

### THE GAVIN REPORT #1197 WEEKLY SUMMARY (Editor, Gary Taylor)

Smash of the Week: IMAGINARY LOVER-Atlanta Rhythm Section (Polydor) This has blossomed just in time for the spring Arbitron.

Sleeper of the Week: LOVE IS LIKE OXYGEN-Sweet (Capitol) An additional two weeks of research is needed to verify the records "hit" potential, but at this stage of development it looks positive (see page 7).

Hot: WITH A LITTLE LUCK-Wings (Capitol) The structural simplicity of McCartney's music is the foundation of his creative genius.

Top Tip: WEREWOLVES OF LONDON-Warren Zevon (Asylum) Apparently it pays to be different, at least for this novel release which jumps 41 to 29 in chart averages.

Record to Watch: FLASHLIGHT-Parliament (Casablanca) Strongest rankings come from:
WHHY (1), WSGA (1), WBBQ (1), WHBQ (2), 96X (6), Y100 (8), WMET (9), and WQXI (11).
Several correspondents report #1 requests (mostly teens); however, many are waiting for further signs of mass acceptance.

▲Top New Add: SHADOW DANCING-Andy Gibb (RSO) The Gibb pattern is familiar - 75 adds in 3 days.

Recommended Playlist

The listings below represent a consensus of rock correspondents' reports. Their evaluations are derived from a variety of sources - retail sales, phone requests, call out research, juke box plays, etc. - according to the individual characteristics of the various markets. Underlined sides show the strongest potential for continued growth.

2. CAN'T SMILE WITHOUT YOU-Barry Manilow
3. DUST IN THE WIND-Kansas
4. IF I CAN'T HAVE YOU'S

Output

Description of the party of the p 3. 4. IF I CAN'T HAVE YOU-Yvonne Elliman .. TAKE CARE OF EVERYTHING-Rubicon 5. EBONY EYES-Bob Welch MORE THAN A WOMAN-Bee Gees (LP cut) 4. WEREWOLVES OF LONDON-Warren Zevon MOVIN' OUT-Billy Joel 6. JACK & JILL-Raydio 7. 9. 7. OUR LOVE-Natalie Cole DISCO INFERNO-The Trammps 8. 8. GOODBYE GIRL-David Gates 9. THANK YOU...-Andrew Gold
 10. LAY DOWN SALLY-Eric Clapton FANTASY-Earth, Wind & Fire BABY HOLD ON-Eddie Money 11. 12. 11. SWEET TALKIN' WOMAN-ELO THIS TIME I'M IN IT FOR LOVE-Player 13. 12. RUNNIN' ON EMPTY-Jackson Browne LADY LOVE-Lou Rawls THE CIRCLE IS SMALL-Gordon Lightfoot TWO DOORS DOWN-Dolly Parton 14. 13. ...GOODBYE AGAIN-Eng.Dan & J.F.Coley 17. 14. FEELS SO GOOD-Chuck Mangione 19. 15. IMAGINARY LOVER-Atlanta Rhythm Sec. HOT LEGS-Rod Stewart 18. 16. BEFORE MY HEART FINDS OUT-Gene Cotton ON BROADWAY-George Benson

--. 17. THE CLOSER...-R.Flack & D.Hathaway
--. 18. COUNT ON ME-Jefferson Starship
10. 19. STAYIN' ALIVE-Bee Gees Gaining IT'S A HEARTACHE-Bonnie Tyler

LOVE IS LIKE OXYGEN-Sweet --. 20. WITH A LITTLE LUCK-Wings MORE THAN A WOMAN-Tavares

Top Prospect \*TOO MUCH, TOO LITTLE, TOO LATE-Johnny Mathis & Deniece Williams (Columbia)

Regional Sales and/or Requests

LET'S ALL CHANT-Michael Zager Band (Private St) HEARTLESS-Heart (Mushroom) EVERY KINDA PEOPLE-Robert Palmer (Island) EGO-Elton John (MCA) MAKE YOU FEEL LOVE AGAIN-Wet Willie (Epic)
BOMBS AWAY-Bob Weir (Arista) I CAN'T STAND THE RAIN-Eruption (Ariola) I'VE NEVER BEEN TO ME-Mary Macgregor (Ariola) YOU'LL LOVE AGAIN-Hotel (Mercury) DANCE WITH ME-Peter Brown (Drive) TWO OUT OF THREE AIN'T BAD-Meatloaf (Epic) BALTIMORE-Randy Newman (Warner Bros.)
DANCE ACROSS THE FLOOR-Jimmy Bo Horne (Sunshine)SHADOW IN THE STREET-Allan Clarke (Atlantic) BECAUSE THE NIGHT-Patti Smith Group (Arista)

YOU GOT THAT RIGHT-Lynyrd Skynyrd (MCA) YOU'RE THE LOVE-Seals & Crofts (Warner Bros.) \*\*DEACON BLUES-Steely Dan (ABC)
STRANDED IN A LIMOUSINE-Paul Simon (Columbia) WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN-Fotomaker (Atlantic) MAMA LET HIM PLAY-Doucette (Mushroom) DO YOU BELIEVE IN MAGIC-Shaun Cassidy (W.B.) BAKER STREET-Gerry Rafferty (U.A.) BALTIMORE-Randy Newman (Warner Bros. CHEESEBURGER...-Jimmy Buffett (ABC-LP cut)
I WANT YOU TO BE MINE-Kayak (Janus)
GIVE A LITTLE MORE-Robert John (Ariola)
FLYING WITH BROKEN WINGS-Angel (Casablanca) LET'S PUT OUR LOVE..-Micky Denne/Ken Gold (MCA) SINCE YOU BEEN GONE-Head East (A&M) WHEEL IN THE SKY-Journey (Columbia)

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Correspondents' Corner\*\*

Chart and listings on page one are derived from information supplied by the radio reporters listed below. \*Indicates requests. Sales action is underlined.

Bath, Jack O'Brian-WIGY- Seals & Crofts Lewiston, Mark Ericson-WLAM- Gene Cotton Portsmouth, Mike O'Neal-WHEB- Carly Simon Dover, Jim Sebastian-WTSN- Patti Smith Group Hyannis, Rick Stuart-WCOD- Patti Smith Group Worcester, B.J.Dean-WORC- Seals & Crofts Danbury, Brian St. James-WINE- A.R. Section Hartford, Rick Donahue-WTIC/FM- #7-Trammps Rochester, Tom Nast-WBBF- #11-Journey Utica, Jim Reitz-WTLB- #8-Parliament Schenectady, Jim Walsh-3WD- Van Halen Babylon, Bernie Bernard-WBAB- Meatloaf Reading, Shannon/Newman-WRAW- Andy Gibb Trenton, Tom Taylor-WPST- Steely Dan Wilmington, Bill O'Brien-WAMS- Rubicon Annapolis, Kingston/Lewis-WYRE- Andy Gibb Frederick, Joe Johnson-WZYQ- Warren Zevon Richmond, Ken Curtis-WLEE- A.R. Section Lynchburg, Tony Love-WLLL- Bonnie Tyler Winston-Salem, Bob Scarborough-WAIR- #10-Sweet Reidsville, Lebai-WFRC- #9-Andrew Gold
Asheboro, Gary Cannon-WZOO- #11-Flack/Hathaway
Shelby, Jeffrey Owens-WOHS- Robert John Asheville, Ray Williams-WISE- Wet Willie New Bern, Richard Taylor-WSFL/FM-#6-Eddie Money Fayetteville, Stan Stewart-WFLB- L. Skynyrd Columbia, Dan Vallie-WCOS- #7-Parliament Anderson, Bill McCown-WANS- Eddie Kendricks Greenville, Ken Rogers-WFBC- Andy Gibb Kingstree, Jerry Smith-WKSP- Paul Simon Charleston, Bob McLain-WTMA- \*Eddie Money Augusta, Bruce Stevens-WBBQ- Gerry Rafferty Savannah, Jerry Katz-WSGF/FM- \*Sweet - - Brady McGraw-WSGA- Andy Gibb Athens, Jeff Michaels-WAGQ- Michael Johnson - Kelly McCoy-WRFC- Michael Johnson Gainesville, Tom Harris-WWID- Hotel - - Sam Church-WFOX- #2-Warren Zevon Atlanta, Rhett Walker-WQXI- Meatloaf - - Don Benson-94Q- Bonnie Tyler Columbus, Jeff Blake-WCGQ- Angel Albany, Kris Van Dyke-WALG- Hometown Band Carrollton, Scott Evans-WPPI- Doucette - Ray Hammonds-WBTR/FM- Meatloaf Wilmington, Robbie Vogt-WGNI- Rufus Daytona Beach, John Scott-WMFJ-Mary Macgregor Orlando, Cris O'Neill-WLOF- Trammps Cocoa Beach, Steve Ocean-CK101- Mike Love W.Palm Beach, Allen Edwards-WIRK- J.Buffett(CB) Miami, Colleen Cassidy-Y100- Jimmy Buffett (CB) Tampa, Ron Parker-WLCY- \*Warren Zevon Ocala, Bill Early-WWKE- Fotomaker
Tallahassee, Michael O'Malley-WONS- Allan Clarke Panama City, Jim King-WDLP- #8-Gene Cotton Ft.Walton, Bob Kitzmiller-WNUE- #1-Heatwave Pensacola, Dan Ingram-WBSR- Heart Huntsville, Bill Helsip-WVOV- Trammps Huntsville, Jay Fredericks-WAAY- Shaun Cassidy Muscle Shoals, Rick Shayne-Q107- Warren Zevon Guntersville, Kerry Jackson-WGSV- \*Elton John Cullman, Rich McCarthy-WKLN/FM- Meatloaf Gadsden, Dale McKee-WQEN- Robert John
- - Roger Gaither-WGAD- \*Kayak Birmingham, Steve Davis-WKXX- Lynyrd Skynyrd Enterprise, Mark Thompson-WKMX- #9-Mathis/Wms. Mobile, Scott Griffith-WABB- Meatloaf Greenville, Mark Jones-WDDT- Allan Clarke Natchez, Haynes Ford-WQNZ- Rufus Jackson, Mickey Coulter-WYIG- Jimmy Buffett - Tom Daniels-WJDX- Heatwave Pascagoula, Dan Lynch-WKKY- Heart Biloxi, Bob Lima-WQID- Kongas Baton Rouge, Joe London-WIBR- Allan Clarke Lafayette, Michael Lea-KVOL- Genesis Lake Charles, Kim Canard-KLOU- Lynyrd Skynyrd - - Robert Penny-KAOK- Heart Shreveport, Keith Greer-KROK- Kongas
- - Howard Clark-KEEL- Warren Zevon Abbeville, Gary Shannon-KROF- David Castle Chattanooga, David Carroll-WGOW- Mathis/Wms. \*\*Correspondents not listed above will be found on page 9....

Nashville, Eva Wood-WLAC- Kayak Knoxville, Bob Kaghan-WRJZ- Bonnie Tyler Bowling Green, Doug Kirsch-WBGN- Andy Gibb Paducah, Bryan Sargent-WKYX- Stargard Lexington, Jim Jordan-WVLK- Player South Bend, Jason Foxx-WRBR- Heart Anderson, Dan Scott-WHUT- Blondie Cincinnati, C.C. Matthews-WSAI- #6-Andrew Gold Hamilton, Joe London-WMOH- #13-Gene Cotton Akron, Bobby Knight-WCUE- Angel Columbus, Steve Edwards-WNCI- Andrew Gold Canton, Ron Foster-WQIO- \*Wings
- - - Keith London-WINW- \*Meatloaf Cleveland, Beau Raines-WZZP- #10-Styx Wheeling, Jim Roberts-WKWK- Wet Willie Parkersburg, Jack Fitzgerald-WXIL- Meatloaf Beckley, Dwayne Bonds-WCIR- Manhattan Transfer Altoona, John Harrison-WVAM- Dolly Parton - Tony Booth-WFBG- Warren Zevon Youngstown, Jack Taylor-WYFM- Dan & Coley Johnstown, Douglas Kaye-WCRO- Meatloaf Sault Ste.Marie, Bob Martin-WSMM-\*Ronnie Montrose Grand Rapids, Chris O'Brien-Z96- Elton John Jackson, Garry Osborn-WIBM- George Benson Muskegon, Jon London-ETRU- Elton John Chicago, Alan Burns-WLS- #8-Parliament - Dave Morgan-WMET- Andy Gibb Carbondale, Rick Zurick-WCIL/FM- Genesis Freeport, Kevin Kenny-WACI- Doucette Madison, R.J. Reynolds-WISM- Seals & Crofts Milwaukee, Jim Smith-WOKY- Shaun Cassidy Two Rivers, John Barber-15Q- Shaun Cassidy Green Bay, Gregg Albert-WDUZ- #6-Styx
Appleton, Jason Page-WNAM- Seals & Crofts Stevens Point, Pat Martin-WSPT- \*Steely Dan Eau Claire, Sean McCartney-WEAQ- Billy Joel La Crosse, Pat Smith-WLCX- Kiss Duluth, Beau Elliot-WEBC- #10-Wings Rochester, Denny Foster-KWEB- Abba St. Cloud, Tom Kay-WJON- Gerry Rafferty Grand Forks, Bob Hopper-KKXL- Player Fargo, Mark Renier-KVOX- Billy Joel Bismarck, Dan Brannan-KFYR- Seals & Crofts Minot, Doug Corbett-KKOA- Andy Gibb Aberdeen, Gary Dixon-KSDN- Debby Boone Huron, L.A. Timms-KOKK- #2-Andrew Gold Rapid City, C.J.Stone-KKLS- Eddie Money - Dave Hohn-KTOQ- Gerry Rafferty Sioux Falls, Tom Evans-KISD- Patti Smith Group Sioux City, Bill Bodie-KWSL- Mike Love Dubuque, Steve Sesterhenn-KFMD- #10-Rub on Ottumwa, Dave Carlson-KLEE- Denne/Gold Des Moines, Michael Stone-KMGK-Warren Zevon Mason City, Bob Scott-KRIB- Abba Lincoln, Gary Collins-KLMS- Bill Conti Omaha, Bruce Vidal-KOIL- Elton John Jackson, Kent Nelson-KJAS- Mike Love Kansas City, Kim Welsh-KBEQ- Jimmy Buffett (CB) Pine Bluff, Paul Sims-KOTN- Sweet Little Rock, C.David Hamilton-KAAY- Hotel Lawrence, Mike Schmidt-KLWN/FM- #5-C.Mangione Topeka, J.R.Greeley-KEWI- #5-Dan & Coley Manhattan, Ed Klimke-KMKF- Sweet Junction City, Beau James-KJCK- Roger Powell Salina, Dave Laurie-KSKG- Head East Wichita, Bob Lawrence-KLEO- #12-Andrew Gold - Barry Casey-KEYN- Mike Finnigan Oklahoma City, Sandy Jones-WKY- Flack/Hathaway - Barry Shannon-KZUE- Wha-Koo Marshall, Jerry Rome-KMHT- Mike Finnigan Tyler, Robert Adams-KDOK- Billy Joel Dallas, Gary Mack-Z97- #5-David Gates Waco, Mike Lucas-KRZI- #10-Andrew Gold Temple, Mike Patrick-KTEM- Juice Newton Killeen, Stan Castles-KIXS- Angel Bryan, Richard Moore-KTAM- Doucette Houston, Clay Gish-KRBE- #8-Warren Zevon Galveston, Dave Collins-KILE- Celebration Beaumont, J.J.Stone-KWIC- Doucette - - - Paul King-KAYC- Jimmy "Bo" Horne

## Adult Contemporary Programming (Associate Editor, Ron Fell)

Most Active: WITH A LITTLE LUCK-Wings (Capitol) No great surprise to anyone, except that it has reached high rotation status at KHOW, WTMJ, KSFO, KNX/FM & WOMC so soon.

