts each of these talent laden individuals may partake in various projects while maintaining the group focus.

According to inside sources the next album is projected to be even bigger than the first, however there are plans for at least one more single from their debut album (*Heavy On My Mind*) to be released this month. When the show (Club Nouveau) appears in your area don't miss it, if you want to be totally entertained. Having seen a few hundred shows in my life, let me say this is a total package of fun filled entertainment.

2-TUFF-E-NUFF—Two young men with versatile musical backgrounds, several chart topping singles and a platinum plus album under their belts are two fifth (Denzil Foster and Thomas McElroy) of the hit group Club Nouveau. Foster, producer, songwriter and musician serves as president of 2-Tuff-E-Nuff Productions. Nearly all of his life, he has been playing instruments from every musical family, including Flute, Saxophone, Trumpet and Keyboards. Foster has always been attracted to songwriting and arranging. After attending USC, he started searching for a way to combine the popular, danceable rap beat with memorable lyrics and melodies.

Thomas McElroy, producer, songwriter, arranger and musician serves as vice president of 2-Tuff-E-Nuff Productions. McElroy has been playing



classical piano since he was eight years old. He has spent his life playing with musical groups in a variety of styles from jazz and raggae to be-bop and rap. A rare combination of artist and realist, McElroy majored in business at San Francisco State, while continuing to perfect his musical virtuosity and keen ability to arrange music for a variety of styles. Through their production company based in Oakland, Foster and McElroy's credits thus far are the hit single *Rumors*, Club Nouveau's album *Life, Love And Pain*, Theresa King's RCA/King Jay hit single *Last Time* from her forthcoming album *Broken Puzzle* as well as a new release by *Rappin' Duke* and some other major projects that I can't mention at this point. Foster says, "In order to be a good producer, you must have an ear for all kinds of music. You have to keep in tune with what people are buying, what's a likely hit and how to market the artists." McElroy says, "What I am doing now is an extension of the jazz improvisation I used to do." Denzil Foster and Thomas McElroy are 2-Tuff-E-Nuff Producers, destined to become G-I-A-N-T-S in the music industry.

PROTEGE WANTED—Following their performance at the BRE Conference and a recent showcase at The Polo Pub in Covina, California Protege showed why they are one of the most sought after new talents in the music industry. This eight member self contained band displays a level of high energy combined with the showmanship that can excite an audience with their energetic stage presence and refreshingly original music. The group displays enormous versatility in their respective abilities to play several different instruments.

They are firm believers in sticking together and their is no place for drugs or alcohol in this exceptionally talented group. They believe in keeping things clean and to the point. The industry is buzzing about Protege to the extent several major labels are vying for their names on the bottom line of a recording contract. Word is they will soon hold another showcase for a major label at the popular Carlos And Charlie's. For additional information regarding the dynamic group contact Ray



Miranda at 818-338-5337 or Greg Beavers at 408-998-0742.

INDUSTRY ACTIVITY - Tony Wright has been appointed program director of WJIZ. Joe Morrow will remain with Elektra as a co-national, who will get the Polygram job Joe ap-

parently turned down? Slack Johnson moves to the apple for EMI-Manhattan. Clinton Harris joins A&M in the Atlanta market. Is Jeff Foreman headed to A&R for Virgin?

BOBLONG



CLUB MEETING—Shown backstage after one of their highly successful concerts, members of Club Nouveau met with some friends. L-R Kevin Dolan, Club Nouveau's Jay King, Independent Promo Specialist David "Dr D" Robinson, Club Nouveau's Denzil Foster, Samuelle Prater and Thomas McElroy. The Club is busy with their summer tour which kicked off in Anaheim and Los Angeles, California July 3 & 4 respectively. Their show is super H-O-T!



WJLB GREET'S GREEN—During a recent promotional tour Rev Al Green (2nd from left) was joined by James Bullard of Word Records, Green, Lynn Briggs music director WJLB, ex-professional football star Fred "The Hammer" Williamson and James Alexander WJLB operations manager/program director.

BLACK CONTEMPORARY



CHICAGO WELCOMES CHERYL-Shown during a recent gathering in the windy city of Chicago are L-R Dee Hanley, program director of WJPC, Sonny Taylor, program director of WGCI, Manhattan recording artist Cheryl Lynn, Jerry Boulding, Daisy Davis music director of WBMX, and Reggie Barnes, midwest regional promotion manager, Manhattan Records.



STUDIO CONFAB-Shown during a quiet moment while mixing her new single "I'm Not Going To Let You Go", are producer/songwriter Paul Laurence and Capitol recording artist Melba Moore. Paul wrote and produced this sensational ballad.



ATLANTIC STARR VISITS WWDM-Pictured during a recent promotional tour through the Carolina area are Atlantic Starr's David Lewis WWDM Announcer David Barron; Barbara Weathers, Atlantic Starr, WWDM program director Andre Carson and Wayne Lewis of Atlantic Starr.

CASH BOX TOP BLACK CONTEMPORARY ALBUMS

Title, Artist, Label, Number, Distributor

■ = Platinum (RIAA Certified)

□ = Gold (RIAA Certified)

	L	W	O							
	W	C	C							
1 BIGGER AND DEFFER L.L. COOL J (Def Jam/Columbia FC 40793)	2	5		20 RAPTURE- ANITA BAKER (Elektra 9-60444-1)	20	68		39 ROCK THE HOUSE DJ. JAZZY JEFF AND THE FRESH PRINCE (Jive/RCA 1026-1-J)	37	22
2 WHITNEY WHITNEY HOUSTON (Arista AL-8405)	4	5		21 JONATHAN BUTLER (Jive/RCA 1032-1-J)	21	5		40 ZAGORA LOOSE ENDS (MCA-5745)	40	41
3 ONE HEARTBEAT SMOKEY ROBINSON (Motown 6626 ML)	1	16		22 DON'T DISTURB THIS GROOVE THE SYSTEM (Atlantic 81691)	23	18		41 KLYMAXX (MCA 5832)	43	32
4 JUST GETS BETTER WITH, TIME THE WHISPERS (Solar/Capitol ST-72554)	7	10		23 SHIRLEY MURDOCK! SHIRLEY MURDOCK (Elektra 9 60433)	24	34		42 SEX APPEAL GEORGIO (Motown 6229 ML)	52	12
5 JODY WATLEY (MCA 5898)	3	18		24 MARVIN SEASE (London/PolyGram 830794-1)	27	18		43 ON FIRE STETSASONIC (Tommy Bou TB 1012)	53	7
6 JUST LIKE THE FIRST-TIME FREDDIE JACKSON (Capitol ST 12495)	6	37		25 ALL BY MYSELF REGINA BELLE (Columbia BFC 40537)	50	5		44 GOT TO BE TOUGH MC SHY D (Luke Skywalker XR-1004)	46	7
7 KEEP YOUR EYE ON ME HERB ALPERT (A&M SP 5125)	5	17		26 LILLO LILLO THOMAS (Capitol ST-12450)	26	12		45 COMMIT TO LOVE HOWARD HEWETT (Elektra 60487)	45	44
8 SMOOTH SALIN' THE ISLEY BROTHERS (Warner Bros. 9 25586-1)	15	5		27 WORD UP- CAMEO (Atlanta Artists/PolyGram 830-265-1)	22	44		46 DANCING ON THE CEILING- LIONEL RICHIE (Motown 6158 ML)	42	45
9 SPANISH FLY LISA LISA AND CULT JAM (Columbia FC 40477)	9	9		28 HOT, COOL & VICIOUS SALT-N-PEPA (Next Plateau PL 1007)	29	11		47 YO! BUM RUSH THE SHOW PUBLIC ENEMY (Def Jam/Columbia BFC 49658)	47	10
10 ALL IN THE NAME OF LOVE ATLANTIC STARR (Warner Bros. 25560-1)	10	14		29 CONTROL- JANET JACKSON (A&M SP 3905)	30	74		48 SENSATIONAL STARPOINT (Elektra 60722)	44	19
11 CRUSHIN' FAT BOYS (Tin Pan Apple/Polydor 831 948-1)	13	6		30 FEMALE TROUBLE NONA HENDRYX (EMI America ST-17248)	28	10		49 WATER UNDER THE BRIDGE DENIECE WILLIAMS (Columbia FC 49486)	39	8
12 DUOTONES KENNY G (Arista AL 88427)	14	6		31 4 BY FOUR (Capitol ST 12569)	34	3		50 WATCH OUT! PATRICE RUSHEN (Arista AL-8401)	41	17
13 GIVE ME THE REASON- LUTHER VANDROSS (Epic FE 40415)	8	40		32 LET ME TOUCH YOU THE O'JAYS (Philadelphia International/EMI ST 53036)	35	4		51 STRONG PERSUADER ROBERT CRAY (Mercury/PolyGram 830 568-1)	49	25
14 IF I WERE YOU WOMAN STEPHANIE MILLS (MCA 5996)	19	4		33 LIVE CREW IS WHAT WE ARE 2 LIVE CREW (Luke Skywalker XR-100)	25	19		52 POWER LAKE SIDE (Solar/Capitol ST-72553)	48	13
15 SIGN "O" THE TIMES PRINCE (Paisley Park/Warner Bros. 25577-1)	11	13		34 LICENSED TO ILL- BEASTIE BOYS (Def Jam/Columbia BFL 40238)	31	34		53 LA LA (Arista AL 8403)	58	2
16 SURFACE (Columbia 40374)	12	15		35 RED HOT RHYTHM AND BLUES DIANA ROSS (RCA 6388-1-R)	32	7		54 VICTORY- KOOL & THE GANG (Mercury/PolyGram 830 398-1)	55	33
17 LIFE, LOVE & PAIN- CLUB NOUVEAU (Warner Bros. 9 25531-1)	16	31		36 KOOL MOE DEE (Jive/RCA 10251-J)	36	18		55 ARETHA ARETHA FRANKLIN (Arista AL-8442)	56	36
18 NAJEE'S THEME NAJEE (EMI-America ST 1724)	17	27		37 DIFFERENT DRUMMER ISLEY, JASPER, ISLEY (CBS Assoc./Epic FZ40409)	33	7		56 BRING THE BEAT BACK STEADY B (Jive/RCA 1020-J)	59	17
19 A LOT OF LOVE MELBA MOORE (Capitol ST-1247)	18	46		38 LIVING ALL ALONE PHYLLIS HYMAN (Manhattan/EMI ST-53029)	38	43		57 COLLABORATION GEORGE BENSON/EARL KLUGH (Warner Bros. 25580-1)	DEBUT	
								58 VISCIOUS RUMORS... THE ALBUM TIMEX SOCIAL CLUB (Dayna/Fantasy F9645)	51	23
								59 LOVERS BABYFACE (Solar/Capitol ST 72552)	54	4
								60 SOUL SURVIVOR AL GREEN (A&M SP 5150)	57	14
								61 TAKE IT TO THE LIMIT RAY, GOODMAN & BROWN (EMI-America ST 17235)	60	27
								62 COME SHARE MY LOVE MIKI HOWARD (Atlantic 81688)	61	26
								63 VESTA VESTA WILLIAMS (A&M SP 5118)	65	2
								64 WELCOME TO MY DREAM DEBUT IHAWATHA (Epic BFE 40355)		
								65 BEVERLY HILLS COP II (ORIGINAL MOTION PICTURE SOUNDTRACK) (MCA 6207)		
								66 THE FINER THINGS IN LIVE CHUCK STANLEY (Def Jam/ Columbia 40514)	62	11
								67 EXPOSURE EXPOSE (Arista AL 8441) Columbia 40514)	63	19
								68 BOYS NIGHT OUT FIRST CIRCLE (EMI America ST 17268)	64	7
								69 RAISING HELL- RUN D.M.C. (Profile PRO-1217)	66	59
								70 ONE FROM THE HEART JOCELYN BROWN (Jellybean/Warner Bros. 1-25445)	67	8
								71 OH, MY GOD! DOUG E. FRESH & THE GET FRESH CREW (Reality S-9649)	69	31
								72 ONE WAY XI ONE WAY (MCA 5823) BT2 = 73	68	34
								DR. C.C. CLARENCE CARTER (Ichiban 1003)	70	32
								74 BA-BOP-BOOM-BANG GRANDMASTER FLASII (Elektra 60723)	71	15
								75 THE JETS (MCA 5567) RM250	75	101

THE CASH BOX TOP 75 BLACK CONTEMPORARY ALBUM CHART IS BASED ON SOLELY ON ACTUAL PIECES SOLD AT RETAIL STORES.

CASH BOX TOP BLACK CONTEMPORARY SINGLES

THE CASH BOX BLACK CONTEMPORARY SINGLES CHART IS BASED ON A COMBINATION OF RADIO AIRPLAY AND ACTUAL PIECES SOLD AT RETAIL STORES.

Title	W	O	C	Title	W	O	C
Artist, Label, Number	L	O	C	Artist, Label, Number	L	O	C
Producer (Songwriter)	W	C		Producer (Songwriter)	W	C	
1 SMOOTH SAILIN' TONIGHT	4	9		68 LATE NIGHT HOUR	55	10	
ISLEY BROTHERS (Warner Bros. 7-28385-A)				KATHY MATHIS (Tabu/Epic ZS4-07046)			
R. Isley, R. Isley, A. Winbush (A. Winbush)				S. Hanley, S. Perry (S. Hanley, S. Perry, S. Henderson)			
2 SHOW ME THE WAY	6	11		69 DANCE ALL NIGHT	DEBUT		
REGINA BELLE (Columbia 38-07080)				DEBARGE (Stripped Horse SH 7004)			
N. Martinelli (W.Potts Jr., J. Gallow, S. Pomerantz)				C. Nasi, DeBarge (R. Benetar, H. Payne, L. Pryor, G. Senogles)			
3 I FEEL GOOD ALL OVER	1	12		70 BETTER WAY	83	2	
STEPHANIE MILLS (MCA-53056)				JAMES INGRAM (MCA 53125)			
N. Martinelli (Gabriel, A. Hardeman)				A. Cymone (A. Cymone)			
4 FAKE	9	8		71 GIRL PULLED THE DOG	75	2	
ALEXANDER O'NEAL (Tabu/Epic ZS4 07100)				GENERAL KANE (Motown 1901MF)			
J. Jam and T. Lewis (J. Harris III, T. Lewis)				M. McDowell, C. Nolan (M. McDowell, N. Whitfield Jr., M. Whitfield)			
5 I'M BAD	7	9		72 LONG TIME COMING	57	7	
L.L. COOL J (Def Jam/Columbia 7-28385-A)				READY FOR THE WORLD (MCA 53099)			
D. Pierce, D. Simon, (J. T. Smith, B. Erving, D. Pierce, D. Simon)				R.F.T.W., G. Spaniola (G. Potts, M. Riley Jr., J. Eaton)			
6 I WANNA DANCE WITH SOMEBODY (WHO LOVES ME)	3	10		73 HEAD TO TOE	63	16	
WHITNEY HOUSTON (Arista AS1-9598)				LISA LISA AND CULT JAM (Columbia 38-07008)			
N. M. Walden (Merrill, Rubican)				FULL FORCE (FULL FORCE)			
7 THE PLEASURE PRINCIPLE	12	9		74 I DON'T WANT TO LOSE YOUR LOVE	64	18	
JANET JACKSON (A&M AM-2927)				FREDDIE JACKSON (Capitol B-5680)			
M. Moir (M. Moir)				G. McFadden (McFadden, Vitali, Whitehead, McKinnon)			
8 LIES	5	13		75 YOU CAN'T STOP THE RAIN	65	13	
JONATHAN BUTLER (Jive/RCA 1038-7-JAA)				LOOSE ENDS (MCA-53060)			
B.J. Eastmond (J. Butler, J. Skinner)				N. Martinelli (McIntosh, Nichol, Eugene)			
9 I'M IN LOVE	15	9		76 711	76	3	
LILLO THOMAS (Capitol B-5698)				RAMSEY LEWIS (Columbia 38-07220)			
P. Lawrence (P. Lawrence, T. Allen)				M. Stewart (M. White, R. Smith)			
10 IF I WAS YOUR GIRLFRIEND	10	8		77 WITHOUT YOU	66	8	
PRINCE (Paisley Park/Warner Bros. 7-28334-A)				TOUCH (Supertronics RYS017)			
Prince (Prince)				Touch (E. McCain)			
11 STILL A THRILL	2	12		78 MAKING LOVE IN THE RAIN	DEBUT		
JODY WATLEY (MCA 53081)				HERB ALPERT (A&M AM 2949)			
A. Cymone, David Z. (A. Cymone, J. Watley)				J. Jam, T. Lewis (J. Jam, T. Lewis)			
12 WANT YOU FOR MY GIRL FRIEND	11	12		79 POUR IT ON	79	3	
4 BY FOUR (Capitol B5690)				MASON (Elektra 7-69471)			
C. Jackson, C. Dixon (C. Jackson, C. Dixon)				K. Williams Jr. (K. Williams Jr., T. Mason)			
13 THIGH RIDE	17	9		80 ROAD DOG	74	8	
TAWATHA (Epic 34-07117)				BLAKE & HINES (Motown 1893MF)			
J. Mturne (J. Mturne, T. Agee)				P. Ring & T. Eaton (C. Blake)			
14 I REALLY DIDN'T MEAN IT	22	6		81 RESCUE ME	81	4	
LUTHER VANDROSS (Epic 34-07201)				FAMILY DREAM (Motown 1894MF)			
L. Vandross, M. Miller (L. Vandross, M. Miller)				Dreamteam (R. Pardee, M. Perison, V. Brooks)			
15 JAM TONIGHT	23	5		82 I KNOW YOU GOT SOUL	70	7	
FREDDIE JACKSON (Capitol B-44037)				ERIC B. AND RAKIM (4th & B'way)			
P. Laurence (F. Jackson, P. Laurence)				Eric B., Rakim (Eric B., Rakim)			
16 JUMP START	27	6		83 A TOUCH OF JAZZ	71	7	
NATALIE COLE (Manhattan/EMI B-50073)				D.J. JAZZY JEFF AND THE FRESH PRINCE (Jive/RCA 1042-7)			
R. Calloway, V. Calloway (R. Calloway, V. Calloway)				D. Goodman, L. Goodman (D. Goodman, L. Goodman)			
17 FALLING IN LOVE	18	7		84 SPRING LOVE	DEBUT		
FAT BOYS (Tin Pan Apple/Polydor 885 766-7)				COVER GIRLS (Fever/Sutra SF 816)			
V. Gibbs, E. Elektrik (Robinson, Wimley, Morales, Gibbs, Sainsbury)				R. J. Burgess (P. Gurvitz, N. Trevisick)			
18 SATISFIED	16	9		85 NO ONE IN THE WORLD	DEBUT		
DONNA ALLEN (21/Atco 90548-1)				ANITA BAKER (Elektra 7-69456)			
L. Pace (L. Pace, D. Allen, W. English)				M. Sharron, G. Skardina (Hirsh, Sharron)			
19 MIXED UP WORLD	20	9		86 SONGBIRD	85	15	
TIMEX SOCIAL CLUB (Dayna/Fantasy D-274)				KENNY G. (Arista 1-9573)			
J. Logan (M. Marshall)				P. Glass (Kenny G.)			
20 DIRTY LOOKS	14	9		87 I.O.U. ME	DEBUT		
DIANA ROSS (RCA 5172-7-RAA)				B.B. & C.C. WINAN (Capitol B-400)			
T. Dowd (Scher, Golden)				K. Thomas (Winans, Thomas, Sprague, Rapp, Herby)			
21 TINA CHERRY	26	9		88 TESTIFY	86	8	
GEORGIO (Motown 1892 MF)				SCHERRIE PAYNE (Superstar Int'l 7-W. Henderson (A. Woodson, O. Williams))			
Georgio (Georgio)				89 SECRET AFFAIR	DEBUT		
22 ONE HEARTBEAT	28	6		CLAUDJA BARRY (Epic 34-07198)			
SMOKEY ROBINSON (Motown 1897 MF)				J. Korduletsch, J. Evers (J. Korduletsch, C. Barry)			
P. Bunetta, R. Chudacoff (S. LeGassick, B. Ray)				90 WHATEVER SATISFIES YOU	DEBUT		
23 DON'T BLOW A GOOD THING	21	10		JOCELYN BROWN (Warner Bros. 7-28322)			
VESTA WILLIAMS (A&M AM-2926)				91 D.Y.B.O.	84	10	
B. Loren, B. Valentine (B. Loren)				STARPOINT (Elektra 7-69467)			
24 ROCK-A-LOTT	24	9		L. Jobe, P. Glass (E. Phillips)			
ARETHA FRANKLIN (Arista AS1-9574)				92 DON'T TAKE YOUR LOVE AWAY	78	9	
N. M. Walden (Walden, Johnson, Glass)				THE O'JAYS (P.I.R./Manhattan B-50067)			
25 IF YOU WERE MINE	31	6		K. Gamble, L. Huff (Gamble, Huff, Gilbert)			
CHERYL LYNN (Manhattan/EMI B-50074)				93 UNDER THE BOARDWALK	72	5	
C. Lynn, C. Sturken, E. Rogers (Sturken, Rogers, Smith)				BRUCE WILLIS (Motown 1896MF)			
26 LET'S TALK IT OVER	33	6		R. Kraft, (R. Kraft, K. Young)			
VANEESSE THOMAS (Geffen/Warner Bros. 7-28365-A)				94 BACK AND FORTH	87	17	
E. Poccia, V. Thomas, W. Warnecke (V. Thomas, E. Poccia)				CAMEO (Atlanta Artists/PolyGram 888 385-7)			
27 DIAMONDS	13	14		L. Blackmon (K. Kendrick, T. Jenkins, N. Lefantant, L. Blackmon)			
HERB ALPERT (A&M AM-2929)				95 8TH WONDER OF THE WORLD	88	16	
J. Jam, T. Lewis (J. Jam, T. Lewis)				ISLEY, JASPER, ISLEY (CBS Associated/Epic ZS4-07018)			
28 ONE LOVER AT A TIME	35	5		Isley, Jasper, Isley (E. Isley, C. Jasper, M. Isley)			
ATLANTIC STARR (Warner Bros. 7-28327-A)				96 HAPPY	89	21	
D. Lewis, W. Lewis, J. Lewis (R. Feldman, J. Scott)				SURFACE (Columbia 38-06611)			
29 HOLIDAY	40	3		D. "Pic" Conley, D. Townsend, B. Jackson (D. Townsend, B. Jackson, D. Conley)			
KOOL & THE GANG (Mercury/PolyGram 888 712-7)				97 DON'T MAKE ME LATE	90	5	
K. Bayyan, I.B.M.C., Kool & The Gang (C. Williams, J. Taylor, Kool & The Gang)				JOHNNY TAYLOR (Malaco 21345)			
30 WHY YOU TREAT ME SO BAD	8	12		T. Couch, W. Stephenson (G. Jackson, R. Potts)			
CLUB NOUVEAU (Warner Bros. 7-28360-A)				98 CHICAGO SONG	91	17	
J. King, T. McElroy, D. Foster (J. King, T. McElroy, D. Foster)				DAVID SANBORN (Warner Bros. 7-28392)			
31 NIGHTTIME LOVER	41	4		M. Miller (M. Miller)			
SYSTEM (Atlantic 7-89232)				99 STILL WAITING	92	10	
System (M. Murphy, D. Frank)				RAINY DAVIS (Columbia 38-07072)			
32 COME BACK TO ME LOVER	39	4		P. Warner, R. Davis (Prince)			
MIKI HOWARD (Atlantic 7-89232)				100 ALLWAYS	93	19	
L. Humes (M. Howard, K. Philips, K. Harris)				ATLANTIC STARR (Warner Bros. 7-28455)			
33 ROCK STEADY	19	13		D. Lewis, W. Lewis (J. Lewis, D. Lewis, W. Lewis)			
WHISPERS (Solar/Capitol B-70006)							
L.A., Babyface (Babyface)							
L.A., D. Ladd, B. Watson							
Calloway (R. Calloway)							
34 CASANOVA	51	3		34 CASANOVA	51	3	
LEVERT (Atlantic 7-89217)				LEVERT (Atlantic 7-89217)			
35 I LOVE YOU BABE	46	4		35 I LOVE YOU BABE	46	4	
BABYFACE (Solar/Capitol B-70009)				BABYFACE (Solar/Capitol B-70009)			
L.A., Babyface (Babyface)				L.A., Babyface (Babyface)			
36 LIFETIME LOVE	44	6		36 LIFETIME LOVE	44	6	
JOYCE SIMS (Sleeping Bag LX-24YB)				JOYCE SIMS (Sleeping Bag LX-24YB)			
Mantronik (J. Sims)				Mantronik (J. Sims)			
37 IF YOU (LOVE ME JUST A LITTLE)	36	11		37 IF YOU (LOVE ME JUST A LITTLE)	36	11	
LA LA (Arista 7080)				LA LA (Arista 7080)			
N. Martinelli (W.Potts Jr., J. Gallow, S. Pomerantz)				N. Martinelli (W.Potts Jr., J. Gallow, S. Pomerantz)			
38 RHYTHM METHOD	34	14		38 RHYTHM METHOD	34	14	
R.J.'S LATEST ARRIVAL (Manhattan/EMI B-50071)				R.J.'S LATEST ARRIVAL (Manhattan/EMI B-50071)			
THE WIZ (THE WIZ, D. Leitta)				THE WIZ (THE WIZ, D. Leitta)			
39 LOVE IS A HOUSE	53	3		39 LOVE IS A HOUSE	53	3	
FORCE MD'S (Tommy Boy/Warner Bros. 7-28300)				FORCE MD'S (Tommy Boy/Warner Bros. 7-28300)			
M. Lascelles, J. Geossgurd (M. Lascelles, J. Geossgurd, G. Foster)				M. Lascelles, J. Geossgurd (M. Lascelles, J. Geossgurd, G. Foster)			
40 TEAR JERKER	47	7		40 TEAR JERKER	47	7	
J. BLACKFOOT FEATURING AND ANN HINES (Edge 7-007)				J. BLACKFOOT FEATURING AND ANN HINES (Edge 7-007)			
H. Banks (H. Banks, L. Snell)				H. Banks (H. Banks, L. Snell)			
41 LOVE ME RIGHT	45	6		41 LOVE ME RIGHT	45	6	
MILLIE SCOTT (4th & B'way 7443)				MILLIE SCOTT (4th & B'way 7443)			
B. Nazarian, D. Bradley (B. Nazarian, A. Cascone)				B. Nazarian, D. Bradley (B. Nazarian, A. Cascone)			
42 MERCURY RISING	43	5		42 MERCURY RISING	43	5	
POINTER SISTERS (RCA 5230-7-RAA)				POINTER SISTERS (RCA 5230-7-RAA)			
R. Perry (A. Goldmark, B. Roberts)				R. Perry (A. Goldmark, B. Roberts)			
43 KOO KOO	38	7		43 KOO KOO	38	7	
SHEILA E. (Paisley Park/Warner Bros. 7-28348)				SHEILA E. (Paisley Park/Warner Bros. 7-28348)			
Sheila E., David Z. (Sheila E.)				Sheila E., David Z. (Sheila E.)			
44 I WANT YOUR SEX	52	6		44 I WANT YOUR SEX	52	6	
GEORGE MICHAEL (Columbia 38-07164)				GEORGE MICHAEL (Columbia 38-07164)			
G. MICHAEL (G. MICHAEL)				G. MICHAEL (G. MICHAEL)			
45 I'M NOT GONNA LET YOU GO	50	5		45 I'M NOT GONNA LET YOU GO	50	5	
MELBA MOORE (Capitol B-44012)				MELBA MOORE (Capitol B-44012)			
P. Laurence (P. Laurence, O. Dawkins)				P. Laurence (P. Laurence, O. Dawkins)			
46 PRIVATE CONVERSATION	48	6		46 PRIVATE CONVERSATION	48	6	
VAL YOUNG (Arista AM-312)				VAL YOUNG (Arista AM-312)			
R. James (R. James)				R. James (R. James)			
47 LOVE POWER	68	2		47 LOVE POWER	68	2	
DIONNE WARWICK & JEFFREY OSBORNE (Arista AS1-9567) B. Bacharach, C. Sager (Bacharach, Sager)				DIONNE WARWICK & JEFFREY OSBORNE (Arista AS1-9567) B. Bacharach, C. Sager (Bacharach, Sager)			
48 CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE	54	5		48 CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE	54	5	
SHALAMAR (Solar/Capitol B-70008)				SHALAMAR (Solar/Capitol B-70008)			
L. A., Babyface (Babyface)				L. A., Babyface (Babyface)			
49 JAMMING TO THE BELLS	49	4		49 JAMMING TO THE BELLS	49	4	
CHUCK STANLEY (Def Jam/Columbia 38-07184)				CHUCK STANLEY (Def Jam/Columbia 38-07184)			
V.F. Bell, R. Simmons (V.F. Bell, F. Gordon)				V.F. Bell, R. Simmons (V.F. Bell, F. Gordon)			
50 LAST TIME	56	4		50 LAST TIME			



THE COUNTRY MUSIC HALL OF FAME AND MUSEUM is celebrating its 20th anniversary in 1987. The Nashville attraction, pictured here with one of the many tour buses that stop there annually, is the most successful organization in America and is the most visited museum in the Southeast.

COUNTRY MUSIC FOUNDATION AND HALL OF FAME ACCREDITED

The Country Music Foundation, which includes the 20 year old Country Music Hall of Fame and Museum, has been accredited "with highest praise" by the prestigious American Association of Museums (AAM), headquartered in Washington, D.C.

CMF associate director, Diana Johnson, said the AAM cited the Foundation for "filling an important void in the documentation and interpretation of American history in the twentieth century."

The Country Music Hall of Fame and Museum becomes the first in Nashville, the ninth in Tennessee, and one of only 650 museums nationwide to have met the AAM's rigorous standards for accreditation.

"The two-year accreditation process began with an application to the AAM's Accreditation Commission, which meets twice yearly for review of

applications," said Johnson. "An accreditation team made a two-day site visit earlier this year looking at operations and programs before making a final recommendation to the Commission."

The Country Music Foundation is the world's largest and most active research and exhibition center dedicated to a form of popular music. A non-profit educational organization chartered by the State of Tennessee in 1964, the Foundation includes the Country Music Hall of Fame and Museum, the Country Music Foundation Library and Media Center, Country Music Foundation Press, Country Music Foundation Records, and RCA's historic Studio B. An education department and programs division bring to life the history of country music in the community.

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L	W	O	C	Title, Artist, Label, Number, Distributor	L	W	O	C
1	8			1 ALWAYS AND FOREVER RANDY TRAVIS (Warner Bros. 25568-1)	26	18		
2	10			2 HILLBILLY DELUXE DWIGHT YOAKAM (Reprise 25567-1)	27	37		
3	9			3 GREATEST HITS* REBA McENTIRE (MCA 5979)	28	37		
4	24			4 OCEAN FRONT* PROPERTY GEORGE STRAIT (MCA 5193)	29	6		
5	17			5 TRIO * D.PARTON, L.RONSTADT, E.HARRIS (Warner Bros. 25491-1)	30	16		
6	22			6 HEARTLAND * THE JUDDS (RCA/Curb 5916-1)	22	13		
7	26			7 WHEELS * RESTLESS HEART (RCA 5648)	32	22		
8	22			8 HANK LIVE * HANK WILLIAMS JR. (Warner Bros./ Curb 9-25538-1)	34	15		
9	57			9 STORMS OF LIFE* RANDY TRAVIS (Warner Bros. 25435-1)	31	7		
10	7			10 HARMONY ANNE MURRAY (Capitol ST-12562)	35	11		
11	48			11 SWEETHEARTS OF THE * RODEO SWEETHEARTS OF THE RODEO (Columbia FC 40406)	37	3		
12	15			12 YOU HAVEN'T HEARD THE LAST OF ME MOE BANDY (MCA 5914)	33	35		
13	11			13 BORDERLINE* CONWAY TWITTY (MCA-5969)	36	38		
14	16	34		14 WALK THE WAY THE WIND* BLOWS KATHY MATTEA (Mercury 830 405-1)	41	20		
15	7			15 AFTER ALL THIS TIME CHARLEY PRIDE (16th Avenue ST-70550)	39	19		
16	5			16 EXIT 0* STEVE EARLE & THE DUKES (MCA 5998)	40	60		
17	38			17 WINE COLORED ROSES * GEORGE JONES (Epic FE 40413)	43	86		
18	16			18 ASLEEP AT THE WHEEL X ASLEEP AT THE WHEEL (Epic FE 40681)	44	38		
19	83			19 GUITARS, CADILLACS, ETC., ETC. DWIGHT YOAKAM (Warner Bros./ Reprise 25372-1)	47	38		
20	5			20 CORNERSTONE HOLLY DUNN (MTM ST-71063)	45	21		
21	26			21 THE O'KANES THE O'KANES (Columbia BL 4059)	43	58		
22	11			22 HOLD ON NITTY GRITTY DIRT BAND (Warner Bros. 25573-1)	46	37		
23	4			23 BRILLIANT CONVER- SATIONALIST T. GRAHAM BROWN (Capitol ST 12552)	48	58		
24	16			24 WILD EYED DREAM RICKY VAN SHELTON (Columbia FC 40602)	49	11		
25	18			25 IT'S A CRAZY WORLD * STEVE WARINER (MCA 5926)	45	21		
26	10			26 HOLLY DUNN HOLLY DUNN (MTM ST-71052)	46	37		
27	9			27 TOO MANY TIMES * EARL THOMAS CONLEY (RCA 5619-1-R)	47	38		
28	24			28 YOU AIN'T SEEN * THE LAST OF ME JOHN SCHNEIDER (MCA 5973)	48	58		
29	17			29 AMERICAN FACES JOHN CONLEE (Columbia FC 40442)	49	11		
30	22			30 A PLACE CALLED LOVE JUDY RODMAN (MTM ST-71060)	50	16		
31	26			31 RIGHT HAND MAN EDDY RAVEN (RCA 5728-1)				
32	15			32 AMERICANA MICHAEL MARTIN MURPHY (Warner Bros. 25500-1)				
33	7			33 AFTER MIDNIGHT JANIE FRICKIE (Columbia C 40666)				
34	11			34 STILL I STAY CHARLY McCLAIN (Epic FE 40534)				
35	3			35 CRACKIN' UP RAY STEVENS (MCA 42020)				
36	35			36 LYLE LOVETT * LYLE LOVETT (MCA/Curb 5748)				
37	38			37 THE TOUCH * ALABAMA (RCA 5649)				
38	20			38 HANGIN' TOUGH* WAYLON JENNINGS (MCA 5911)				
39	19			39 WHERE THE FAST LANE* ENDS THE OAK RIDGE BOYS (MCA 5945)				
40	60			40 GUITAR TOWN * STEVE EARLE (MCA 5713)				
41	86			41 ROCKIN' WITH THE* RHYTHM THE JUDDS (RCA/Curb AHL1-7042)				
42	21			42 COUNTRY RAP * BELLAMY BROTHERS (MCA/Curb 5721)				
43	38			43 LOVE'S GONNA GET YA * RICKY SKAGGS (Epic FE 40309)				
44	38			44 WHAT AM I GONNA DO* ABOUT YOU REBA McENTIRE (MCA 5807)				
45	21			45 ANGELBAND EMMYLOU HARRIS (Warner Bros. 25583-1)				
46	37			46 PARTNERS LARRY, STEVE AND RUDY - THE GATLIN BROTHERS (Columbia FC 40431)				
47	24			47 S-K-O SCHUYLER, KNOBLOCI & OVERSTREET (MTM ST-71058)				
48	37			48 ON THE FRONT LINE DAN SEALS (EMU/America PW-17231)				
49	58			49 TELL IT LIKE IT USED TO BE T. GRAHAM BROWN (Capitol ST-12487)				
50	16			50 THE DESERT ROSE BAND DEBUT THE DESERT ROSE BAND (MCA 5991)				

ALBUM REVIEWS

HIGHWAY 101- Highway 101-
Warner Bros. 1-25608

Wow! This is good country music! The album features "Whiskey, If You Were A Woman", Highway 101's current hit single, but watch out for the "sleepers" on this LP. Listen to the strong country lyrics of "Somewhere Tonight" and see if you don't agree. The female/male combination gives this group the ability to sing songs directed to individual or both sexes. "Someone Believed" is an excellent story song.



VINCE GILL- The Way Back Home-RCA 5923-1-R-A

Vince Gill wrote or co-wrote eight of nine songs on this album, which accounts for his genuine feel of the songs. His emotions surely come through in convincing style. The LP starts off with "Everybody's Sweetheart". I dare you to try and keep your feet still on this song. "The Way Back Home" is a touching song, which turns the tempo completely around.



OUT OF THE BOX

MARIE OSMOND (Capitol P-B-44044) Cry Just A Little (3:30) (Web IV-BMI) (P. Davis) (Producer: P. Worley)

This is beauty all the way! A beautiful song by Paul Davis, and a beautiful singer in Marie Osmond. This record has a great melody and lyrics to match. An outstanding production by Paul Worley certainly adds to the complete quality of the product. This release has all the possibilities of being a real winner. Marie promotes that possibility with a great vocal.



FEATURE PICKS

DWIGHT YOAKAM (Reprise 7-28310) Little Ways (3:18) (Coal Dust West-BMI) (D. Yoakam) (Producer: P. Anderson)

Shades of Buck Owens and Don Rich! We love this one! It has been a "hot cut" off Dwight's album for some time. We're glad that it has been released as a single. This one will catch on quickly. *This is country music!*

THE BEAT FARMERS (MCA/Curb MCA-53115) Make It Last (3:49) (Joey Harris-ASCAP) (J. Harris) (Producer: D. Jerden)

This is not just another new group. This is another *good* new group. They have chosen an impressive up-tempo song with some fine "pickers" backing them up. Harmonies sound fine on phrasing which isn't easy. Fine release for MCA/Curb.

THE OSMOND BROTHERS (EMI America/Curb P-B-43033) Slow Ride (3:37) (Lodge Hall-ASCAP) (M. Reid) (Producers: T. Choate, D. Wilson)

This is a happy song with a touch of the blues in the arrangement. The Osmond Brothers were a winner with our review panel. Their usual fine harmonies and the feel of the song brought a strong vote. If you enjoy a good saxophone, you get that, too. Fine release.

NASHVILLE NOTE-ABLES

THIS WEEK, WE'RE JUST DRIFTIN'...

It's time to catch up on some of the music business news...Nashville songwriters **Charlie Black**, **Austin Roberts**, and **Bobby Fischer** have formed a production company, and are working on material for their first artist. **Melissa Carol**, from Washington, D.C. will be in to record within a few months. The project should be mixed and ready by late summer...Label chief **Jack Gale** has announced the signing of country music legends **Bonnie Guitar** and **Bobby Helms** to record for his **Playback Records**, an Independent firm homebased in Miami Beach....

New audio for video production company, **Bulla-Stephens Project**, has merged with **Master's Touch Production Company** in Nashville. The joint venture will be basing it's productions around the Synclavier II equipped digital recording facility...**James Stroud** mixed his latest production, the **MTM** release on **S.K.B.** at **Master's Touch Studio**. One of the studio's past month projects was mixing the live tracks for the "George Strait's New Year's Eve In Austin Texas" live video, produced by Strait's production company...Along with the addition of a new production company, **Master's Touch Studio** has added **Billy Wayne Prince** as studio manager, **Nikki Bulla** as production coordinator, and **Jordan Stephens** as the production coordinator of the L.A. office...

Jim and Jon, The Hager Twins, have signed with **Archie Campbell Talent Services** for management and public relations services. This summer, **Jon and Jim** are starring in their own family oriented show in the Smoky Mountain resort town of **Gatlinburg, Tennessee**...**The Oak Ridge Boys** have announced the sale of their **Silverline/Goldline Music** publishing firm to **Lorimar Music Group**. The acquisition of **Silverline (ASCAP)** and **Goldline (BMI)** includes the 1200-song catalog, and the company's Nashville headquarters which houses a 12-track demo studio. **Noel Fox** will continue to run the Nashville office, along with present staffers **Mark Brown** and **Kathy Lee**...

Audiences are taking bets that Las Vegas has not seen the last of talented **Juli Maners**, who just returned from a 3-week engagement at the **Landmark Hotel**. It is reported she received standing ovations every night with her show-stopping style...Gospel artist **Karla Worley** dropped by our offices not long ago. **Karla** said she and her manager, publisher, husband **Dennis Worley** were headed for some performance dates in Texas. Being from Texas, they were looking forward to seeing family and old friends. **Karla** records on the **Star Song** label, and has a new album scheduled for October release.

Joe Henderson



GEORGE JONES LEADS OFF. CBS/Epic recording artist, **George Jones** is shown during his lead off performance for the **CBS Records 1987 Fan Fair Show**. The crowd's reaction to his performance inspired host **Ralph Emery** to bring him back on stage for an unprecedented **Fan Fair** encore. (photo by **Beth Gwinn**).

ASCAP SNAGS SKAGGS: ASCAP's latest Nashville signing is country Superstar **Ricky Skaggs** who is pictured with ASCAP Southern executive director **Connie Bradley** (l).



BAILLIE AND THE BOYS SIGN WITH ASCAP: RCA recording artists **Baillie and The Boys**, currently climbing the charts with "Oh Heart", are the latest Nashville talents to sign membership agreements with ASCAP. Pictured at the recent signing are (seated left to right): **Kathy Brooks**, **Alan LeBoeuf** and **Michael Brooks**, all of **Baillie and The Boys**; (standing left to right): **Joe Galante**, RCA's vice president and general manager-Nashville; **Woody Bowles**, manager; ASCAP's Southern executive director, **Connie Bradley**; and ASCAP membership representative **John Briggs**.

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INDIE SPOTLIGHT

TONI PRICE (Prairie Dust PD-8744 A) I Want To Be Wanted (3:11) (Leeds-ASCAP) (K. Gannon, P. Spot-ti) (Producer: L. Morton)

Toni Price was the Indie Spotlight winner over some very, very strong competition. This lovely lady does a super job on an old favorite. We believe it will now be a new favorite. Fine arrangement and production, but Toni Price is one super singer. If you give this one a listen, we know you will agree. The songwriters must surely be delighted!



INDIE FEATURE PICKS

DUSTY MARTIN (Sound Track ST-1102) Don't Give Up On Lovin' Me (2:15) (ScreenGems-EMI-BMI) (J. Lee, D. Mitchell) (Producer: J. Lee)

This is 2 minutes and 15 seconds of dynamite! Dusty Martin has reached back to that fabulous 50's sound, updated it with her emotional voice, and produced a *super* single! Dusty has paid her dues and, now, it's time to collect. Radio listeners should go wild over this one!

TIM MALCHAK (Alpine APS-007A) Restless Angel (3:47) (Life Of The Record, Malchak-ASCAP) (T. Malchak) (Producers: J. Rutenschroer, T. Malchak)

Another fine release by Tim Malchak. The alluring melody keeps the listener glued to this story song about a "restless angel (lady)." Tim has always sung a great song but, perhaps, none better than this. You'll want to hear this one again and again.

GLADYS WHITNEY (Sundial SR 131) This Heart Is Already Taken (3:23) (Jims Allisong-BMI, D.C. Radio Active-ASCAP) (J. Allison, D.J. Chauvin) (Producer: D. Day)

Another fine female voice gets our #3 pick this week. Good strong song selection for Gladys Whitney. Mid-tempo number with solid country arrangement. Projection of vocal is well-handled by both singer and producer. Could be chart bound.

SLEEPER SELECTIONS: A. J. MASTERS- 255 Harbor Drive- Bermuda Dunes C 117 A

TERRY WOOLEY- Pass That Bottle Around- MDM 1686 A



CHERYL HANDY, Compleat/Polygram recording artist, is shown with A. J. MASTERS (r), Bermuda Dunes artist, at the recent Independent News Awards Show at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in Nashville. Handy was nominated Most Promising Star of Tomorrow, while Masters took top honors for Individual Male Performer.

INDIE LP REVIEW

IAN TYSON- Cowboyography Sugar Hill SH-1021-A

Interesting title for an LP, huh? Well, the album inside the jacket is even more interesting. Ian Tyson's voice has a touch of velvet. The simplicity of the productions is a plus, because it gives Tyson's voice the chance to shine through. To hide this voice would be a crime. I certainly have to put this album on the top of my Indie LP stack. I'm a sucker for cowboy songs, and Ian Tyson knows how to write and sing them.



NEW PLAYERS

DON GOODMAN...HIS LAST NAME SUMS IT UP!

"Mrs. Goodman, your boy's up in my apple tree again!" Don Goodman's mother got that message often. Don Goodman has loved to write since he first learned how. Often, he would start off to grade school, walk down the street a ways, look around to make certain the coast was clear, then climb up in his neighbor's apple tree to write "books" or poems. More often than not, Don's mother got the neighbor's telephone call.

Don Goodman was born in Hohenwald, Tennessee. His father returned from military service to find very little profit in farming a small acreage. He packed the family and moved to Detroit when Don was in the first grade. So, Don grew up in the city.

"A romantic involvement, in high school, led me to an early tour with the armed forces. But, even there, I learned to make a few bucks with my writing. Because I could write poetry and use descriptive adjectives, my army buddies would pay me a couple of dollars to write letters to their girl friends.

After service, I sold vacuum cleaners door-to-door. That's where I learned to handle rejection (which is so important to a songwriter). I was also playing music in the Detroit honky tonks on the weekends. One day, I went across the street to have a burger and a beer, and I never looked back! My wife had the car, so I thumbed to Nashville. I hit town with a guitar and a shoebox full of the worst songs you'd ever want to hear. But, I had a lot of ambition, and the first time I saw Nashville, I knew I was meant to be here!

I walked into the first place I saw that said "music", which happened to be New Keys Music. With hair down to the middle of my back, I sat down with my guitar and played a war protest song to Jack Keys. Jack, who had just returned from being wounded in Nam, hated hippies! Jack said, "you ain't country!", and sent me to a new place in town called Quadrofonic Studios. He told me to contact a man named Troy Seals.

There were three carpenters working on the building when I arrived. I asked if any of them knew Troy Seals. One of them spit out a mouthfull of nails and said, "I'm Troy!". Troy didn't care

for my songs, but he liked one of the song ideas. We wrote the song that afternoon, and Joe Simon cut it that night. I went back to Detroit, sold everything, and moved to Nashville. Now, sixteen years later, that song still hasn't been released!

Quadrofonic gave me a "writing" job. Actually, I got \$25 a week for writing, and \$75 a week for being the janitor. In the next few years, Troy and I wrote *Feelings*, recorded by Conway and Loretta, and *You Almost Slipped My Mind* by Charley Pride. They were both #1 songs. Last year, Troy and I sat side-by-side at the CMA Awards Show. We laughed about the many times we talked one another into staying in Nashville for just one more week. That night, we were both nominated for Song Of The Year. Troy for *Seven Spanish Angels*, and I was nominated for *Dixie Roads*.

Don Goodman has had hit songs with *Ring On Her Finger*, *Time On Her Hands*; *Dixie Roads*; *Some Of My Best Friends Are Old Songs*; and *Starting Over Again*. Presently, he has four singles and two albums on the charts as a *producer* for such artists as Liz Boardo, Southern Reign, Rusty Budde, Darlene Austin, and Faron Young. He has also written *15 to 43* on Conway Twitty's new album, and Billy Joe Royal's next single, *I'll Pin A Note On Your Pillow*.

The rule of Don Goodman's life is "to keep a dream alive." It may be his own dream, through his writing, or it may be an artist's dream, through Don's producing. First and foremost, Don Goodman says he will always be a writer. "Not long ago, I was asked to present the Writer Of The Year award by the New Zealand Country Music Association. As I walked to the speaker's platform, they were playing *Dixie Roads*. When I turned to face the audience, they were all singing along! Suddenly, I realized that those words I had written in my living room, in Nashville, had reached half way around the world. What a thrill! It also taught me to be careful of the content in each song. What we say, as lone songwriters, affects millions of listeners!"Amen!

Joe Henderson

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Radio Report

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SUZANNE VEGA

A&M recording artist Suzanne Vega has broken into the Top 40 scene via her current hit "Luka" off the brilliant "Solitude Standing" LP. "Luka" is currently enjoying wide AOR and A/C acceptance as well.

THE CAPITOL COMERS



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JUMPS: KMJQ 19-14, Q105 28-24, B96 28-24, WCZY 35-30, WHYT 9-7, KCPW 30-25, KKRZ 32-28, FM102 16-14, KS 103 27-23, KMEL 18-13 (HOT REPORT), KUBE 36-30. R&R U/C 17-**6**



POISON

DEBUT: WGH #40, KXYQ #33

JUMPS: Z93 22-20 (HOT REPORT), KEGL 17-13, Y100 32-23, WMMS 32-29, WCZY 40-37, KWK 24-18, KPLZ 31-28, KUBE 35-29,

**STRONG ROTATION MTV
DOUBLE PLATINUM LP**



Great White

ADDS: WMMS, K104, OK95, WRNO, KZFN
INSTANT ADD AT MTV



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A GAVIN CERTIFIED DEBUT **36** A/C CHART



MARKET AT A GLANCE

MOST ADDED Out Of A Possible 110 Stations

107 Stations Reported This Week



Love Power
D. Warwick & J. Osborne—Arista
31 Adds

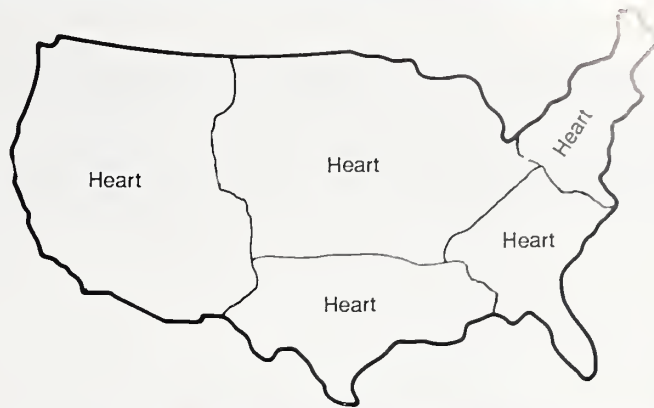
When Smokey Sings
ABC—Mercury/PG
19 Adds

La Bamba
Los Lobos—Slash/WB
18 Adds

Can't We Try
Dan Hill—Columbia
14 Adds

Who Found Who
Jellybean—Chrysalis
13 Adds

#1 SINGLES



RETAIL



Alone
Heart—Capitol

Shakedown
Bob Seger—MCA

I Want Your Sex
George Michael—Columbia

I Still Haven't Found What I'm Looking For
U2—Island/Atl.

Rhythm Is Gonna Get You
G. Estefan & M.S.M.—Epic

REQUESTS



I Want Your Sex
George Michael—Columbia

Girls, Girls, Girls
Motley Crue—Elektra

Shakedown
Bob Seger—MCA

Who's That Girl
Madonna—Sire/WB

I Wanna Dance With Somebody...
Whitney Houston—Arista

ALBUM ALLEY

IN THE DARK—Grateful Dead—Arista

Formats: Primarily AOR with Top 40 crossover.

Single: "Touch Of Grey," amazing initial AOR reaction, Top 40 stations slowly joining in.

Comments: The Dead's first studio album in seven years finds Garcia, Weir and the boys in fine musical form one again. AOR radio should have a field day with entire LP, crossover success would introduce the band to a bevy of new listeners.

SHOW ME—Cover Girls—Fever/Sutra

Formats: B/C and Top 40 radio.

Single: "Spring Love," just out and gaining adds ... Should chart B/C first with Top 40 to follow.

Comments: Dance trio enjoyed success recently with a single and 12" entitled "Show Me." Strong response to that hit spawned the release of, this, the diva's debut album. Tailor-made for the dance floor, watch for heavy club action.

CROSSOVER POTENTIAL

Blue Hotel—Chris Isaak—Warner Bros.

AOR-T40

Love On A Rooftop—Ronnie Spector—Columbia

A/C-T40

The Living Daylights—A-HA—Warner Bros.

T40-A/C-AOR

Making Love In The Rain—Herb Alpert—A&M

B/C-T40

Diamonds On The Soul...—Paul Simon—Warner Bros.

T40-A/C-AOR

Thank You Girl—John Hiatt—A&M

AOR-T40

HIGH PRIORITY



DAVID LEACH

PolyGram

The Fat Boys' "Wipeout" is the #1 phone record in America! Check out the believers.

ABC's "When Smokey Sings" and Bananarama's "I Heard A Rumour" are stone-cold smashes, well on their way to being closed and gone at Top 40.

Kool & The Gang's "Holiday" is an urban smash crossing in all major markets.

"Running In The Family" by Level 42 is just out with KIIS as an early believer. Check them out on tour with Madonna.

Curiosity Killed The Cat have a new single, "Misfit." The video can be seen on MTV beginning July 15.

Be on the lookout for John Mellencamp, Def Leopard, Swing Out Sister, and Pepsi & Shirlie.

TOP 40 PLAYLIST SCOREBOARD

Record Rank	Title	Lst. Wk.	Tit. Wks.	12-17	Popularity Factor			Station %	Request Rank	Sales Rank	Vid. Rot. Rank	Current Tour	Current LP	
					18-24	25-34	+34						This Wk.	Tit. Wks.
1	Heart—Alone—Capitol	2	10	X/F	X/F	X/F	X/F	97%	1	2		Y	3	7
2	Bob Seger—Shakedown—MCA	3	9		X	X	X	94%	4	3			15	6
3	Whitney Houston—I Wanna Dance...—Arista	1	10	X	X	X	X	93%	6	1	1		1	4
4	Kenny G.—Songbird—Arista	4	15		X	X	X	71%	27	11			6	24
5	Lisa Lisa and Cult Jam—Head To Toe—Columbia	5	15	X/F	X/F	X		59%	7	8	5		12	11
6	U2—I Still Haven't Found...—Island/Atlantic	11	6	X	X	X	X	95%	9	5	*	Y	2	16
7	Expose—Point Of No Return—Arista	8	11	X	X			82%	21	7			29	21
8	Crowded House—Something So Strong—Capitol	9	12	X	X	X	X	88%	22	9		Y	14	23
9	G. Michael—I Want Your Sex—Columbia	17	7	X	X	X		69%	2	4	*		—	—
10	G. Estefan & M.S.M.—Rhythm Is Gonna...—Epic	14	8	X	X	X	X/F	82%		6	34		35	9
11	T'Pau—Heart & Soul—Virgin	15	12	X	X	X		88%	11	13	4	Y	101	4
12	Pseudo Echo—Funkytown—RCA	12	10	X	X			74%	12	12	14	Y	51	16
13	The System—Don't Disturb This Groove—Atlantic	10	15	X	X			82%	23	10	6		65	26
14	Motley Crue—Girls, Girls, Girls—Elektra	18	8	X/M	X/M			70%	3	14	*	Y	7	7
15	The Nylons—Kiss Him Goodbye—Open Air/A&M	19	11		X	X	X	70%	13	17		Y	54	10
16	Smokey Robinson—Just To See Her—Motown	7	16		X/F	X/F	X/F	42%		19		Y	60	12
17	The Jets—Cross My Broken Heart—MCA	21	7	X	X	X/F		83%	24	21		Y	153	23
18	Atlantic Starr—Always—Warner Bros.	6	17		X	X	X	46%	8	23			24	14
19	Janet Jackson—The Pleasure Principle—A&M	25	9	X	X	X		87%	16	30	9		44	73
20	Bruce Hornsby—Every Little Kiss—RCA	16	10	X	X	X	X	57%		32			27	53
21	Robbie Nevil—Wot's It To Ya—Manhattan	24	8		X	X		76%		26	*		86	31
22	Suzanne Vega—Luka—A&M	27	7	X	X	X	X	87%	10	15	16	Y	11	10
23	Genesis—In Too Deep—Atlantic	13	13	X	X	X	X	62%		25		Y	23	56
24	Herb Alpert—Diamonds—A&M	20	15	X/F	X	X		38%		39	3		16	18
25	Surface—Happy—Columbia	30	9	X	X	X	X	71%		24			34	10
26	Steve Winwood—Back In The High Life—Island	31	8	X	X	X	X	77%		33			19	53
27	Bryan Adams—Hearts On Fire—A&M	28	6		X	X	X	69%		20	*	Y	21	14
28	Fleetwood Mac—Seven Wonders—Warner Bros.	29	6	X	X	X	X	69%		29	*		9	12
29	Richard Marx—Don't Mean Nothing—Manhattan	34	6		X	X	X	75%		34	35		79	4
30	Madonna—Who's That Girl—Sire/WB	35	2	X	X	X	X	91%	5	16	*	Y	53	53
31	The Whispers—Rock Steady—Solar/Capitol	38	7		X	X	X	65%	26	31			32	11
32	Cutting Crew—One For The Mockingbird—Virgin	32	7		X	X		54%		22		Y	47	18
33	Klymaxx—I'd Still Say Yes—Constellation/MCA	36	10	X/F	X/F	X		66%		27			—	—
34	D. Gibson—Only In My Dreams—Atlantic	37	9		X	X	X	62%	15	36	18		—	—
35	Starship—It's Not Over...—RCA	41	4	X	X	X	X	67%		18	*		Just	Out
36	Al Jarreau—Moonlighting Theme—MCA	39	7	X	X	X	X	44%	17	37			Just	Out
37	Kenny Loggins—Meet Me Half Way—Columbia	22	20		X	X		48%			30		—	—
38	Bon Jovi—Wanted Dead Or Alive—Mercury/PG	26	15	X	X	X/M		51%	28			Y	8	46
39	Wang Chung—Hypnotize Me—Geffen	42	6	X	X	X		58%		41			123	37
40	Los Lobos—La Bamba—Slash/WB	51	3	X	X	X	X	76%	20	28	25		126	2

* Soundtrack

*MTV—Exclusive

NV—No Video

Y—Yes, On Tour

X—All

(CONSENSUS BY REGION)

TEST RECORDS

NORTHEAST

1. CHICAGO—Niagara Falls—Full Moon/WB
2. REO SPEEDWAGON—In My Dreams—Epic
3. NOEL—Silent Morning—4th & B'WAY/Isi.

Chicago's latest adding in Schenectady at WGFM. Moving A/C ... Philly's WCAU picking up REO. Single is steadily growing and may chart soon. New York's WPLJ adding offering from Noel Pagen this week.