Worth Watching: GOD KNOWS-Debby Boone (Warner Bros.) Eighty percent of the stations playing the new single are playing BABY I'M YOURS but some calculated hunch play by KHOW, WFYR, KEX, and a few others may lead to alot of flip side play.

Top Thirty LW TW 18. 16. COUNT ON ME-Jefferson Starship <u>LW</u> 1. 1. CAN'T SMILE WITHOUT YOU-Barry Manilow 19. 17. TOO MUCH, TOO LITTLE...-Mathis & Williams 20. 18. OUR LOVE-Natalie Cole 2. DUST IN THE WIND-Kansas 2. 3. NIGHT FEVER-Bee Gees 4. WE'LL NEVER HAVE TO SAY ... - Dan & Coley 25. 19. IMAGINARY LOVER-Atlanta Rhythm Section 5. BEFORE MY HEART FINDS OUT-Gene Cotton
6. IF I CAN'T HAVE YOU-Yvonne Elliman 30. 20. WITH A LITTLE LUCK-Wings 4. 26. 21. THIS TIME I'M IN IT FOR LOVE-Player 7. 8. 7. THE CIRCLE IS SMALL-Gordon Lightfoot 8. FEELS SO GOOD-Chuck Mangione 22. ALWAYS & FOREVER-Heatwave 21. 28. 23. TWO DOORS DOWN-Dolly Parton 12. 9. THE CLOSER I GET TO YOU-Flack & Hathaway 23. 24. EBONY EYES-Bob Welch 14. --. 25. ON BROADWAY-George Benson 13. 10. THANK YOU FOR BEING A FRIEND-Andrew Gold 9. 11. LAY DOWN SALLY-Eric Clapton 29. 26. I'VE NEVER BEEN TO ME-Mary Macgregor 15. 27. SWEET, SWEET SMILE-Carpenters 24. 28. THE ONE & ONLY-Kasey Cisyk 10. 12. FALLING-LeBlanc & Carr 6. 13. WONDERFUL WORLD-Art Garfunkel 17. 29. IT AMAZES ME-John Denver 11. 14. GOODBYE GIRL-David Gates --. 30. GEORGIA ON MY MIND-Willie Nelson 16. 15. READY FOR THE TIMES TO ... - Crystal Gayle

Action Sides
YOU'RE THE ONE...-Travolta & Olivia
JACK & JILL-Raydio
I'M GONNA TAKE CARE OF EVERYTHING-Rubicon
SWEET TALKIN' WOMAN-Electric Light Orch.
STRANDED IN A LIMOUSINE-Paul Simon
MOVIN' OUT-Billy Joel
MORE THAN A WOMAN-Bee Gees (LP cut)
FANTASY-Earth, Wind & Fire
A LOVER'S QUESTION-Jacky Ward
CHATTANOOGA CHOO CHOO-Tuxedo Junction

Sales and/or Requests
THE LAST OF THE ROMANTICS-Engelbert Humperdinck
SOFTY.../UNCHAINED-Elvis Presley
BABY I'M YOURS/GOD KNOWS-Debby Boone
RUNNIN' ON EMPTY-Jackson Browne
DEACON BLUES-Steely Dan
LOVE IS-Bros. Johnson
NO ONE GAVE ME LOVE-Tom Jones

Correspondents' Preferred Picks
YOU'RE THE LOVE-Seals & Crofts (Warner Bros.)
WE'LL SING IN THE SUNSHINE-Helen Reddy (Capitol)
SHADOW DANCING-Andy Gibb (RSO)

Airplay
IT'S A HEARTACHE-Bonnie Tyler
ONE LAST TIME-Al Martino
YOU ARE ALL I EVER NEED-Lobo
ALL I EVER WANNA BE-David Castle
EVERYTIME TWO FOOLS COLLIDE-K.Rogers & D.West
SO SAD TO BREAKUP-Valentine
BALTIMORE-Randy Newman

Note: Last week, a typographical error omitted the Rubicon single from our Action Sides category.

This week's research shows it to be alive and well and still on Action Sides.

Akron (Russ Knight-WAKR) Jefferson Starship/Clapton/Tom Jones/Humperdinck/Travolta & Olivia. - C Correspondents' Reports Anna, Ill. (Jane Michel-WRAJ) G. Benson/Denne & Gold/Castle/C. Wells/A. Gibb. Calls: Wings/E.L.O. Athens (Ty Richards-WATH) Travolta & Olivia/Tuxedo Junction. Gains: A. Gold/Humperdinck. Austin (Bob Joseph-KCSW) K. Starr/G. Page/Boone (BABY)/C. Pride. Gains: Mangione/Kansas. Baltimore (Dexter Beane-WCBM) G. Benson/Dolly Parton/Mathis & Williams. Baton Rouge (Ron Casey-WJBO) Tuxedo Junction/A. O'Day/Seals & Crofts/Boone/Manhattan Transfer. Bemidji (Carolyn Rossbach-KKBJ) Van McCoy/Travolta & Olivia/B. LaBounty. Bend (Bill Jay-KBND) Fitzgerald & Keeley/Tyler/Tuxedo Junction/D. Boone/A. Gibb. Bismarck (Tom Bitz-KBOM) Mathis & Wms./Boone (BABY)/Martino/Benson/Abba (new)/Cisyk. Blackfoot (Jack Sunday-KBLI) Jefferson Starship/Player/Cisyk/Alpert & Masekela/Atlanta Rhy. Sec. Boise (Lee Chabre-KBOI) B. Tyler/Lobo/Valentine/Dolly Parton.
Boston (Jim Spellmeyer-WEEI/FM) John Hall/Carly Simon (single & LP).
Brookhaven (Randall Smith-WJMB) LaBounty/Boone (BABY)/S. Robinson/S. & Crofts/Atlanta Rhy. Sec.
Buffalo (Roger Christian-WBEN) Gains: Bee Gees (WOMAN)/McDaniel/A. Gold/Lightfoot/Spyro Gyra. Burlington (Gary Wheelock-WVMT) Andy Gibb/Macgregor. Gains: Clapton/Starship/Palmer/Waylon & Willie. Butte (Bob Roberts-KXLF) D. Parton/Meco/Travolta & Olivia/M. Zager. Gains: Flack & H./Earth & W.F. Canton (Rick Jacobs-WHBC) Flack & Hathaway/Boone (BABY)/H. Reddy/Meco. Gains: Mathis & Williams.
Cedar Rapids (Rick Sellers-WMT) Elvis (SOFTLY)/H. Reddy/Tuxedo Junction. Gains: Macgregor/Lightfoot
Charlotte (Andy Bickel-WBT) Player/D. Parton/Gibb/Zevon/Paycheck.
Charlottesville (Jim Racey-WCHV) Player/Mathis & Williams/Elton. Gains: Cotton/Manilow/Cole.
Chicago (Dave Martin-WFTR) Travolta & Olivia/Carly Simon/Boone (GOD KNOWS). Gains: Wings/P. Brown. - (Rob Reynolds-WYEN) Wings/Andy Gibb/Billy Joel. Chico (Jan Claire-KPAY) Abba/Diamond/Parton/Lobo. <u>Gains</u>: Joel/P. Simon/J. Ward/Martino/DeShannon. Clovis (Charlie Russell-KKQQ) Travolta & Olivia/Elvis (UNCHAINED)/Robert John/Aztec Two Step. Coffeyville (Bill Miller-KGGF) Travolta & Olivia/Meco/N. Cole. <u>Calls</u>: Hudson & Judson/P. March. Colorado Springs (Danny Shanahan-KIIQ) Jefferson Starship/Mathis & Williams. <u>Calls</u>: N. Cole/E.L.O. Columbia (Mike Collins-WIS) Atlanta Rhythm Section/Seals & Crofts. Welson/K. Bonoff. Columbus (Denny Nugent-WTVN) Jackson Browne/Mathis & Wms./E.L.O./Wings. Gains: Elliman/Dan & Coley. Coquille, Ore. (Warren Farwell-KWRO) C. Gayle/Welch/A. Gold/Elvis (UNCHAINED). Gains: Kansas. Continued to Page 10.....

#### Black Radio (Associate Editor, Betty Hollars)

Hot Line: TAKE ME TO THE NEXT PHASE-Isley Bros. (T-Neck) First cut to be released from their new LP debuts on our chart at number 20 - nuff said!

Looking Good: THE GROOVE LINE/HAPPINESS TOGETHERNESS-Heatwave (Epic) Both sides enjoy positive phone response resulting from initially heavy airplay (heaviest on GROOVE side).

Correspondents' Top Thirty

The following list is a composite of sales and requests reported by our correspondents, whose names appear below.

LW TW  $\frac{LW}{17}$ .  $\frac{TW}{16}$ . EMOTION-Samantha Sang 2. 1. TOO MUCH...-Mathis & Williams 2. BOOTZILLA-Bootsy's Rubber Band 23. 17. LIFE'S A SONG/SLICK SUPERCHICK-Kool & Gang 5. 3. ON BROADWAI-GETTO YOUR LIGHT TO YOU 12. 18. LET ME PARTY WITH YOU-Bunny Sigler 3. ON BROADWAY-George Benson 15. 19. AM I LOSING YOU-Manhattans 5. THE CLOSER I GET TO YOU-Flack/Hathaway --. 20. TAKE ME TO THE NEXT PHASE-Isley Bros. 6. 6. REACHING FOR THE SKY-Peabo Bryson 18. 21. STAYIN' ALIVE-Bee Gees 7. DANCE WITH ME-Peter Brown 19. 22. DON'T COST YOU NOTHIN'-Ashford & Simpson 8. GET ON UP (DISCO)-Tyrone Davis 20. 23. IF I HAD MY WAY-Walter Jackson 13. 9. ALL THE WAY LOVER-Millie Jackson 26. 24. WORKING TOGETHER-Maze --. 25. THE GROOVE LINE/& f.-Heatwave 10. 10. FANTASY-Earth, Wind & Fire 8. 11. IT'S YOU THAT I NEED-Enchantment 27. 26. TOMORROW I MAY NOT FEEL..-Gene Chandler 16. 12. NIGHT FEVER-Bee Gees 22. 27. SHOUT IT OUT-B.T. Express 21. 13. STAY-Rufus & Chaka Khan 24. 28. LOVE ME RIGHT-Denise LaSalle 14. 14. OCEANS OF THOUGHTS & DREAMS-Dramatics
11. 15. NEVER GET ENOUGH OF YOUR LOVE-LTD 25. 29. L-O-V-E-U-Brass Construction 28. 30. THEME: WHICH WAY IS UP-Stargard

Movin' On Up
USE TA BE MY GIRL-O'Jays (Philadelphia Int.l.) DANCE ACROSS THE FLOOR-Jimmy "Bo" Horne (Sunshine)

Top Airplay DUKEY STICK-George Duke IT'S SERIOUS-Cameo SUPERNATURAL FEELING-Blackbyrds RUMOUR HAS IT-Donna Summer RIDING HIGH-Faze-O TRUST YOUR HEART-Bobby Womack FREAKY DEAKY-Roy Ayers YOUR LOVE IS SO GOOD FOR ME-Diana Ross WHERE DID LOVE GO-Leroy Hutson ALL NIGHT LONG-Dexter Wansel LET'S ALL CHANT-Michael Zager Band I CAN'T STAND THE RAIN-Eruption THE ONE & ONLY-Gladys Knight & the Pips YOU ARE, YOU ARE-Curtis Mayfield

Correspondents' Preferred Picks BLACK WATER GOLD-The Sunshine Band (T.K.) KEEP ON DANCING-Johnnie Taylor (Columbia) EVERYBODY DANCE-Chic (Atlantic) SUMMER SONG-Grover Washington, Jr. (Kudu) DAYLIGHT & DARKNESS-Smokey Robinson (Tamla) I'M REALLY GONNA MISS YOU-Billy Preston (A&M) CONFUNKSHUNIZA YA-Con Funk Shun (Mercury) MS .- David Oliver (Mercury) LOVE IS-Bros. Johnson (A&M)
OLD MAN WITH YOUNG IDEAS-Ann Peebles (Hi) THIS TIME THEY TOLD THE TRUTH-Z.Z.Hill (Columbia) AIN'T NO SMOKE ... / WHIP-Eddie Kendricks (Tamla) WE FELL IN LOVE WHILE DANCING-Bill Brandon(Prelude) WHAT IS FUNK-Rare Gems Odyssey (Casablanca)

Regional Highlights Birmingham (Victor Boykin-WBUL) #3-Raydio, #5-Manhattans, #6-Mathis/Williams, #7-Bootsy, #10-Maze. New: Isley Bros., Ruby Winter. On: Controllers. Req: Rufus & Chaka Khan. Chicago (Radio WVON) #1-Flack/Hathaway, #2-Mathis/Williams, #7-Bee Gees, #8-Tyrone Davis. Gns: George Benson, Bill Brandon, Ann Peebles, T.H.P. Orchestra, Albert King. New: The Sunshine Band, Jimmy "Bo" Horne, Chuck Mangione. LP: J.R. Bailey. Chicago (Richard Steele-WJPC) #1-Flack/Hathaway, #4-Tyrone Davis, #5-Peter Brown, #6-Brook Benton #7-S.Sang, #10-Belle Epoque. Gns: Rufus. Manhattans. New: George Duke, Donna Summer, O'Jays. Chicago (Earnest L. James-WBMX/FM) #7-George Benson, #8-Tyrone Davis, #9-Belle Epoque. Gns:
Rufus, Willie Hutch, Greg Perry, Faze-O. New: O'Jays, Gladys Knight, Le Pamplemouse. Cleveland (Mike Payne-WABQ) #2-Heatwave, #3-George Duke, #8-Bunny Sigler, #9-Roy Ayers, #10-George Benson. New: Barbara Mason, Ron Preyer, Whispers.

Columbus (Keith Willis-WVKO) #1-Bunny Sigler, #3-Faze-O. Gns: T.Davis, B.Bland, P.Labelle, Heatwave, Isleys, Chic. New: Johnnie Taylor, Harvey Mason, O'Jays, Rufus, George Duke, Cheryl Barns Galveston (Randy Sterling-KGBC) #1-Brass Construction, #4-Maze. New: War, Johnnie Taylor. Req: Sun, Isleys, Con Funk Shun, Fant. 4, P. Brown. On: Eruption, W. Jackson, B&G Rhythm, M. Jackson. Henderson (Juan Blanco-KGRI/FM) #5-G.Benson, #9-M.Jackson, #10-Bunny Sigler. Gns: Kool & Gang,
B.White, Cameo, C.Mangione, Rufus. New: Odyssey, Hot, Elton John. On: Tower of Power.
Natchez (Haynes Ford-WNAT) #4-G.Benson, #5-T.Davis. Gns: W.Jackson, LTD, Dramatics, Rufus, O'Jays Rare Gems Odyssey, G.Chandler, M.Zager, Isleys. New: Chic, Smokey Robinson, Heatwave, Barkays. New York (Sonny Taylor-WWRL) #3-Bootsy, #7-G.Benson, #10-Chic. Gns: Rufus, Faze-O, J.Bo Horne, O'Jays, Dramatics, J.Bristol. New: D.Oliver, Smokey R., Blackbyrds, C.Mayfield, Evelyn C.King.