SOUTHEAST

1. CRUZADOS—Bed Of Lies—Arista
2. COVER GIRLS—Spring Love—Fever/Sutra
3. AMAZULU—Montego Bay—Mango/Isi.

WROQ in Charlotte adding LA based band in the SOUTHEAST. Y100 in Miami on dance diva's newest. "Show Me" LP just out. WANS/Greenville on this week. Artist already established in the U.K.

SOUTHWEST

1. JOE WALSH—The Radio Song—Warner Bros.
2. JOHN ASTLEY—Jane's Getting Serious—Atlantic
3. GREAT WHITE—Rock Me—Capitol

Dallas' KEGL is the latest on this tune. Off "Got Any Gum" LP - just out. KRBE in Houston adding producer-turned-performer's hip tune. WRNO in New Orleans adding the rockers in the SOUTHWEST.

MIDWEST

1. CHEETERS—Big Girls—Boat Records
2. ISLEY BROS.—Smooth Sailin' Tonight—Warner Bros.
3. ERIC CLAPTON—Tearing Us Apart—Duck/Warner Bros.

Local band making noise at WZEE/Madison. WCZY in Detroit on this week, already well-established B/C. Cleveland's WMMS adding very hot Clapton/Tina Turner duet.

WEST

1. CHRIS ISAAK—Blue Hotel—Warner Bros.
2. LEVEL 42—Running In The Family—Polydor/PG
3. PET SHOP BOYS—It's A Sin—EMI America

KITS in San Francisco on Isaak's little masterpiece. Off self-titled LP - get it! LP title track now out and adding at KIIS/Los Angeles. San Francisco's KITS now playing the U.K. hitmakers latest.

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B94 22-17	98PXY 35-20	95XIL 26-20
PRO-FM Debut 34	99GFM 32-24	WFXX 28-21
KKBQ Debut 26	WRCK 30-22	KOZE 20-14
WMMS 18-13	WKQB 32-24	KTMT 30-22
KKRZ 35-31	Y107 30-25	OK95 33-25
KROY Debut 28	WKDD 23-19	
KUBE 33-25	WFMF 27-22	

The follow-up to the #1 hit, "Nothing's Gonna Stop Us Now"—the biggest single of 1987. From the album "NO PROTECTION"

R&R—(33)

CB—(35)

BB—(34)



JONATHAN BUTLER

"Lies"



Truths about "Lies"—Top 10 Urban. Top 10 AC. Now heading for the top CHR. From the album "Jonathan Butler"

CB—(57)

BB—(53)

R&R—89/17

WXKS
WMJQ Add
WCAU 23
PRO-FM Add
KTKS 26-20
KRBE Debut 39
B96 30-22
92X Add
WCZY Add
WHYT Add
WKTI 20-16

KDWB Debut
KKRZ 40-35
FM102 22
KCPX
KS103 32
KMEL 33-29
KATD 28
KWSS
KUBE 37-31
WVSR Add

WNOK Add
WHHY Add
KBFM Add
KSAQ Add
KZZN Add
WKSF Add
KCGQ Add
WZYP Add
Q101 Add
WKTI 20-16



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PLAY BY PLAY

EAST

MOST ADDED - EAST

1. HUEY LEWIS—Doing It All For My Baby—Chrysalis
2. DIONNE WARWICK & JEFFREY OSBORNE—Love Power—Arista
3. DAN HILL—Can't We Try—Columbia
4. LOS LOBOS—La Bamba—Slash/WB
5. ABC—When Smokey Sings—Mercury/PG

Q100 (WQQQ) Allentown, PA Mark Clifford-MD

#1 Heart
ADDS: D. Warwick/J. Osborne, Los Lobos, D. Wilson, H. Lewis, ABC, J. Waite, Whitesnake
REQUESTS: 1. Heart 2. Pseudo Echo 3. G. Michael

B-104 (WBSB) Baltimore, MD Brian Thomas-PD

#1 Heart
ADDS: Los Lobos, D. Warwick/J. Osborne, S. Vega, Crowded House

WCIR Beckley, WV Bob Spencer-PD Ann Kelly-MD

#1 Heart
ADDS: S. Vega, Madonna, D. Hill, Whispers, D. Warwick/J. Osborne, Janet Jackson, Los Lobos
REQUESTS: 1. Heart 2. B. Seger 3. System

KISS 108 (WXKS) Boston, MA Sonny Joe White-PD Susan O'Connell-MD

#1 Heart
ADDS: INXS/J. Barnes, D. Hill, Whitesnake, R. Stewart, H. Alpert, H. Lewis

103 WPHD Buffalo, NY John Hager-Op. Dir. Bob Richards-MD

#1 Heart
ADDS: D. Hill, H. Lewis, Hooters

WNNK Harrisburg, PA Bruce Bond-PD

#1 Heart
ADDS: D. Harry, A. O'Neal, Fat Boys, Living In A Box
REQUESTS: 1. Heart 2. Expose 3. B. Seger

Z100 (WHTZ) New York, NY Scott Shannon-VP Prog Steve Kingston-Op.

Man.
#1 W. Houston
ADDS: none
REQUESTS: 1. Madonna 2. G. Michael 3. Bon Jovi

POWER 95 (WPLJ) New York, NY Larry Berger-PD Andy Dean-MD

#1 W. Houston
ADDS: Noel, T'Pau
REQUESTS: 1. G. Michael 2. Madonna 3. Heart

106FM (WBLI) New York, NY Bill Terri-PD Ruth Tolson-MD

#1 Heart
ADDS: S. Vega, Fleetwood Mac, H. Lewis
REQUESTS: 1. Atlantic Starr 2. Lisa Lisa 3. D. Gibson

98 WCAU Philadelphia, PA Scott Walker-PD Glen Kalina-MD

#1 Heart
ADDS: Jellybean, Kool & The Gang, REO Speedwagon, D. Warwick/J. Osborne

B94 (WBZZ) Pittsburgh, PA Jim Richards-PD Lori Campbell-MD

#1 Heart
ADDS: H. Lewis, Los Lobos, D. Warwick/J. Osborne, Nylons, R. Marx
REQUESTS: 1. Bon Jovi 2. Motley Crue 3. Fat Boys

SOUTH

MOST ADDED - SOUTH

1. HUEY LEWIS—Doing It All For My Baby—Chrysalis
2. DIONNE WARWICK & JEFFREY OSBORNE—Love Power—Arista
3. LOS LOBOS—La Bamba—Slash/WB
4. HERB ALPERT—Making Love In The Rain—A&M
5. KIM WILDE—Say You Really Want Me—EMI America

94Q (WQXI) Atlanta, GA Fleetwood Gruver III-PD Craig Ashwood-MD

#1 W. Houston
ADDS: H. Lewis, S. Robinson, Los Lobos, F. Jackson

Z-93 (WZGC) Atlanta, GA Bob Case-PD Lindsey Burdette-MD

#1 Heart
ADDS: LL Cool J, Fat Boys, F. Jackson, Kool & The Gang, D. Harry, K. Wilde
REQUESTS: 1. Motley Crue 2. LL Cool J 3. Lisa Lisa

WBBQ Augusta, GA Bruce Stevens-PD

#1 Heart
ADDS: H. Lewis, Outfield, ABC, S. Hagar, S. Robinson, H. Alpert, K. Wilde

KHFI Austin, TX Barry Kaye-PD Selby Edwards-MD

#1 Heart
ADDS: Los Lobos, H. Lewis

WFMF Baton Rouge, LA Randy Rice-PD Johnny Ahysen-MD

#1 Heart
ADDS: D. Warwick/J. Osborne, H. Lewis, Madonna
REQUESTS: 1. Nylons 2. Jets 3. Motley Crue

KZZB Beaumont, TX Chris Baker-PD J.J. Jackson-MD

#1 W. Houston
ADDS: S. Winwood, D. Hill, H. Lewis
REQUESTS: 1. Fat Boys 2. G. Michael 3. Poison

WAPI Birmingham, AL Kevin McCarthy-PD Jimbo Wood-MD

#1 W. Houston
ADDS: Whispers, Los Lobos, H. Lewis

KXX106 (WKXX) Birmingham, AL Catfish Jim Prewitt-PD

#1 Club Nouveau
ADDS: A. O'Neal, S. Robinson, Madonna, K. Wilde, H. Alpert, Alisha
REQUESTS: 1. Heart 2. Whispers 3. G. Michael

95 X (WSSX) Charleston, SC Brian Phillips-PD Dave Allen-MD

#1 Heart
ADDS: R. Nevil, Fleetwood Mac, D. Harry, H. Alpert
REQUESTS: 1. G. Michael 2. Motley Crue 3. D. Gibson

WROQ Charlotte, NC Reggie Blackwell-PD Chris Williams-MD

#1 Heart
ADDS: H. Lewis, Cruzados, Hooters
REQUESTS: 1. Heart 2. W. Houston 3. G. Michael

WSKZ Chattanooga, TN Scott Chase-PD Jay Scott-MD

#1 Heart
ADDS: D. Gibson, H. Lewis, J. Waite
REQUESTS: 1. Heart 2. B. Seger 3. U2

WEST

MOST ADDED - WEST

1. HUEY LEWIS—Doing It All For My Baby—Chrysalis
2. KIM WILDE—Say You Really Want Me—EMI America
3. DIONNE WARWICK & JEFFREY OSBORNE—Love Power—Arista
4. ABC—When Smokey Sings—Mercury/PG
5. BANANARAMA—I Heard A Rumour—Mercury/PG

KRXY Denver, CO Marc Bolke-PD Dom Testa-MD

#1 T'Pau
ADDS: Breakfast Club, D. Warwick/J. Osborne, H. Lewis, F. Jackson, Bananarama, Jellybean
REQUESTS: 1. T'Pau 2. Janet Jackson 3. U2

KYNO-FM Fresno, CA Sue Ryan-PD Rich Cartter-MD

#1 Whispers
ADDS: S. Vega, D. Warwick/J. Osborne, Jellybean, Outfield, Bananarama
REQUESTS: 1. Lisa Lisa 2. G. Michael 3. LL Cool J

KLUC Las Vegas, NV Jerry Dean-PD Scott Campbell-Asst. PD Jay

Taylor-MD
#1 G. Michael
ADDS: Club Nouveau, ABC, Bananarama
REQUESTS: 1. Fat Boys 2. LL Cool J 3. G. Michael

KIIS-FM Los Angeles, CA Steve Rivers-PD Gene Sandbloom-MD

#1 W. Houston
ADDS: D. Warwick/J. Osborne, Los Lobos, Level 42, S. Robinson
REQUESTS: 1. G. Michael 2. Atlantic Starr 3. Lisa Lisa

KZZP Phoenix, AZ Guy Zapolean-PD Kevin Weatherly-MD

#1 Lisa Lisa
ADDS: The Cure, L. Branigan

KWOD Sacramento, CA Tom Chase-PD

#1 Heart
ADDS: Los Lobos, D. Warwick/J. Osborne
REQUESTS: 1. G. Michael 2. Heart 3. T'Pau

FM 102 (KSFM) Sacramento, CA Chris Collins-Ops. Man. Kevin Kei/Larry

Morgan-Music Dept.
#1 Heart
ADDS: Lisa Lisa, S. Robinson, L. Branigan
REQUESTS: 1. LL Cool J 2. Lisa Lisa 3. Heart

KCPX Salt Lake City, UT Lou Simon-PD Evan Lake-MD

#1 Heart
ADDS: H. Alpert, Whispers, Boy George, D. Fogelberg
REQUESTS: 1. Outfield 2. Whitesnake 3. T'Pau

KS 103 (KSDO) San Diego, CA Nick Ferrara-OMP/D Greg Rolling-MD

#1 Heart
ADDS: ABC, Will To Power, A. O'Neal, Bananarama, H. Lewis, R. Belle
REQUESTS: 1. G. Michael 2. Club Nouveau 3. Madonna

KMEL San Francisco, CA Keith Naftaly-PD

#1 Whispers
ADDS: H. Alpert, R. Belle, H. Lewis, S. Robinson, L. Branigan

MIDWEST

MOST ADDED - MIDWEST

1. HUEY LEWIS—Doing It All For My Baby—Chrysalis
2. DIONNE WARWICK & JEFFREY OSBORNE—Love Power—Arista
3. ABC—When Smokey Sings—Mercury/PG
4. JELLYBEAN—Who Found Who—Chrysalis
5. BANANARAMA—I Heard A Rumour—Mercury/PG

WKDD Akron, OH Nick Anthony-PD

#1 B. Seger
ADDS: H. Lewis, D. Warwick/J. Osborne, C. De Burgh, Farrenheit

Z95 (WY TZ) Chicago, IL Ric Lippincott-PD Brian Kelly-MD

#1 Heart
ADDS: Trans Dance, S. Hagar, K. Wilde, D. Wilson

WLS-AM Chicago, IL John Gehron-Op. Mgr. Rich MacMillan-Asst. PD&MD

#1 W. Houston
ADDS: D. Warwick/J. Osborne, D. Wilson, H. Lewis

Q102 (WKRQ) Cincinnati, OH Jim Fox-PD Dave Allen-MD

#1 Heart
ADDS: D. Warwick/J. Osborne, R. Stewart

WMMS Cleveland, OH Kid Leo-Ops. Man. Brian Phillips-PD

#1 Heart
ADDS: H. Lewis, E. Clapton, ABC, The Cure, D. Warwick/J. Osborne, Great White
REQUESTS: 1. Heart 2. Motley Crue 3. U2

WNCI Columbus, OH Bill Richards-PD Tom Kelly-Asst. PD

#1 Heart
ADDS: D. Warwick/J. Osborne

WGTZ Dayton, OH John Robertson-PD/MD

#1 Heart
ADDS: D. Warwick/J. Osborne, H. Lewis, Jellybean, Outfield
REQUESTS: 1. G. Michael 2. Heart 3. Bon Jovi

WHYT Detroit, MI Rick Gillette-PD Mark Jackson-MD

#1 W. Houston
ADDS: J. Butler, Cover Girls, H. Alpert, H. Lewis
REQUESTS: 1. W. Houston 2. B. Seger 3. Kenny G.

WCZY Detroit, MI Brian Patrick-PD Kathy Means-MD

#1 B. Seger
ADDS: Isley Bros, The Cure, H. Alpert, S. Robinson, J. Butler, H. Lewis
REQUESTS: 1. A. Jarreau 2. G. Michael 3. Heart

WMEE Fort Wayne, IN Tony Richards-PD Tommy Allen-MD

#1 Heart
ADDS: Jellybean, Outfield, D. Hill, INXS/J. Barnes
REQUESTS: 1. Atlantic Starr 2. Heart 3. Motley Crue

WGRD Grand Rapids, MI Mat Clenot-PD Michelle McCormick-MD

#1 Heart
ADDS: H. Lewis, REO Speedwagon
REQUESTS: 1. Motley Crue 2. Whitesnake 3. Heart

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Record Rank	Title	Lst. Wk.	Ttl. Wks.	12-17	18-24	Popularity Factor 25-34	+34	Station %	Req. Rank	Sales Rank	Day Parts
41	LIVING IN A BOX—Living In A Box—Chrysalis	47	4	X	X	X		64%		42	10a-6p
42	THE OUTFIELD—Since You've Been Gone—Col.	46	6	X	X	X	X	55%	18	47	6a - 6p
46	DAN HILL—Can't We Try—Columbia	52	6	X/F	X	X	X/F	52%	19	44	6p - 6a
47	CLUB NOUVEAU—Why You Treat...—King Jay/WB	49	7	X	X	X		38%	25	38	all
49	SAMMY HAGAR—Give To Live—Geffen	50	6		X	X		40%		43	6p - 6a
50	D. WARWICK & J. OSBORNE—Love Power—Arista	65	2	X/F	X	X	X/F	65%		35	all
51	DANNY WILSON—Mary's Prayer—Virgin	60	6		X	X		37%		45	10a - 6p
52	FREDDIE JACKSON—Jam Tonight—Capitol	62	4		X	X	X	35%		46	3p - mid
58	JONATHAN BUTLER—Lies—RCA	68	4		X	X	X	31%			3p - mid
60	JOHN WAITE—These Times Are.....—EMI America	64	5		X	X		32%			all
61	INXS & J. BARNES—Good Times—Atlantic	63	5	X	X	X	X/M	31%			—
62	WHITESNAKE—Here I Go Again—Geffen	69	3	X	X	X		34%	14	40	—
63	JELLYBEAN—Who Found Who—Chrysalis	73	2	X	X			42%			—
64	ABC—When Smokey Sings—Mercury/PG	77	3	X	X	X		39%			—
65	THE CURE—Why Can't I Be You—Elektra	72	4	X	X			24%		49	—
66	HUEY LEWIS—Doing It All For My Baby—Chrysalis		Debut					46%			—
69	KOOL & THE GANG—Holiday—Mercury/PG	71	4	X	X	X	X	23%		49	3p - mid
69	FAT BOYS—Wipeout—Tin Pan Apple/PG	79	2	X	X			22%			—
71	WILL TO POWER—Dreamin'—Epic	78	3	X	X	X		18%			—
72	BANANARAMA—I Heard A Rumour—London/PG	88	2					25%			—

MULTI FORMAT PLAYLIST

Title	Format Penetration					Dance	Station %	Ret. Rank	Req. Rank	Comments
	Top 40	Country	Urban	AC	AOR					
1 Whitney Houston—I Wanna Dance ...—Arista	93%		64%	99%		83%	56.5%	1	6	Drops to #3 pop
2 Janet Jackson—The Pleasure Principle—A&M	89%		93%			67%	41.5%	30	16	Still strong
3 Surface—Happy—Columbia	71%		45%	71%		50%	39.5%	24		Crossover smash
4 D. Warwick/J. Osborne—Love Power—Arista	65%		70%	99%			39%	35		Next champ?
5 Suzanne Vega—Luka—A&M	87%			88%	56%		38.5%	15	10	Jumps 5 to #22 pop
6 Heart—Alone—Capitol	97%			99%	16%		35.3%	2	1	#1 this week
7 Fleetwood Mac—Seven Wonders—WB	69%			91%	42%		33.6%	29		A/C champion
8 Jonathan Butler—Lies—Jive/RCA	31%		64%	93%			31.3%			Still gaining pop
9 Al Jarreau—Moonlighting (Theme)—MCA	44%		45%	99%			31.3%	37	17	Former U.K. #1
10 U2—I Still Haven't Found...—Island/Atl.	95%			43%	30%		28%	5	9	Top 10 this week
11 Lisa Lisa—Head To Toe—Columbia	59%		20%			89%	28%	8	7	Still Top 5
12 George Michael—I Want Your Sex—Columbia	69%		25%			74%	28%	4	2	Sex sells ...
13 The Nylons—Kiss Him Goodbye—Open Air/A&M	70%			96%			27.6%	17	13	Remake smash
14 Crowded House—Something So Strong—Capitol	88%			54%	21%		27.1%	9	22	Bullets to #8 pop
15 Bruce Hornsby—Every Little Kiss—RCA	57%			99%			26%	32		Still hot A/C
16 Bryan Adams—Hearts On Fire—A&M	69%				86%		25.8%	20		AOR dominated
17 Kool & The Gang—Holiday—Mercury/PG	23%			98%	34%		25.8%			Moving well B/C and pop
18 Starship—It's Not Over...—RCA	67%				82%		24.8	18		LP just out
19 Madonna—Who's That Girl—Sire/WB	91%			50%			23.5%	16	5	Soundtrack LP soon
20 Los Lobos—La Bamba—Slash/WB	76%			18%	43%		22.8%	28	20	#51 to #40 this week

BLACK CONTEMPORARY

AN IN DEPTH ANALYSIS OF THE MARKETS

MARKET AT A GLANCE

MOST ADDED Out Of A Possible 72 Stations

#1 SINGLES

68 Stations Reported This Week

Love Power
Dionne Warwick & Jefferey Osbourne—Arista
14 Adds

Dance All Night
DeBarge—Striped Horse
12 Adds

Making Love In The Rain
Herb Alpert—A&M
12 Adds

No One In The World
Anita Baker—Elektra
11 Adds



RETAIL



I Feel Good All Over
Stephanie Mills—MCA

Smooth Sillin' Tonight
Isley Bros.—Warner Bros.

I'm Bad
L. L. Cool J—Def Jam/Columbia

Fake
Alexander O'Neil—Tabu/Epic

REQUESTS



Show Me The Way
Regina Belle—Columbia

I Feel Good All Over
Stephanie Mills—MCA

I'm Bad
L. L. Cool J—Def Jam/Columbia

Fake
Alexander O'Neil—Tabu/Epic

ALBUM ALLEY

Katt Walk—Kathy Mathis—Tabu On the heels of her smash hit single "In The Latenight Hour", Kathy Mathis releases Her debut LP, for Epic Distributed Tabu Records. This nine song set includes her forthcoming single ~"Baby I'm Hooked", an uptempo smash that showcases her Vocal and Keyboard talents. Other standouts from the album include; "Now That You're Gone" and "Straight From The Heart". The Album was produced by The S.O.S. band's Stewart Hanley.

NEW AND HOT 45'S

Red Hot—Princess—Polydor
Good Intentions—Eva Cherry—Capitol
No One In The World—Anita Baker—Elektra
Summer Nights—Grover Washington, Jr.—Columbia
You're A Sensation—Furver Friends—TSE
Have You Seen Davy—Davy D—Def Jam/Columbia

HIGH PRIORITY



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BLACK CONTEMPORARY SCOREBOARD

Record Rank	Title	Lst. Wk.	Ttl. Wks.	Req. Rank	Rotat.	Sales Rank	Video	Current LP			Hot Cuts
								Current Tour	This Wk.	Ttl. Wks.	
1	Isley Bros.-Smooth Sailing-Warner Bros.	4	10	1	H	3	Y		8	5	A Good Woman
2	Regina Belle-Show Me The Way-Columbia	6	11	3	H	5	Y		25	4	
3	Stephanie Mills-I Feel Good All Over-MCA	1	12	2	H	2	Y	Y	14	4	
4	Alexander O'Neal-Fake-TABU/Epic	9	8	5	H	13	Y	Y			
5	L.L. Cool J.-I'm Bad-Columbia	7	9	4	L	6	Y	Y	1	5	
6	Whitney Houston-I Wanna Dance-Arista	3	10	6	H	1	Y		2	5	For Love of You
7	Janet Jackson-Pleasure Principle-A&M	12	9	9	H	8	Y	Y	29	73	
8	Jonathon Butler-Lies-Jive/RCA	5	13	8	H	7	Y		21	25	
9	Lillo Thomas-I'm In Love-Capitol	15	9	10	H	11	Y	Y	26	12	
10	Prince-If I Were Your Girlfriend-WB	10	8	16	H	14	Y	Y	15	12	House Quake
11	Jody Watley-Still A Thrill-MCA	2	12	7	H	4	Y		5	17	
12	4xFour-Want You For My Girlfriend-Capitol	11	12	17	H	15	Y		31	3	
13	Tawatha-Thigh Ride-Epic	17	9	11	H	16	Y	Y	64	0	
14	Luther Vandross-I Really Didn't Mean It-Epic	22	6	13	H	20	Y	Y	13	38	
15	Freddie Jackson-Jam Tonight-Capitol	23	5	14	H	26	Y	Y	6	37	
16	Natalie Cole-Jump Start-Manhattan	27	6	26	H	22	Y				
17	Fat Boys-Falling In Love-Tin Pan/Polydor	18	7	12	H	17	Y		11	5	
18	Donna Allen-Satisfied-21/ATCO	16	9	20	H	24	Y	Y			
19	Timex Social Club-Mixed Up World-Dayna/Fantasy	20	9	22	H	25	Y				
20	Diana Ross-Dirty Looks-RCA	14	9	19	H	10	Y		35	9	
21	Georgio-Tina Cherry-Motown	26	9	25	M	21	Y		42	11	
22	Smokey Robinson-One Heart Beat-Motown	28	6	27	H	23	Y	Y	3	16	
23	Vesta Williams-A Good Thing-A&M	21	10	23	M	19	Y	Y	63	2	
24	Aretha Franklin-Rock-A-Lot-Arista	24	9	24	M	27	Y		58	49	
25	Cheryl Lynn-If You Were Mine-Manhattan	31	6	28	M	28	Y				
26	Vaneese Thomas-Let's Talk It Over-Geffen	33	6	29	M	29	Y				
27	Herb Alpert-Diamonds-A&M	13	14	18	M	9	Y		7	17	Love In The Rain
28	Atlantic Starr-One Lover At A Time-WB	35	5	30	M	30	Y		10	14	
29	Kool & The Gang-Holiday-Mercury	38	3	32	M	33	Y		54	33	
30	Club Nouveau Why You Treat Me-WB	8	12	15	H	12	Y	Y	17	30	Heavy On My Mind
31	System-Nighttime Lover-Atlantic	41	4	37	M	37	Y	Y			
32	Miki Howard-Come Back-Atlantic	37	4	31	M	32	Y				
33	Whispers-Rock Steady-Solar/Capitol	19	13	21	L	18	Y	Y	4	10	
34	Levert-Casanova-Atlantic	51	3	36	M	35	Y	Y			
35	Babyface-I Love You Babe-Solar/Capitol	56	4	38	M	40	Y	Y			
36	Joyce Sims-Lifetime Love-Sleeping Bag	48	5	40	M	39	Y	Y			
37	La La-If You-Arista	36	11	34	L	34	Y		53	2	
38	RJ's Latest Arrival-Rhythm Method-Manhattan	34	14	33	L	31	Y				
39	Force MD's-Love Is A House-Tommy Boy	77	3	39	M	38	Y	Y			
40	J. Blackfoot/A. Hines-Tear Jerker-Edge	51	7	35	M	36		Y			

INDIE TOP 20

Title	Lst Wk.	Ttl. Wks.	Stations
1 J. Blackfoot/Ann Hines-Tear Jerker-Edge	1	9	Added WJLB & KJLH-Heavy Rotation WBMX-Top 50 Bullet And Rising
2 Val Young-Private Conversations-Amherst	7	6	Adds Include WATV & KATZ-FM-Heavy Rotation WTLC
3 Jesse James-I Can Do Bad...-T.T.E.D.	4	7	Added At WDAS-WBMX-WZAK-WPDQ-Bulleated in Cash Box
4 Joyce Simms-Lifetime Love-Sleeping Bag	10	8	Strong Radio Activity-Bullet Top 50 In Cash Box
5 Mini Curry-I Think I'm Over You-Total Experience	5	5	12 Adds Last Week Including-WVEE-WGCI-WTLC-WCKX-WQQK
6 Khaliq-You Go To My Head-Brofeel	5	8	WYLD-WHRK-WXOK-KQXL-KOKY-KDKS-WKXI-WZAZ
7 Touch-Without You-Supertronics	3	9	KQXL-WPDQ-WORL-WWIN-FM-WAMO-WDJY-WNHC-WANM
8 Delaney-Nice-Acklins	6	8	KSOL-WTMP-WZAK-KJAM-WLNR-WTLC-WDUR-WCKX
9 Johnnie Taylor-Make Me Late-Malaco	13	6	WDIA-WFXC-WCIN-Z103-WGPA-K104-WENN-WPAL-KOKY
10 Debbie Deb-I'M Searchin'-Jampacked	12	6	WDIA-WTMP-KPRS-KMJM-WJIZ-WHYZ-WKXI-WZAZ-WANM
11 Stetsasonic-Faye-Tommy Boy	11	8	WEDR-WIIZ-KJCB-WQIS-KHYS
12 John Burford-Ought To Be A Law-Macloa	2	10	K104-WBMX-WGCI-KPRS-WQFX-WALT-KIIZ-KMJM-WGPR
13 L.J. Reynolds-Tell Me-Fantasy	9	9	WOWI-WJIZ-WENN-Z93-WVOI-WVWS-WBLK-WDAS-WDIA
14 Aaron Allen-Do The Whop-Profile	18	2	KMJQ-WPAL-WFXC-WKXI-WZAZ-KJCB-WQIS-WALT-WEDR
15 Romeo-OOH Baby Baby-Triple T	17	2	5 Adds Last Week Including KMJQ-WJIZ-WATV-WPAL-WFXC
16 J.E. The P.C. From D.C.-Hello Rochelle-Alasam	16	4	WANN-WFKX-KCOH-KOKY-WVOL-WUSS-WEAL-WDKS-KXZZ
17 Microphone Masters-Francine-Eclipse	19	2	WJIZ-WTMP-WANM-WTLC-KDAY-WZAK-WVBM-KPOO-WORB
18 Whistle-Barbara's Bedroom-Select	8	14	WBMX-WKXI-WQIS-WALT-WQQK-WORL-Z103-KDKO-K104
19 Billy Freedom-I Don't Know-MDM	20	2	WVUM-XHRM-WHUR-KUSF-WVFS-KALX-KSJU-KPOO-KCR
20 DeBarge-Dance All Night-Striped Horse	-	D	16 Adds Reported Last Week-This Is A Smash!

COUNTRY

AN IN DEPTH ANALYSIS OF THE MARKETS

MARKET AT A GLANCE

MOST ADDED Out Of A Possible 119 Stations



108 Stations Reported This Week

Fishin' In The Dark
The Nitty Gritty Dirt Band—Warner Bros.
34 Adds

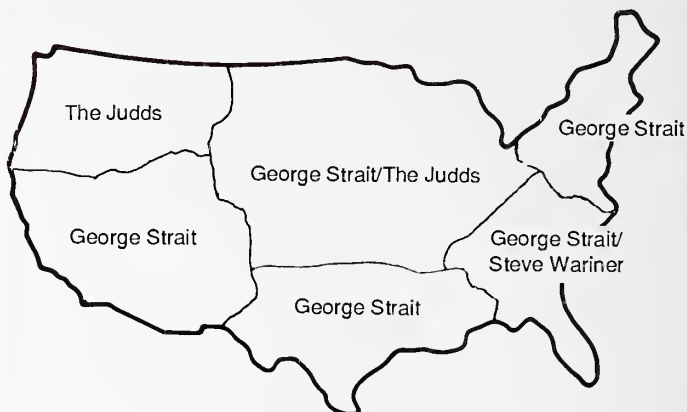
Mama's Rockin' Chair
John Conlee—Columbia
34 Adds

Love Reunited
The Desert Rose Band—MCA
27 Adds

Crazy Over You
Foster & Lloyd—RCA
24 Adds

What A Girl Next Door Could Do
Girls Next Door—MTM
24 Adds

#1 SINGLES



RETAIL



I Know Where I'm Going
The Judds—(RCA/Curb)
Forever And Ever, Amen
Randy Travis—(Warner Bros.)
The Weekend
Steve Wariner—(MCA)
Snap Your Fingers
Ronnie Milsap—(RCA)
Crime Of Passion
Ricky Van Shelton—Columbia)
One Promise Too Late
Reba McEntire—(MCA)

REQUESTS



Born To Boogie
Hank Williams, Jr.—(Warner Bros./Curb)
I Know Where I'm Going
The Judds—(RCA/Curb)
Snap Your Fingers
Ronnie Milsap—(RCA)
One Promise Too Late
Reba McEntire—(MCA)
Whiskey, If You Were A Woman
Highway 101—(Warner Bros.)
Love Someone Like Me
Holly Dunn—(MTM)
Crime Of Passion
Ricky Van Shelton—(Columbia)

HOT CUTS

Dwight Yoakam—Little Ways—(Hillbilly Deluxe)
The Judds—Turn It Loose—(Heartland)
Holly Dunn—Why Wyoming—(Cornerstone)
Randy Travis—Good Intentions—(Always And Forever)
Waylon Jennings—Chevy Van—(Hangin' Tough)

Alabama—Vacation—(The Touch)
Lee Greenwood—I'm Here To Love You—(If There's Any Justice)
Vince Gill—Everybody's Sweetheart—(The Way Back Home)
T. Graham Brown—RFD 30529—(Brilliant Conversationalist)
Ricky Van Shelton—Ultimately Fine—(Wild Eyed Dream)

HIGH PRIORITY

PAUL LOVELACE
CAPITOL



TANYA TUCKER
"LOVE ME LIKE YOU USED TO"

COUNTRY TOP 40 PLAYLIST

Record Rank	Title	Lst. Wk.	Ttl. Wks.	Req. Rank	Rotat.	Sales Rank	Video	Current LP			Hot Cuts
								Current Tour	This Wk.	Ttl. Wks.	
1	Steve Wariner-The Weekend-MCA	3	13	5	Hot	7	Y	Y	25	18	Hey Alarm Clock
2	Holly Dunn-Love Someone Like Me-MTM	4	12	6	Hot	8	N	Y	20	5	Why Wyoming
3	The Judds-I Know Where I'm Going-RCA/Curb	1	10	4	RC	4	N	Y	6	22	Turn It Loose
4	Reba McEntire-One Promise Too Late-MCA	6	8	3	Hot	3	N	Y	44	38	-
5	Ronnie Milsap-Snap Your Fingers-RCA	7	8	1	Hot	1	N	Y	-	-	-
6	George Strait-All My Ex's Live In Texas-MCA	2	12	-	RC	2	Y	Y	4	24	Hot Burning Flames
7	Ricky Skaggs/Sharon White-Love Can't Ever...-Epic	8	12	22	Hot	9	N	Y	43	38	Walkin' In Jerusalem
8	Highway 101-Whiskey, If You Were A Woman-WB	12	8	7	Hot	5	N	Y	-	-	-
9	Lee Greenwood-Someone-MCA	10	10	28	Hot	13	N	Y	-	-	Touch And Go Crazy
10	Michael Martin Murphy-A Long Line Of Love-WB	14	8	12	Hot	27	Y	Y	32	15	-
11	Waylon Jennings-Fallin' Out-MCA	13	9	29	Hot	17	N	Y	38	20	Chevy Van/Baker St.
12	Restless Heart-Why Does It Have To Be...-RCA	16	7	10	Hot	12	Y	Y	7	26	Wheels
13	Parton/Ronstadt/Harris-Telling Me Lies-WB	17	7	11	Hot	14	N	N	5	17	Those Memories Of You
14	Hank Williams, Jr.-Born To Boogie-WB/Curb	19	6	2	Hot	11	N	Y	-	-	-
15	Vince Gill-Cinderella-RCA	15	11	30	Med.	33	N	N	-	-	Everybody's Sweetheart
16	Kathy Mattea-Train Of Memories-Mercury	20	8	36	Hot	20	N	Y	14	34	-
17	Crystal Gayle/Gary Morris-Another World-WB	5	12	-	RC	19	N	Y	-	-	-
18	T. Graham Brown-Brilliant Conversationalist-Cptl.	23	7	16	Med.	18	Y	Y	23	4	RFD 30529
19	Ricky Van Shelton-Crime Of Passion-Columbia	9	14	13	RC	10	Y	Y	24	15	Ultimately Fine
20	Randy Travis-Forever And Ever, Amen-Warner Bros.	11	13	-	RC	6	Y	Y	1	8	Good Intentions
21	Don Williams-I'll Never Be In Love Again-Capitol	26	6	37	Med.	32	N	Y	-	-	-
22	Exile-She's Too Good To Be True-Epic	28	6	32	Med.	25	N	Y	-	-	-
23	Anne Murray-Are You Still In Love With Me-Capitol	24	10	42	Med.	22	N	Y	10	7	-
24	Glen Campbell-The Hand That Rocks The Cradle-MCA	29	7	9	Med.	28	N	N	-	-	-
25	The Oak Ridge Boys-This Crazy Love-MCA	31	6	21	Med.	31	N	Y	39	19	Rainbow At Midnight
26	The Statler Brothers-I'll Be The One-Mercury	32	6	18	Med.	36	N	Y	-	-	-
27	K.T. Oslin-80's Ladies-RCA	27	11	17	Med.	24	N	N	-	-	Younger Men
28	Judy Rodman-I'll Be Your Baby Tonight-MTM	34	5	34	Med.	38	N	Y	30	13	What's A Broken Heart
29	Baillie And The Boys-Oh Heart-RCA	18	12	31	RC	29	N	Y	-	-	-
30	Asleep At The Wheel-House Of Blue Lights-Epic	33	8	33	Med.	26	N	Y	18	16	Boogie Back To Texas
31	Kenny Rogers/Ronnie Milsap-Make No Mistake...-RCA	38	4	8	Med.	21	N	N	-	-	-
32	Lyle Lovett-Why I Don't Know-MCA/Curb	36	6	23	Med.	34	N	Y	36	35	-
33	George Jones-I Turn To You-Epic	21	9	15	RC	16	N	Y	17	38	Don't Leave Without...
34	Steve Earl & The Dukers-Nowhere Road-MCA	37	6	24	Med.	35	N	Y	16	5	Sweet Little '66
35	Michael Johnson-Ponies-RCA	39	5	25	Med.	39	N	Y	-	-	-
36	Dan Seals-Three Time Loser-EMI America	40	4	35	Med.	40	N	Y	48	37	On The Front Lint
37	The Forester Sisters-You Again-Warner Bros.	41	4	19	Med.	37	N	Y	-	-	-
38	Tom Wopat-Put Me Out Of My Misery-EMI	42	10	49	Lite	-	N	N	-	-	-
39	The O'Kanes-Daddies Need To Grow Up Too-Columbia	45	4	45	Lite	42	N	Y	21	26	-
40	The Shooters-Till The Old Wears Off-Epic	44	7	44	Lite	-	N	Y	-	-	-

ON DECK

Record Rank	Title	Lst Wk.	Ttl Wks	Req. Rank	Rot.	Sales Rank	On Vid	Current LP			Hot Cuts
								On Tour	This Wk	Ttl. Wks	
41	Girls Next Door-What A Girl Next Door...-MTM	51	3	51	Lite	-	N	Y	-	-	-
42	Rosanne Cash-The Way We Make A Broken ...-Col.	46	4	50	Lite	41	N	N	-	-	Rosie Strike Back
43	Barbara Mandrell-Child Support-EMI America	53	3	14	Lite	43	N	Y	-	-	-
44	Donna Fargo/Billy Joe Royal-Members Only-Mercury	48	4	20	Lite	-	N	Y	-	-	-
45	The Kendalls-Dancin' With Myself Tonight-Step One	52	3	39	Lite	-	Y	Y	-	-	The Rhythm Of Romance
46	Ride The River-The First Cut...-Advantage	47	5	46	Lite	-	N	Y	-	-	-
47	Ronnie McDowell-Make Me Late For Work.-MCA/Curb	49	3	38	Lite	-	N	Y	-	-	-
48	The Nitty Gritty Dirt Band-Fishin' In The Dark-WB	59	2	-	Lite	-	N	Y	22	11	Joe Knows How To Live
50	Liz Boardo-I Need To Be Loved Again-Master	50	6	47	Lite	-	N	Y	-	-	-
51	Conway Twitty-I Want To Know You Before...-MCA	60	2	-	Lite	-	N	Y	13	11	Snake Boots/Borderline
52	Patty Loveless-After All-MCA	57	3	27	Lite	-	Y	Y	-	-	-
53	Willie Nelson-Island In The Sea-Columbia	62	3	41	Lite	-	N	Y	-	-	-
54	Foster & Lloyd-Crazy Over You-RCA	65	2	-	Lite	-	N	N	-	-	-
55	John Conlee-Mama's Rockin' Chair-Columbia	64	2	-	Lite	-	N	Y	29	16	American Faces
56	The Wrays-You Lay A Lotta Love On Me-Mercury	58	5	40	Lite	-	N	Y	-	-	-
57	Charley Pride-If You Still Want A Fool..-16th Ave	D	D	-	Lite	-	N	Y	15	7	-
58	Shurfire-Bringin' The House Down-Air	63	4	-	Lite	-	N	Y	-	-	-
59	Tim Johnson-Between The Sun...-Sundial	61	6	-	Lite	-	N	N	-	-	-
60	The Desert Rose Band-Love Reunited-MCA	71	2	-	Lite	-	N	Y	50	D	He's Back And I'm Blue
61	Rodney Crowell-Looking For You-Columbia	66	4	-	Lite	-	N	N	-	-	-

Title	Lst Wk	Ttl. Wks.	Stations
1 The Kendalls -Dancin' With Myself Tonight-Step One	D	D	KMOO 43/33, KJUN 31/25, KICE D/29, WDLW 47/42, WKCW 30/24
2 Liz Boardo -I Need To Be Loved Again-Master	1	6	KMOO 21/15, WKCW 28/25, WQST 35/32, WGSQ 37/33, WPNX 34/31
3 Shurfire -Bringin' The House Down-Air	4	4	WSCG 29/25, KHOC 30/27, WPAY 39/34, KWRE 28/26, WSDS 47/39
4 Charley Pride -If You Still Want A Fool Around-16th Ave.	D	D	WCCN-A, KWKH-A, KTTS-A, KBOE-A, WTVR-A, WSDS-A
5 Tim Johnson -Between The Sun And San Antone-Sundial	3	5	KBFS 22/18, WVAR 42/38, WJJC 31/26, WGVM 31/28, KRKT 41/37
6 Razorback -Make A Living Out Of Loving You-Compleat	5	4	WQTE 30/26, KBFS 30/22, WSCG 23/18, WLET 36/34, KNOE 36/34
7 Billy Rowe -I May Never Get This Close Again-Sugar Mill	6	5	WVAR 28/25, WKCW 33/27, KMOO 35/27, KBFS 33/29, KCTI D/43
8 Johnny Russell & David Wilkins -Butterbeans-16th Ave.	D	D	WKDY D/42, WCVR D/46, KCTI D/47, WCAV D/48, KFRD D/49
9 Rusty Budde -I Always Will-BPC	9	4	KFRD 34/30, KBFS 38/31, WSCG 32/30, KMOO 27/20, WKCW 37/32
10 Marcia Lynn -Looking For A Feeling-Soundwaves	10	4	WSCP 31/26, WCVR 28/23, WVAR D/47, KHOC 45/42, WICO D/49
11 Jeanne Pruett -Rented Room-MSR	12	2	WICO 30/25, WSCP 34/24, WPAY 42/38, WSDS 46/38, WYXC D/42
12 R.C. Coin -Rainy Day Lovin'-BGM	8	5	WKDY 34/31, WGVM 32/30, KMOO 39/36, KBFS 39/38, WSDS 48/42
13 Leon -That Big Pink Truck-Stargem	14	2	KWRE 48/44, KYKX D/47, WPAY D/48, KWDJ D/50, WELE D/50
14 Cheryl Handy -Will You Still Love Me...?-Compleat	D	D	WYXC-A, WRIX-A, KFAY-A, WATZ-A, KFGO-A, KNOE-A
15 Gerry Baze & Touch Of Country -Bell Cow Creek-OL	D	D	KCTI D/39, KMOO 45/42, KRKT D/50, KFAY-A, WKKN-A, KAYZ-A
16 Allen Pace -Everybody I Know's Got An Ex-Art Pro	16	2	KWDJ 37/31, WKCW 46/43, KMOO D/48, WSWN D/49, KHOC D/49
17 Rosemary Sharp -Real Good Heartache-Canyon Creek	17	2	WGSQ D/49, KVOO D/49, KPOW A/49, WJBS-A, KAYZ-A, WSCP-A
18 Perry LaPointe -The Power Of A Woman-Door Knob	D	D	KMOO D/41, WVAR D/46, WLET D/49, WXCE-A, KJUN-A, KFGO-A
19 Marty Mitchell -In The Arms Of A Woman-Door Knob	18	3	WASP 36/33, WVAR 39/34, WLET 28/24, KBFS 44/37, WSCG 43/39
20 Earl McCowan -Beginning To Get Over You-Door Knob	19	2	WLET 21/14, WKCW 29/22, WPAY 38/35, WVAR 47/42, KJUN-A

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#1 Ricky Van Shelton
ADDS: Juice Newton (P), Kris Kristofferson, John Conlee

KJUN Puyallup, WA John Clark
#1 The Judds
ADDS: Sammy Sadler, Paul Proctor, Perry LaPointe, Shurfire, Leon, Easy Money, Liz Lynn Metz, Garland Frady, The Chattertons, Earl McCowan
REQUESTS: 1. Holly Dunn 2. Baillie & The Boys 3. K.T. Oslin

NORTH CENTRAL

KTTS Springfield, MO Tony Michaels
#1 The Judds
ADDS: The Desert Rose Band (P), Juice Newton, Charley Pride, John Conlee, Paul Proctor, Allen Pace (DH)
REQUESTS: 1. Steve Wariner 2. Reba McEntire 3. Highway 101

KVOX-FM Moorhead, MN Scott Winston
#1 Ronnie Milsap
ADDS: The Nitty Gritty Dirt Band (P), Lyle Lovett, The Forester Sisters, Joe Kenyon

KWRE Warrenton, MO Jody James
#1 George Strait
ADDS: Exile, Barbara Mandrell, Willie Nelson, Susannah, Wyatt Bros.

WAHC Neenah, WI Vicki Johnson
#1 Vince Gill
ADDS: Barbara Mandrell, Conway Twitty, The Desert Rose Band (P), Juice Newton
REQUESTS: 1. Ronnie Milsap 2. Highway 101 3. Hank Williams, Jr.

WKKN Rockford, IL Ron Scott
#1 The Judds
ADDS: Girls Next Door, Barbara Mandrell (P), The Chattertons, Liz Boardo, Rosanne Cash, Johnny Russell/David Wilkins, Victoria Hallman, Larry Frye, Jerry Clymer, Earl McCowan, Gerry Baze, Dan Willis, Boots Clements, Perry LaPointe, Cheryl Handy, Marie Lester
REQUESTS: 1. Lee Greenwood 2. Crystal Gayle/Gary Morris 3. Ronnie Milsap

WKTY LaCrosse, WI Karen Williams
#1 George Strait
ADDS: The Forester Sisters, The O'Kanes (P), Donna Fargo/Billy Joe Royal, Girls Next Door, The Kendalls (DH), Bonnie Leigh
REQUESTS: 1. Michael Martin Murphey 2. Restless Heart 3. Kenny Rogers/Ronnie Milsap

WLCO Clyde, OH Eddie Cruz, Sr.
#1 George Strait
ADDS: Craig Southern, Baker Knight, Steven Silver (P), Kathy Edge (DH), Shenandoah, Perry LaPointe, Victoria Hallman, Bobby McGee, Emmylou Harris, Cheryl Handy, Easy Money, Ernie Bivens III, Shurfire

WPAY Portsmouth, OH Timothy Shepherd
#1 George Jones
ADDS: Hutchins Bros., Cheryl Handy, Larry Dalton, Kim Grayson (DH), Larry Frye, Denny Bacon, Tommy Wolfe, Jerry Clymer, Durelle Ames, Don Williams, Marie Osmond, Judy Rodman, The Forester Sisters, Charley Pride (P), Parton/Ronstadt/Harris
REQUESTS: 1. Restless Heart 2. T. Graham Brown 3. Hank Williams, Jr.

NORTHEAST

WCAO Baltimore, MD Johnny Dark
#1 The Judds
ADDS: The O'Kanes, Donna Fargo/Billy Joe Royal, The Shooters, Ride The River, Rosanne Cash, Barbara Mandrell, Steve Earle & The Dukes, Charley Pride, Crystal Gayle, John Conlee, The Desert Rose Band, The Kendalls, Girls Next Door, The Nitty Gritty Dirt Band (P), Jeff Stevens & The Bullets (DH)
REQUESTS: 1. The Judds 2. Ronnie Milsap 3. Holly Dunn

WCVR-FM Randolph Center, VT Jim Workman
#1 Ronnie Milsap
ADDS: Charley Pride (DH), Conway Twitty, The O'Kanes (P), Barbara Mandrell, The Desert Rose Band, The Nitty Gritty Dirt Band
REQUESTS: 1. David Allan Coe 2. Michael Martin Murphey 3. Highway 101

WDSY-FM Pittsburgh, PA Mary Jo Kacsan
#1 The Judds
ADDS: Foster & Lloyd (P), The Shooters, The Nitty Gritty Dirt Band, The Desert Rose Band, Joe Kenyon, Steve Earle & The Dukes, Pake McEntire, The Forester Sisters, Rosanne Cash
REQUESTS: 1. The Judds 2. Steve Wariner 3. Ronnie Milsap

SOUTHWEST

KROW Reno, NV Joel Muller
#1 Ronnie Milsap
ADDS: The Nitty Gritty Dirt Band, John Conlee, Rodney Crowell, The Desert Rose Band, Kenyon, K.D. Lang
REQUESTS: 1. Michael Martin Murphey 2. Parton/Ronstadt/Harris 3. Michael Johnson

KSOP-FM Salt Lake City, UT Country Joe Flint
#1 The Judds
ADDS: The Kendalls, Juice Newton, Marie Osmond (P), Crystal Gayle, John Schneider, Liz Boardo
REQUESTS: 1. The Judds 2. Steve Wariner 3. Ricky Van Shelton

SOUTH CENTRAL

KCTI Gonzales, TX Jim Perkins
#1 George Strait
ADDS: The Chattertons, Allen Pace, Larry Dalton, Starla Faye, Earl McCowan, Marty Mitchell
REQUESTS: 1. George Strait 2. Ronnie Milsap 3. Ricky Van Shelton

KFAY Fayetteville, AR J.L. Fisk
#1 Michael Martin Murphey
ADDS: The Oak Ridge Boys, Rosanne Cash, Crystal Gayle, Gerry Baze, Marie Lester, Johnny Russell/David Wilkins (DH), Cheryl Handy, Deborah Meadows
REQUESTS: 1. Dwight Yoakam 2. Highway 101 3. Ricky Skaggs/Sharon White

KKTC Brownfield, TX Jack Dennison
#1 The Judds
ADDS: Shenandoah, John Schneider, K. D. Lang, Conway Twitty, Charley Pride (DH), Marie Osmond, Crystal Gayle, Kris Kristofferson, Jerry Jeff Walker, Nanci Griffith, The Beat Farmers
REQUESTS: 1. Crystal Gayle 2. Sylvia

KSIW Woodward, OK Guy St. Clair
#1 Ronnie Milsap
ADDS: Marie Osmond, Charley Pride (P), A.J. Masters, Johnny Russell/David Wilkins, Wyatt Bros. (DH)
REQUESTS: 1. Barbara Mandrell 2. Kenny Rogers/Ronnie Milsap

SOUTHEAST

WJJC Commerce, GA Keith Parnell
#1 George Strait
ADDS: Sammy Sadler, Charley Pride (P), Cheryl Handy, Kathy Edge, Paul Proctor, Noel Cash, Tommy Wolfe (DH), Paul Daniel, Susannah, Morgan Ruppe, Liz Lynn Metz
REQUESTS: 1. Ronnie Milsap 2. Reba McEntire 3. Highway 101

WLET Toccoa, GA Steve Hamby
#1 Randy Travis
ADDS: Charley Pride (P), Shenandoah, The Nitty Gritty Dirt Band, Morgan Ruppe, Billy Western, Fred Jaye, Billy Parker (DH)
REQUESTS: 1. George Strait 2. Randy Travis 3. Johnny Russell/David Wilkins

WLWI-FM Montgomery, AL Greg Mozingo
#1 The Judds
ADDS: John Conlee, Emmylou Harris, Juice Newton (P), Charley Pride (DH), Joni Bishop, Perry LaPointe
REQUESTS: 1. The Judds 2. Steve Wariner 3. Ronnie Milsap

WTVR Richmond, VA Mike Allen
#1 Baillie & The Boys
ADDS: Juice Newton, The Desert Rose Band, Willie Nelson, Crystal Gayle, Charley Pride, Hollie Hughes, Lynne Tyndall, Cheryl Handy (P), Perry LaPointe, Gail Veach, Allen Pace, Billy Western, Rusty Budde
REQUESTS: 1. Kathy Mattea 2. Restless Heart 3. Judy Rodman

WWVA Wheeling, WV Bill Berg
#1 The Judds
ADDS: Crystal Gayle, Perry LaPointe (DH), The Nitty Gritty Dirt Band, The O'Kanes, George Highfill, The Desert Rose Band, John Schneider, Shurfire, Joe Kenyon, Johnny Russell/David Wilkins, Donna Fargo/Billy Joe Royal, Barbara Mandrell, Jeff Stevens & The Bullets, Juice Newton, Girls Next Door (P)
REQUESTS: 1. Parton/Ronstadt/Harris 2. Kathy Mattea 3. Exile

WYXC Cartersville, GA Julie Frew
#1 George Strait
ADDS: The Girls Next Door, The Nitty Gritty Dirt Band, Emmylou Harris, The Desert Rose Band, Rosanne Cash, Bob Acres, Kaylee Adams, Gerry Baze, Joni Bishop, The Chattertons, Easy Money, Cheryl Handy, Tim Johnson, Jimmy Ray
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			L	W		L	W		L	W				
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1	WHITNEY 9.98 WHITNEY HOUSTON (Arista AL-8405)RCA		1	5	34	SURFACE- (Columbia BFC 40374)CBS		35	10	67	MIDNIGHT TO MIDNIGHT- PSYCHEDELIC FURS (Columbia FC 40466)CBS		56	20
2	THE JOSHUA TREE 9.98 U2 (Island/Atlantic 90581)WEA		2	16	35	LET IT LOOSE GLORIA ESTEFAN AND MIAMI SOUND MACHINE (Epic OE 40769)CBS		42	5	68	READY OR NOT 8.98 LOU GRAMM (Atlantic 81728)WEA		64	21
3	BAD ANIMALS 8.98 HEART (Capitol PJ 12546)CAP		4	7	36	FREHLEY'S COMET 8.98 ACE FREHLEY (Megaforce/ Atlantic 81749-1)WEA		34	9	69	GIVE ME THE REASON-- LUTHER VANDROSS (Epic FE 40415) CBS		61	40
	4 WHITESNAKE 8.98 (Geffen 24099)WEA		5	14	37	RAPTURE- 8.98 ANITA BAKER (Elektra 9-60444) WEA		31	67	70	RED HOT RHYTHM & BLUES 8.98 DIANA ROSS (RCA 6388-1-R)RCA		63	8
5	BIGGER AND DEFFER L.L. COOL J (Def Jam FC 40793)CBS		6	5	38	CRUSHIN' 8.98 THE FAT BOYS (Tin Pan Apple 831 948-1)POL		43	6	71	MECHANICAL RESONANCE 8.98 TESLA (Geffen GHS 24120)WEA		69	23
6	DUOTONES 8.98 KENNY G (Arista AL8 8427)RCA		7	24	39	INTO THE LIGHT 8.98 CHRIS De BURGH (A&M SP 5121)RCA		40	17	72	PLEASED TO MEET ME 8.98 THE REPLACEMENTS (Sire 25557-1)WEA		71	10
7	GIRLS, GIRLS, GIRLS 8.98 MOTLEY CRUE (Elektra 60725-1)WEA		3	7	40	LIFE, LOVE & PAIN- 8.98 CLUB NOUVEAU (Warner Bros. 9-25531)WEA		38	27	73	2 LIVE CREW 8.98 (Luke Skywalker XR100IND		72	13
8	SLIPPERY WHEN WET- 8.98 BON JOVI (Mercury 830 264-1M-1)POL		8	46	41	STRONG PERSUADER- 8.98 ROBERT CRAY (Mercury 830 568-1) POL		30	32	74	I'M NO ANGEL- THE GREGG ALLMAN BAND (Epic FE 40531)CBS		65	20
	9 TANGO IN THE NIGHT 9.98 FLEETWOOD MAC (Warner Bros... 25471-1)WEA		11	12	42	NEVER LET ME DOWN 9.98 DAVID BOWIE (EMI America PJ 17267)CAP		26	11	75	BREAKFAST CLUB 8.98 (MCA 5821)MCA		73	17
10	GRACELAND- 9.98 PAUL SIMON (Warner Bros. 25447) WEA		10	45	43	RUNNING IN THE FAMILY 8.98 LEVEL 42 (Polydor 831-593-1)POL		39	14	76	RAINDANCING ALISON MOYET (Columbia BFC 40653)CBS		80	5
11	SOLITUDE STANDING 8.98 SUZANNE VEGA (A&M SP 5136)4)RCA		13	10	44	CONTROL- 9.98 JANET JACKSON (A&M SP-3905) RCA		48	73	77	FREEDOM-NO COMPROMISE 8.98 LITTLE STEVEN (Manhattan ST 53048)CAP		74	6
12	SPANISH FLY- LISA LISA AND CULT JAM (Columbia 40477)		12	11	45	TRIO 9.98 DOLLY PARTON, LINDA RONSTADT, EMMYLOU HARRIS (Warner Bros. 25491)WEA		41	18	78	MEN AND WOMEN 8.98 SIMPLY RED (Elektra 60727)WEA		76	17
13	TRIBUTE OZZY OSBOURNE/RANDY RHOADS (Epic ZX2 40714)CBS		9	11	46	RADIO K.A.O.S. ROGER WATERS (Columbia FC 40795)CBS		66	3	79	RICHARD MARX 8.98 (Manhattan ST 53049)CAP		88	4
14	CROWDED HOUSE 8.98 (Capitol ST-12485)CAP		14	23	47	BROADCAST 8.98 CUTTING CREW (Virgin/Atlantic 90573)WEA		44	18	80	LOUDER THAN BOMBS-12.98 THE SMITHS (Sire/Warner Bros. 25569-1)WEA		79	14
15	BEVERLY HILLS COP II 9.98 ORIGINAL MOTION PICTURE SOUNDTRACK (MCA 6207)MCA		17	6	48	THE FINAL COUNTDOWN- EUROPE (Epic BFE 40241)CBS		46	27	81	HILLBILLY DELUXE 8.98 DWIGHT YOAKAM (Reprise 25567)WEA.		78	10
16	KEEP YOUR EYE ON ME 8.98 HERB ALPERT (A&M SP 5125)RCA		16	18	49	SAMMY HAGAR 8.98 (Geffen 24114)WEA		68	2	82	ROCK THE HOUSE 8.98 D.J. JAZZY JEFF AND THE FRESH PRINCE (Jive 1026-1-J)RCA		77	13
17	LOOK WHAT THE CAT- 8.98 DRAGGED IN POISON (Enigma ST 12523)CAP		18	48	50	EXILES DAN FOGELBERG (Full Moon/Epic OE 40271)CBS		55	5	83	CAN'T HOLD BACK- EDDIE MONEY (Columbia FC 40096) CBS		81	46
18	KISS ME, KISS ME, KISS ME 9.98 THE CURE (Elektra 60737-1)WEA		20	5	51	LOVE AN ADVENTURE 8.98 PSEUDO ECHO (RCA 5730)RCA		52	16	84	BIG LIFE 8.98 NIGHT RANGER (MCA 5839)MCA		85	15
19	BACK IN THE HIGH LIFE- 8.98 STEVE WINWOOD (Island/Warner Bros. 25448-1) WEA		19	53	52	JONATHAN BUTLER 8.98 (Jive/RCA 1032-1-J)RCA		60	6	85	ARETHA- 8.98 ARETHA FRANKLIN (Arista AL-8442) RCA		83	37
20	LET ME UP (I'VE HAD ENOUGH)8.98 TOM PETTY AND THE HEARTBREAKERS (MCA 5836)MCA		22	11	53	TRUE BLUE- 9.98 MADONNA (Sire 25442-1) WEA		51	53	86	ROBBIE NEVIL 8.98 (Manhattan/EMI ST 53006)CAP		92	31
21	INTO THE FIRE 9.98 BRYAN ADAMS (A&M SP 3907)RCA		23	14	54	HAPPY TOGETHER 8.98 THE NYLONS (Open Air OA 0306)RCA		59	10	87	SEE HOW WE ARE 8.98 X (Elektra 60492)WEA		114	2
22	ONE VOICE- BARBARA STREISAND (Columbia OC40788)		15	11	55	ELECTRIC 8.98 THE CULT (Sire 25555-1)WEA		49	13	88	LES MISERABLES 17.98 ORIGINAL BROADWAY CAST RECORDING (Geffen GHS 24151)WEA		93	5
23	INVISIBLE TOUCH- 9.98 GENESIS (Atlantic 81641) WEA		21	56	56	WARREN ZEVON 8.98 (Virgin 90603)WEA		62	3	89	SO- 8.98 PETER GABRIEL (Geffen GHS 24088) WEA		86	59
24	ALL IN THE NAME OF LOVE 8.98 ATLANTIC STARR (Warner Bros. 25560-1)WEA		25	14	57	JUST LIKE THE FIRST TIME 8.98 FREDDIE JACKSON (Capitol ST 12495)CAP		53	37	90	FORE!- HUEY LEWIS AND THE NEWS (Chrysalis OV 41534)CBS		82	45
25	SIGN "O" THE TIMES 15.98 PRINCE (Paisley Park/Warner Bros. 25577-1)WEA		24	14	58	SMOOTH SAILIN' 8.98 THE ISLEY BROTHERS (Warner Bros. 25586)WEA		70	60	91	SKYLARKING 8.98 XTC (Geffen/Warner Bros. GHS 24117)WEA		87	30
26	LICENSED TO ILL- BEASTIE BOYS (Def Jam BFL 40238)CBS		27	35	59	COLLABORATION 8.98 GEORGE BENSON & EARL KLUGH (Warner Bros. 25580)WEA		100	3	92	GYPSY BLOOD MASON RUFFNER (CBS Associated BFZ 40601)CBS		98	4
27	THE WAY IT IS- 8.98 BRUCE HORNSBY & THE RANGE (RCA NFL1-8058) RCA		29	55	60	ONE HEARTBEAT 8.98 SMOKEY ROBINSON (Motown 6226 ML)MCA		54	12	93	RAISING HELL- 8.98 RUN D.M.C. (Profile PRO 1217) IND		95	59
28	JODY WATLEY 8.98 (MCA 5898)MCA		28	18	61	IF I WERE YOUR WOMAN 8.98 STEPHANIE MILLS (MCA 5996)MCA		75	4	94	CONTAGIOUS 8.98 Y & T (Geffen GHS 24142)WEA		119	4
29	EXPOSURE 8.98- EXPOSÉ (Arista 8441) RCA		32	21	62	COMING AROUND AGAIN 8.98 CARLY SIMON (Arista AL-8443)RCA		50	13	95	WHIPLASH SMILE- BILLY IDOL (Chrysalis OV 41514) CBS		84	37
30	ALWAYS & FOREVER- 8.98 RANDY TRAVIS (Warner Bros. 25568-1)		33	9	63	ANOTHER STEP 8.98 KIM WILDE (MCA 5903)MCA		57	12	96	DANCING ON THE CEILING-- 8.98 LIONEL RICHIE (Motown 6158ML)MCA		90	47
31	JUDAS PRIEST...LIVE! JUDAS PRIEST (Columbia C240794)CBS		36	5	64	DEAD LETTER OFFICE/ 8.98 B-SIDES COMPILED R.E.M.(IRS/A&M SP 70054)RCA		45	10	97	LIFE AS WE KNOW IT- REO SPEEDWAGON (Epic FE 40444)CBS		94	20
32	IT JUST GETS BETTER 8.98 WITH TIME WHISPERS (Solar ST-72554)CAP		37	11	65	DON'T DISTURB THIS 8.98 GROOVE THE SYSTEM (Atlantic 81691)WEA		67	26	98	KOOL MOE DEE 8.98 (Jive 1025-1-J)RCA		91	13
33	BANGIN' THE OUTFIELD (Columbia OC 40619)CBS		47	3	66	NIGHT SONGS- 8.98 CINDERELLA (Mercury 830 076-1M-1)POL		58	50	99	GLENN MEDEIROS 8.98 (Amherst AMH 3313)IND		105	6
										100	FEMALE TROUBLE 8.98 NONA HENDRYX (EMI America ST 17248)CAP		89	10