St. Louis (Gary Starr-KATZ) #3-G.Benson, #6-Bee Gees. Gns: D.Summer, Eruption, M.Zager, Heatwave

New: Parlet, Smokey R., O'Jays, Cheryl Barnes, Jaisun. On: Isleys, B.White, Odyssey, Choc.Milk. St. Matthews (Andy Henderson-WQKI) #1-Parliament, #5-T.Davis, #10-LTD. Gns: Dramatics, B.White, Bee Gees, Rufus. New: Bros. Johnson, Chic. On: Isleys, O'Jays, G.Duke, Heatwave, C.Mayfield. San Francisco (Johnny Morris-KDIA) #1-George Benson, #8-Faze-0, #10-Rufus. Gns: Isleys, Cameo, Walter Jackson. New: Whispers, Aretha. New LP's: Tyrone Davis, O'Jays, Houston Person. Stockton (Charles Richardson-KUOP) Gns: G.Benson, Dexter Wansel, D.Oliver, Roy Ayers, Rufus, Isleys. Gns: Blackbyrds, LTD, Peabo Bryson. New: Leroy Hutson, Tyrone Davis.

Berkeley (Rob Singleton-KRE) Rq: George Duke. New LP's: Al DiMeola, Spyro Gyra, O'Jays, Tower of P., B.Marley, Eddie Russ, Jimmy Smith, Letta Mbulu, P.& S. Escovedo, Ron Carter.

Black Radio Correspondents' LP cuts are on page 13.....

## Country Music (Associate Editor, Elma Greer)

Worth Watching: I'LL BE THERE (WHEN YOU GET LONELY)-David Rogers (Republic) Picking up enough activity to warrant continued exposure.

IT S A HEARTACHE-Bonnie Tyler (RCA) This record will create controversy but a number of programmers feel it is capable of being favorably received.

Top Country Hits The following list of country hits is a composite of sales and requests reported by our correspondents, whose names appear below.

IW 1. TW 14. 16. I WOULD LIKE...-Johnny Cash 1. READY FOR THE TIMES ... - Crystal Gayle 2. 2. SOMEONE LOVES YOU HONEY-Charley Pride 25. 17. SOFTLY.../UNCHAINED...-Elvis Presley 3. 3. IT DON'T FEEL LIKE SINNIN' TO ME-Kendalls 7. 4. EVERYTIME TWO FOOLS...-Rogers & West 23. 18. I'M ALWAYS ON A MOUNTAIN...-M. Haggard 17. 19. BUCKET TO THE SOUTH-Ava Barber 5. HEARTS ON FIRE-Eddie Rabbitt
6. I CHEATED...-Billy "Crash" Craddock 21. 20. STARTING ALL OVER AGAIN-Don Gibson 19. 21. THE GRANDEST LADY...-Conway Twitty --. 22. LAY DOWN SALLY-Eric Clapton 7. I'VE FOUND A WINNER IN YOU-Don Williams 8. A LOVER'S QUESTION-Jacky Ward --. 23. DO YOU KNOW...-Statler Bros. 30. 24. MAYBE BABY-Susie Allanson 9. SWEET, SWEET SMILE-Carpenters 4. 10. WALK RIGHT BACK-Anne Murray --. 25. I'LL NEVER BE FREE-Jim Ed & Helen 12. 11. WE BELIEVE IN HAPPY ENDINGS-Johnny Rodriguez 15. 26. RETURN TO ME-Marty Robbins 10. 12. MAMAS, DON'T LET...-Waylon & Willie 26. 27. HERE IN LOVE-Dottsy 16. 13. IT'S ALL WRONG...-Dolly Parton
18. 14. SHE CAN PUT HER SHOES...-Johnny Duncan 22. 28. SOFT LIGHTS...-Moe Bandy --. 29. THE POWER OF...-Mickey Gilley
--. 30. WHISKEY TRIP-Gary Stewart

Other Gains, Sales and/or Requests BABY, IT'S YOU-Janie Fricke
IF YOU CAN TOUCH HER AT ALL-Willie Nelson GEORGIA ON MY MIND-Willie Nelson DIVERS DO IT DEEPER-David Allen Coe AT THE END OF THE RAINBOW-Jerry Wallace NO, NO, NO (I'D RATHER BE FREE)-Rex Allen Jr. COME ON IN-Jerry Lee Lewis
RED WINE & BLUE MEMORIES-Joe Stampley YOU'RE THE ONLY GOOD THING-Jim Reeves THIS IS THE LOVE-Sonny James

20. 15. DON'T EVER SAY GOODBYE-T.G.Sheppard

Action Sides BORN TO BE WITH YOU-Sandy Posey NIGHT TIME MAGIC-Larry Gatlin LOVING HER AND LIVING THERE...-Faron Young I'LL BE THERE ... - David Rogers RUNAWAY-Narvel Felts I'M GONNA LOVE YOU...-Cristy Lane
TWO MORE BOTTLES OF WINE-Emmylou Harris FOUR LITTLE LETTERS-Stella Parton PUTTIN' IN OVERTIME AT HOME-Charlie Rich GOTTA QUIT LOOKIN' AT YOU BABY-Dave & Sugar

(New listings are underlined) Bobby Borchers (27); Gene Watson (25); Roy Head (22); Rayburn Anthony (17); Nat Stuckey (15); John Wesley Ryles (15); Johnny Paycheck (both) (15); Oak Ridge Boys (14); Billie Jo Spears (14); Bobby Bare (13); Tom T. Hall (12); Charly McClain (12); Randy Barlow (10); Bonnie Tyler (10); Tammy Wynette (10); Freddy Fender (10).

Recommended New Releases
on (MCA) YOU LOVE THE THUNDER-Hank Williams Jr. (W.B.) I CAN'T WAIT ANY LONGER-Bill Anderson (MCA)

Aberdeen (Jack McDaniel-KKAA) Deb-J.Duncan (23), Jerry Wallace (25), Jim Ed & Helen (26).

Akron (Don Dempsey-WSLR) Gns-Rex Jr. (38-30). Pl-J. Stampley, Charlie Rich, Margo Smith.

Albany, Ga. (Scott Parker-WJAZ) Pl-Joel Mathis, B.J.Spears, K.Starr, F.Hart, Oaks, Bellamy Bros.

Albany, Ore. (Larry Blair-KRKT) Gns-J.Stampley (29-19). Pl-Bev.Heckel, Arlene Harden, Rg-R.Head.

Amarillo (Terry Amburn-KBUY) Deb-B.Tyler (27). Pl-C.Daniels, S.James, G.Watson, D.Gibson.

Ann Arbor (Mark Thomas-WNRS) Pl-J.Travolta & O.Newton-John (edit), T.Wynette, C.McClain, M.Street.

Asheville (Dave Jacobs-WNNC) Gns-Dave & S. (40-20), N.Felts (39-23). Pl-F.Hart, Larry Gatlin.

Ashland, Ky. (Dave McLain-WTCR) Pl-Pete & Anthony, M.Gilley, G.Stewart, J.Stampley, W.Nelson.

Ashland, Ore. (Christopher Stoney-KCMX) Pl-L.Gatlin, C.Daniels, B.Borchers, B.Bare, B.J.Spears.

Atlanta (Jim Clemens-WPLO) Pl-Capt. & Tennille, J.Cash & W.Jennings, Bellamy Bros., B.Goldsboro.

Austin (Jerry K.Green-KVET) Pl-J.Newton, B.K.Perry, E.Arnold, R.Head, R.Barlow, B.J.Spears.

Baltimore (Danny Reese-WPOC) Gns-M.Gilley (25-19). Pl-Susia Allanson, J.Fricke, Rex Allen Jr.

Biloxi (Lance Carson-WVMI) Pl-J.Duncan, T.G.Sheppard, Rex Jr., J.L.Lewis, Sandy Posey.

Birmingham (Dan Brennan-WVOK) Gns-T.Glaser (21-5). Deb-Rex Jr. (10). Pl-E.Harris, S.Whipple.

Bismarck (Marv Allen-KBMR) Pl-R.C.Bannon, Gene Watson, W.Nelson, Roy Head, Carol Baker.

Cape Girardeau (David Holt-KZYM) Deb-B.Tyler (24). Pl-H.Reddy, S.Whipple, Dave & S., E.Scruggs.

Chicago (Bill Hart-WJD) Pl-S.James, Dave & Sugar, D.Rogers, L.Gatlin, Joe Stampley.

--- (Joanne Calloway-WMAG) Pl-Johnny Cash, C.Twitty, Dolly (both), Rex Jr., Charlie Rich.

Cleveland (Terry Stevens-WHK) Gns-R.Barlow (37-20). Pl-L.Ronstadt, M.Newbury, J.Stampley, S.Partor.

Corpus Christi (Ed Sharpe-KOUL) Pl-T.Wynette, Bellamy Bros., S.Whipple, Oaks. Rg-M.Lane.

Corvallis, Ore. (Mary Frederic-KDO) Pl-C.McClain, Emmylou Harris, T.T.Hall, R.Head. Rg-E.Clapton.

Cypress Gardens (Terry Slane-WCTO) Gns-J.Fricke (26-19). Pl-S.Whipple, Roundup --- (Bob Wise-KEED) Pl-R.Anthony, G.Cotton, J.Reed, R.C.Bannon, M.Macgregor, Bobby Bare.
Fargo (Donnie Roberts-KFGO) Pl-C.Rich, P.Carlson, Larry Gatlin, Sonny James, Emmylou Harris.
Fayetteville (Mike Edwards-WFAI) Gns-A.Harden (31-24). Pl-C.McClain, B.Bare, Beverly Heckel.
Florence (Paige Ferris-WXOR) Pl-B.J.Spears, S.James, J.W.Ryles, B.Borchers, M.Macgregor, Dave & S.

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Ft. Bodge (Dale Richor-RMM) Pl-G. Watson, Caks, Employ Harris, Roy Head, J. Anderson, Ft. Vorth (Scott Resea-KMM) Pl-L. Gallin, D. Koutton, R. Walter, B. Wariser, B. Barse, B.-J. Lee. Tt. Worth (Scott Resea-KMM) Pl-L. Gallin, D. Koutton, R. Walter, B. Wariser, B. Barse, B.-J. Lee. Tt. Worth (Scott Resea-KMM) Pl-L. Gallin Kich.

Barland (Go. Gave Bassell-RMM) Pl-M. Galling M. Galling

KMMJ-Grand Island, Neb. KLOO-Corvallis, Ore. KBST-Big Spring, Tx. WSFL/FM-New Bern, N.C. KHAS-Hastings, Neb. KPOD-Crescent City, Ca.

Requests Singles Dolly Parton single Palmer/Zager/Horne/Heart/Doucette 45s Singles and albums Singles and albums Saturday Night Fever album

From Columbia/ABC RCA Isl./P.Stk./Sunsh./Mush. A&M/Capitol RCA/Arista/ABC RSO

# Top 40 Station Reports - April 3 thru Wed. April 5 (Total Reports this week 223 - last week 225) Research Assistant - Kent Zimmerman

DANCE ACROSS THE FLOOR-Jimmy "Bo" Horne- 11 reports (7 last week). YIOO (5), 99X (7). Also: WIRK (15 to 10), WDLP (24 to 18), KJOY (26 to 21), WWKE (30 to 25). On: WGNI, WTIC/FM, KAYC, DANCE WITH ME-Peter Brown- 16 reports. WMET (24 to 18), 99X (30 to 22), KSLQ (24), WAKY (26), WDRQ (29). On: WNOE, WZZP. Also: WAAY (21 to 16), WCIL/FM (26 to 20), KWZ (21), WORC (25), KROK (28). On: WAGQ, WBGN, WONS. Rq: 15Q.

BOMBS AWAY-Bob Weir- 20 reports. WBBQ (24). Also: WFBC (15), WCRO (19), KELP (21), WAIR (25), WKLN (25), WANS (28), WFOX/FM (28), WRFC (30). On: KMKF, KRIZ, KKIQ, KFLY, WKKY, WRJZ, WTMA, WFRC, WBTR/FM. Rq: 15Q. Off: KWWL. DORNOUTE NOT PROPERTY OF THE CONTROL OF THE CONTROL

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ECO-Elton John- 91 reports. WNEC (30 to 20), WDRQ (26), 96X (27), KRSP (27), 96KX (28), WMAK (29).

On: WEBQ, WKXX, WPRO/FM, WXXI, WZZD, WZZP, KJR, KJRB, KREE, KTAC. Also: KEZY (21), WBTR/FM (26),
WAGG (29), WFOX/FM (29), WIGY (29), WIRK (29), Z96 (29), KLINI/FM (29), KIDE (30), KOIL (30).

On: WABB, WACI, WAMS, WAMG/FM, WEGM, WDLZ, WAMM, WNUE, WONS, WPST, WRAW, WRIC WRIZ, etc.

IT'S A HRARTACHE-Bounte Tyler- 93 reports. WZUU (23), KJR (25), 96KX (30 to 25), WMAK (27),
WZZD (29), 94Q (29), WNOE (30), KREE (30). On: WBBQ, WKXX, WQXT, 293, KFT, KILT, KJRB, KRSP,
KSIG, KTAC. Also: KRIZ (16), KPAM (27 to 20), KWML (21), KKOA (22), WAMS (27 to 22),
KATI (29 to 23), WBTM/FM (30 to 23), 3WD (24), WFST (24), WEBC (25), KTAM (30 to 25), etc.

BABY HOLD ON-Eddid Money- 95 reports (76 last week). Z.93 (21 to 14), 94Q (22 to 15), WAKY (17),
WNCI (17), WNOE (18), WSAI (18), WZUU (18), 13Q (19), WKXX (21), WBBQ (23), WZZD (26),
96KX (26). On: WDRQ, WFRO/FM, WQXT, KILT, KJRB, KRSP. Also: WKKY (5), KSTM (8), KFIY (9),
KRILC (10), WGRO (10), WFROX/FM (15 to 10), KJDY (19 to 13), KNDE (15), WZDO (25 to 15), etc.

MOVIN' OUT-BILLY Joel- 112 reports (91 last week). KIIS/FM (2), WWEC (3), KHJ (5), WMET (7),
99X (8), WGCL (9), WAYS (23 to 10), WZZD (16), WKXX (17), KRSP (24 to 18), KJR (24 to 19),
94Q (23), WDRQ (25), WFRO/FM (26), TENQ (29). On: KGW, KILT, KJRB, KTAC. Also: WFST (2),
KENO (4), KFXM (7), KEZY (8), WBAW (15 to 9), WAMS (9), KATI (11), WFBC (28 to 13), etc.

I'M GONNA TAKE CARE OF EVERTYHING-RUBicon- 122 reports (119 last week). WKXX (3), 94Q (5),
WZZP (14), KGW (16), 96KX (27 to 20), WSAI (21), KING (21), KRSP (23), WBBQ (25), WFRO/FM (25),
13Q (26), 96X (26), 293 (26), WQXI (28), WBBF (30), WGLX (30), On: WBBQ, WGCL, WMAK, KRBE.