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101	BRIDGE OF SPIES 8.98 T'PAU (Virgin 90595)WEA	110	4	134	4 BY FOUR 8.98 (Capitol ST-12560)CAP	136	4	168	SHE WAS ONLY A 8.98 GROCER'S DAUGHTER- THE BLOW MONKEYS (RCA 6246-1)RCA	164	13
102	AMONG THE LIVING 8.98 ANTHRAX (Megaforce/Island 90584-1)WEA	101	13	135	LITTLE AMERICA 8.98 (Geffen GHS 24113)WEA	126	6	169	THE HOUSE OF BLUE LIGHT 8.98 DEEP PURPLE (Mercury 831 318 1)POL	166	25
103	FOREVER 8.98 KOOL & THE GANG (Mercury 830 398-1)POL	97	34	136	TO HELL WITH THE DEVIL-- STRYPHER (Enigma P/JAS 73237)CAP	128	35	170	LOUD AND CLEAR 8.98 AUTOGRAPH (RCA 5796-1-R)RCA	167	15
104	WISHES 9.98 JON BUTCHER (Capitol ST 12542)CAP	102	12	137	BLOW YOUR COOL 8.98 HOODOO GURUS (Elektra 60728-1)WEA	125	12	171	WEAPONS OF LOVE 8.98 THE TRUTH (I.R.S. 5981)MCA	157	9
105	JOIN THE ARMY 8.98 SUICIDAL TENDENCIES (Caroline CAROL 1336)IND	96	9	138	GEORGIA SATELLITES 8.98 (Elektra 60496-1)WEA	130	36	172	CLUTCHING AT STRAWS 8.98 MARILLION (Capitol ST-12539)CAP	DEBUT	
106	FROZEN GHOST 8.98 (Atlantic B1736)WEA	104	11	139	TELL NO TALES 8.98 T N T (Mercury 830 979-1)POL	140	8	173	ZAGORA 8.98 LOOSE ENDS (MCA 5745)MCA	168	20
107	THE RETURN OF BRUNO 8.98 BRUCE WILLIS (MCA 6222)MCA	99	23	140	INTO THE WOODS 8.98 THE CALL (Elektra 60739)WEA	149	2	174	SENSATIONAL 8.98 STARPOINT (Elektra 60722)WEA	170	18
108	PERFECT TIMING 8.98 DONNA ALLEN (21 Records/Alco 90548)WEA	106	16	141	PHANTOM OF THE OPERA 8.98 ORIGINAL CAST (Polydor 831 273 1)POL	134	8	175	RIPTIDE 8.98 ROBERT PALMER (Island 90471)WEA	171	85
109	REACT 8.98 THE FIXX (MCA 42008)MCA	DEBUT		142	CLOSE TO THE BONE 8.98 THOMPSON TWINS (Arista AL 8449)RCA	129	13	176	WATER UNDER THE BRIDGE DENISE WILLIAMS (Columbia F C 40486)CBS	173	8
110	SHIRLEY MURDOCK I- 8.98 SHIRLEY MURDOCK (Elektra 9 60433)WEA	103	27	143	UNDER THE VOLCANO 8.98 ROCK AND HYDE (Capitol ST 12569)CAP	138	10	177	PLATOON 9.98 ORIGINAL MOTION PICTURE SOUNDTRACK (Atlantic B1742)WEA	162	15
111	COME AS YOU ARE 8.98 PETER WOLF (EMI America ST 17230)CAP	108	15	144	STORMS OF LIFE 8.98 RANDY TRAVIS (Warner Bros. 25435-1)WEA	145	56	178	7800 DEGREES FAHRENHEIT 8.98 BON JOVI (Mercury 824 509-1)POL	177	27
112	WHITNEY HOUSTON 8.98 (Arista ALB-8211)RCA	113	121	145	BREAK EVERY RULE 9.98 TINA TURNER (Capitol PJ 12530)CAP	143	43	179	LIVING ALL ALONE 8.98 PHYLLIS HYMAN (Manhattan ST 53029)CAP	169	40
113	NAJEE'S THEME 8.98 NAJEE (EMI America ST 17241)CAP	107	20	146	SPECIALLY FOR YOU 8.98 THE SMITHEREENS (Enigma ST-73208)CAP	144	46	180	SHEILA E. 8.98 (Paisley Park 25498-1)WEA	174	19
114	PRIVATE REVOLUTION 8.98 WORLD PARTY (Ensign/Chrysalis BFV 41552)CBS	109	24	147	ROVER'S RETURN 8.98 JOHN WAITE (EMI America 46332)CAP	DEBUT		181	HIPSWAY- (Columbia BFC 40522)CBS	172	21
115	DIFFERENT LIGHT-- BANGLES (Columbia BFC 40039)CBS	111	76	148	TOP GUN-- ORIGINAL MOTION PICTURE- SOUNDTRACK (Columbia SC 40323)CBS	142	59	182	THE MISSION 9.98 ORIGINAL MOTION PICTURE SOUNDTRACK (Virgin 90567)WEA	175	24
116	AUGUST 9.98 ERIC CLAPTON (Duck/Warner Bros. 25476-1)WEA	112	32	149	KEEL 8.98 (MCA/Gold Mountain 420025)MCA	155	3	183	THE COST OF LIVING 8.98 STYLE COUNCIL (Polydor 831 443-1)POL	176	13
117	DIFFERENT DRUMMER ISLEY, JASPER, ISLEY (CBS Associated FZ 40409)CBS	120	8	150	HEARTLAND 8.98 THE JUDDS (Curb/RCA 5916-1-R)RCA	137	13	184	ROCKIN' WITH THE RHYTHM 8.98 THE JUDDS (Curb/RCA AHL-1-7042)RCA	180	20
118	WHEELS 8.98 RESTLESS HEART (RCA 5648-1-R)RCA	115	10	151	THE OTHER ONES 8.98 (Virgin 90576)WEA	141	8	185	A NICE PLACE TO BE 8.98 GEORGE HOWARD (MCA 5855)MCA	182	25
119	A CHANGE OF HEART 9.98 DAVID SANBORN (Warner Bros. 27479)WEA	117	23	152	TRUE COLORS-- CYNDI LAUPER (Portrait ORJ40313)CBS	146	42	186	THE BRIDGE-- BILLY JOEL (Columbia OC40402)CBS	181	49
120	GOT TO BE TOUGH 8.98 MC SHY D. (Luke Skywalker XH-1004)	123	6	153	THE JETS 8.98 (MCA 5667)MCA	148	23	187	THE WHOLE STORY 9.98 KATE BUSH (EMI America PWAS 17242)CAP	183	31
121	HARD TIMES IN THE LAND OF PLENTY OMAR AND THE HOWLERS (Columbia BFC 40815)CBS	133	5	154	WORLD FRONTIER 8.98 GARY MOORE (Virgin 90588)WEA	156	4	188	LIVE ALIVE- STEVIE RAY VAUGHN AND DOUBLE TROUBLE (Epic E2 40511)CBS	186	33
122	THIRD STAGE 9.98 BOSTON (MCA 6188)MCA	121	41	155	LIVE 9.98 THE MANHATTAN TRANSFER (Atlantic E1723)WEA	151	6	189	SPONTANEOUS INVENTIONS 9.98 BOBBY McFERRIN (Blue Note BT 85110)CAP	185	12
123	MOSAIC- WANG CHUNG (Geffen GHS 24115)WEA	124	37	156	PASSION 8.98 ROBIN TROWER (GNP 2187)GNP	152	21	190	THE TONIGHT SHOW BAND WITH DOC SEVERINSON- (Amherst AMHY 3311)IND	184	26
124	WORD UP 8.98 CAMEO (Atlanta Artists 830 265)POL	116	44	157	WATCH OUT! 8.98 PATRICE RUSHEN (Arista AL-8401)RCA	147	17	191	FAMOUS BLUE RAINCOAT 8.98 JENNIFER WARNES (Cypress 661 111-1)POL	178	21
125	THUNDER 8.98 ANDY TAYLOR (MCA 5837)MCA	118	16	158	ALL BY MYSELF REGINA BELLE (Columbia BFC 40537)CBS	DEBUT		192	WILL POWER 8.98 JOE JACKSON (A&M SP 3908)RCA	179	10
126	LA BAMBA 9.98 Original Motion Picture Soundtrack (Slash/Warner Bros. 25605)WEA	DEBUT		159	UN HOMBRE SOLO JULIO IGLESIAS (Discos DJL 50337)CBS	161	3	193	GREATEST HITS- AEROSMITH (Columbia PC 36865)CBS	188	25
127	EXIT 0 8.98 STEVE EARLE (MCA 5998)MCA	135	4	160	STAND BY ME 9.98 ORIGINAL MOTION PICTURE SOUNDTRACK (Atlantic E1677-1-E)WEA	165	13	194	BOSTON- (Epic JE 34188)CBS	189	34
128	LIFE 8.98 NEIL YOUNG & CRAZY HORSE (Geffen 24154)WEA	DEBUT		161	BOI-NGO 8.98 OINGO BOINGO (MCA 5811)MCA	153	15	195	LIVE 8.98 HANK WILLIAMS, Jr. (Warner Bros. 25538-1)WEA	191	22
129	LET ME TOUCH YOU 8.98 THE O'JAYS (Philadelphia International/EMI ST 53036)	131	6	162	NEVER ENOUGH- PATTY SMYTH (Columbia F C 40182)CBS	150	17	196	DANCING UNDERCOVER 8.98 RATT (Atlantic B1683-1)WEA	198	40
130	MARY JEAN & 9 OTHERS 8.98 MARSHALL CRENSHAW (Warner Bros. 25583)WEA	132	4	163	LILLO 8.98 LILLO THOMAS (Capitol ST 12450)CAP	158	10	197	LIKE A ROCK 9.98 BOB SEGER & THE SILVER BULLET BAND (Capitol PT 12398)CAP	195	65
131	BY THE LIGHT OF THE MOON 8.98 LOS LOBOS (Slash/Warner Bros. 25523-1)WEA	122	24	164	BETTER THAN HEAVEN 8.98 STACEY O (Atlantic B1676-1)WEA	160	42	198	TWO FISTED TALES 8.98 THE LONG RYDERS (Island 90594)WEA	187	10
132	OPERA SAUVAGE 8.98 VANGELIS (Polydor 829 663-1)POL	127	18	165	SHAKE YOU DOWN-- GREGORY ABBOTT (Columbia BFC 40437)CBS	154	37	199	TEM WOMAN WIRE TRAIN (Columbia BFC-40387)CBS	190	9
133	BRING THE FAMILY 8.98 JOHN HIATT (A&M SP 5158)RCA	139	4	166	POWER 8.98 LAKE SIDE (Solar ST-72553)CAP @BVJ -	163	13	200	RAISED ON RADIO-- JOURNEY (Columbia OC 39936)CBS	192	63
				167	CHICAGO 18 8.98 CHICAGO (Warner Bros. 25509-1)WEA	159	41				

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2 Live Crew	73	Chicago	167	Gratin, Lou	68	Kool & The Gang	98	Najee	113	Run D.M.C.	93	Travis, Randy	30,144	XTC	91
Four By Four	134	Cinderella	66	Hagar, Sammy	49	Lakeside	166	Nevil, Robbie	86	Rushen, Patrice	157	Trio	45	Y&T	94
Abbott, Gregory	165	Clapton, Eric	116	Heart	3	Lauper, Cyndi	152	Night Ranger	84	Sanborn, David	119	Trower, Robin	156	Yoakam, Dwight	81
Adams, Bryan	21	Club Nouveau	40	Hendryx, Nona	100	Level 42	43	The Nylons	54	Seeger, Bob	197	The Truth	171	Young, Neil	128
Aerosmith	193	Cray, Robert	41	Hissway	181	Lewis, Huey	90	The O'Jays	129	Sheila E.	180	Turner, Tina	145	Zevon, Warren	56
Allen, Donna	108	Crenshaw, Marshall	130	Hoodoo Gurus	137	Lisa Lisa	12	Oingo Boingo	161	Simon, Carly	62	U2	2		
Allman, Gregg	74	Crowded House	14	Hornsby, Bruce	27	Little America	135	Omar And The Howlers	121	Simon, Paul	10	Vandross, Luther	69		
Alpert, Herb	16	The Cult	55	Houston, Whitney	112,1	Little Steven	77	Osbourne, Ozzy	77	Simply Red	78	Vangelis	132	Beverly Hills Cop II	15
Anthrax	102	The Cure	18	Howard, George	185	L.L. Cool J.	5	The Other Ones	151	Smithereens, The	146	Vaughn, Stevie Ray	188	La Bamba	126
Atlantic Starr	24	Cutting Crew	47	Hyatt, John	133	The Long Ryders	198	The Outfield	33	The Smitus	80	Vega, Suzanne	11	Les Miserable	88
Autograph	170	D.J. Jazzy Jeff	82	Hyman, Phyllis	179	Loose Ends	173	Palmer, Robert	175	Smyth, Patty	162	Waits, John	147	Mission	182
Baker, Anita	37	De Bugh, Chris	39	Idol, Billy	95	Los Lobos	131	Petty, Tom	20	Stacey Q	20	Wang Chung	123	Phantom Of The Opera	141
Bangles	115	Deep Purple	169	Iglesias, Julio	159	Madonna	53	Poison	17	Starpoint	174	Warnes, Jennifer	191	Phantom Of The Opera	177
Beastie Boys	26	Earle, Steve	127	Houston, Whitney	112,1	Marshall, Bobby	155	Prince	25	Streisand, Barbara	22	Waters, Roger	46	Stand By Me	160
Belle, Regina	158	Europe	48	Jackson, Janet	44	McFly, Richard	79	Pseudo Echo	51	Styler	130	Wauley, Jody	28		
Benson, Kluge	59	Expose	29	Jackson, John	192	McFerin, Bobby	189	Psychedelic Furs	79	Style Council	57	The Whispers	32		
The Blow Monkeys	168	Pat Boys	38	Jackson, John	192	Medeiros, Glen	99	R.E.M.	64	Suicidal Tendencies	105	Whitesnake	4		
Bon Jovi	8,178	The Fixx	109	Jackson, John	192	Miami Sound Machine	35	Ratt	196	Surface	34	Wild, Kiri	63		
Boston	122,194	Pleatwood Mac	69	Jones, David	153	Mills, Stephanie	83	The Replacements	72	System	65	Williams, Denise	176		
Bowie, David	42	Pogelberg, Dan	50	Journey	200	Money, Fiddie	61	RIO Speedwagon	97	T'Pau	101	Williams, Hank Jr.	195		
Breakfast Club	75	Franklin, Aretha	85	Judas Priest	31	Moore, Gary	154	Restless Heart	118	TNT	139	Willis, Bruce	107		
Bush, Kate	187	Frehley, Ace	36	The Juds	184,156	Motley Crue	7	Richie, Lionel	96	Taylor, Andy	125	Winwood, Steve	19		
Butcher, Jon	104	Frozen Ghost	106	Keel	149	Moyet, Alison	76	Robinson, Smokey	60	Teala	71	Wire Train	199		
Butler, Jonathan	52	Genesis	23	Kenny G	6	Murdock, Shirley	110	Rock And Hyde	143	Thomas, Lillo	142	World Party	114		
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Cameo	124							Ruffner, Mason	92	Tonight Show Band	190				

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The Cash Box Guide To (Many) Jazz Labels

Two years ago, I compiled the first "Cash Box Guide to (Many) Jazz Labels," and it was time to do it again—changes in jazz, both in the music and, more to the point, in the business, come rapidly. As usual, dozens of independent labels have come and gone in the two years, but, quite unusually, the major labels have shown a renewed interest in jazz, sparked, to some large degree, by the CD revolution.

In any case, what follows is by no means a complete guide to jazz labels, by no means at all. It doesn't even come close, quite frankly—there are hundreds more, here, in Europe, in Japan, in Australia. I've tried to include the American and European labels that are particularly large or particularly active or are serving some particularly valuable purpose. I've weeded out a lot of the teensy-weensy independent labels, including many of the dozens of labels run by musicians for the dissemination of their own music—there just wasn't the space. But I haven't left out all the teensy-weensys—there's one label here with only one album available—and I haven't left out all the musician-owned labels. In fact, I used no particular guidelines in assembling this except for one: I didn't include New Age labels, which did get included last time. There are two reasons for this: Foremost, I don't really think New Age has any more to do with jazz than it does with rock, folk, classical, and other musics and I'm quite certain that the buyers of New Age music are not jazz fans but, primarily, rock and pop fans. The other reason is that there are just too many New Age labels now—there would have been no room for them all. They, perhaps, deserve their own Guide, but that will have to wait for another time.

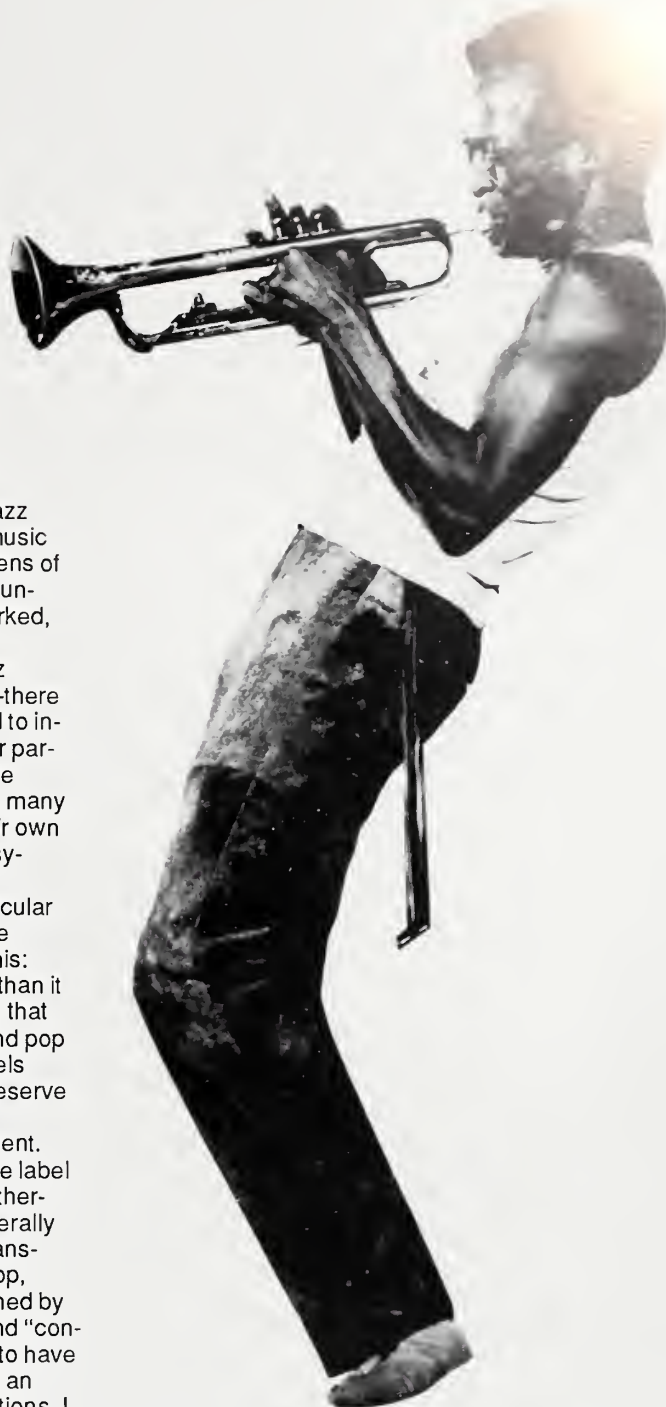
As last time, I tried to be objective here, I tried not to pass judgement. Some things still need explanation: where there was somebody at the label definitely in charge of jazz, that person's name is usually included; otherwise, I list the label's president (who, at the indies, is the person generally in charge of everything). As to terms: "traditional" means New Orleans-style music and the like; "swing" means swing; "bebop" means bebop, hard bop and some post-bop; "modern" means avant-garde or touched by the avant-garde; "fusion" means, generally, jazz/rock or jazz/pop; and "contemporary" means newly-recorded (that way it's possible for a label to have "contemporary traditional" artists). I've tried to, in parentheses, give an idea of the type of artists included on the label and, despite my intentions, I decided not to get into the question of who has what on CD (that's changing too rapidly and would be out-of-date tomorrow morning).

By the way, the ten photos used to illustrate this section are of the people I consider to be the ten most important jazz figures of all time. I will defend this list in a later issue.

The following distributors handle many labels (including many not listed here) and, in general, are excellent sources for jazz: New Music Distribution Service, 500 Broadway, New York, NY 10012 (212-925-2121); Northcountry Distributors, The Cadence Building, Redwood, NY 13679 (315-287-2852); Rounder Distribution, 1 Camp St., Cambridge, MA 02140 (617-354-0700); and Zim Records, P.O. Box 158, Jericho, NY 11753 (516-681-7102).

So with apologies to, amongst many others, Radiant, G.H., Bean, Sovereign, Redwood, T.C., Reference, Spinnster, RSVP, Cutaway, Jazz Karma, Bannerworks, Agaric, Aisha, Ak-Ba, Alacra, Alternatives in American Music, Legend, Auricle, Birdseye, Bishara, Black Eagle, ELM, EPI, Hugo's Music, Idibid, IPS, Prescription, Jahari, Jazz Essence, Kabell, Allan Jaffe, North Coast Jazz, Outline, Passin' Thru, Phoenix, RS, Town Crier, White Cow, Jazz Mind, Multijazz, MPC, GPR, RPR, Syntax, Sybarite, Relativity Theory, Medicine Bow, NDA, City Pigeon, Sessoms, MP and Corva, and with thanks to Steve Padgett, Tom Chang, and the indefatigable Dr. Jazz, here is the second "Cash Box Guide to (Many) Jazz Labels."

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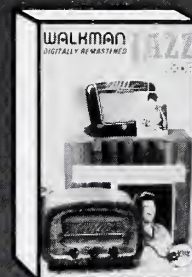
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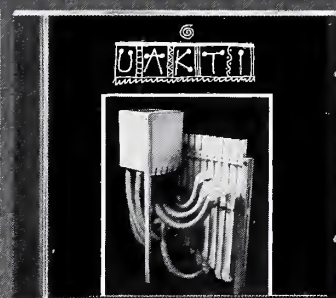
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AFFINITY. 156-166 Ilderton Rd., London SE 15, England. Wide-ranging label with over 150 titles available, most reissues from the catalogues of Capitol, BYG, Bethlehem and others.

ALLEGIANCE. 1419 No. La Brea, Los Angeles, CA 90029. Bill Valenziano, president. Eclectic label with a number of fusion and contemporary bebop albums available, on ITI, Takoma and the midline Allegiance Treasury of Recorded Classics.

AMERICAN CLAVE. 213 E. 11th St., New York, NY 10003. (212) 260-1622. Kip Hanrahan, president. Small modern label focusing on the jazz/rock/latin projects of Kip Hanrahan, but also including a handful of titles by other artists (Astor Piazzolla, Milton Cardona).

AMHERST. 1800 Main St., Buffalo, NY 14208. (716) 883-9520. Leonard Silver, president. Small label with a handful of fusion and big band (Doc Severinsen) titles.

AM-PM. See Discovery.

ANDREW'S MUSIC. 4830 S. Dakota Ave., NE Washington, D.C. 20017. (202) 526-3666. Andrew White, president. Modern label with over 40 titles available by saxophonist/composer Andrew White.

ANIMA. 231 E. 5th St., New York, NY 10003. (212) 260-5261. John Minglone, president. Small modern label with nine titles available (Billy Bang).

ARHOOLIE/BLUES CLASSICS/FOLKLYRIC/OLD TIMEY. 10341 San Pablo Ave., El Cerrito, CA 94530. (415) 525-7471. Chris Strachwitz, president. Eclectic label (concentrating on blues and ethnic musics) has a number of traditional and swing albums available, along with many blues albums of jazz interest.

ARISTA. 6 W. 57th St., New York, NY 10019. (212) 489-7400. Clive Davis, president. Eclectic label with a number of fusion albums available.

ATLANTIC. 75 Rockefeller Plaza, New York, NY 10019. (212) 484-6000. Doug Morris, president. Eclectic label with over 100 classic jazz albums available (John Coltrane, Ornette Coleman, Charles Mingus, MJQ). Recently has started recording jazz again (MJQ, Yusef Lateef) and has begun to issue its jazz catalogue on CD. Also continuing, a Jazzlore reissue program.

AUDIOFIDELITY. P.O. Box 86, Rahway, NJ 07065. (201) 388-5000. Dante Pugliese, president. Audiofidelity has over 350 jazz titles available, with a preponderance of swing and bebop artists, on Mainstream, Chiaroscuro, Phoenix (midline), Jazz Bird (midline), Gryphon, Skye and Charlie Parker Records, mostly reissues and issues of previously-unissued material.

AUDIOPHILE/CIRCLE/JAZZOL-OGY/GHB/PROGRESSIVE/SOUL- LAND. 3008 Wadsworth Mill Pl., Decatur, GA 30032. (404) 288-1480. George H. Buck, Jr., president. The six imprints share over 600 mainstream, blues and vocal titles. Jazzology and GHB are traditional labels, with over 350 titles of New Orleans and Chicago-style jazz; Circle has over 100 mainly big-band titles available, many of them re-

sues; Audiophile has over 100 titles of singers and small bands; Progressive features over 30 contemporary swing and bebop recordings; and Southland is a blues label. In addition, the label has some 30 titles from the Monmouth-Evergreen catalogue.

AVIVA. See Marlor Productions.

BAINBRIDGE. P.O. Box 8248, Van Nuys, CA 91409. (213) 476-0631. Harlene Marshall, president. Eclectic label whose catalogue includes reissues from the Time label and a number of new and previously-unreleased jazz albums. Distributes Choice Records.

BEE HIVE. 1130 Colfax St., Evanston, IL 60201. Susan & Jim Neumann, presidents. Mainstream label with 17 mainly contemporary bebop titles available (Clifford Jordan, Johnny Hartman).

BETHLEHEM. 401 Fifth Ave., New York, NY 10016. (212) 889-0044. Reissuing titles from the classic Bethlehem catalogue (Charles Mingus, Dexter Gordon) on CD.

Stan Getz, Carmen Lundy) with newly-recorded albums and titles licensed from Japan. Distributes Ekapa.

BLACK SAINT/SOUL NOTE. 4, Via San G.B. De Sal Salle, Milan, Italy 20132. (02) 25-92-326. Giovanni Bonandrini, president. U.S. distributor: PolyGram Special Imports. The two imprints share a catalogue of some 300 albums, mainly by modern American artists (World Sax Quartet, David Murray, Max Roach, Anthony Braxton), but including a large number of contemporary American and European bebop artists and lesser-known American and European modern artists. Much of the catalogue available on CD.

BLUE NOTE. 1370 Ave. of the Americas, New York, NY 10019. (212) 757-7470. Bruce Lundvall, president. Division of EMI-America/Manhattan. Blue Note is reissuing numerous albums from the original enormous Blue Note catalogue (Art Blakey, Sonny Rollins, Bud Powell, Herbie Hancock), with an extensive CD program recently

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CAFE RECORDS. See ... Sound Labs.

CAPITOL. 1750 N. Vine St., Hollywood, CA 90028. Don Zolan, president. (213) 462-6252. Capitol label has a handful of fusion albums, and some marginal jazz albums (Nat Cole) being made available on CD.

CARAVAN OF DREAMS. 312 Houston St., Fort Worth, TX 76102. (817) 877-3332. Kathelin Hoffman, artistic director. Modern label specializing in harmonologies (Ornette Coleman, Ronald Shannon Jackson, James Blood Ulmer).

CBS ASSOCIATED LABELS. 51 W. 52nd St., New York, NY 10019. (212) 975-5154. Eclectic label now reissuing items from the CTI fusion catalogue on CD only.

CHOICE. 245 Tilly Pl., Sea Cliff, NY 11579. (516) 671-7299. Gerry MacDonald, president. U.S. distributor: Bainbridge. Mainstream label with over 30 titles available (Shirley Horn, Joanne Brackeen).

CIRCLE. See Audiophile.

CMP. Oststrasse 37, 4000 Dusseldorf 1, West Germany. (0211) 35-71-23. "Creative Music Productions" with a number of titles available by American and European modern and fusion artists (Dave Liebman, Joachim Kuhn, Jeremy Steig).

COLUMBIA. 51 W. 52nd St., New York, NY 10019. (212) 975-4321. George Butler, vice president/executive producer, jazz and progressive music. The label with the longest-standing continuous jazz program continues to record mainstream and fusion jazz (Wynton Marsalis, Branford Marsalis, Roy Ayers). Has recently begun a massive reissue program, **Columbia Jazz Masterpieces**, which intends to make hundreds of its classic jazz titles (Miles Davis, Louis Armstrong, Billie Holiday, Count Basie) available in all formats, many of them in new configurations. There are still numerous catalogue titles available as **Nice Price** mid-lines, and a number of jazz titles on the **Columbia Special Products** imprint (John Franks, director). Distributes **Doctor Jazz**.

CONCORD JAZZ. P.O. Box 845, Concord, CA 94522. (415) 682-6770. Carl Jefferson, president. Mainly mainstream label with hundreds of titles available, many on CD, from numerous swing and bebop artists (Scott Hamilton, George Shearing, Dave McKenna)—as well as a number of jazz/classical albums under the **Concord Concerto** imprint, jazz/latin albums under the **Concord Picante** imprint, and fusion albums under the **Concord Crossover** imprint.

CONTEMPORARY. See Fantasy.

CONTEMPO-VIBRATO. 206 W. 23rd St., New York, NY 10011. (212) 929-4588. Steve Satten, president. Modern label with three titles available.

CRISS CROSS JAZZ. Postbox 1214, 7500 BE Enschede, Netherlands. (53) 330-338. Gerry Teekens, president. Jazz label with over two dozen contemporary bebop albums (Jimmy Raney, Kenny Barron, Tom Harrell) available.

CTI. See CBS Associated.

DELMARK. 4243 N. Lincoln, Chicago, IL 60618. (312) 528-8834. Bob Koester, president. Jazz and blues label with over 50 eclectic jazz titles available (Sun Ra, Art Hodes, Joseph Jarman), including a handful of traditional titles under the **Pearl** imprint.

JAZZ AWARDS

TOP TEN JAZZ ALBUMS

1. ROUND MIDNIGHT - Various Artists - Columbia
2. THE OTHER SIDE OF ROUND MIDNIGHT - Dexter Gordon - Blue Note
3. A NICE PLACE TO BE - George Howard - MCA
4. NAJEE'S THEME - Najee - EMI America
5. TUTU - Miles Davis - Warner Bros.
6. A CHANGE OF HEART - David Sanborn - Warner Bros.
7. STANDARDS, VOL. 1 - Stanley Jordan - Blue Note
8. SPONTANEOUS INVENTIONS - Bobby McFerrin - Blue Note
9. ROYAL GARDEN BLUES - Branford Marsalis - Columbia
10. THE GOOD AND BAD TIMES - The Crusaders - MCA

TOP ELECTRIC GROUPS

1. THE CRUSADERS - MCA
2. JOHN SCOFIELD - GrammaVision
3. THE RIPPINGTONS - Passport

TOP ACOUSTIC JAZZ

1. ROUND MIDNIGHT - Columbia
2. DEXTER GORDON - Blue Note
3. BRANFORD MARSALIS - Columbia

SOLOISTS

1. NAJEE - EMI America
2. MILES DAVIS - Warner Bros.
3. STANLEY JORDAN - Blue Note

GUITARISTS

1. STANLEY JORDAN - Blue Note
2. JOHN SCOFIELD - GrammaVision
3. LARRY CARLTON - MCA

VOCALISTS

1. BOBBY MCFERRIN - Blue Note
2. AL JARREAU - Warner Bros.
3. DIANNE SCHURR - GRP

SAXOPHONE

1. DAVID SANBORN - Warner Bros.
2. GEORGE HOWARD - MCA
3. NAJEE - EMI America

BET-CAR. 117 St. Felix, Brooklyn, NY 11217. (718) 875-6502. Betty Carter, president. Small label with a handful of titles available by vocalist Betty Carter.

BIOGRAPH. Route 295 N-5, Canaan, NY 12029. (518) 781-4100. Arnold Capin, president. Historical label with over 240 titles of reissued material, many from the earliest jazz and blues sessions—including recordings of piano rolls (Fats Waller, Scott Joplin and James P. Johnson). Also, reissues from the Dawn, Center Records and Melodone catalogues.

BIRTH. 211 E. 11th St., New York, NY 10003. (212) 477-1695. Gunter Hampel, president. Modern label with over 40 titles available of the music of vibraphonist/composer Gunter Hampel.

BLACK HAWK. 44 Montgomery St., San Francisco, CA 94109. (415) 955-2663. Richard Bullock, president. Wide-ranging jazz label (Sheila Jordan,

begun; issuing previously-unreleased material from the Blue Note vaults, and newly-recorded albums by a wide-range of jazz performers (Bobby McFerrin, Stanley Jordan, George Adams/Don Pullen).

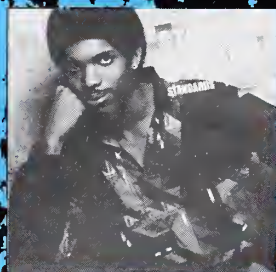
BODESWELL. P.O. Box 624, Brewster, MA 02631. Bob Wilber, president. Mainstream label with a number of titles available by saxophonist Bob Wilber.

BOSCO. P.O. Box 2085, Canoga Park, CA 91306. (818) 993-0659. Pete Christlieb, president. Contemporary bebop label with 11 titles available (Pete Christlieb, Louie Bellson).

BREAK THRU. See Intercon Music Corp.

CADENCE. The Cadence Building, Redwood, NY 13679. (315) 287-2852. Bob Rusch, president. Mainly modern label with more than 25 titles available (Bill Dixon, Jemeel Moondoc). Dis-

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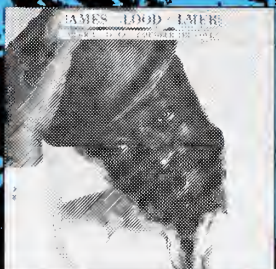
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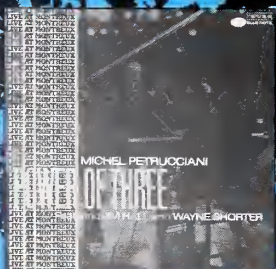
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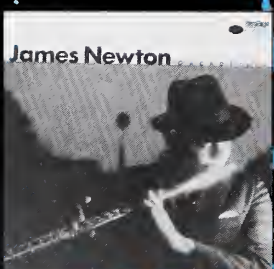
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Stanley Jordan *Standards* BT-85130/CDP-7-46332-2 For his second album, Stanley Jordan has applied his magic touch to a variety of jazz, and rock standards with astonishingly fresh results. Like his debut, *STANDARDS* has dominated the charts since its release. Another masterstroke from the most amazing guitarist to emerge in the jazz tradition in 20 years!

Dexter Gordon *The Other Side of Round Midnight* BT-85135/CDP-7-46337-2 The architect of the modern tenor sax is now a Best Actor Oscar nominee for his starring role in "ROUND MIDNIGHT." This album features music from the film and has become the best selling album of Gordon's career. It features *Freddie Hubbard, Wayne Shorter, Tony Williams, Herbie Hancock, Bobby McFerrin* and more.

Bobby McFerrin *Spontaneous Inventions* BT-85110/CDP-7-46298-2 Two-time Grammy winner Bobby McFerrin continues to reinvent the art of the jazz vocal with this collection of live solo performances and duets with *Wayne Shorter* and *Herbie Hancock*. The world seems to have caught up with his innovations. *SPONTANEOUS INVENTIONS* is his biggest album to date and still selling steadily each week.

Stanley Turrentine *Wonderland* BT-85140/CDP-7-46762-2 The reigning king of the soulful jazz tenor explores eight *Stevie Wonder* tunes from a poignant "You And I" to Wonder's Ellington tribute "Sir Duke" to radio's choice "Creepin'" to a hot "Boogie On Reggae Woman" which features Stevie on harmonica. This is Stanley's most satisfying album in years.

Tony Williams *Civilization* BT-85138/CDP-7-46757-2 Master drummer Tony Williams put together a working quintet and kept it out on the road for 5 months before recording *CIVILIZATION*. The band has been hailed as the finest modern mainstream group to emerge in years. And it is. The pioneer of fusion has turned his attentions to the jazz tradition and the results are extraordinary.

James Blood Ulmer *America Do You Remember The Love?* BT-85136/CDP-7-46755-2 From funk to new wave, Blood Ulmer has established himself as an American original. Backed on his Blue Note debut by his visionary peers *Bill Laswell* and *Ronald Shannon Jackson*, Blood conjures up echoes of music from every corner of America and blends them into his own unique brew.

Freddie Hubbard *Life Flight* BT-85139/CDP-7-46898-2 Two sides of Freddie Hubbard are explored on his first solo album for Blue Note since 1965. One side features the soulful guest artists *Stanley Turrentine, George Benson* and *Larry Willis*. The other side offers Hubbard with *Willis, Ralph Moore, Rufus Reid* and *Carl Allen*. Freddie's soulful, lyrical trumpet shimmers like never before.

OTB *Live at Mt. Fuji* BT-85141/CDP-7-46784-2 OTB moves from the studio to the festival stage for a performance that accurately reflects its power and excitement. As well received as the band's first two albums were, this one should signify a real breakthrough.

Kenny Burrell *Generation* BT-85137/CDP-7-46756-2 Recorded live at the Village Vanguard, guitar master Kenny Burrell has assembled two of this generation's finest on that instrument *Rodney Jones* and *Bobby Broom* and a hot rhythm section for his richly orchestrated jazz guitar band.

Michel Petrucciani *Power of Three* BT-85135/CDP-7-46427-2 Petrucciani, a rising force of the piano, has been teaming up with guitar great *Jim Hall* on special occasions for almost two years. But the pinnacle of their collaboration came at the 1986 Montreux Jazz Festival where they were joined by special guest *Wayne Shorter*. A magic concert!

James Newton *Romance and Revolution* BT-85134/CDP-7-46431-2 Flutist Newton's Blue Note debut *THE AFRICAN FLOWER* was voted #1 Record Of The Year in the Down Beat International Critics Poll. His new album is equally extraordinary and features music by the leader, *Charles Mingus* and *Ornette Coleman* arranged for an all-star octet.

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DENON. 222 New Road, Parsippany, NJ 07054. (201) 575-7810. Ken Furst, general manager. CD only label with numerous mainstream reissues and licensed items and a growing catalogue of wide-ranging newly-recorded jazz albums (Peter Erskine, Carmen McRae).

DISCHI DELLA QUERCIA. Via Caminadella, 9, Milan, Italy 20123. (02) 805-3702. Giorgio Gaslini, president. Modern label concentrating on, but not exclusively limited to, albums by composer/pianist Giorgio Gaslini.

DISCOVERY/TREND/MUSICRAFT/AM-PM. 117 No. Las Palmas Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90004. (213) 938-5482. Albert Marx, president. Discovery and Trend are mainstream labels, containing over 180 albums, with many on CD, of newly-recorded west coast bebop and a handful of fusion artists, reissues of material from the Warner Bros. catalogue, and previously-unissued material. Musicraft has over 20 titles of mainstream reissues (Duke Ellington, Teddy Wilson). AM-PM has eight albums of college and high school bands.

DMP. 175 Dolphin Cove Quay, Stamford, CT 06902. (203) 327-3800. Tom Jung, president. CD only label with 18 titles; some fusion (Flim and the BBs, Billy Barber), some modern, some mainstream (Bob Mintzer).

DOCTOR JAZZ. 1414 Ave. of the Americas, New York, NY 10019. (212) 759-5565. Bob Thiele, president. U.S. distributor: Columbia. Eclectic label with over 30 titles available—reissues from the Signature catalogue, previously-unissued material (Duke Ellington, Benny Goodman) and newly-recorded mainstream and fusion albums.

DRAGON. Box 8003, 104 20 Stockholm, Sweden. Lars Westlin, Leif Collin, presidents. Wide-ranging label with numerous titles available by American and Swedish artists (Chet Baker, Mwendu Dawa), including previously-unissued live performances by a number of important American artists (Miles Davis, Sonny Rollins).

DRG. 157 W. 57th St., New York, NY 10019. (212) 582-3040. Hugh Fordin, president. DRG has over 20 reissues of mainstream titles licensed from Europe on the Discques Swing label (Benny

Carter, Coleman Hawkins), and several mainstream titles on the midline MRS label.

EAST WIND. 90 Hungerford St., Hartford, CN 06106. David Barrick, Steve Boulay, Ted Everts, presidents. (203) 724-4106. Label specializes in wide-ranging jazz from the Soviet Union, licensing albums from Melodiya, the official Soviet recording company.

ECM. Gleichmannstrasse 10, 8000 Munich 60, West Germany. (4989) 85-10-48. Manfred Eicher, president. U.S. distributor: PolyGram Classics. Lee Townsend, director of U.S. operations. "Editions of Contemporary Music," with many albums available by American (Pat Metheny, Keith Jarrett, Chick Corea) and European modern artists. PolyGram has recently taken over the U.S. distribution from Warner Bros., with many titles caught in a transitional stage. PolyGram has over 100 catalogue CDs available (catalogue LPs and cassettes due shortly) and is issuing all newly-recorded material in all formats.

EDITIONS EG. 3619E Kennedy Rd., South Plainfield, NJ 07080. (201) 753-6100. Sam Alder, Mark Fennick, presidents. New music label with a new "Editions EG Jazz" line (Bill Bruford).

EKAPA. 222 W. 23rd St., New York, NY 10011. (212) 206-6653. Abdullah Ibrahim, Sathima Bea Benjamin, presidents. U.S. distributor: Black Hawk. Label with several albums available by pianist/composer Abdullah Ibrahim and vocalist/composer Sathima Bea Benjamin.

EMARCY. See PolyGram.

EMILY. P.O. Box 27735. Las Vegas, NV 89126. (702) 367-3452. Anita O'Day, president. Label has ten titles available by vocalist Anita O'Day. **EMPIRE.** 136 Lawrence St., Brooklyn, NY 11201. (718) 855-1124. Tim Berne, president. Modern label with several albums by saxophonist/composer Tim Berne.

ENJA. Frundsbergstrasse 36, D-8000, Munich 19, West Germany. (089) 16-17-77. Mathias Winckelmann, president. U.S. distributor: Muse. Mainly mainstream jazz label, with many titles available from a large selection of American modern and contemporary bebop performers (Mal Waldron, Abdullah Ibrahim, Bennie Wallace).

EN POINTE. 182 So. Raymond, Pasadena, CA 91105. (818) 405-1409. Jeff Weber, president. Small label with a handful of fusion titles available (Fredie Hubbard).

ESOTERIC. See Optimism.

EVEREST. 2020 Ave. of the Stars, Century City, CA 90067. (213) 557-0309. Bernie Solomon, president. Eclectic label with over 60 mainstream titles of reissued and previously-unissued material (Charlie Parker, Django Reinhardt) on cassette only.

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FAMOUS DOOR. 141-10 Holly Ave., Flushing, NY 11344. (718) 463-6281. Harry Lim, president. Mainly mainstream label, with many titles by contemporary swing and bebop artists (Butch Miles, Bill Watrous).

FANTASY. Tenth and Parker, Berkeley, CA 94710. (415) 549-2500. Ralph Kaffel, president. Wide-ranging jazz label with the most titles available (between 1,000 and 2,000); jazz of every description under the Contemporary,

Fantasy, Pablo (added recently, including its mostly mainstream catalogue and many yet-to-be-issued albums produced by Norman Granz), Good Time Jazz, Milestone, Original Jazz Classics, Prestige, Riverside and Galaxy imprints, including thousands of reissued and previously-unissued albums from those and other catalogues (New Jazz, Jazzland, Moodsville, etc.)—many of them seminal jazz recordings (Miles Davis, Thelonious Monk, Sonny Rollins)—in various configurations: midline (including midline CDs), twofers, boxed sets, etc. Has begun extensive CD program of newly-recorded and reissued material on all imprints. Distributes Landmark.

FMP. Behaimstrasse 4, 1000 Berlin 10, W. Germany. (030) 341-54-47. Dieter Hahne, president. Modern label with hundreds of titles available, some under the SAJ imprint, mainly by modern European artists (Albery Mangelsdorff, Peter Brotzman, Globe Unity Orchestra).

FOLKWAYS/SMITHSONIAN. 180 Alexander St., Princeton, NJ 08540. (212) 777-6606. Stewart Pope, vice president. Eclectic historical label with numerous traditional and swing titles (Jelly Roll Morton, Mary Lou Williams) among its thousands of albums, including a "History of Jazz" series.



John Coltrane

FRESCO JAZZ. P.O. Box 866 Ansonia Sta., New York, NY 10023. (212) 877-1836. Frederick Cohen, president. Small label concerned with historical reissues (Steve Lacy).

GALAXY. See Fantasy.

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GEFFEN. 9130 Sunset Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90069. (213) 278-9010. David Geffen, president. Eclectic label with several fusion titles (Pat Metheny, Lyle Mays) available.

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GNP/CRESCENDO. 8400 Sunset Blvd., Hollywood, CA 90069. (213) 656-2614. Gene Norman, president. Eclectic label with numerous wide-ranging jazz titles available, both newly-recorded (Bobby Enriquez) and vintage material (Duke Ellington, Louis Armstrong, Dizzy Gillespie). Also releases traditional albums on the Dixieland Jubilee label, and owns Creative World, which has 80 Stan Kenton albums in print.

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GP. P.O. Box 6317, New York, NY 10128. (212) 996-9257. Ben Arrigo, president. Label with several mainstream titles available (Jonah Jones, Dakota Staton).

GRAMAVISION. 260 W. 11th St., New York, NY 10013. (212) 921-1111. Jonathan F.P. Rose, president. U.S. distributor: PolyGram. Modern jazz label with 60 titles available, mostly on CD, mostly jazz/rock fusion and jazz/classical fusion.

GRP. 555 W. 57th St., New York, NY 10019. (212) 245-7033. Larry Rosen, Dave Grusin, presidents. U.S. distributor: MCA. Mainly fusion label (Chick Corea, Billy Cobham, Dave Grusin) with a number of mainstream titles available (Diane Schuur, Dizzy Gillespie), with every title available on CD.

HAT ART. Box 461, 4106 Therwil, Switzerland. Werner X. Uehlinger, president. U.S. distributor: New Music Distribution Service. Modern label with numerous boxed-sets of American and European modern artists (Steve Lacy, Vienna Art Orchestra, Joe McPhee) available.

IMPULSE! See MCA.

INCUS. 112 Houndslow Rd., Twickenham, Middx., England. Evan Parker, Derek Bailey, presidents. Modern label specializing in modern British artists (Evan Parker, Derek Bailey, Tony Oxley).

INDIA NAVIGATION. 177 Franklin St., New York, NY 10013. (212) 219-3670. Bob Cummins, president. Mainly modern label with over 40 albums available (Anthony Davis, James Newton, Chico Freeman).

INNER CITY. 50 S. Buckhout St., Irvington, NY 10533. (914) 591-5100. Irv Kratka, president. Wide-ranging label with many jazz titles of all types available.

INTERCON MUSIC CORPORATION. 6600 River Rd., West New York, NJ 07093. (201) 868-6400. John Matarazzo, president. Label has several imprints, including IMC, for licensed CDs and cassettes; ICM Eastwind, which licenses CDs and cassettes from Japan's Eastwind Records (Thelonious Monk, Mal Waldron); and Break Thru, a fusion label.

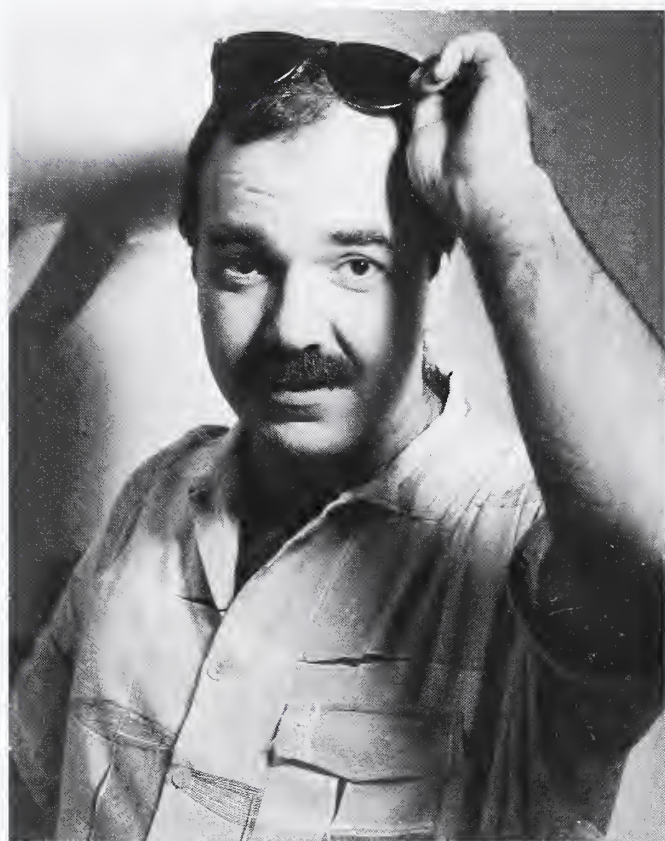
INTIMA. P.O. Box 2896. Torrance, CA 90509. (213) 640-6869. William Hein, ceo. Jazz fusion division of Enigma Records with a handful of titles available (Maynard Ferguson).

ISLAND. 14 E. 4th St., New York, NY 10012. (212) 477-8000. Chris Blackwell, ceo. Eclectic label has several jazz titles under its Antilles imprint and has just started a series called "New Directions" (Courtney Pine, Nana Vasconcelos).



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Erskine told us that "Transition" is a live direct-to-2-track digital recording. "The advantage of going direct is a subtle one. There's an element of excitement and risk. You capture much more of the live performance quality."

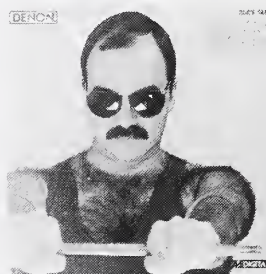
When we commented that Denon has been recording digitally longer than any other label, Peter nodded. "The first digital recording I ever bought was a Denon

classical sampler. I think it was in 1977, on my second trip to Japan."

We asked Erskine about the players on "Transition." "It's a marvelous band — John Abercrombie and Marc Johnson, Joe Lovano, Bob Mintzer," he enthused. "We have Don Grolnick and Kenny Werner on keyboards, and Peter Gordon sitting in on french horn. I can't say enough good things about the musicians and Vince Mendoza, who did some of the arranging."

"I think we represent the jazz tradition quite well. But to me, the music sounds like something new. The album sounds like itself." Peter reflected for a moment. "The most important thing for a musician is to play the music that he hears inside of himself," he said. "And Denon encourages that 100%."

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AZZ ARCHIVES. 333 W. 52nd St., New York, NY 10019. (212) 757-3210. **Arvin L. Goldsmith, president.** Most-swing label with 25 titles (Count Basie, Sidney Bechet) available, most previously-unissued live material.

AZZOLOGY. See Audiophile.

CI. 5308 Derry, Agoura Hills, CA 1301. (818) 889-9022. **Dick Sherman, president.** Fusion label with over one-zen titles available.

MT. Postfach 14036, D-8000 Munich, W. Germany. (089) 210-1149. **Stefan F. Winter, president.** U.S. distributor: PolyGram Special Imports. Modern label with several titles available, mainly, modern American and European artists.

INNER ENTERPRISES. P.O. Box 724, Edmond, WA 98073. **Larry Kiner, president.** Has numerous imprints (Air-heck, Totem, Spokane, Radio Archives) dedicated to previously-unissued radio broadcasts by Swing Era artists and vocalists, with over 100 titles available.

ANDMARK. 2600 Tenth St., Berkeley, CA 94710. (415) 849-0442. **Erwin Keepnews, president.** Mainstream label with a number of albums available, both newly-recorded (Jimmy Heath, Bobby Hutcherson, Mulgrew Miller) and reissues under the Cannonball Adderley Collection imprint.

EO. 7 Clare Ct., Judd St., London, WC1, England. (01) 833-4117. **Leo Eigen, president.** U.S. distributor: New Music Distribution Service. Modern label specializing in artists from Eastern Europe, particularly the Soviet Union (Ganelin Trio, Serge Kuryokhin), but with a handful of American and European artists sprinkled in.

IAGENTA. 416 No. La Brea, Hollywood, CA 90028. (213) 856-2626. **William Ackerman, president.** Windham Hill's jazz division, with several titles (Ben Sidran, Anthony Braxton) available.

MARLOR PRODUCTIONS. P.O. Box 56, Hicksville, NY 11802. (516) 935-419. **Jerry Valburn, president.** Marlor Productions has numerous imprints, including Aviva, for newly-recorded mainstream albums, and Everybody's, Lonesuckle Rose, Merril, Blu-Disc, Up-to-Date and D.E.T.S. for, mainly, previously-unissued big band material (Benny Goodman, Duke Ellington).