FOOLING YOUNSELF-Styx- 124 reports (118 last week). KITS/FM (6), 96KX (12 to 7), WNOE (9),
WZZP (10), KJRB (10), KRSP (3), KNGX (13), WGNO (4), WLAX (4), KRTH (24), KJRC (10), WBRQ (10), KJRS (29), WGLX (28), WGRF (28), WGRF (28), WGRF (29)
             Top 40 Station Reports - continued from Page 7....
     THE CLOSER I GET TO YOU-R. Flack & D. Hathaway- 167 reports (152 last week). WHBQ (3),
WAYS (10 to 4), WQXI (12 to 5), WDRQ (7), KSLQ (13 to 8), WCOL (14 to 9), 94Q (14 to 9),
KRTH (9), KFRC (10), WAKY (11), WGCL (19 to 11), Z93 (12), WZUU (12), WKXX (14), KLIF (25 to 17),
96X (25 to 17), WRKO (27 to 18), 99X (24 to 18), KFI (19), WZZD (20), WPRO/FM (30 to 22), etc.
COUNT ON ME-Jefferson Starship- 171 reports (164 last week). 96KX (16 to 10), WPRO/FM (19 to 11),
KRSP (11), KSLQ (20 to 15), KFI (15), KFRC (15), 94Q (16), WZUU (16), WIFE (18), WKXX (18),
KILT (20), KIIS/FM (20), KGW (25 to 20), WMAK (27 to 21), KING (22), WNOE (22), TENQ (22),
WDRQ (23), WZZD (23), KLIF (23), 96X (24), Z93 (25), WBBQ (26), WOKY (26), KJRB (27), etc.
WITH A LITTLE LUCK-Wings- 183 reports (154 last week). KFI (6), WZUU (21 to 15), WNBC (22 to 17),
WRKO (22 to 17), 94Q (23 to 17), KILT (30 to 17), KRBE (18), WGCL (19), KRTH (19), WPRO/FM (26 to 20), WQXI (20), WIFE (25 to 20), Z93 (29 to 21), 96X (21), WMET (30 to 21), WDRQ (21),
WZZP (22), KHJ (27 to 22), KRSP (22), KSLQ (23), KJR (23), KIIS/FM (23), YIOO (23), etc.
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New Adds

Depth reports on newer airplay, derived from a selected section of top 40 correspondents are listed below in regional order. Stations included may vary from week to week. Listing of any station has no relationship to its audience rating in its market.

Bangor, Mark Lawrence-WGUY- Carly Simon, Mathis/Williams, Andy Gibb, Eddie Money.
Boston, Harry Nelson-WRKO- Carly Simon, Andy Gibb, Steely Dan. <u>Deb</u>: Patti Smith, Warren Zevon.
Providence, Terry O'Brian-WPRO/FM- Andy Gibb, Carly Simon, Elton John, Patti Smith, C.Mangione.
New York, Roz Frank-WNBC- Jefferson Starship, Carly Simon. <u>Gns</u>: Trammps, David Gates, Parliament.
- - Rich/Myzal-99X- David Gates, George Benson, Mathis/Williams, W.Zevon, Angel, Steely Dan.
Philadelphia, Mark Serpas-WZZD- Jackson Browne, Bee Gees & Tavares (WOMAN). <u>Deb</u>: E.Money, G.Cotton.
Charlotte, Roy Rosen-WAYS- Mathis/Williams, E.W.& F., A.Gibb, Trammps, Travolta/Olivia, G.Benson. Augusta, Steve York-WAUG- George Benson, Tavares, Mathis/Williams, Andy Gibb. Deb: R.Palmer. Augusta, Steve York-WAUG- George Benson, Tavares, Mathis/Williams, Andy Gibb. <u>Deb</u>: R.Palmer.

Atlanta, Dale O'Brien-Z93- Andy Gibb, Bonnie Tyler, Mathis/Williams. <u>Deb</u>: J.Starship, Trammps.

Jacksonville, Paul Sebastian-WAPE- Andy Gibb, Travolta/Olivia. <u>Deb</u>: A.R.S., Wings, Warren Zevon.

Miami, Jack Forsythe-96X- Mathis/Williams, Andy Gibb, Billy Joel (ONLY THE GOOD). <u>Deb</u>: C.Mangione.

Montgomery, Lanny West-WHHY- Meatloaf, Dan & Coley (DANCE), Andrew Gold (NEVER). <u>Deb</u>: R.John.

New Orleans, Marc Summers-WNOE- Andy Gibb, Gerry Rafferty. <u>Deb</u>: Wings, Rubicon, Player, W.Zevon.

Memphis, John Long-WHBQ- Jefferson Starship, Andy Gibb. <u>Gns</u>: Tavares, Kansas, Yvonne Elliman.

Nashville, Jim Holton-WMAK- ELO, Mathis/Williams, Styx, Wet Willie. <u>Deb</u>: Rubicon, E.John, B.Tyler.

- - Bruce Sherman-92Q- Elton John, Lynyrd Skynyrd, Sweet, Bonnie Tyler, Styx. <u>Deb</u>: Dolly Parton.

Louisville, Coyote Calhoun-WAKY- Wings, A.R.S., Andy Gibb, Jefferson Starship.

Indianapolis, Jerry Steele-WIFE- Warren Zevon, George Benson, Gene Cotton, Rubicon. Columbus, Dave Bishop-WCOL- Jefferson Starship, Styx, Rubicon.
Cleveland, Jeff Gerber-WGCL- Steely Dan, Heart. <u>Deb</u>: Trammps, Angel.
Pittsburgh, Patti Sullivan-13Q- Jefferson Starship, Sweet. <u>Deb</u>: Skyliners. 

Correspondents' Corner (cont'd. from pg. 2) Victoria, Gary Steele-KVIC- Flack/Hathaway San Antonio, Wayne Shayne-KZ100- #7-Flack/H. - - Scott Christianson-KTSA- #7-David Gates Corpus Christi, Robert A.-KEYS- Shaun Cassidy McAllen, T.K.-KRIO- Peter Brown San Angelo, Curt Lancaster-KGKL-Lynyrd Skynyrd Odessa, Ron Harper-KRIG- Dolly Parton - Mark Rivers-KOZA- Mary Macgregor Midland, Dick Baze-KCRS- #12-Travolta/Olivia Mark Conway-KLBK- Eddie Money - Bill DeMore-KSEL- Trammps El Paso, Rish Wood-KINT- Bonnie Tyler Albuquerque, Debbi Hines-KRKE- Andy Gibb Phoenix, Greg Mills-KRUX- Rubicon Show Low, Chip Stanley-KVSL- Eddie Money Pueblo, Rip Avina-KDZA- Bonnie Tyler Colorado Springs, Mark McCoy-KYSN- Dolly Parton Casper, Donna Fox-KATI- Robert John Reno, Red Mountain-KCBN- Journey
- - - Steve Summers-KENO- \*Trammps Las Vegas, Dave Van Stone-KLUC- Wings San Diego, Foxx/Gomez-KCBQ- Andy Gibb - - - Michele Pettis-KMJC- #4-David Gates Anaheim, Larry Groves-KEZY- Elton John Los Angeles, Denise Gorman-K100- Journey - Sherman Cohen-KIIS/FM- Randy Newman - John Sebastian-KHJ- Trammps Whittier, Jay Loughrin-KRHC- Patti Smith San Bernardino, Mitch Montrose-KFYM-Eruption Santa Barbara, Dick Williams-KIST- Wings Santa Maria, Johnny Dixon-KSEE- Lisa Hartman San Luis Obispo, John Tobin-KSLY- Abba Fresno, Dan Spears-KFYE- Journey - - John Berry-KYNO- Wet Willie Modesto, Ralph Chavez-KFIV- Heart Salinas, A.J.Roberts-KDON- Manhattan Transfer San Jose, Paul Wells-KSJO- Sammy Hagar Livermore, Steve O'Neil-KKIQ- Robert Palmer

Stockton, David Kraham-KJOY- Blondie - - - Dave Morgan-KSTN- Rufus Davis, Karl Reinking-KDVS- Robert Palmer Sacramento, Kris Mitchell-KROY- Heart
-- Jeff Hunter-KNDE- Tuxedo Junction
Yuba City, Jason W.Fine-KOBO- Kiss Redding, John Stall-KSXO- Manhattan Transfer Arcata, Len Jarvela-KATA- Blondie Medford, R.E.Lucas-KYJC- Mary Macgregor Coos Bay, Gregg Lenny-KHSN- \*Steely Dan (DEACON) --- Dave Lee-KYNG- Willie Nelson Eugene, Bill Dudley-KASH- Patti Smith Group Lebanon, Bob Donovan-KGAL- \*Wet Willie Corvallis, Art Quine-KFLY- Robert Palmer Portland, Terry Danner-KGW- Earth, Wind & Fire - - Karen Knight-KYTE- Andy Gibb Kelso, Jay McCrae-KLOG- Warren Zevon Hoquiam, Steve Larson-KGHO- Dolly Parton Seattle, Frank Colbourn-KVI/FM- #11-Dan & Coley
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Moscow, Gary Cummings-KRPL- Seals & Crofts Missoula, Vern Argo-KYLT- Mike Love Helena, Bobby Rivers-KCAP- Lisa Hartman Bozeman, Dennis Nichols-KBOZ- Bill La Bounty Great Falls, John Walton-KEIN- Heart Billings, Jack Bell-KYYA- Styx - - Allen Moos-KOOK- Robert Palmer Vancouver, Joyce Falkowski-CFUN- Heart
- - - Paul McKnight-CKLG- Blood, Sweat & Tears Thunder Bay, B.M. Dean-CKPR- Wild Cherry

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rona (Rick Painter-KWRM) Lobo/Parton/Joel/D. Loggins/B. White/Geo. Benson. Corvallis (Weldon Greig-KLOO) Mathis & Wms./Reddy/A. O'Day/Steve Lawrence. Calls: Cotton/Gayle. Crescent City (Sue Williams-KPOD) C. Gayle/Elliman/A. Gold/Flack & Hathaway/J. Starship/N. Cole. Denver (Harry Smith-KHOW) Mathis & Wms./Cole/Wings/Macgregor/Boone (both). Des Moines (Del Hull-KRNT) Reddy/Tuxedo Junction/D. Parton/Mathis & Wms. Gains: A. Gold/N. Cole. Detroit (Bob Chenault-WOMC) Gibb/S. & Crofts/Boone (both)/Meco. Gains: Mathis & Wms./A. Gold. Dubuque (Steve Sesterhenn-KDTH) J. Starship/Manhattan Transfer/L. Curtis/Fogelberg. Durham (Don West-WDNC) Parton/Conti/Reddy/Martino. Gains: Geo. Benson/N. Cole. Eugene (Vicky Larson-KUGN) D. Castle/Tuxedo Junction/Fitzgerald & Keeley/Seals & Crofts. Eugene (Catherine Bitterman-KPNW) Abba/Diamond/Tyler/Valentine/Lobo. Calls: Dan & Coley/W. Nelson. Everett (Robert O'Brien-KRKO) E.L.O./G. Rafferty/A. Gibb. Gains: Gates/Starship/Mangione. Fitchburg (Chuck Morgan-WEIM) Seals & Crofts/Odyssey/D. Castle/Lobo/Genesis. Calls: Newman/Zevon. Flint (Ken Myers-WTRX) Wings/Travolta & Olivia/Parton/Boone (BABY). Gains: E.L.O./Welch/A. Gold. Grand Rapids (Doc Donovan-WLAV) Seals & Crofts/Macgregor/Palmer. Gains: Gold/Wings/Flack & Hathaway. Green Bay (Jim Trotter-WNFL) E.L.O./Travolta & Olivia/Wings/Elvis (both)/Humperdinck.
Haverhill (Bud Jackson-WHAV) Humperdinck/The Babys/Travers/Stafford/Joel. Calls: P. Simon/N. Cole.
Helena (Harley Dee-KBLL) Celebration/Rubicon/Reddy/Seals & Crofts. Calls: Denver/Bee Gees (FEVER).
Hopewell (John Harper-WHAP) D. Ross/Fogelberg/Elton John/Seals & Crofts. Gains: Wings/B. Tyler. Houston (John Jenkins-KXYZ) Atlanta Rhy. Section/C. Gayle/D. Parton. Gains: Benson/Wings/Flack & H. - - (Chuck Buell-KULF) Lightfoot/Starship/Flack & Hathaway/Elvis (SOFTLY)/Wings/Bee Gees (WOMAN). Jefferson City (Mike Schaefer-KJMO) Wings/Travolta & Olivia/Palmer/Wet Willie/Heart/Head East. Kansas City (Steve Bell-KMBZ) Ken Matthews/Reddy/D. Boone (BABY)/Fitzgerald & Keeley/Edwards & R. Keene (Sandy Ellsworth-WKNE) Tuxedo Junction/Macgregor/Travolta & Olivia. Gains: Palmer/Welch. Kingston (Bruce Conklin-WGHQ) Castle/Newman/Edwards & Ralph/Gibb/Brooklyn Dreams/Steely Dan. Klamath Falls (Jim Howe-KAGO) Raydio/Wings/Travolta & Olivia/Macgregor/W. Nelson/J. Ward/Boone. Los Angeles (Michael Sheehy-KNX/FM) K. Bonoff. LP: Mac McAnally.
- - (Tess Russell & Jane Hassler-KMPC) R. Flack & Hathaway. Gains: Elliman/Raydio/LeBlanc & Carr. Louisville (Jerry Melloy-WHAS) Wings/Travolta & Olivia. Gains: Mathis & Wms./Joel/Parton/Starship. Lowell (Jack Peterson-WLLH) Travolta & Olivia/Player/Rubicon/Joel. Calls: LeBlanc & Carr/Rawls. Macon (Steve Murphy-WMAZ) Gibb/Cassidy/NRBQ. Gains: Atlanta Rhy. Sec./Rubicon/Lightfoot/Flack & H. Marion (Jim Roberts-WDIF) Wings/Raydio/Joel/Starship. Gains: Mangione/Lightfoot/Clapton.

Mason City (Steve Locker-KGLO) Atlanta Rhythm Section/Player/Reddy/Rogers & West/R.Nelson/W.Nelson. Miami (Al Anderson-WIOD) G. Page/Abba/Rogers & West/Tuxedo Junction. Midland (Kirk Hughes-WMPX) Gatlin/Humperdinck/J. Starship/Elvis (UNCHAINED)/Wings. Gains: Murray. Milwaukee (Mike Elliott-WTMJ) W. Nelson/Seals & Crofts/Reddy/Chic/J. Starship. Gains: Mathis & Wms. Mpls./St. Paul (Curt Lundgren-WCCO/FM) B. Tyler/Steely Dan/Michael Johnson.
Missoula (Van Wagoner-KGVO) E.L.O./Humperdinck/Parton/Heatwave (ALWAYS). Gains: Mathis & Wms./Cole. Monterey (Scott O'Brien-KMBY) N. Cole/Rubicon/Earth, Wind & Fire/Seals & Crofts. Gains: Macgregor. - - (Melinda Roberts-KWAV) Steely Dan/Castle. Gains: Mangione/Manilow/Moffatt/Fricke/Flack & H. Nashville (Gerry House-WSIX) H. Reddy/Boone/Macgregor. Gains: Rogers & West/P. Simon/Elvis (SOFTLY). Newport (Denny Pace-KNPT) Wings/Newman/Gibb/Benson/Seals & Crofts/Bob James/Denne & Gold. Northfield (Mike Wrubel-KYMN) Gibb/Bellamy Bros./Airwaves/Aztec Two Step/C. Wells. Gains: Wings. Odessa (Dave Prescott-KQIP) Travolta & Olivia. Gains: Kansas/Denver/Summer/James Taylor.
Olympia (Dick Pust-KGY) Earth, Wind & Fire/Reddy/Wings/Joel/W. Nelson. Calls: Bros. Johnson/Clapton
Osburn (Dave Nesbitt-KWAL) P. Simon/Travolta & Olivia/Raydio/Newman/Tuxedo Junction.Gains:Lightfoot. Pendleton (Bob Walker-KTIX) Genesis/Reddy/E. Harris. Gains: Clapton/Dan & Coley/Mangione/Gold. Philadelphia (Jim Lloyd-WIP) Andy Gibb/B. Tyler. Gains: Joel/Mathis & Williams. Phoenix (Dan Armstrong-KOY) Seals & Crofts/Tyler/C. Pride/Wings/Reddy/Diamond (FLOWERS). Pittsburgh (Chuck Brinkman-WTAE) Abba/Meatloaf/Mangione/Capt. & Tennille/Ronstadt. Gains: Parton. Portland, Ore. (Marji Cyr-Adams-WGAN) N. Cole/Wings/Rubicon/Starship. Gains: J. Ward/Cisyk/Player. - - (Bob Swanson-KEX) Mathis & Wms./B. Tyler/Manilow (COPA)/Joel/Capt. & Tennille/J. Ward. Providence (Joe Thomas-WJAR) Odyssey/Seals & Crofts/Gibb/Capt. & Tennille/Tuxedo Junction. Racine (Bob Cook-WRJN) Travolta & Olivia/Cole/The Babys/Meatloaf/Juice Newton. Gains: Martino. Regina (Royal Watson-CKCK) Rita C./Bee Gees (WOMAN)/Elliman/J. Browne/Player/Earth, Wind & Fire. Reno (Mike Haggerty-KOLO) Ward/Tyler/Gibb/Goldsboro/Fitzgerald & Keeley. Gains: Elliman/N. Cole. Richmond (Bob Ridle-WRVA) Roger Wms./J. Starship/K. Cisyk/Mathis & Wms./N. Cole. Gains: Lightfoot. Rock Springs (Rod Tucker-KRKK) Fitzgerald & Keeley/Wings/Cole/Heatwave/Tyler/Juice Newton. Roseburg (Tom Worden-KRSB) Wings/Mathis & Wms./Manhattan Transfer/D. Brown. Gains: N. Cole. Sacramento (Darin/Kirk-KCRA) Skyliners/Mathis & Wms. Calls: A. Gold/Wings/W. Nelson.
Saginaw (Rick Belcher-WSGW) Reddy/Castle/Boone (BABY)/Cisyk. Gains: Gayle/Dan & Coley.
St. Joseph (M. Mathew & P. O'Neil-KSFT) Parton/Joel/Rubicon/D. Ross. Calls: Benson/N. Cole. St. Louis (Ed Scarborough-KSD) Mathis & Wms./Reddy. Gains: Clapton/Wings/Mangione/Bee Gees (FEVER). Salt Lake City (Flo Wineriter-KSL) D. Boone/Tom Jones/Willie Nelson/Bee Gees (WOMAN). San Diego-Vista (Jack McKinney-KMLO) Rubicon/Steely Dan/Cole/Flack/Joel. Gains: Cotton/Tyler. San Francisco (Don Hofmann-KSFO) Mathis & Williams/Player.
San Luis Obispo (Anna Bokma-KVEC) A. Gibb/Steely Dan. Gains: Ronstadt/Tyler/D. Parton. Santa Maria (Denny Luell-KUHL) A. Gibb/Steely Dan. Gains: Raydio/E.L.O./Dan & Coley/Starship. Santa Rosa (Jerry Johnson-KSRO) Atlanta Rhy. Section/Player/Macgregor/Rubicon/Travolta & Olivia. Schenectady (Lee Fowler-WGY) Clapton/Reddy/Heatwave (ALWAYS)/C. Gayle. Gains: Wings. Scranton (Chris Norton-WEJL) Mathis & Wms./Wings. Gains: Lightfoot/Flack & Hathaway/N. Cole. Sharon (Jack Taylor-WPIC) Bee Gees (FEVER)/E.L.O./Tuxedo Junction. Gains: Mathis & Wms./Flack & H. Spokane (Chuck Harmon-KXLY) Wings/Lobo/H. Reddy/Edelman. Gains: Mathis & Wms./Macgregor/Boone(both) Terre Haute (Larry Joseph-WBOW) Travolta & Olivia/Boone (BABY)/Joel/Manilow (COPA)/Tuxedo Junction. Tri Cities (Ed Ray-KORD) Gibb/Gatlin/Robert John/Odyssey. Gains: Dan & Coley/Wings/Player. Twin Falls (Randy Elison-KEEP) Elton John/Player/Joel. Gains: Rubicon/Cole/J. Browne/E.L.O.
Tulare (Chuck Carson-KCOK) D. Parton/P. Simon. Calls: Hudson & Judson/McDaniel. Gains: Mathis & Wms.
Tulsa (Don Bishop-KRMG) Wings/Mathis & Wms. Gains: Carpenters/Flack & Hathaway/Dan & Coley/Parton.
- - (Kenny King-KRAV) Joel/Carpenters/Bee Gees (WOMAN). Calls: Flack & Hathaway/G. Cotton.
Tyler (Brad Houston-KTBB) Seals & Crofts/Starship/Elvis (SOFTLY)/Travolta & Olivia. Vacaville (Matt Steiger-KUIC) Boone/Gibb/Steely Dan/Rogers & West/Odyssey/Tuxedo Junction. Wahpeton (Chris Delaney-KBMW) Tuxedo Junction/Reddy/Boone (BABY)/Denne & Gold/Mathis & Wms./Wings. Warwick (Dick Wells-WTBQ) Boone/Steely Dan/Tyler. Gains: Mathis & Wms./Macgregor/Starship/Flack & H. Continued on Page 11.....

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#### Inside Progressive Radio (by George Meier, Editor of Walrus)

Established Progressive Airplay

(In Order) Jefferson Starship Warren Zevon Little Feat Jackson Browne Atlanta Rhythm Section Journey Eric Clapton Robert Palmer Billy Joel Sea Level Bob Weir

Notes: Starship zooms to the top, lead by gigantic numbers in the South. Ironically, they are weakest - though still strong - in the West, their home base. Other regional notes of interest show Zevon's strength in the Northeast, and Jackson Browne, with a relatively old LP, hangs on because of the slow-to-change South and Midwest. Atlanta Rhythm Section and Sea Level maintain their southern base.

New Progressive Airplay

(In Order) Jimmy Buffett Renaissance Charlie Jerry Garcia Patti Smith Group Robert Gordon

Notes: Of the new albums, Jimmy Buffett starts strongest. This is a good sign for him, yet not necessarily a bad sign for the others. Initial response to albums is often colored by the time an LP is received vs. the time reports to trades are made and by uneven distribution caused by everything from the U.S. Mail to plain inefficiency.

Singles: Top singles are by Wings and the Patti Smith Group. They are followed by Bonnie Tyler, War and the Tom Robinson Band.

Imports: The hottest import record has already been released domestically. Elvis Costello is comin' on. He is followed by Brian Eno, Nick Lowe (both released here now) and Bill

The following new tracks are capturing the air: Atlanta Rhythm Section-IMAGINARY LOVER/

CHAMPAGNE JAM/NOT GONNA LET IT BOTHER ME Ian Dury-SEX & DRUGS & ROCK 'N' ROLL/WAKE UP & MAKE LOVE TO ME

Michael Franks-WHEN THE COOKIE JAR IS EMPTY/ WRESTLE A LIVE NUDE GIRL

Maria Muldaur-I CAN'T SAY NO/CAJUN MOON Stiffs/LIVE (various artists)-MIRACLE MAN Michael Finnigan-EXPRESSWAY TO YOUR HEART Hubert Laws-THE BARON

Jimmy Buffett-MANANA/CHEESEBURGER IN PARADISE/ SON OF A SON OF A SAILOR/LIVINGSTON SATURDAY NITE Renaissance-NORTHERN LIGHTS Charlie-SHE LOVES TO BE IN LOVE/L.A. DREAMER/ LIFE'S SO CRUEL Outlaws-GREEN GRASS/HIGH TIDES/HURRY SUNDOWN The Rutles- OUCH/PIGGY IN THE MIDDLE Hounds-DRUGLAND WEEKEND England Dan & John Ford Coley-WE'LL NEVER HAVE TO SAY GOODBYE AGAIN

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Washington (Bonnie Smith-WMAL) Humperdinck/Seals & Crofts/M. Jonson/H. Reddy.

Waterloo (Jay Douglas-KXEL/FM) Travolta & Olivia/Elton John/Jefferson Starship. Calls: Macgregor. West Palm Beach (Russ Morley-WJNO) Tuxedo Junction/Conti/Lawrence/Wings/Parton/Denne & Gold. Wichita (Jack Oliver-KAKE) Boone (BABY)/Diamond/Seals & Crofts/N. Cole/Bee Gees (WOMAN).
Winston-Salem (Kim Jones-WSJS) Parton/Joel/Bee Gees (WOMAN)/Heatwave/E., Wind & F./Atlanta Rhy.Se.
Yakima (Frank Taylor-KMWX) Travolta & Olivia/Player/D. Boone/J. Ward/D. Parton. Gains: Wings.

#### Gavin's Gab

The Last Big Draw

WLLL-Lynchburg's remote for the Cancer Society on April 1st featured an oversized ashtray manufactured especially for the occasion by the Lynchburg Foundry. On "Kick the Habit Day," listeners were asked to bring their supply of unsmoked cigarettes to Pittman Plaza and discard them in the ashtray. Four feet deep and ten feet wide, the receptacle was made of aluminum and filled with an ignited bed of charcoal. The cauldron torched a lot of tobacco that day, Tony Love said.

WSPT-Stevens Point, Wis., sponsored a remote for Cancer Education that also encouraged community members to quit smoking. The local Cancer Society supplied literature and an informative film, while doctors on hand offered instructions and advice and ex-cancer patients talked about their experiences with cancer. People were asked to help friends stop smoking and \$500 was given to the person who brought in the largest supply of cigarettes taken from someone they had persuaded to quit. The fourth annual event emphasized education and no donations were solicited.

Mountains of Cash and Prizes

Y100-Miami is offering \$75,000 in cash and prizes throughout April in their "Stick-It" contest. Listeners spotted with the Y100 stick-it on their car can win the grand prize of a 1959 white Silver Cloud rolls, dubbed "rock 'n' rolls," or other prizes like a 30-foot boat, vacations in the British Honduras, the Bahamas and New York. Air talent, Jo Weitz, known as the "Y-onic" woman, drives around Miami in the station van wearing a costume of tights, cape and boots, spotting listeners with Y100 stick-its on their cars.

KRZI-Waco, half-way into the 1978 edition of their "Money Button" contest, has already used well over the total number of buttons given away last year. In the town of 110,000, 60,000 buttons have been distributed at sponsor locations. Since the station calls its jocks the Banana Bunch, one being Captain Banana, the buttons read "\$1580 KRZI button-I've gone bananas." The button spotter drives around and presents \$25-100 to people wearing buttons. Also, when button bonus records are played, callers can win \$50. The promotion will climax with a \$1580 giveaway at the end of April.

Don Benson at 94Q-Atlanta reports that after only two days, the station received 1000 entries for their "Stereo-a-day Giveaway." Callers who respond when their names are called can win a component stereo system with a total of 20 systems being awarded during the next three weeks. KZUE-Oklahoma City just completed its "\$10,000 Winning Combination" contest in which one couple won a list of prizes that included a two bedroom apartment rent-free for a year plus a

waterbed and a video recorder. Out of 25 given combinations, contestants had to choose the correct series of numbers to win. ... continued on page 14...

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Country Club

KFAT-Gilroy is paying the public to listen? The "big bucks" giveaways and contests run during Arbitron surveys are excessive and overdone, according to up-front KFAT. To make up for it the station is sending 25¢ checks to anyone who mails in a self-addressed envelope. (Actual if the cost of stamps is considered, participants will lose by a penny.)
A group of 500 sports fans at a recent Indiana Pacers game stood up at half-time and became a

country kazoo band under the direction of WFMS-Indianapolis. This unusually large and talented

Band of listeners accompanied local recording artist Tommy Wills.
WHOO-Orlando created a "World Series of Country" promotion when Larry Gatlin, Crystal Gayle, Tom Bresh, Eddie Rabbitt and Jerry Reed appeared at Disney World on April 1st. Listeners picked an artist, predicted a play such as "single," "double" or "homerun" and then went to bat. If the station's simulated game play matched their pick, the player won a book of tickets good for admission and rides at Disney World.

Pledging for the annual CFGM-Toronto Variety Club Bike-athon is well underway. Listeners sponsor their favorite announcer in a 32 kilometer race on ten speed bikes. Proceeds go toward the Club's work with crippled children. A drawing after the race determines the winner of a trip to

Nashville with their favorite CFGM personality.

Nashville residents will find their dollars have doubled in value at WKDA's "Fifty Percent Off Fair" this month. In the Municipal Auditorium, the station has arranged for sponsors and local merchants to offer their merchandise at half-price, for one full day. While helping boost consumer confidence, WKDA jocks will give away belt buckles and T-shirts.

An over-abundance of water in Harlan, Ky., allowed WFSR to hold a carwash for the local Volunteers for Flood Control. The jocks washed 70 cars from 10 AM to 4 PM and raised \$300 for the

organization.

WYTL-Oshkosh has just started their second annual "Sign Contest" that requires listeners to make signs that include the station's call letters and frequency. Participants generally post the signs on their houses or in windows but one was spotted attached to a horse! Creators of the best signs win such prizes as a vacation in Las Vegas, a color TV and a ten speed bike.

KATR-Eugene is treating its listeners to classic episodes of "Gunsmoke" and "The Lone Ranger" at

6:30 PM, Monday through Thursday.

Pat O'Neill, M.D. at KKEE-Rochester, sent an interesting comment about the apparent controversy surrounding the programming of two versions of LAY DOWN SALLY. His thoughts:

"Everytime I turn around I notice a little controversy on the record LAY DOWN SALLY.

Country stations claim Sovine's is "Solid Country" and refuse to play Clapton's version because of his name, or there is disagreement between G.M.'s and P.D.'s as to what version they should be playing.

"I think they are both good records, and good for our country station. If the country audience prefers Clapton's over Sovine's, who am I to argue? THEY decide what we play! The country audience has shown acceptance of crossover records, obviously, and has

remained loyal to the country artists who have crossed over; Dolly, Kenny, etc.
"I don't buy that the listener is too easily confused by two different versions of a song

on the same station. Consequently, KKEE is playing BOTH versions of LAY DOWN SALLY.
"I would guess the same will happen with the release of Dolly Parton's TWO DOORS DOWN, with arguments on if it's country enough, or if country stations should stick with her current country release. Again, I think she's got a good pop record AND a good country record out now, and I see no reason why KKEE shouldn't program both! We are!"

We'd welcome other comments from our readers on this subject.

Please Note: Under "Action Sides" on Page 5 last week we listed LOVING HERE & LIVING THERE...- Kendalls. It should have read LOVING HER & LIVING THERE...-Faron Young. We goofed.

Jobs: WBIC-New Bern, N.C., is looking for country air talent with production experience. Contact Richard Taylor, Box 3436, Zip 28560. Phone: 919-633-2406.

WKKN-Rockford, Ill., is still looking for air talent with production experience. Contact Curtis King at 815-877-6064.

WFMS-Indianapolis, Ind., has an air personality position open. E.O.E.-M/F. Tapes and resumes to Herb Allen, 2255 N. Hawthorne, Zip 46202.

nanges: R.T. Simpson leaves KERE for KOSI-Denver. He thanks all the record people for their cooperation, especially with "Country Fair."

Ron Michaels from BJ-105 joins WQYK/FM-St. Petersburg/Tampa as air talent 12 Noon to 3 PM and Dave Mack will do 7 PM to Midnight.