MCA. 70 Universal City Plaza, Universal City, CA. 91608. (213) 508-4000. **Clayton Kopp, jazz director.** MCA has reactivated the Impulse! line, reissuing classic titles (John Coltrane, Pharoah Sanders) and recording new albums (Michael Brecker, Jack DeJohnette), everything simultaneously available in all formats. Also has a number of fusion albums under MCA imprint and a number of mid-lines still in-print under the Jazz Heritage Series (from the vaults of Decca and other MCA holdings). Distributes Zebra and GRP.

METALANGUAGE. 2639 Russell St., Berkeley, CA 94705. (415) 548-1817. **Harry Ochs, president.** Modern label with over 15 titles (Rova Saxophone Quartet, Henry Kaiser) available.

MILESTONE. See Fantasy.

MINOR MUSIC. Margaretan Platz 7, 8 Munich 70, W. Germany. (4989) 772-734. **Stephan Meyner, president.** U.S. distributor: PolyGram Special Imports. Modern label with several titles available by modern American and European artists.

MOBILE FIDELITY SOUND LABS. 1260 Holm Rd., Petaluma, CA 94952. (800) 423-5759. **Herb Belkin, president.** Eclectic label specializing in CDs and half-speed-mastered LPs and cassettes has a number of newly-recorded jazz titles on its Cafe Records label (Buddy Rich, Ian Dogole) and has reissued numerous mainstream titles (Zoot Sims, Gerry Mulligan), licensed from a variety of labels, on CD. Distributes CDs of BBC Records' "Jazz Classics in Digital Stereo."

MOERS MUSIC. P.O. Box 1612, 4130 Moers 1, W. Germany. (02) 841-7741. **Burkhard Hennen, president.** Mostly modern label with titles available mainly by modern American (John Carter, Anthony Braxton) and European artists.



Thelonious Monk

MO PRO. 2959 Kling Ave., Cincinnati, OH 45211. (513) 661-0500. **Helen Morr, president.** Mainstream label with more than 15 titles available (Blue Wisp Big Band, Marshall Vente).

MOSAIC. 197 Strawberry Hill Ave., Stamford, CN 06902. (203) 327-7111. **Michael Cuscuna, Charlie Lourie, presidents.** Mail-order only label specializing in multi-record boxed sets of reissued and previously-unissued material (Bud Powell, Art Pepper) from the catalogues of Blue Note, Pacific Jazz and other labels.

MPS. See PolyGram.

MUSE/SAVOY JAZZ. 160 W. 71st St., New York, NY 10023. (212) 873-2020. **Joe Fields, president.** Wide-ranging jazz label with several hundred albums available of every jazz description, though there's a preponderance of con-

temporary bebop artists (Sonny Stitt, Ricky Ford). Savoy Jazz contains over 100 albums of reissues from the seminal Savoy catalogue (Lester Young, Charlie Parker, Dexter Gordon). Distributes Enja **MUSICMASTERS.** 1710 Highway 35, Ocean, NJ 07712. (212) 227-4036. **Jeffrey Nissin, president.** Classical label edging into jazz waters with a handful of newly-recorded big band titles (Benny Goodman, Louie Bellson).

MUSICRAFT. See Discovery.

NEW NOTE. 5109 Gramercy Pl., Los Angeles, CA 90019. **Dennis Sullivan, president.** Jazz label specializing in contemporary bebop artists (Bobby Watson, Curtis Lundy) with a handful of titles available.

NEW WORLD. 701 Seventh Ave., New York, NY 10036. (212) 302-0460. **Arthur Moorhead, director of marketing jazz product.** Not-for-profit American music label with over a dozen titles available, some newly-recorded (Steve Kuhn, Cecil Taylor), some reissues (Roy Eldridge, Buddy Tate).

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OPTIMISM. 3575 Cahuelaga Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90068. (213) 335-3350. **David Drozen, president.** Label with numerous titles available (Lillie Drayton, Alphonse Mouzon) on its own and distributed labels like Golden Boy Jazz and Esoteric.

OWL. 50 Rue Liancourt, 75014, Paris, France. 327-84-42. **Jean-Jacques Pussiau, president.** U.S. distributor: PolyGram Special Imports. Modern label, specializing in American and European pianists (Michel Petrucciani, Eric Watson).

PABLO. See Fantasy.

PALO ALTO/TBA/TALL TREES. 11026 Ventura Blvd., Studio City, CA 91604. (818) 877-5106. **Don Mupo president.** Fusion label (Grant Geissman, George Shaw) with 35 titles available, most on CD.

PASSPORT JAZZ. 3619E Kennedy Rd., South Plainfield, NJ 07080. **Marty Scott, president.** U.S. distributor: Jem Records. Contemporary label with 26 fusion titles available (T Lavitz, Scott Henderson), most on CD.

PAUSA. P.O. Box 10069, Glendale, CA 91209. **Bill Stilfield, general manager.** (818) 244-7276. Wide-ranging label with over 200 jazz (mostly mainstream and fusion) and blues titles available, including reissues under the Pausa Jazz Origin imprint.

PM/PLUG. 20 Martha St., Woodcliff Lake, NJ 07675. **Gene Perla, president.** The two labels share a number of wide-ranging titles, mostly modern jazz, contemporary bebop and fusion.

POLYGRAM. 810 Seventh Ave., New York, NY 10019. (212) 333-8000. **Richard Seidel, vice president, jazz.** PolyGram (under its PolyGram Classics division) has hundreds of reissued and previously-unissued titles available from the Verve, Emarcy, Polydor, Mercury, Limelight, MPS and London catalogues in a large variety of issues: midlines (including CD and cassette midlines), twofers, Japanese and European boxed sets, many of them seminal jazz recordings (Billie Holiday, Count Basie, Ella Fitzgerald). Has recently reactivated the Verve and Emarcy lines for new recordings (Joe Williams, Sphere, Charlie Haden), many to be under the Live at Vine St. imprint. Hundreds of CD titles available. (PolyGram Special Imports distributes Black Saint/Soul Note, JMT, Red, Minor Music, Sound Aspects and Owl. PolyGram Classics distributes ECM and Gramavision.)

PRESTIGE. See PolyGram.

PROGRESSIVE. See Audiophile.

PROJAZZ. 14025 23rd Ave. No., Minneapolis, MN 55441. (612) 559-1071. **Don Johnson, president.** CD only label with numerous fusion titles, and a sprinkling of mainstream titles, both newly-recorded and licensed from Japanese labels.

PUMPKIN. P.O. Box 7963, Miami, FL 33255. (305) 661-7050. **Robert Hilbert, president.** Mainstream label dedicated, mainly, to the issuing of previously-unreleased recordings of traditional artists (Sidney Bechet, Jack Teagarden) with over a dozen titles available.

RCA. 1133 Ave. of the Americas, New York, NY 10036. (212) 930-4000. **Steve Backer, jazz director.** Eclectic label recording wide-ranging new albums



Billie Holiday

Smith, owners. Wide-ranging label, specializing in American swing and modern artists (Jay McShann, Archie Shepp), with over 50 titles available, including two series devoted to Canadian musicians.

SEA BREEZE. P.O. Box 690, Bryn Mawr, CA 92318. (714) 841-0216. Tom Buckner, president. Mostly mainstream label with over 40 titles available (Woody James, Bill Kirchner).

SILVETO. 1852 Santa Monica, Los Angeles, CA 90406. (213) 459-9660. Horace Silver, president. Label with several titles available, including several on the Emerald imprint, of new and previously-unissued material by pianist/composer Horace Silver.

SMITHSONIAN COLLECTION OF RECORDINGS. 955 L'Enfant Plaza, Suite 2100, Washington, D.C. 20560. (800) 247-5072. Historical label, a division of the Smithsonian Institution, with a couple of dozen traditional, swing and bebop albums available, including the "Smithsonian Collection of Classic Jazz."

SONET. See Storyville.

SOUND ASPECTS. Im Bluetengarten 14, 7150 Backnang, W. Germany. (07191) 8-29-06. Pedro R. De Freitas, president. U.S. distributor: PolyGram Special Imports. Modern label with a handful of LPs available. **SOUNDWINGS.** 1299 Ocean Av., Santa Monica, CA 90401. (213) 394-2528. Patrick Williams. Small label specializing in jazz/classical projects (Tom Scott, Bill Watrous) and the music of composer Patrick Williams.

SPINDLETOP. 11113 Cumpston St., North Hollywood, CA 91406. (818) 766-1125. Barry Wilson, president. Eclectic label with a number of fusion (Doug Cameron, David Benoit) and mainstream titles available.

SPOTLITE. 103 London Rd., Sawbridgeworth, Herts, England. Tony Williams, president. Mostly bebop label with numerous titles available, including many newly-recorded albums by American and British artists,



Ornette Coleman

and reissued and previously-unissued material from Dial and other catalogues.

STASH. 611 Broadway, New York, NY 10012. (212) 477-6277. Bernard Brightman, president. Mostly mainstream label with over 70 titles available (John Pizzarelli, Steve Turre), including a number of historical reissues.

STATIRAS. 1304 Fletcher Rd., Tifton, GA 31794. (912) 382-6257. Gus Statiras, president. Small mainstream label with a handful of titles available (Marty Grosz, Judy Carmichael).

STEEPLECHASE. Rosenvaengets Alle 5, DK-2100 Copenhagen, Denmark. (01) 26-01-44. Nils Winther, president. U.S. office in Chicago. Mainly mainstream label, with hundreds

of albums, mostly of contemporary American bebop artists (Dexter Gordon, Kenny Drew), but also including a number of modern American artists (Khan Jamal) and mainstream European artists.

STOMP OFF. 549 Fairview Terrace, York, PA 17403. (717) 854-9265. Bob Erdos, president. Traditional jazz label with over 100 newly-recorded titles available.

STORYVILLE/SONET. Atlasvagen 1, Box 1205, S-181 23, Lidingo, Sweden. (08) 7670150. Wide-ranging jazz and blues labels with over 100 titles available, mainly American mainstream artists (Lee Konitz, Red Rodney), including many reissued and previously-unissued titles; as well as a diverse group of European artists.

SUITE BEAT. 3355 W. El Segundo Blvd., Hawthorne, CA 90250. (213) 973-8282. Bob Marin, president. Eclectic label, reissuing much of the Vee-Jay catalogue of classic '60s mainstream jazz (Wayne Shorter, Paul Chambers, Lee Morgan).



Dizzy Gillespie

SUNBEAM. 13821 Calvert St., Van Nuys, CA 91401. (818) 994-7791. Alan Roberts, president. Has hundreds of titles, mainly Swing Era radio broadcasts (Benny Goodman) available.

SUNNYSIDE. 344 W. 38th St., New York, NY 10018. (212) 563-0773. Francois Zalacian, president. Mainstream label with a number of titles available (James Williams, Kirk Lightsey, Lee Konitz).

SWAGGIE. Box 125, P.O. South Warra, Victoria 3141, Australia. 288-6280. Historical label with numerous titles, mostly reissued traditional and swing material by American artists (Louis Armstrong, Jelly Roll Morton, Benny Goodman).

THERESA. 800 The Arlington, Berkeley CA 94707. (415) 524-4908. Allen Pittman, B. Kazuko Ishida, owners. Modern and contemporary bebop label with over 20 albums available (Pharoah Sanders, John Hicks).

TIMELESS. P.O. Box 201, Wageningen, Holland. (08370) 1-34-40. Wim Wigt, president. Mainly mainstream label with hundreds of albums available by a large selection of contemporary American bebop performers (Art Blakey, Timeless All-Stars), as well as European artists, salsa and swing artists, and a number of contemporary traditional artists under the Timeless Traditional imprint.

TREND. See Discovery.

VERVE. See PolyGram.

VSOP. Box 50082, Washington, D.C. 20004. Historical label specializing in facsimile reissues from such catalogues as Mode, Tampa and Dig.

WARNER BROS. 3300 Warner Blvd., Burbank, CA 91510. (818) 846-9090. Eclectic label with a large roster of fusion artists (Miles Davis, David Sanborn, George Benson).

WATT. 500 Broadway, New York, NY 10012. (212) 925-2121. Michael Mantler, president. Distributed by New Music Distribution Service. Modern label with 17 albums available by trumpeter/composer Michael Mantler and keyboardist/composer Carla Bley.

XANADU. 3242 Irwin Ave., Kingsbridge, NY 10463. (212) 549-3655. Don Schlitten, president. Mainstream label with hundreds of titles, most with a heavy bebop emphasis (Barry Harris, Teddy Edwards, Charlie Parker), including a number of reissued and previously-unissued items.

under the Novus imprint (Hilton Ruiz, Henry Threadgill) and reissuing albums from its extensive vault under the Bluebird imprint (Sonny Rollins, Louis Armstrong, Coleman Hawkins), most simultaneously being made available on CD.

RED. Via Grossich 28, Milan, Italy. 259-1700. Sergio Veschi, Alberto Alberti, presidents. U.S. distributor: PolyGram Special Imports. Modern and contemporary bebop label with numerous albums available by American (Sphere, Bobby Watson) and European artists.

REVELATION. P.O. Box 12347, Gainesville, FL 32605. (904) 373-7274. J.W. Hardy, president. Modern and contemporary bebop label (Clare Fischer, Warne Marsh) with 45 titles available.

RESERVOIR. 276 Pearl St., Kingston, NY 12401. (914) 338-0599. Mark Feldman, president. Mainstream label with a handful of titles available (Joe Puma, Valery Ponomarev) with albums from the Uptown Records catalogue to be made available.

RETRIEVAL. 1 Walnut Tree Cottage, Burnham, Bucks., England. John R.T. Davies, president. Mainstream label with 50 titles of reissued and previously-unissued material from the '20s and '30s.

RIVERSIDE. See Fantasy.

ROUNDER. 1 Camp St., Cambridge, MA 02140. (617) 354-0700. Bill Nolan, Marlan Leighton, Ken Irwin, presidents. Mainly folk and country label with a handful of jazz titles (Dirty Dozen Brass Band, Alvin "Red" Tyler) available.

RTV. 4375 S.W. 60th Ave., Fort Lauderdale, FL 33314. (305) 581-9050. Bob Schachner, president. RTV owns several mainstream labels: Who's Who In Jazz, with more than 25 titles available (Art Blakey, Lionel Hampton), Ga. away, Personal Choice, Kool Jazz and the midline "Spotlight Series."

SAHARA. 1143 First Ave., New York, NY 10021. (212) 688-2568. Errol Parker, president. Modern label with albums available by pianist/drummer/composer Errol Parker.

RYKODISC. Pickering Wharf, Salem, MA 01970. Don Rose, president. CD only label with a handful of licensed jazz titles (Duke Ellington, Jim Pepper).

SACKVILLE. Dept. CAT, Box 87, Station J, Toronto, Ontario, CA M4J 4X8. (416) 593-7230. John Norris, Bill

ZEBRA. 70 Universal City Plaza, Universal City, CA 91608. (213) 508-4000. Ricky Shultz, president. Distributed by MCA. Fusion label with a number of titles available (Cabo Frio, Koinonia).

ZIM. P.O. Box 158, Jericho, NY 11753. (516) 681-7102. Arthur Zimmerman, president. Mainly bebop label with several newly-recorded, previously-unissued and reissued titles available. Distributes numerous independent labels.



Lester Young

JVC REFLECTIONS—I would say that, on the whole, the 1987 JVC/New York Jazz Festival was a success. I know it was a commercial success, but, on the whole, I believe it was an artistic success as well. The “on the whole” business refers to two things: the atrocious amplified sound in Carnegie Hall, and the problems for a jazz festival that insists on using such halls in the first place. That aside, the programming was somewhat more imaginative than in years past (yes Sarah Vaughan and Mel Torme hosted Carnegie Hall shows again, but with Bobby McFerrin and Diane Schuur on their respective bills; thus building an audience for the younger singers to the audience for the older singers). The idea of musical retrospectives (Ornette Coleman uniting his original Quartet, Dizzy Gillespie heading up a big band, George Shearing and Hank Jones presiding over musical autobiographies) worked well—audiences came and the concerts were well-lit. And the use of the World Music Institute’s “Improvisations” series to bring some more adventurous jazz to the Festival was sound (as was the sound, and the ambience, in Merkin Concert Hall, where the “Improvisations” series took place and where more JVC concerts should be planned in the future). That’s all. Not a perfect jazz festival—and still not a “festival” in the festive ways of such festivals as those held annually in New Orleans, Nice, and many other locales—but a solid one nonetheless.

PARTY ALL THE TIME—One thing that did return at this year’s Festival was the party-record companies, and others, throwing little celebrations for their artists. Most elaborate was BMI’s Tavern on the Green lunch for Herbie Hancock, which featured—along with the food, drink and speeches—some jamming from the likes of Hancock, Lionel Hampton, Donald Byrd and Jimmy Owens. Second most elaborate was Atlantic’s Russian Tea Room bash (complete with blini table) for the Modern Jazz Quartet—a classy party for a classy ensemble. Least elaborate was Caravan of Dreams’ Century Cafe party for Ornette Coleman—sort of a harmolodic party. And I can’t speak for the Columbia party at the NYU club, having not been there (scheduling conflicts, you know), but I’m sure it was a killer. Welcome back to jazz, largesse.

OJCDs—Lots of jazz reissue compact discs coming out—lots and lots—and I’m trying to keep up with them all (but I’m not complaining). MCA pushed up their CD-only-twofers June release to August, and RCA pushed up its CD-only Bluebird release to the same month, but Atlantic’s finally come around on the CD stick, and Columbia has just rolled out some more Jazz Masterpieces. But let us not forget the indies, especially the biggest, baddest jazz indie of them all—Fantasy. They’re becoming increasingly more bullish on CD; case in point—Original Jazz Classics CDs. Now these are like the Original Jazz Classic LPs, in that they list for a couple of bucks less than the regular Fantasy CDs and they are drawn from the vaults of Prestige, Riverside, Milestone, Contemporary and Fantasy and feature original artwork, liner notes, etc. (unlike the LPs, though, they do include an extra track here and there). Hot off the presses (do CDs come hot off the presses?) are “Milt Jackson Quartet,” Miles Davis’s “Dig” and “Collector’s Items,” “Clifford Brown Memorial,” Eric Dolphy’s “Outward Bound,” “Thelonious Monk Plays Duke Ellington,” “Thelonious Monk & Sonny Rollins,” Rollins’s “Moving Out” and “The Sound of Sonny,” Bill Evans’s “New Jazz Conceptions,” Coleman Hawkins’s “The Hawk Flies High,” Art Blakey’s “Caravan,” Dave Brubeck’s “Jazz at Oberlin” and “Jazz at the College of the Pacific,” Tadd Dameron’s “Fontainebleau,” Abbey Lincoln’s “Abbey is Blue,” “Red Garland’s Piano,” John Coltrane’s “Settin’ the Pace” and “Traneing In,” Wes Montgomery’s “Wes Montgomery Trio” and “So Much Guitar!,” “King Pleasure Sings/Annie Ross Sings,” Paul Gonsalves’s “Gettin’ Together,” Lucky Thompson’s “Lucky Strikes,” Gene Ammons’s “Blue Gene,” Benny Carter’s “Jazz Giant,” “Vince Guaraldi Trio,” “The Cannonball Adderley Sextet In New York,” Chet Baker’s “Chet” and “Barney Kessel Plays Standards.” Great sound on them all, too. In other Fantasy news, Richie Cole has just signed with Milestone, Barney Kessel has resigned with Contemporary, Frank Morgan is in the midst of his first European tour and Sonny Rollins is, finally, set to release a new album: “G-Man,” due later this summer.

MEDITATION — Antonio Carlos Jobim (seated, l) was recently at NY's Record Plant mixing his forthcoming Verve album, "Passarim," in the company of (l-r) Richard Seidel, vp, PolyGram jazz; Jacques Morelenbaum, co-producer; and studio owner Roy Cicala.



LIKE A VIRGIN—Yep, another jazz festival to report on. The Virgin Islands Jazz Festival will swing the Islands of St. Thomas, St. Croix and St. John, August 10-16. Dizzy Gillespie, Freddie Hubbard, Gary Bartz, Richie Cole, Bobby Hutcherson and Paul Horn will be on hand and a note to P.O. Box 6201, St. Thomas, V.I. 00801 (or a call to [809] 776-2874) will bring details.

Lee Jeske

CASH BOX JAZZ ALBUMS

Title, Artist, Label, Number, Distributor

★ = Available on Compact Disc

■ = Platinum (RIAA Certified)

□ = Gold (RIAA Certified)

			L	O	W	C
1	DUOTONES ★ KENNY G. (Arista AL 8427)	1	47			
2	A CHANGE OF HEART ■ DAVID SANBORN (Warner Bros. 27479-1)	2	25			
3	NAJEE'S THEME ■ NAJEE (ST 17241)	3	33			
4	FOUR CORNERS THE YELLOW JACKETS (MCA 5994)	4	8			
5	MICHAEL BRECKER (MCA/Impulse 5980)	5	11			
6	JONATHAN BUTLER (RCA/Jive 1032-1-J)	6	6			
7	LIGHT YEARS THE CHICK COREA ELECTRIC BAND (GRP GR 1036)	7	7			
8	SPONTANEOUS INVENTIONS ■ BOBBY McFERRIN (Blue Note BT-85110)	8	47			
9	COLLABORATION GEORGE BENSON/EARL KLUGH (Warner Bros. 25580)	12	3			
10	THE OTHER SIDE ■ OF ROUND MIDNIGHT FEATURING DEXTER GORDON (Blue Note BT 85135)	9	30			
11	A NICE PLACE TO BE ■ GEORGE HOWARD (MCA 5855)	10	33			
12	ROLES ■ JOE SAMPLE (MCA 5978)	14	10			
13	FREEDOM AT MIDNIGHT DAVID BENOIT (GRP 1035)	13	8			
14	ROUND MIDNIGHT ■ VARIOUS ARTISTS (Columbia SC 40464)	11	40			
15	DOUBLE VISION ■ BOB JAMES/DAVID SANBORN (Warner Bros. 25393)	15	59			
16	LIVE THE MANHATTAN TRANSFER (Atlantic 81723)	16	8			
17	KEYS TO THE CITY RAMSEY LEWIS (Columbia FC 40677)	17	8			
18	CIVILIZATION TONY WILLIAMS (Blue Note BT 85138)	18	14			
19	STANDARDS VOLUME #1 ■ STANLEY JORDAN (Blue Note BT 85130)	19	33			
20	THE GOOD AND BAD TIMES ■ THE CRUSADERS (MCA 5781)	21	33			
21	WONDERLAND STANLEY TURKENTINE (Blue Note BT 85140)	22	11			
22	DIGITAL DUKE DUKE ELLINGTON ORCHESTRA (GRP GR 1038)	26	4			
23	FORBIDDEN LOVE NANCY WILSON (Columbia FC 40787)	27	3			
24	BLUE MATTER ■ JOHN SCOFIELD (Gramavision 18-8702)	20	20			
25	CINEMAGIC DAVE GRUSIN (GRP GR 1037)	25	4			
26	LAST NITE ■ LARRY CARLTON (MCA 5866)	23	24			
27	THE STARTING FIVE JIMMY McGRUFF (Milestone 9148)	30	3			
28	BRIGHT MOMENTS MAX ROACH DOUBLE QUARTET (Soul Note/PSI SN 1159)	28	5			
29	TUTU ■ MILES DAVIS (Warner Bros. 9 25490-1)	24	41			
30	MOONLIGHTING ■ THE RIPPINGTONS (Passport PJ 88019)	31	24			
31	QUARTET WEST ■ CHARLIE HADEN (Verve/PolyGram 831 673-1)	34	2			
32	IRRESISTIBLE FORCES JACK DEJOHNETTE (MCA Impulse 5992)	35	9			
33	ROYAL GARDEN BLUES ■ BRANFORD MARSALIS (Columbia FC 40363)	29	39			
34	DISCOVERY LARRY CARLTON (MCA 42003)	DEBUT				
35	EARTHWORKS BILL BRUFORD (Edition EG ED 48)	DEBUT				
36	THE HAMMER ANDY NAREL (Windham Hill Jazz WH10 107)	DEBUT				
37	MISTER CHIPS HANK CRAWFORD (Milestone 9149)	DEBUT				
38	NEW LIFE DAVID MURRAY OCTET (Black Saint/PSI)	33	5			
39	OBSESSION ■ BOB JAMES (Warner Bros. 1-BSR 0100) 25495)	39	37			
40	TO BIRD WITH LOVE EDDIE DANIELS (GRP GR 1034)	32	9			

JAZZ FEATURE PICKS

YESTERDAY'S MEMORIES, TOMORROW'S DREAMS — Pete Escovedo — Crossover CR-5002 — Producer: Pete Escovedo

A bristling latin fusion album from the veteran percussionist and his slick, rhythmic big band (including a guest appearance by daughter Sheila E.).

RED HOLLOWAY & COMPANY — Concord Jazz CJ-322 — Producer: Carl E. Jefferson

A cooking album by the decp-fried, blues-soaked saxophonist and a trio featuring the always-tasty Cedar Walton on piano.

DISCOVERY — Larry Carlton — MCA 42003 — Producer: Larry Carlton

Yet another bright and melodic fusion date from the prolific guitarist. **OPEN ON ALL SIDES IN THE MIDDLE** — Geri Allen — Minor Music 1013 (dist. by PSI) — Producer: Geri Allen

An ambitious album by the brilliant young pianist. Call it adventurous fusion (avant-fusion?) with vocals (Shahita Nurallah's the singer).

SHELTER — Craig Harris and Tailgater's Tales — JMT 870 008 (dist. by PSI) — Producer: Stefan F. Winter

Exceptional writing and playing highlight this gritty, deep-rooted album by the fine trombonist and his wide-ranging band. A fresh approach to the age-old instrumentation of trombone, clarinet, trumpet, bass and drums.

WORLD EXPANSION — Steve Coleman and Five Elements — JMT 870 010 (dist. by PSI) — Producer: Steve Coleman

Brash avant-funk from a talented passel of leading inside/outside jazz players (including Geri Allen, Robin Eubanks, Kelvyn Bell, Casandra Wilson), led by an ever-growing alto saxophonist.

WORLD SERVICE — Man Jumping — Editions EG ED49 — Producers: Philip Bagenal, Man Jumping

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CASH BOX TOP 12" DANCE SINGLES

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1	RESPECTABLE	MEL & KIM (Atlantic 0-86703)	10	10	10	20	I FEEL GOOD ALL OVER	STEPHANIE MILLS (MCA 23740)	DEBUT			41	3	57	TOUCH	NOHO (Epic 49-06817)
2	DIAMONDS	HERB ALPERT (A&M SP-12231)	1	10	1	21	I'M SEARCHIN	DEBI DEB (Jam Packed 2008)		16	14	23	19	58	WITHOUT YOU	TOUCH (Supertronics RY-017)
3	HEAD TO TOE	LISA LISA & CULT JAM (Columbia 44 06757)	2	13	2	22	DREAMIN'	WILL TO POWER (Epic XS9-06830)		36	3	42	HEARTACHE	PEPSI & SHIRLEY (Polydor/PolyGram 885 929-1)	DEBUT	
4	THE PLEASURE PRINCIPLE	JANET JACKSON (A&M SP-12230)	4	8	4	23	ONLY IN THE NIGHT	THE VOICE IN FASHION (Atlantic 0-86719)		8	15	43	I KNOW YOU GOT SOUL	ERIC B. (Island/4th & B'way 438)		
5	I'M BAD	LL COOL J (Def Jam/Columbia 44-06799)	5	8	5	24	HEART & SOUL	T'PAU (Virgin 0-96779)		39	5	44	BACK & FORTH	CAMEO (Atlanta Artists/PolyGram 888 385-1)		
6	RHYTHM IS GONNA GET YOU	GLORIA ESTEFAN AND MIAMI SOUND MACHINE (Epic 49-06772)	12	5	12	25	STRANGELOVE (REMIX)	(Sire/Warner Bros. 0-20696)	DEBUT			45	AIWAYS	ATLANTIC STARR (Warner Bros. 0-20660)		
7	I WANT YOUR SEX	GEORGE MICHAEL (Columbia 44 06814)	13	3	13	26	RIGHT ON TRACK	BREAKFAST CLUB (MCA 23684)		7	18	46	LOOKING FOR A NEW LOVE	JODY WATLEY (MCA 23689)		
8	FAKE	ALEXANDER O'NEAL (Tabu/Epic 429-06788)	14	3	14	27	WHY CAN'T I BE YOU (REMIX)	THE CURE (Elektra 0-66810)		56	2	47	MOVIN' ON	CAROLYN HARDING (Emergency 7145)		
9	I WANNA DANCE WITH SOMEBODY (WHO LOVES ME)	WHITNEY HOUSTON (Arista AD1-9599)	3	8	9	29	IN LOVE WITH LOVE	DEBBIE HARRY (Geffen 0-20654)		71	9	48	CERTAIN THINGS ARE LIKELY	K.T.P. (Magnet/Mercury/PolyGram 885-722-1)		
10	FUNKY TOWN	PSEUDO ECHO (RCA 6431-1)	20	6	10	30	FALLING IN LOVE	FAT BOYS (Tin Pan Apple/Polydor 885 766-1)		29	6	49	IT AIN'T RIGHT	SIMPHONIA FEATURING CARMEN BROWN (Atlantic 0-86700)		
11	YOU'RE THE ONE	SANDEE (Atlantic 0-86711)	11	10	11	31	TINA CHERRY	GEORGIO (Motown 4586 MG)		47	2	50	LA ISLA BONITA	MADONNA (Sire/Warner Bros. 0-20633)		
12	INSECURITY	STACEY Q (Atlantic 0-86716)	43	6	12	32	MOVE OUT	NANCY MARTINEZ (Atlantic 0-6734)		21	18	51	THREE TIME LOVER	BARDEUX (Synthicide 71300-0)	DEBUT	
13	DON'T DISTURB THIS GROOVE	SYSTEM (Atlantic 0-86741)	9	14	13	33	EACH TIME YOU BREAK MY HEART	NICK KAMEN (Sire/Warner Bros. 0-20632)		15	13	52	LET ME BE THE ONE	SA-FIRE (Cutting Cr 212)		
14	LIFETIME LOVE	JOYCE SIMS (Sleeping Bag SLX 0024)	27	5	14	34	BIG LOVE (REMIX)	FLEETWOOD MAC (Warner Bros. 0-20683)		22	9	53	INTO MY SECRET	ALISHA (RCA 6432-1-RD)		
15	SHY BOYS	ANNA (Parc/CBS 429-06771)	28	5	15	35	WHO FOUND WHO	JELLYBEAN (Chrysalis 4V9 43089)	DEBUT			54	CAN'T GET ENOUGH	LIZ TORRES (State Street SSR 1002)		
16	HAPPY	SURFACE (Columbia 44-06739)	6	13	16	36	YOU KEEP ME HANGING ON	KIM WILDE (MCA 23717)		19	22	55	CROSS MY BROKEN...	THE JETS (MCA 4399)	DEBUT	
17	WHY YOU TREAT ME SO BAD	CLUB NOUVEAU (Tommy Boy 895)	17	8	17	37	LIVING IN A BOX	(Chrysalis 429 4319)		48	3	56	MY HEART GETS ALL THE BREAKS	MONET (Ligosa LIG 501 Warlock)		
18	STILL A THRILL	JODY WATLEY (MCA 23747)	18	5	18	38	WHY SHOULD I CRY	NONA HENDRYX (EMI-America V-19235/CAP)		26	8					
19	ROCK STEADY	WHISPERS (Solar/Capitol V-71153)	24	10	19											

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New 12" Releases

BOBBY BROWN (MCA 23772)
Seventeen (Extended Club Version) (8:47)(WB/Any Name/Haynestorm/Les Etoile De La Musique ASCAP) (R. Brookins, T. Haynes) (Producers: R. Brookins, L. Silas, Jr.)