Brian Austin moves from KWYZ-Everett to KMPS/FM-Seattle.

New KSJB-Jamestown lineup: Ole Olson (5:30-10 AM), Jack Leonard (10-1 PM), Mark Peterson (1-5 PM), Phil Keys, Sue Sommers and Scott Arthur (5 PM-1 AM).

Service: KCMX-Ashland, Ore., would appreciate better service from ABC.

WBRG-Lynchburg, Va., has not received POWER OF POSITIVE DRINKING by Mickey Gilley or COME ON IN by Jerry Lee Lewis.

KTRF-Thief River Falls, Mn. needs A LOVER'S QUESTION-Jacky Ward, I'LL NEVER BE FREE-Jim Ed & Helen and NO, NO, NO-Rex Allen Jr.

KCIL-Houma, La. is desperate for singles in triplicate from Mercury, CBS, Playboy, MCA and RCA.

KCLT-Lockhart also needs triplicate copies of current singles from all sources.

KOUL-Corpus Christi, Tx., would like service from RCA on singles and albums.

WNRS-Ann Arbor, Mi., will be celebrating their 20th anniversary in June and would appreciate calls from artists to tape for the occasion.

KOFO-Ottawa, Ka., needs service from all sources.

Music Calls: Rob Williams, KNOE-Monroe, La., Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 10 AM - 12 Noon.

Wayne Kennedy Charles Jackson Scott Evans Jay Street Greg Cole Jim Phillips Dave Carew Mike Millard Brian Christian Jay Michaels Hal Harrison

Changes KLEO-Wichita WBAL-Baltimore KHOW-Denver KROY-Sacramento KIXY-San Angelo KMBY-Monterey Concept Productions Dallas WGNG-Providence WHNN-Bay City KVOL-Lafayette, La.

Assignment KRMG-Tulsa News WCBM-Baltimore News KIMN-Denver Air Talent Air Talent KZ100-San Antonio KBST-Big Spring KLOK-San Jose Air Talent Air Talent Air Talent WDUZ-Green Bay KFJZ-Ft.Worth/Dallas Air Talent (AM Dr.) KANC-Anchorage Music Director Z96-Grand Rapids Music Director Program Director promoted to

#### Albums of the Week (reviewed by Ron Fell)

"Bare"-Bobby Bare (Columbia) One of the most lyrically potent country albums in recent memory.

Cuts like BIG DUPREE and GREASY GRIT GRAVY offer side-splitting laughs while TOO MANY NIGHTS

ALONE and FEBRUARY SNOW are about as pensive and melancholy as Bobby has ever done. All the afore mentioned songs came from the pen of the incomparable Shel Silverstein and if you add cuts like THE GAMBLER and FINGER ON THE BUTTON and get Waylon and Willie and Chet Atkins to join the sessions you've frosted one hell of a cake.

"So Full of Love"-0'Jays (Philadelphia International) All of the elements are here. Three of the finest singers in the business, a posse of excellent producers and arrangers: Gamble & Huff, Thom Bell, Jack Faith to name a few, and a batch of just right songs. BRANDY, STROKETY STOKE, USE TA BE MY GIRL, SING MY HEART OUT and THIS TIME BABY are "superfine".

Also recommended from the following LP's:
"Still Here"-Ian Thomas Band (Atlantic) JUST LIKE YOU/SALLY/I REALLY LOVE YOU/COMING HOME
"Casino"-Al DiMeola (Columbia) EGYPTIAN DANZA/CHASIN' THE VOODOO/DARK EYE TANGO

"Ever Ready"-Johnnie Taylor (Columbia) HEY MISTER MELODY MAKER/EVER READY/KEEP ON DANCING/I GOTTA KEEP GROOVIN' YOU

"Before and After Science"-Brian Eno (Island) NO ONE RECEIVING/KURT'S REJOINDER/HERE HE COMES "Showdown"-The Isley Brothers (T-Neck) GROOVE WITH YOU/ROCKIN' WITH FIRE/TAKE ME TO THE NEXT PHASE/COOLIN' ME OUT

"Heavy Horses"-Jethro Tull (Chrysalis) ACRES WILD/MOTHS/ROVER/ONE BROWN MOUSE

"Atlanta's Burning Down"-Dickey Betts & Great Southern (Arista) GOOD TIME FEELING/ATLANTA'S BURNING DOWN/SHADY STREETS

"I Would Like To See You Again"-Johnny Cash (Columbia) I WOULD LIKE TO SEE YOU AGAIN/I WISH I WAS CRAZY AGAIN/WHO'S GENE AUTRY?/THERE AIN'T NO GOOD CHAIN GANG

"Double Trouble"-Frankie Miller (Chrysalis) DOUBLE HEART TROUBLE/LOVE WAVES/STUBBORN KIND..FELLOW
"I Still Believe In Love"-Charle Rich (U.A.) PUTTIN' IN OVERTIME AT HOME/THE SADDEST LOVE SONG/ KEEP THE NIGHT AWAY

"Kaya"-Bob Marley & The Wailers (Island) IS THIS LOVE/SATISFY MY SOUL/MISTY MORNING
"Ian Tamblyn"-Ian Tamblyn (Cream) SARA MONDAY/SPADINA STRUT/TAKE ME HOME/THE PARTY'S ALL ON ME "Two"-Gale Force (Fantasy) LOVE ON THE LINE/HOLD ON TO THE FEELIN'/SHOT IN A CROSSFIRE/LOOKING...

"Zaragon"-John Miles (Arista) BORDERLINE/I HAVE NEVER BEEN IN LOVE BEFORE

"Singer of Songs"-Janie Fricke (Columbia) I LOVED YOU ALL THE WAY/BABY IT'S YOU/I BELIEVE IN YOU

"Central Heating"-Heatwave (Epic) THE GROOVE LINE/MIND BLOWING DECISIONS/PARTY POOPS "Spyro Gyra"-Spyro Gyra (Amherst) SHAKER SONG/CASCADE/MEAD

"Spyro Gyra"-Spyro Gyra (Amherst) SHAKER SONG/CASCADE/MEAD
"Ghost Town Parade"-Les Dudek (Columbia) CENTRAL PARK/TEARS TURN INTO DIAMONDS
"Please Don't Touch"-Steve Hackett (Chrysalis) NARNIA/HOW CAN I?/ICARUS ASCENDING
"Edwards & Ralph"-Edwards & Ralph (Ariola) ALONE TOO LONG/HAD TO FALL IN LOVE/FALL IN LOVE AGAIN
"Morningstar"-Morningstar (Columbia) SWEET GEORGIA PEACH/THROUGH THE NIGHT/SUNSHINE (CHANGIN'...)
"Survivor"-Randy Bachman (Polydor) I AM A STAR/SURVIVOR
"Feel The Phuff"-Manchild (U.A.) THE PHUFF/IF YOU DON'T TELL NO ONE

Our correspondents recommend the following LP cuts: (Most frequently mentioned are underlined)

Adult Contemporary B.Manilow-COPACABANA/EVEN NOW/SUNRISE J.Buffett-SON OF A SON../COAST OF MARSAILLES/ Jimmy Buffett-CHEESEBURGER IN PARADISE CHEESEBURGER IN PARADISE Gordon Lightfoot-DAYLIGHT KATY/ENDLESS WIRE Dan & Coley-YOU CAN'T DANCE/SOME THINGS ... Maria Muldaur-MAKE LOVE TO THE MUSIC Gene Cotton-YOU'RE A PART OF ME Billy Joel-SHE'S ALWAYS A WOMAN Neil Diamond-YOU DON'T BRING ME FLOWERS

Country Music Rogers & West-ANYONE WHO ISN'T ME TONIGHT/ YOU & ME/WE LOVE EACH OTHER Eddie Rabbitt-YOU DON'T LOVE ME ANYMORE/ CROSSIN' THE MISSISSIPPI S. Parton-HAVEN'T YOU HEARD/UNDERCOVER MAN Loretta Lynn-SPRING FEVER/BLUE EYED BABIES J.Reed-WHAT CAN I SAY/BUSTED/LOUISIANA LADY

Statler Bros.-WHO AM I TO SAY/YOURS LOVE

Bee Gees-MORE THAN A WOMAN Rod Stewart-I WAS ONLY JOKING
Jefferson Starship-LOVE TOO GOOD/RUNAWAY Billy Joel-ONLY THE GOOD DIE YOUNG Wings-I'VE HAD ENOUGH Eric Clapton-WONDERFUL TONIGHT/THE CORE Barry Manilow-COPACABANA/EVEN NOW Jackson Browne-LOAD OUT/STAY Linda Ronstadt-TUMBLIN' DICE Steely Dan-JOSIE REO Speedwagon-ROLL WITH THE CHANGES

Black Radio Bob James-NIGHT CRAWLER Harold Melvin-NOW IS THE TIME Floaters-JUST WANT TO BE WITH YOU Detroit Emeralds-LET'S GET TOGETHER Enchantment-SILLY LOVE SONG

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SHADOW DANCING-Andy Gibb (RSO) It is doubtful that any one family has ever dominated music to this extent. In fact, if it continues we may be moved to establish a new headline: Gibb of the Week.

SO HARD LIVING WITHOUT YOU-Airwaves (A&M) Ron Fell heard the first 15 seconds and said "hit". Being more conservative, I waited until they started singing. The thought and planning behind the overall effect is apparent from the beginning; however the proof remains with radio and its listeners.

BLUER THAN BLUE-Michael Johnson (EMI) BAKER STREET-Gerry Rafferty (U.A.) I'M ON MY WAY-Captain & Tennille (A&M) FABULOUS DANCER-Wha-Koo (ABC) ALL OVER AGAIN-Edwards & Ralph (Ariola) RUNNIN' WITH THE DEVIL-Van Halen (W.B.)

Also Possible

TAKE A CHANCE ON ME-Abba (Atlantic) MIDNIGHT LADY-Cory Wells (A&M) WEEKEND LOVER-Odyssey (RCA) LATE NIGHT RADIO-Starland Vocal Band (Windsong) WARM RIDE-Rare Earth (Prodigal)

Seattle Meeting

The response to the Seattle regional meeting, one of our largest ever, was exceptional, and it all began when Bill Moyes talked about research. He described how a professional research organization could conduct its research either by telephone or by in-home interviews. Careful study and experience among trained research specialists have developed techniques and refinements of questioning that could not be duplicated by untrained broadcasters. The questions reveal listener attitudes and preferences that can guide the station in overcoming its programming weaknesses. The professional researcher must be scrupulously accurate and must throw out any interviews or questionnaires which appear distorted or unreliable. Stations can conduct their own call out music research, but it is chiefly valuable for its ability to detect burn outs, he said. Number one tuneout factor on rock radio is a burned out record.

We got into automation. Someone raised the possibility that if radio follows its current direction, in a few years it would be automated and run by computers. This provoked an animated discussion. The consensus that emerged was that technology can never completely replace the

human element in radio.

There was considerable discussion of the changes in adult oriented radio. Many of these stations duplicate a large number of the records on the rock lists. It was pointed out that with the rock music getting softer and A-C's moving in the rock direction there was a big gap between the A-C's and the beautiful music formats, a gap that once was filled by artists like Andy

Williams, Perry Como, and Ray Conniff.

Mike Davis, PD of KYTE-Portland brought along an entire computer system - the kind with the "floppy" memory discs. He reassured those who were apprehensive or reluctant about computers that they are in reality quite simple to program and to operate, as well as tremendously time saving. He surprised most of us when he revealed how comparatively inexpensive computers are these days. He'd welcome queries from radio stations on this subject. Contact him at KYTE.

Program directors exchanged ideas about what they look for when hiring a new air person. They agreed that it was better to listen to an unproduced air check than to a studio tape. Several said that they were interested in more than just air talent; they wanted to know the applicant as a whole person.

The Sunday session with record people introduced the question of editing singles. It was asked whether or not, when a station alters the content of a single, the record company objects, and if the listeners who buy the single complain because it's different from what they hear on the radio. The radio contingent reported, "No complaints". A record man said that the producer, the artist and the manager might ojbect, but nobody in the record company would mind. For an evaluation of the Seattle meeting, we quote from a letter from Gregg Hersholt, news director of KJRB-Spokane. He writes:

"It was fantastic. I continually come back from these gatherings wondering how you people keep coming up with better ideas each time...but you do. The discussions were fresh and valuable, even for a news director.

You guys are doing our industry one helluva service by organizing these regionals. Many times the "rest of us" who are not PD's miss out on national conventions, but the Gavin regionals pick up that slack. I again feel that renewed enthusiasm for this business. Thanks again.

Gregg's comments reflect the general response of those who attended. The enthusiasm with which our guests described their reaction to the meeting would be hard to exaggerate. "Sensational" - "Super" - "An inspiration" - "Can't wait to get back to my station" - "Proud to be with so many - and so on. The spontaneity and vigor with which people participated in the dedicated people" discussions set a new high for meetings of this kind. Their enthusiasm should provide an added incentive to those in the St. Louis area who can come in to our meeting there May 6 & 7 at the Marriott Hotel. We urge all who plan to attend to pre-register early. It's only four weeks away and we need attendance information so that we can place our food and beverage orders. Registration fees: Radio - \$30, pre-registered; \$35 at the gate. Record people \$25 for cocktails and the Sunday session.

Reminder: Registrations for our Monterey meeting May 13-14 have been coming in very heavily. There's only a limited number of rooms now remaining in our reserved block, so all who plan

to attend should pre-register without delay.

Gavin's Gab (cont'd. from pg. 11)

KFRC-San Francisco's Walkathon for the March of Dimes saw 18,000 walkers trekking 20-mile routes at nine different locations throughout the Bay Area. With Andy Gibb as the celebrity walker, \$667,000 was raised for the charity. The increase of \$122,000 over last year's total made this year's the most successful yet. KLEO-Wichita's eighth annual "Walk for Mankind" raised a projected goal of \$250,000 in pledges

for Project Concern, a worldwide heath service. Ten thousand people participated.

Publisher's Memo: Due to space limitations, our concluding article on the mechanics of The Gavin Report must be postponed until next week's issue.



# THE GAVIN REPORT #1198 WEEKLY SUMMARY (Editor, Gary Taylor)

Smash of the Week: THE CLOSER I GET TO YOU-Roberta Flack & Donny Hathaway (Atlantic) Seldom does a song come closer to being the ideal programming tool.

Hot: YOU'RE THE ONE-John Travolta & Olivia Newton-John (RSO) If the movie becomes as popular as the single it could parallel the success of Saturday Night Fever.

Top Tip: TOO MUCH, TOO LITTLE, TOO LATE-Johnny Mathis & Deniece Williams (Columbia) The third male-female act to rate a headline, and destined to be as big as those listed above.

Record to Watch: IT'S A HEARTACHE-Bonnie Tyler (RCA) Statistically: 108 reports, 60 chart numbers and 24 new adds (call letters are shown on page 8).

Sleeper of the Week: DEACON BLUES-Steely Dan (ABC) Just starting, but starting at some significant stations: KJR (23), KVOX (24), 99X (28), WQNZ (28), KCBQ (29), WRKO (29), WIRK (30), WRFC (30) and WZZP (30). Evidently the record's length is not a determent.

Top New Adds AKE A CHANCE ON ME-Abba (Atlantic) YOU BELONG TO ME-Carly Simon (Elektra) Equally strong in initial airplay.

Recommended Playlist

The listings below represent a consensus of rock correspondents' reports. Their evaluations are derived from a variety of sources - retail sales, phone requests, call out research, juke box plays, etc. - according to the individual characteristics of the various markets. Underlined sides show the strongest potential for continued growth.

TW Top Twenty

1. NIGHT FEVER-Bee Gees
2. CAN'T SMILE WITHOUT YOU-Barry Manilow FLASHLIGHT-Parliament
3. IF I CAN'T HAVE YOU-Yvonne Elliman MOVIN' OUT-Billy Joel
MORE THAN A WOMAN-Bee Gees (LP cut) Gaining in Several Markets 6. JACK & JILL-Raydio
7. THANK YOU...-Andrew Gold
8. THE CLOSER...-R.Flack & D.Hathaway 6. DISCO INFERNO-The Trammps 9. BABY HOLD ON-Eddie Money
IT'S A HEARTACHE-Bonnie Tyler
...TAKE CARE OF EVERYTHING-Rubicon 17. 12. 9. RUNNIN' ON EMPTY-Jackson Browne 7. 10. OUR LOVE-Natalie Cole TOO MUCH...-J. Mathis & D. Williams FANTASY-Earth, Wind & Fire
THIS TIME I'M IN IT FOR LOVE-Player
TWO DOORS DOWN-Dolly Parton 13. 11. ...GOODBYE AGAIN-Eng.Dan & J.F.Coley
14. 12. FEELS SO GOOD-Chuck Mangione 8. 13. GOODBYE GIRL-David Gates 15. 14. IMAGINARY LOVER-Atlanta Rhythm SectionON BROADWAY-George Benson 11. 15. SWEET TALKIN' WOMAN-ELO
20. 16. WITH A LITTLE LUCK-Wings LADY LOVE-Lou Rawls 20. 16. WITH A LITTLE LUCK-HINGS
18. 17. COUNT ON ME-Jefferson Starship EGO-Elton John
16. 18. BEFORE MY HEART FINDS OUT-Gene Cotton LOVE IS LIKE OXYGEN-Sweet
10. 10. LAY DOWN SALLY-Fric Clapton MAKE YOU FEEL LOVE AGAIN-Wet Willie --. 20. YOU'RE THE ONE-J. Travolta/Olivia N-J. MORE THAN A WOMAN-Tavares

Top Prospect
SHADOW DANCING-Andy Gibb (RSO)

Regional Sales and/or Requests

LET'S ALL CHANT-Michael Zager Band (P.Stock)

\*\*EVERY KINDA PEOPLE-Robert Palmer (Island)

\*\*BAKER STREET-Gerry Rafferty (U.A.)

HEARTLESS-Heart (Mushroom)

DEACON BLUES-Steely Dan (ABC)

TWO OUT OF THREE AIN'T BAD-Meatloaf (Epic)

BECAUSE THE NIGHT-Patti Smith Group (Arista)

I CAN'T STAND THE RAIN-Eruption (Ariola)

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I'VE NEVER BEEN TO ME-Mary Macgregor (Ariola)

WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN-Fotomaker (Atlantic)

YOU'LL LOVE AGAIN-Hotel (Mercury)

WHAT A NIGHT FOR DANCING-Barry White (20th)

DANCE WITH ME-Peter Brown (Drive)

BOMBS AWAY-Bob Weir (Arista)

Regional Sales and/or Requests

YOU'RE THE ONE-Seals & Crofts (Warner Bros.)

\*\*BAKER STREET-Gerry Rafferty (U.A.)

\*\*BULER THAN BLUE-Michael Johnson (EMI)

YOU GOT THAT RIGHT-Lynyrd Skynyrd (MCA)

SHADOW IN THE STREET-Allan Clarke (Atlantic)

MAMA LET HIM PLAY-Doucette (Mushroom)

\*\*CHEESBURGER IN PARADISE-Jimmy Buffett (ABC)

MHERE HAVE YOU BEEN-Fotomaker (Atlantic)

SINCE YOU BEEN GONE-Head East (A&M)

I WANT YOU TO BE MINE-Kayak (Janus)

LET'S PUT OUR LOVE...-Micky Denne/Ken Gold (MCA)

GIVE A LITTLE MORE-Robert John (Ariola)

AIN'T GONNA EAT OUT MY HEART ANYMORE-Angel (Casab.)

WHEEL IN THE SKY-Journey (Columbia)

I WANT TO LIVE-John Denver (RCA)

Correspondents' Corner\*\*

Chart and listings on page one are derived from information supplied by the radio reporters listed below. \*Indicates requests. Sales action is underlined.

Bath, Jack O'Brian-WIGY- Gerry Rafferty Lewiston, Mark Ericson-WLAM- Kayak Portsmouth, Mike O'Neal-WHEB- Airwaves Dover, Jim Sebastian-WTSN- Carly Simon Worcester, B.J.Dean-WORC- Steely Dan Danbury, Brian St. James-WINE- #8-J.Starship Hartford, Rick Donahue-WTIC/FM- Patti Smith Utica, Jim Reitz-WTLB- Michael Johnson Schenectedy, Jim Walsh-3WD- Celebration New York, Barbara Brozdowski-WCBS/FM-#12-ONJ/T. Babylon, Bernie Bernard-WBAB- \*Lynyrd Skynyrd Philadelphia, Jeff Robins-WIFI- A.R. Section Reading, Shannon/Newman-WRAW- Seals & Crofts Trenton, Tom Taylor-WPST- Gerry Rafferty Wilmington, Bill O'Brian-WAMS- #8-B.Joel
Annapolis, Kingston/Lewis-WYRE- Peter Brown
Frederick, Barry Hodge-WZYQ- Jane Olivor
Richmond, Ken Curtis-WLEE- #8-George Benson
Lynchburg, Tony Love-WLLL- Trammps Winston-Salem, Bob Scarborough-WAIR- #7-W.Zevon Muskegon, Jon London-WTRU- Sweet Reidsville, Lebai-WFRC- Rufus Asheboro, Gary Cannon-WZOO- Debby Boone (KNOWS) Shelby, Jeffrey Owens-WOHS- Allan Clarke Asheville, Ray Williams-WISE- Patti Smith Newbern, Richard Taylor-WSFL/FM- Dan Fogelberg Fayetteville, Stan Stewart-WFLB- Carly Simon Wilmington, Robbie Vogt-WGNI- Rutles Columbia, Dan Vallie-WCOS- Carly Simon Anderson, Bill McCown-WANS- Heatwave Kingstree, Jerry Smith-WKSP- Andy Gibb Augusta, Steve York-WAUG/FM- Gerry Rafferty Savannah, Brady MacGraw-WSGA- Jimmy Buffett - - Jerry Catz-WSGF- Head East Athens, Kelly McCoy-WRFC- Gerry Rafferty - - Jeff Michaels-WAGQ- Michael Johnson Gainesville, Tom Harris-WWID- Bonnie Tyler Atlanta, Rhett Walker-WQXI- Patti Smith - - Don Benson-94Q- #8-Eddie Money Columbus, Jeff Blake-WCGQ- Abba Albany, Kris Van Dyke-WALG- Dara Sedaka Carrollton, Scott Evans-WPPI- Robert John - Ray Hammons-WBTR/FM- Jimmy Buffett Daytona Beach, John Scott-WMFJ- Cont.Minatures Orlando, Chris O'Neil-WLOF- Robert Palmer Cocoa Beach, Steve Ocean-CK101- Shaun Cassidy W.Palm Beach, Allen Edwards-WIRK- Robert Palmer Ft.Meyers, Webster James-WMYR- Player Tampa Bay, Ron Parker-WLCY- #11-Wings Ocala, Bill Early-WWKE- Fotomaker Tallahassee, Michael O'Malley-WONS- #11-B.Joel - - Robin Sterns-WGLF- Wha-Koo Panama City, Jim King-WDLP- Peter Brown Ft. Walton Beach, Bob Kitzmiller-WNUE-Eruption Pensacola, Dan Ingram-WBSR- Head East Huntsville, Jay Fredericks-WAAY- Wet Willie - - - Bill Heslip-WVOV- Steely Dan Muscle Shoals, Rick Shayne-Q107- Capt. & Tenn. Cullman, Rich McCarthy-WKLN- Diana Ross Gadsden, Roger Gaither-WGAD- Shaun Cassidy Birmingham, Steve Davis-WKXX- Kayak Enterprise, Mark Thompson-WKMX- Dara Sedaka Starkville, Glen James-WKOR- \*M. Macgregor Natchez, Haynes Ford-WQNZ- Patti Smith Group Greenville, Ken Rogers-WFBC- Dara Sedaka - Mark Jones-WDDT- LTD Jackson, Tom Daniels-WJDX- \*Jimmy Buffett Pascagoula, Dan Lynch-WKKY- #2-Eddie Money Biloxi, Bob Lima-WQID- Eloise Laws Hattiesburg, Don Simmons-WXXX- Jimmy Buffett Lafayette, Michael Lea-KVOL- Michael Pinera Lake Charles, Bob Simons-KAOK- Lisa Hartman Shreveport, Howard Clark-KEEL- Robert Palmer - Shepherd/Greer-KROK- Toby Beau New Iberia, Rick Broussard-KNIR- Head East Ken Romero-KANE- Walter Egan Chattanooga, David Carroll-WGOW- M. Macgregor Nashville, Jim Holton-WMAK- Wet Willie Louisville, Coyote Calhoun-WAKY- Billy Joel Bowling Green, Doug Kirsch-WBGN- Meatloaf Paducah, Bryan Sargent-WKYX- Elton John \*\*Correspondents not listed above will be found on page 9.....

South Bend, Jason Fox-WRBR- Robert Palmer Lafayette, Dan Michaels-WAZY- Seals & Crofts Evansville, Adam Smasher-WGBF- Head East Hamilton, Joe London-WMOH- Trammps Akron, Bobby Knight-WCUE- Linda Ronstadt Columbus, Steve Edwards-WNCI- Chuck Mangione Alliance, Bill Brophy-WFAH- Gerry Rafferty Canton, Keith London-WINW- #12-Shaun Cassidy
Cleveland, Beau Raines-WZZP- Genesis
-- Bob Travis-WGCL- #10-Meatloaf Parkersburg, Jack Fitzgerald-WXIL- #9-Styx Beckeley, Dwayne Bonds-WCIR- Dara Sedaka Altoona, John Harrison-WVAM- Kiss Youngstown, Jack Taylor-WYFM- #2-Jackson Browne Altoona, Tony Booth-WFBG- Billy Joel Pittsburgh, T. Morgan-WPEZ- \*Sweet Johnstown, Doug Kaye-WCRO- #8-Eddie Money Detroit, Lori Darwin-WDRQ- A.R. Section Jackson, Garry Osborn-WIBM- Mathis/Williams Chicago, Alan Burns-WLS- Shaun Cassidy - Dave Morgan-WMET- Eddie Money Springfield, Greg Thomas-WCVS- Parliament Carbondale, Rick Zurick-WCIL/FM- \*Genesis Rockford, Bob Goode-WROK- Allan Clarke Freeport, Kevin Kenney-WACI- Abba Madison, R.J.Reynolds-WISM- Capt. & Tennille Two Rivers, John Barber-15Q- Journey Green Bay, Gregg Albert-WDUZ- Doucette Neenah, Jason Page-WNAM- Head East Stevens Point, Pat Martin-WSPT- Capt. & Tennille LaCrosse, Pat Smith-WLCX- Trammps Eau Claire, Sean McCartney-WEAQ- #9-Gene Cotton Duluth, Beau Elliot-WEBC- Abba Rochester, Denny Foster-KWEB- Michael Johnson Mpls./St.Paul, Dave Thomson-KDWB- Styx Rochester, Tom Nast-WBBF- Trammps St. Cloud, Tom Kay-WJON- Michael Johnson Grand Forks, Bob Hooper-KKXL- #1-Kansas Fargo, Mark Renier-KVOX- Seals & Crofts - Bob Denver-KQWB- #10-Gene Cotton Bismarck, Dan Brannan-KFYR- #3-Dan & Coley Minot, Doug Corbett-KKOA- Seals & Crofts Aberdeen, Gary Dixon-KSDN- Head East Huron, L.A. Timms-KOKK- Patti Smith Group Rapid City, Mick Kjar-KKLS- Steely Dan - Dave Hohn-KTOQ- Michael Johnson Sioux Falls, Tom Evans-KISD- Rare Earth Sioux City, Bill Bodie-KWSL- Abba Dubuque, Steve Sesterhenn-KFMD- Wet Willie Ottumwa, Dave Carlson-KLEE- Steely Dan Des Moines, Michael Stone-KMGK- Steely Dan Cedar Rapids, Carl Mann-KCRG- Capt. & Tennille - Ron Dennington-KLWW- Blondie Waterloo, Bob Beck-KWWL- Airwaves Omaha, Bruce Vidal-KOIL- #7-Dan & Coley Lincoln, Rob Haggar-KLMS- Flack & Hathaway St. Louis, Sherry Toennies-KSLQ- Patti Smith Jackson, Kent Nelson-KJAS- Bill Conti Kansas City, Kim Welsh-KBEQ- Ted Nugent Joplin, John C.David-KFSB- #3-Chuck Mangione Pine Bluff, Paul Sims-KOTN- Patti Smith Group Lawrence, Mike Schmidt-KLWN/FM- \*Wings Topeka, J.R.Greeley-KEWI- #6-ELO Manhattan, Ed Klimek-KMKF- Airwaves Junction City, Jim West-KJCK/FM- Dan Fogelberg Wichita, Barry Casey-KEYN- Gerry Rafferty Bob Lawrence-KLEO- #11-Gene Cotton Oklahoma City, Chuck Morgan-KOFM- #10-A.R.S. -- Barry Shannon-KZUE- Samantha Sang -- Sandy Jones-WKY- Billy Joel Longview, Gary Howell-KLUE- Eloise Laws Amarillo, Mark Shannon-KPUR- Travolta/Olivia Tyler, Robert Adams-KDOK- Eddie Money Dallas/Ft.Worth, Gary Mack-Z97- A.R.Section Waco, Mike Lucas-KRZI- Eddie Money Killeen, Stan Castles-KIXS- #12-J.Starship Bryan, Richard Moore-KTAM- Mary Macgregor Nacogadoches, Kirt Williams-KEEE- Heart Galveston, Dave Collins-KILE- Michael Johnson



## Adult Contemporary Programming (Associate Editor, Ron Fell)

Most Active: YOU'RE THE ONE...-John Travolta & Olivia Newton-John (RSO) The song is moving nicely and may well peak before the release of the film.

Worth Watching: BLUER THAN BLUE-Michael Johnson (EMI-America) An impressive start for this former member of the Back Porch Majority and the Chad Mitchell Trio who had two albums (on Atlantic) back in the first half of this decade. KRMG, KEX, WBEN, KMOX among the key adds this week.