THIRD WORLD (Columbia 44 06841)
Hold On To Love (4:45) (Downstairs/Piano Adm. by Mighty Three ASCAP) (K. Gamble, L. A. Huff) (Producers: K. Gamble, L. A. Huff)

GENERAL KANE (Motown 4588MG)
Girl Pulled The Dog (Extended Version)(6:28) (Jobete/Gentle General BMI) (M. Me Dowell, N. Whitfield, Jr., M. Whitfield) (Producers: M. McDowell, C. Anthony)

PLEASANT COMPANY (Weir Bros. WBR 411-51)
Scary Monsters (Extended Version)(6:01) (St. Cecilia/Fourteen Ninety Two BMI) (T. Weir) (Producers: L. Weir, T. Weir)

BILLY FREEDOM (MCF 5152)
I Don't Know (Billy Freedom BMI) (B. Freedom) (Producer: S. Bey)

PRINCESS (Polydor 885 885-1)
Red Hot (The Inferno Mix) (5:50)(Virgin ASCAP) (Burton/Straker) (Producer: J. Burgess)

MOST ACTIVE



Herb Alpert-Diamonds-A&M

STRONG ACTIVITY

Mel & Kim-Respectable-Atlantic
George Michael-I Want Your Sex-Columbia
Alexander O'Neal-Fake-Tabu/Epic
Gloria Estefan And Miami Sound Machine-Rhythm Is Gonna Get You-Epic
Pseudo Echo-Funky Town-RCA
Stephanie Mills-I Feel Good All Over-MCA

CLUB PICK

Catch Me I'm Falling-Pretty Poison-Virgin
DJ: Carlos Mongalo
Club: Acropolis
Location: Los Angeles, CA
Comments:

"It's just a great Dance record that constantly packs the floor. It should make the top ten."

RETAILER'S PICK

Cassanova-Levert-Atlantic
Fortune Records
Manager: Tim Fortune
Location: Los Angeles

Comments:
"Levert is a out of the box smash, definitely destined for #1 on the Charts"

CASH BOX TOP 40 VIDEOCASSETTES

	L	W		L	W
	W	C		W	C
1 CHILDREN OF A LESSER GOD Paramount Home Video 1839	1	6	21 FIREWALKER Cannon Films Media Home Entertainment M895	21	5
2 THE MORNING AFTER Tri-Star Pictures CBS-Fox Video 3800	5	2	22 SID & NANCY Zenith/Initial Pictures Embassy Home Entertainment 1309	20	8
3 LITTLE SHOP OF HORRORS Warner Bros. Home Video 11702	15	2	23 ASSASSINATION Media Home Entertainment M 928	DEBUT	
4 HANNA & HER SISTERS HBO Canon Video 3897	24	2	24 MONA LISA HBO Video TVR 9955	25	6
5 MOSQUITO COAST Warner Bros. Home Video 11711	7	5	25 TOUGH GUYS Touchstone Home Video 6915	23	8
6 HEARTBREAK RIDGE Warner Bros. Home Video 11701	6	6	26 ONE CRAZY SUMMER Warner Bros. Home Video 11602	27	8
7 FERRIS BUELLER'S DAY OFF Paramount Home Video 1890	2	8	27 ALIENS CBS Fox Video 1504	26	8
8 PEGGY SUE GOT MARRIED Tri-Star Pictures CBS Fox Video 3380	4	8	28 BACK TO SCHOOL (HBO/Cannon TV A2988)	28	8
9 THE COLOR OF MONEY Touchstone Home Video 513	3	6	29 ABOUT LAST NIGHT RCA Home Video 20735	29	8
10 WANTED DEAD OR ALIVE NEW WORLD PICTURES HOME VIDEO 86230	11	2	30 SOLARBABIES MGM/UA Home Video 801027	33	2
11 STAND BY ME RCA/Columbia Pictures Home Video 20736	10	8	31 NIGHT MOTHER MCA Home Video 80542	31	2
12 LEGAL EAGLES MCA Home Video 80479	8	8	32 RUNNING SCARED MGM Home Video 801-0083	30	8
13 JUMPIN' JACK FLASH CBS Fox Video 1508	22	2	33 FROM BEYOND Empire Pictures Vestron Home Video 5182	34	8
14 BLUE VELVET Lorimar Home Video 399	12	8	34 NAME OF THE ROSE Twentieth Century Fox Embassy H.E. 1342	35	8
15 TOP GUN Paramount 1692	14	8	35 TAI PAN DEG INC. Vestron Video 5180	32	6
16 NOTHING IN COMMON HBO Cannon Video TVR9960	13	8	36 FLIGHT OF THE NAVIGATOR Walt Disney Home Video 499	36	8
17 A ROOM WITH A VIEW CBS Fox Video 6915	16	8	37 THE BOY WHO COULD FLY Lorimar Home Video 351	37	8
18 RUTHLESS PEOPLE Touchstone Home Video 485	18	8	38 52 PICK-UP Cannon Film Home Entertainment M892	38	8
19 THE FLY CBS Fox Video 1503	17	8	39 SHORT CIRCUIT CBS-Fox Video 3724	39	8
20 SOUL MAN New World Picture Home Video 1736	9	8	40 KARATE KID II RCA/Columbia Pictures 6-2071719	40	8

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AUDIO/VIDEO

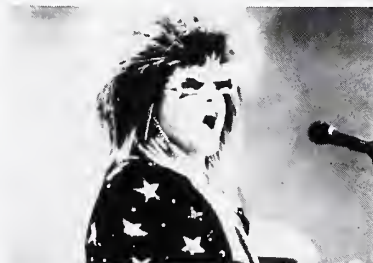
VIRGIN VISION MAKES STRIDES WITH GRANAT - Year-old Virgin Vision and 10-month-old Granat Entertainment have struck a \$20 million video output deal for the U.S. and Canada, making it the largest video deal ever for Virgin Vision, the Virgin Group video arm that only recently set up its own U.S. distribution. Roughly eight to ten Granat projects are covered by the multi-picture deal, films ranging in budget from \$5 million to \$7 million, with each film pacted to be available to Virgin for home video release approximately six months after its theatrical debut. Also under the deal, Virgin gets the right of first negotiation on future Granat pick-up agreements. So far, Virgin has preapproved five Granat features for home video, including Apt Pupil, a thriller based on the Stephen King novella, the magical adventure Sounds 'Kinda Risky, Splendor, a comedy, The Priest Who Had To Die, an epic drama concerning a Polish priest, and Dream Machine, another thriller.

Thing," plus an intro medley and a jam session. Filmed at Atlanta's Chastain Park, the live concert tape was produced by Bill Howard Dana Viepor in conjunction with Fred Davis, directed by Joe Gates.

GENESIS ON VIDEO-In August, Atlantic Video will release *Genesis: Visible Touch*, a video compilation of six videos from the supergroup. Included in the release, which hits the street August 25, are videos to such mega hits as "Tonight, Tonight, Tonight," "Throwing It All Away," "In Too Deep," the recently completed "Anything She Does," and, of course, "Invisible Touch." Suggested retail price for the 33-minute tape (VHS HiFi stereo, dolby system on linear tracks) will be \$19.95. The compilation marks the second Genesis release from Atlantic Home Video, following last year's *Genesis Live: The Mama Tour*.

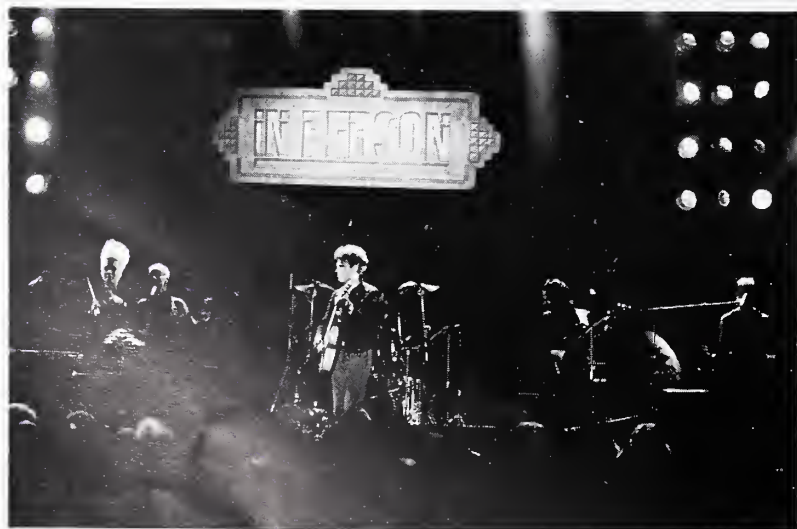
THE PRINCE AND THE STARS-June 5 and 6 marked the taping of the second annual Prince's All-Star Rock Concert at London's Wembley Arena. The concert, attended by Prince Charles and Princess Diana, benefits the Prince's Trust, a charity set up by Chuck in 1976 to help socially, economically or physically disadvantaged youth. Last year's concert was a smash success, resulting in an album, home video and HBO special. This year, HBO will once again cablecast the event (a one-hour version of it, rather) which is produced for the channel by the famed British music video production team of MGMMO, to debut in September. If you thought last year's line-up was impressive (Tina Turner, Paul McCartney, etc., etc.), this year's is equally impressive, if not more so: George Harrison and Ringo Starr reunited to perform Beatles hits, joined by Elton John, Eric Clapton, Phil Collins, Bryan Adams, Paul Young, Ben E. King and musical director Midge Ure. Beatles tunes performed include "Here Comes The Sun," "With A Little Help From My Friends" and "While My Guitar Gently Weeps." Tunes from the other guys, such as John's "Your Song" and King's "Stand By Me," were also performed.

Gregory Dobrin



JOHN IN AUSSIE-LAND-Elton John turns in his third Showtime special with Elton John In Australia, in which he performs his hits with the Melbourne Symphony Orchestra.

EXCLUSIVELY THRU MTV-Those in need of "Godfather of Soul" James Brown on video will have to direct their attention to MTV for the whereabouts of his latest release. The 60-minute tape, *James Brown Live I America*, will be advertised exclusively through MTV via a direct mail marketing scheme set up by L.A.-based Visual & Musical Entertainment Co. Ltd., a new video label headed by veteran music video director John B. House. The video's price is \$19.95, which includes a bonus audio cassette. Brown performs 13 of his tunes, including such hits as "Papa's Got A Brand New Bag," "I Got You, I Feel Good," and "Get Up Off That



PALACE PEOPLE-The Thompson Twins recently taped a segment of In Person From The Palace, the CBS Television Late Night series on Friday nights (11:30 - 12:30 a.m., PT). The new show is a dick clark production.

THE RELEASE BEAT

From CBS/Fox Video for August comes a price-reduced series of Marilyn Monroe films, commemorating the 25th anniversary of the death of the screen goddess. Ten of the legend's movies are being permanently re-priced at \$19.98 per cassette. Featured on the price-reduced slate are such Monroe classics as *Monkey Business*, *How To Marry A Millionaire*, *Gentleman Prefer Blondes*, *Niagara*, *River of No Return*, *The Seven Year Itch*, *Bus Stop*, *Some Like It Hot*, *Let's Make Love* and *The Misfits*. The films are available in VHS HiFi and Beta HiFi stereo. Four of the films - *Monkey Business*, *Niagara*, *River of No Return* and *Let's Make Love* have never been previously released on home video ... From Media Home Entertainment next month comes the third installment of the hugely successful *Nightmare On Elm Street* films, *A Nightmare On Elm Street 3: Dream Warriors*. Suggested retail price is \$89.95, VHS and Beta HiFi mono.



LOSSOMING—Everything is coming up flowers for brother and sister team BeBe and CeCe Wynans, who have a new debut album on Capitol Records. The duo stopped by BMI's west coast offices to let BMI exec.'s Dexter Moore and Gloria Hawkins take a listen to the finished product. Pictured clockwise from top left: Gloria Hawkins (director of writer administration), CeCe Wynan, BeBe Wynan, and Dexter Moore (executive writer/publisher relations).

Whitney Houston Launches U.S. Tour

LOS ANGELES—Whitney Houston, currently riding high on the LP chart with her Number One album, "Whitney," embarked on a three month tour of the U.S. She kicked off her ambitious tour with a July 4 concert at Tampa Stadium in Florida.

Both "Whitney" and its first single, "I Wanna Dance With Somebody (Who Loves Me)," have peaked their respective charts and should provide

fuel as Houston launches her nationwide caravan. Houston plans to hit close to 45 cities before October, performing in both stadiums and medium sized venues..

Arista Records labelmate Kenny G. will join Houston on her dates from July 30 through September 24, with RCA Records artist Jonathan Butler joining her on all of the remaining July dates.

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ZEVON: It was a one day thing, which is still in the record class for me. I was in Hawaii with this guy Burt Stein from Asylum. We were trying to take a real vacation, without a pencil, at it never turned out that way. We were riding along with this girl we had met and she said we should go into so and so's plantation, he's got a beautiful house. We're driving through these pine fields and she says we should go to so and so's. And we go, okay. It's across the island. And she finally says something like, 'he's not home but it's a really beautiful place, you guys'll love it.' And I said, 'what do you mean he's not home?' 'Well, we'll have to kind of break-in,' is what she was ultimately saying. So I turned to Burt and said: 'Dear Joe' (Joe being the then head of Asylum Records, nice guy, Joe Smith) - I said, 'Dear Joe, send lawyers,' and I think Burt said 'send guns' and I said - y'know, it was one of those. Send lawyers and guns and money. And what struck me about it was that it was like the old Chuck Berry song, "Dear Dad." So I wrote it that night, the rest of the song...Certainly my songs are not without references in my mind to old songs and I did think this is like "Dear Dad." Remember that song, "Dear Dad, don't get mad."

CB: How about "Aint That Pretty At All?"

ZEVON: "Aint That Pretty At All" was actually a description of a punk concert. LeRoy Marinell was saying he had been to this concert and he was telling me about how the level of violence in the air was tangible. People were hurling themselves at walls. And I said, 'well, were they having a good time?' He said, 'yeah they were healthy sturdy young kids,' and he described the guy hurling himself at the wall and that's what the song

came out of.

CB: Did you ever think of doing "Sentimental Hygiene" as a solo album?

ZEVON: Yeah it crossed my mind. Nobody's asked me that. There was a period after "The Envoy" I was kind of discouraged. Someone said, 'do you want to make another album?' I actually didn't say yes right away. I didn't say no, but I paused. And I began to think doing those solo tours got to be more and more fun. And actually people started asking me, 'why don't you make another album?' They were kind of indignant, which is flattering. So at some point it crossed my mind that I should at least record the new songs.

CB: How did you hook-up with the members of R.E.M.?

ZEVON: That's easy. Andy (Slater), who also co-produced, started managing me about three years ago and he went to college with Peter Buck. They both went to Emory. So he introduced me to him immediately after he started working with him. And we started jamming together immediately after we were introduced. We went over to somebody's house and recorded demos over three years ago. Whenever our tours intersected they'd get on stage with me and play "Gloria" or something. We'd play some of these first songs I'd written for the album. We had played some of these songs together from the time I wrote them, so it was real logical.

CB: What were some of the earlier ones?

ZEVON: "Boom Boom" and "Trouble Waiting To Happen" were the earliest.

CB: Did you actually see the fight between Mancini and Chacon and then write the "Boom Boom Mancini"?

ZEVON: Yeah, I finished the song

that day. I wrote the choruses that day.... Somehow it all crystallized on the day of the Chacon fight. I just heard a month ago that Boom Boom's coming back and fighting Comacho or something. And they say, 'ah, he's coming back, that's why you wrote it.' (laughs). And you say, 'well, I wrote it three years ago,' and they say, 'sure you did, sure sure.'

CB: How did the song "Sentimental Hygiene" become the focus of the album?

ZEVON: I think because I liked the title and I thought it was broad enough to take it all in.

CB: Dylan plays on "The Factory": How did you meet up with him?

ZEVON: He just came down one day.

CB: Simple as that?

ZEVON: I had never met him. He had been one of my heroes for sure. He invented my job. And I walked into the studio about a month-and-a-half, two months into the record and the receptionist said Bob Dylan's waiting. There he was. And he said, 'well, I like your songs.' And I said, 'I like your songs too, Bob' (laughing). And he told me that he'd known about them, since we had a mutual friend in T-Bone Burnett, and he introduced him to the songs. Took him in and played the roughs for him. And a couple months later when we needed a harmonica we asked him to do it.

CB: It's like an all-star thing. You've got Neil Young, Brian Setzer -

ZEVON: We started out the record thinking let's not do an all-star kind of line-up on this. We'll just kind of be a quartet. I was talking to this friend who had always had the same band and I told him how much I envied him having the guys that he could always play with and play intuitively with and work out new things with. He reminded me that I had the luxury of getting individuals for individual songs.

CB: Do you write on piano?

ZEVON: I actually write more on guitar. It depends on what year it is

and what my circumstances are.

CB: You mean you'd play piano if there's a certain type of going on in your life?

ZEVON: Like a residence change.

CB: A piano's a permanent instrument. But there seems to be two types of songs at least: the "Reconsider Me" and the more flamboyant songs. Do you compose one type on piano and the other on guitar?

ZEVON: I think that the answer is yes, the way you're implying your question. It kind of comes from the characteristics of the instruments. "The Heartache" is a piano song for sure, "Boom Boom" is a guitar song, although sometimes I end up switching the instruments. For the most part that's true; there're piano type of songs and guitar type of songs.

CB: Have you ever tried to write a novel?

ZEVON: Never.

CB: But your lyrics read real well. It seems to me you might have tried poetry or a book?

ZEVON: No (pause). I had a friend,....a journalist, and long long ago he said to me, you ever try writing prose? And I gave him the same answer: it was all I could do to squeeze out barely enough lyrics. He said you should at least keep a journal. And I said no, no, I can't do that. And he said just write down what you eat and eventually you'll be filling a page. So I write down what I ate but I don't write a lot more than what I ate.

CB: Who was the biggest pop music influence on you when you were growing up? Dylan?

ZEVON: Yeah, I had the first Dylan album. I was going through the evolution you make in folk music, which is to start with the Kingston Trio and work your way back to the sources until you get to the cardboard covered albums, the Folkways stuff, which is where it all comes from. You just kind of go through all that, and here this guy exploded in the midst of all that. Dylan was undoubtedly the largest influence.

THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO IN CASHBOX

July 5, 1952—One of the important R & B deejays these days is Allen Freed of Station WJW, Cleveland, who conducts the "Moon Dog" shows. Allen broadcasts five hours daily across the board...One of the most phenomenal stories of the American entertainment business will be marked July 1st when Capitol Records celebrates its tenth birthday. Since releasing its first disks to the public on July 1, 1942, the company has risen from the ranks of a hundred-odd tiny independents to become a firmly established member of the record industry's "Big Four." On July 1, 1942, Capitol Records, Inc. released its first records, they were: "I Found a New Baby," "Cow Cow Boogie," "Strip Polka," "Johnny Doughboy Found a Rose in Ireland," "I'll Remember April," and "He Wears a Pair of Silver Wings." With production assured in the critical postwar period, Capitol was able to widen and solidify its initial success. Performers such as Nat "King" Cole, Jo Stafford, Margaret Whiting, Stan Kenton, Peggy Lee, Les Paul and Kay Starr, built imposing reputations and towering sales figures on the Capitol label. Capitol blazed trails, too, by uncovering a whole new market in children's records; its own creation, "Bozo, the Capitol Clown," led the way to the company's predominant position in this field. Today, after ten years, Capitol has become a company of more than 1,100 employees that, in 1951, made sales totalling \$13,400,000...Singing star Dinah Washington was the recipient of several awards Friday night, June 27, at New York's club Birdland. Bob Austin of *The Cash Box* presented the songstress with a scroll designating Miss Washington as "Queen of the Juke Boxes." This distinguished award is the result of a national survey conducted by a poll of 168 leading Negro newspapers' weekly ratings, coast to coast...The Five Records Disk Jockeys Played Most This Week: 1. "Here In My Heart," Al Martino. 2. "Kiss of Fire," Georgia Gibbs. 3. "I'm Yours," Don Cornell/Eddie Fisher. 4. "Delicado," Percy Faith. "Walkin' My Baby Back Home," Johnnie Ray.

Around The Route

By Camille Compasio

Watch for the new Atari "APB" video game, which was introduced at the factory's recent distrib meeting and is scheduled for mid-July production. The name of the game pretty much tells you what the theme is—cops and robbers, naturally! Television has familiarized everyone with the plice phrase "put out an APB"... all points bulletin. Atari's marketing chief Mary Fujihara is all enthused about the new game. We spoke with her last week and she's very close to taking leave to await the arrival of her baby.

We were sorry to hear about the recent death, at the age of 68, of Harold LaRoux, longtime member of the Bally Dist. team. Prior to his retirement he had headed the Bally branch in Grand Rapids. He was very well known in coinbiz circles and was a heck of a nice guy, who still remained somewhat active in the trade after he retired. Harold's son Jim, is in charge of the Atlas Dist. branch in Grand Rapids, Michigan. To Jim and the entire La Roux family, Cash Box extends sincere condolences. Harold's death came as a shock to all who knew him. He will be missed.

Congrats to Romstar's Rene Lopez, whose recent promotion to vice presi-

dent of marketing and sales was announced at the company's July 1 distrib meeting in Chicago. Event, held at the Sofitel O'Hare, was one of three hosted by Romstar (the others were in New Jersey and California) to introduce the new "To Speed" dedicated video driving game (licensed from Taito) and "Black Tiger" kit (licensed from Capcom). "Top Speed" is the first dedicated game from this noted kit producer.

You will notice that your delivery of the July 18 issue of Cash Box is heavier than usual, because this week's edition is in two parts—the regular weekly book plus the 45th annual Cash Box Directory. Cash Box staffers in all departments burned the midnight oil to get this book together in time for deadline. On a personal note, I'd like to say thanks to all of you who took the time to complete the questionnaires we sent—and to the very few who didn't, shame on you, but special thanks for completing them with us by telephone. To our advertisers, a very special thank you, for without your support the Cash Box Directory could not have been a success.

Dynamo Taps Damon Paramore

CHICAGO—Dynamo Corporation of Richland Hills, Texas announced the appointment of Damon Paramore to the position of national sales representative. Paramore will report directly to Mark Struhs, vice president of sales and marketing, and will interface with industry customers regarding all Dynamo products.

"Damon is part of an overall plan at Dynamo to increase the level of service to our distributor and operator friends in the coin-op industry," commented Struhs. "Dynamo is growing rapidly with several very successful product lines and we wanted to be sure that our customers were still getting the same level of quality service that Dynamo is known for. The addition of Damon to our sales staff will help insure that," he added.

Paramore is a 1983 graduate of the University of Texas at Arlington. He



received a B.A. degree in Business Management. He has three years of operator experience in the video game field, and three years of product management and sales experience in the electronic industry.

Joe Gilbert To Williams

CHICAGO—Marty Glazman, vice president-marketing and sales for Williams Electronics Games, Inc. announced the appointment of Joe Gilbert as director of sales. In this post, Gilbert will be responsible for overseeing all aspects of Williams national distributor sales operations.

Gilbert joins Williams from Nintendo where he served as eastern regional

sales manager.

Commenting on the appointment, Glazman stated "Joe brings a wealth of experience to Williams from his 24 years in the coin-operated industry. Williams' steady growth in becoming a leader in pinball sales over the past few years has been such that we require the expertise that Joe brings to our company."

A Hands-On View Of The Taito 'Double Dragon'

By Camille Compasio

CHICAGO—The dragon has long been a symbol of strength in the Asian countries, and strength is among the key elements portrayed in the newly introduced "Double Dragon" dedicated video game from Taito America.

It's a 2-player, inter-action thriller, based on a street gang theme, with enough variations to keep you totally interested. The concept is the brainchild of Taito's vice president of sales Yoshi Suzuki with assistance from the TA team.

What you have here is a situation where a girl is captured by a ruthless street gang and our two heroes, Spike and Hammer (controlled by the players) venture out to rescue her amidst insurmountable odds. The villains are positively treacherous, both visually and in terms of power, and they out-number our heroes, which makes the mission even more challenging. The action is non-stop throughout play.

Taito America invited Cash Box out to see "Double Dragon" in action and on the production line at the Bally/LS facility in Cicero, Illinois, where the games are being manufactured.

Demonstrating the game were TA's Rick Rochetti, sales manager, and Tom Larsen, who is in charge of production at Taito's Wheeling, Illinois facility, with director of special projects Ben Rochetti close at hand. The guys really know how to make this game perform.



Here are two models of the new Taito America "Double Dragon", which were set up expressly for the Cash Box session - and they're in the company of TA's sales manager Rick Rochetti (l-r) and director of special projects Ben Rochetti.

We thoroughly enjoyed the experience and were completely captivated by the fast, high-powered action, which certainly lends credence to the phenomenal test reports we've been hearing about.

The graphics are outstanding as they take you through six scrolling screens that depict each of the different stages the player(s) must go through, facing adversaries, obstacles and booby traps in the attempt to save the girl.

Just visualize the natural habitats of street gangs when they're out to fight and you'll see buildings, wooded areas, back alleys, a dock where you can be knocked into the water, and other ominous locations, which are all evident in "Double Dragon". As the player, you are constantly confronted by the culprits, in this environment, until you reach the headquarters where the captive is being held.

Among the various weapons used during the confrontations are bats, knives, whips, barrels, dynamite, machine guns, as well as kicking the opponents; and all of the action is accompanied by the respective sounds, which adds to the mood of play. There are non-stop thrills all the way, as your partner will, sometimes, either accidentally or intentionally knock you down with a weapon or a kick.

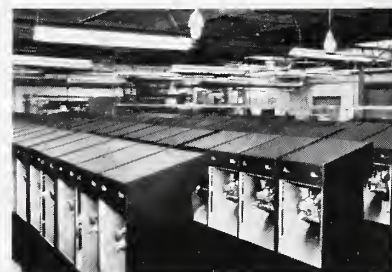
The game offers a buy-in feature so that in the single player mode a second player can join in at any time; as well as a continue feature so that you can

keep going until you complete the full game cycle.

But here's the kicker. When two players go at it, they can work together against the enemies during all of the various stages of play until they get to the thrilling climax, meaning the point when they reach the gang's headquarters. At this time, they can attack each other—and may the best man win!

Taito America reports that after about eight weeks on test, "Double Dragon" has been bringing in consistently high earnings.

As for the Rick Rochetti/Tom Larsen match—we'll never tell who won!



A view of production lines at the Bally/LS facility (taken from several feet above floor level) shows the units being readied for final assembly. We understand that initial response from distributors has been positively great!



Rochetti and Larsen get ready to demonstrate the high-powered, heat action that dominates the screen from start to finish and is impossible to capture on a piece of black and white film. But you'll see for yourself when you play this outstanding game.

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