Top Thirty

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low 15. 16. READY FOR THE TIMES...-Crystal Gayle 1. CAN'T SMILE WITHOUT YOU-Barry Manilow 19. 17. IMAGINARY LOVER-Atlanta Rhythm Section 2. WE'LL NEVER HAVE TO SAY .. - Dan & Coley 21. 18. THIS TIME I'M IN IT FOR LOVE-Player 3. DUST IN THE WIND-Kansas 2. 18. 19. OUR LOVE-Natalie Cole 4. NICHT FEVER-Bee Gees 12. 20. FALLING-LeBlanc & Carr 5. THE CLOSER I GET TO YOU-Flack & Hathaway 23. 21. TWO DOORS DOWN-Dolly Parton 6. FEELS SO GOOD-Chuck Mangione 7. IF I CAN'T HAVE YOU-Yvonne Elliman
8. THE CIRCLE IS SMALL-Gordon Lightfoot
9. BEFORE MY HEART FINDS OUT-Gene Cotton 22. 22. ALWAYS & FOREVER-Heatwave 6. 26. 23. I'VE NEVER BEEN TO ME-Mary Macgregor 25. 24. ON BROADWAY-George Benson 10. 10. THANK YOU FOR BEING A FRIEND-Andrew Gold --. 25. YOU'RE THE ONE...-Travolta & Olivia 26. JACK & JILL-Raydio 11. 11. LAY DOWN SALLY-Eric Clapton 30. 27. GEORGIA ON MY MIND-Willie Nelson 14. 12. GOODBYE GIRL-David Gates 17. 13. TOO MUCH, TOO LITTLE...-Mathis & Williams 16. 14. COUNT ON ME-Jefferson Starship --. 28. MOVIN' OUT-Billy Joel
--. 29. I'M GONNA TAKE CARE OF EVERYTHING-Rubicon 13. 30. WONDERFUL WORLD-Art Garfunkel 20. 15. WITH A LITTLE LUCK-Wings

Action Sides
STRANDED IN A LIMOUSINE-Paul Simon
BABY I'M YOURS/GOD KNOWS-Debby Boone
CHATTANOOGA CHOO CHOO-Tuxedo Junction
SWEET TALKIN' WOMAN-Electric Light Orch.
YOU'RE THE LOVE-Seals & Crofts
SHADOW DANCING-Andy Gibb
RUNNIN' ON EMPTY-Jackson Browne
MORE THAN A WOMAN-Bee Gees (LP cut)

Sales and/or Requests
IT'S A HEARTACHE-Bonnie Tyler
SOFTLY.../UNCHAINED MELODY-Elvis Presley
LAST OF THE ROMANTICS-Engelbert Humperdinck
A LOVER'S QUESTION-Jacky Ward
FANTASY-Earth, Wind & Fire
DEACON BLUES-Steely Dan
LOVE IS-Bros. Johnson

Correspondents' Preferred Picks
YOU BELONG TO ME-Carly Simon (Elektra)
I'M ON MY WAY-Capt. & Tennille (A&M)
I WANT-John Denver (RCA)
TAKE A CHANCE ON ME-Abba (Atlantic)
BAKER STREET-Gerry Rafferty (United Artists)
BLUER THAN BLUE-Michael Johnson (EMI America)
THIS NIGHT WON'T LAST-Bill LaBounty (Warner Bros)
SO HARD LIVING WITHOUT YOU-Airwaves (A&M)

Airplay
WE'LL SING IN THE SUNSHINE-Helen Reddy
NO ONE GAVE ME LOVE-Tom Jones
BALTIMORE-Randy Newman
EVERYTIME TWO FOOLS COLLIDE-K. Rogers & D. West
ALL I EVER WANNA BE-David Castle
ONE LAST TIME-Al Martino
SO SAD TO BREAK UP-Valentine

A - C Correspondents' Reports

Akron (Russ Knight-WakR) Bee Gees (WOMAN)/Reddy/Player. Gains: Defferson Starship/Cole/Wings.

Anna, Ill. (Jane Michel-WRAJ) Capt. & Tennille/Boone (GOD)/Rafferty/Airwaves/Starland Vocal Band.

Astoria (Doug McDowell-KAST) Gibb/Boone (GOD)/Rimperdinck/Ree Gees (WOMAN)/A. Cold/Cole/Atla.Rhy.S.

Athens (Ty Richards-WATH) Seals & Crofts/Capt. & Tennille/Boone (both)/Alpert & M./Airwaves.

Austin (Bob Joseph-KCSY) Santanap/J. Fricke/Muldaur/Rabbitt. Gains: Mangione/W. Nelson/Hestwave.

Baltimore (Dexter Deane-WCBM) Andy Gibb/Billy Joel. Gains: Flack & Hathaway.

Baton Rouge (Ron Casey-WJBO) Capt. & Tennille/Abba/Steely Dan/Toby Beau. Gains: J. Ward/Macgregor.

Benidii (Carolyn Rossbach-KKDI) Alpert & Masekela/Edwards & Ralph/Newman. Gains: Oction/Lightfoot.

Benid (Bill Jay-KBND) Capt. & Tennille/Carly Simon/Hues Corp./Denver/Seals & Crofts.

Bismarck (Tom Bitz-KBOM) Bee Gees (WOMAN)/Joel/Rublicon/Tyler. Gains: Havewer/Mings/E.L.O./Starship

Boise (Lee Chabre-KBOI) Tuxedo Junction/D. Boone (BABY)/Humperdinck/Wings/Rogers & West.

Bonners Ferry (Jan Andrews-KBFI) Parton/Bonoff/Newman/Al Martino/Benson/J. Ward. Gains: Wings/Player.

Burfialo (Roger Christian-WEEN) Denver/M. Johnson/Boone (BABY)/Reddy/Capt. & Tennille/Macgregor.

Burlington (Gary Wheelock-WVMT) Wings/Raydio/M. Johnson. Gains: Parton/Tavolta & Olivia/Gibb.

Butte (Bob Roberts-KCLF) R. Newman/B. Tyler/Gibb. Gains: E., W. & Fire/Player/Flack & H./Tavares.

Canton (Rick Jacobs-WIBC) Bee Gees (WOMAN)/Mings/Denver. Gains: Jefferson Starship/Mathis & Wms.

Carson City (Costa/Sepulvidas-MTL) Tuxedo Junction/B. Roberts/Boone (BABY)/Manhattan Trsf./C.Simon.

Cedar Rapids (Rick Sellers-WMT) D. Sedaka/Seals & Crofts/Gibb/Capt. & Tennille. Gains: Sang.

Charlotte (Andy Bickel-WBT) Trammps. Cains: Browne/Mangione/Raydio/Cold/Matewave/Dan & Coley.

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### Black Radio (Associate Editor, Betty Hollars)

Hot Line: USE TA BE MY GIRL-O'Jays (Philadelphia International) Correspondents' acceptance of this release is 100%, with airplay or chart numbers reported by all.

Looking Good: DUKEY STICK-George Duke (Epic) This could be two in a row for him in the contemporary vein.

Correspondents' Top Thirty

The following list is a composite of sales and requests reported by our correspondents, whose names appear below.

LW TW 17. 16. SLICK SUPERCHICK/LIFE'S A SONG-Kool & Gang LW TW 1 1. TOO MUCH...-Mathis & Williams -. 17. USE TA BE MY GIRL-O'Jays 3. 2. ON BROADWAY-George Benson 24. 18. WORKING TOGETHER-Maze 3. BOOTZILLA-Bootsy's Rubber Band 4. THE CLOSER I GET TO YOU-Flack/Hathaway 10. 19. FANTASY-Earth, Wind & Fire 14. 20. OCEANS OF THOUGHTS & DREAMS-Dramatics 5. FLASHLIGHT-Parliament --. 21. DUKEY STICK-George Duke 8. 6. GET ON UP (DISCO)-Tyrone Davis 15. 22. NEVER GET ENOUGH OF YOUR LOVE-LTD 7. STAY-Rufus & Chaka Khan 13. 18. 23. LET ME PARTY WITH YOU-Bunny Sigler 8. NIGHT FEVER-Bee Gees 12. 9. REACHING FOR THE SKY-Peabo Bryson 19. 24. AM I LOSING YOU-Manhattans 6. 20. 10. TAKE ME TO THE NEXT PHASE-Isley Br. --. 25. RIDING HIGH-Faze-0 22. 26. DON'T COST YOU NOTHIN'-Ashford & Simpson 7. 11. DANCE WITH ME-Peter Brown 23. 27. IF I HAD MY WAY-Walter Jackson 26. 28. TOMORROW I MAY NOT FEEL...-Gene Chandler 9. 12. ALL THE WAY LOVER-Millie Jackson

25. 13. THE GROOVE LINE/& f.-Heatwave
11. 14. IT'S YOU THAT I NEED-Enchantment
26. 28. TOMORROW I MAY NOT FEEL...-General Services of the control of the con

16. 15. EMOTION-Samantha Sang --. 30. OH WHAT A NIGHT FOR DANCING-Barry White

EVERYBODY DANCE-Chic (Atlantic)

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YOU ARE, YOU ARE-Curtis Mayfield (Curtom)

Top Airplay

SUPERNATURAL FEELING-Blackbyrds

KEEP ON DANCING-Johnnie Taylor

DANCE ACROSS THE FLOOR-Jimmy "Bo" Horne

IT'S SERIOUS-Cameo

RUMOUR HAS IT-Donna Summer

FREAKY DEAKY-Roy Ayers

I CAN'T STAND THE RAIN-Eruption

TRUST YOUR HEART-Bobby Womack

ALL NIGHT LONG-Dexter Wansel

THE ONE & ONLY-Gladys Knight & the Pips

MS.-David Oliver

I'M REALLY GONNA MISS YOU-Billy Preston

MISS BROADWAY-Belle Epoque

ALL IN YOUR MIND-Side Effect

GHOST OF LOVE-Tavares

Correspondents' Preferred Picks
TRY & UNDERSTAND-Jaisun (Jett Sett)
YOU'VE BEEN A PART OF ME-Wee Gee (Juney)
(LET'S GO) ALL THE WAY-The Whispers (Solar)
AIN'T NO SMOKE.../WHIP-Eddie Kendricks (Arista)
BLACK WATER GOLD-The Sunshine Band (T.K.)
DAYLIGHT & DARKNESS-Smokey Robinson (Tamla)
OLD MAN WITH YOUNG IDEAS-Ann Peebles (Hi)
SUMMER SONG-Grover Washington, Jr. (Kudu)
LOVE IS-Bros. Johnson (A&M)
THIS TIME THEY TOLD THE TRUTH-Z.Z.Hill (Columbia)
BABY, I JUST WANNA LOVE YOU-Jonelle Allen (Alex.St.)
WEEKEND LOVER-Odyssey (RCA)
IT'S ALL IN YOUR MIND-Side Effect (Fantasy)
WHAT IS FUNK-Rare Gems Odyssey (Casablanca)
I AM YOUR WOMAN, SHE IS YOUR WIFE-Barbara Mason

Regional Highlights

Albany (Doc Suttles-WJIZ) #2-Yvonne Elliman, #4-0'Jays, #10-Bill Wright. Gns: Trammps, Curtis Mayfield, Bobby Womack, Eruption, Enchantment, Gene Chandler, Donna Summer, Brass Construction, Bootsy. New: Johnny Adams, Seventh Wonder. LP's: 0'Jays, Bobby Womack, Tyrone Davis, W.Jackson. Chicago (Earnest James-WENK/FM) #2-Bee Gees, #8-Greg Perry, #9-Heatwave, #10-Walter Jackson. Gns: George Duke, Ashford & Simpson, Gene Chandler, B.T.Express, Belle Epoque, Brass Construction, Millie Jackson, O'Jays, Ann Peebles. Rq: Evelyn King, Linda Clifford. LP: Isleys. Cleveland (Mike Payne-WABQ) #3-George Duke, #10-George Benson. New: Wee Gee, T.H.P. Orch. On: O'Jays, Donna Summer, Walter Jackson, Jonelle Allen, Tavares, Kool & Gang, Bros. Johnson. Columbus (Keith Willis-WKO) #3-New Birth, #5-Sun, #6-Bobby Bland, #7-Heatwave, #8-Isleys. Gns: Rufus, Barry White, Bill Withers, Cameo, O'Jays, Jaisun. New: Voltage Bros., Mass Production, Barbara Mason, McCrarys, Barkays. On: Blackbyrds, Whispers, Walter Jackson, Harvey Mason. Galveston (Randy Sterling-KGEC) #1-Brass Construction, #2-Peabo Bryson, #3-Ashford & Simpson, #4-Maze, #5-Enchantment, #9-Eddie Kendricks. On: Chi-Lites, Jonelle Allen, J.Bristol, Chic, Eloise Laws, Kongas. Rq: Earbara Mason, Eddie Kendricks, Heatwave, Johnnie Taylor, Jaisun. Henderson (Juan Blanco-KGRI/FM) #3-George Benson, #6-Bunny Sigler, #9-Millie Jackson. Gns: Skyliners, Isleys, Heatwave, War, Tower of Power, Eddie Kendricks. New: Cory Wells. On: Chic. Natchez (Haynes Ford-WNAT) #1-Peter Brown, #2-Parliament, #7-Black Ice, #8-Millie Jackson, Gns: O'Jays, B.White, Rufus, Rare Gems Odyssey, Isleys, Barkays, Chic, Smokey Robinson, Heatwave (both). New: Stargard, Johnnie Taylor, George Duke, Faze-O. LP: O'Jays. New York (Sonny Taylor-WWRL) #1-Flack & Hathaway, #3-Tyrone Davis, #5-George Benson, #6-Chic, #7-Rufus, #9-Eruption, #10-Barry White, Gns: Evelyn King, David Oliver, Chocolate Milk. New: Eddie Kendricks, The Sunshine Band, Cameo, Heatwave, The Whispers. On: O'Jays, Johnny Bristol

Laws, Noel Pointer, Love Unlimited Orch.

Stockton (Charles Richardson-KUOP/FM) Ch: Parliament, Bunny Sigler, Enchantment, Peabo Bryson,
Isleys, Rufus, O'Jays. Gns: D.Wansel, D.Oliver, Blackbyrds. New: Heatwave, Odyssey, G.Jeffreys.

Berkeley (Rob Singleton-KRE) New: Aretha, Diana Ross, Ray Charles, Dexter Wansel, Curtis Mayfield,
Tower of Power, Bob Marley, Bob James, Spyro Gyra, David Spinozza, Bobbi Humphrey. New LP's:
B.B.King, Auracle, Benny Maupin, Wayne Henderson, Etta James, Isaac Hayes.

Black Radio Correspondents' LP cuts are on page 13.....

#### Country Music (Associate Editor, Elma Greer)

Prime Movers: BABY, IT'S YOU-Janie Fricke (Columbia)
MAYBE BABY-Susie Allanson (Warner Bros.)

Both records are gratifying the tastes of programmers and the desires of their listeners.

Worth Watching: DIRTY WORK-Sterling Whipple (Warner Bros.) Sixteen adds this week provide a strong base for country's Mr. Whipple.

Top Country Hits

The following list of country hits is a composite of sales and requests reported by our correspondents, whose names appear below.

W TW 1. EVERYTIME TWO FOOLS COLLIDE-Rogers & West 3. SOMEONE LOVES YOU HONEY-Charley Pride 4. IT DON'T FEEL LIKE SINNIN' TO ME-Kendalls
5. I CHEATED...-Billy "Crash" Craddock 6. I'VE FOUND A WINNER...-Don Williams 7. 7. READY FOR THE TIMES ... - Crystal Gayle 8. SWEET, SWEET SMILE-Carpenters 9. IT'S ALL WRONG ... - Dolly Parton

14. 12. SHE CAN PUT HER SHOES...-Johnny Duncan 15. 13. DON'T EVER SAY GOODBYE-T.G.Sheppard
17. 14. SOFTLY.../UNCHAINED...-Elvis Presley
24. 15. MAYBE BABY-Susie Allanson

NO, NO, NO (I'D RATHER BE FREE)-Rex Allen Jr. I'LL BE THERE (WHEN YOU GET LONELY)-David Rogers RED WINE AND BLUE MEMORIES-Joe Stampley AT THE END OF THE RAINBOW-Jerry Wallace DIVERS DO IT DEEPER-David Allen Coe PUTTIN' IN OVERTIME AT HOME-Charlie Rich THIS IS THE LOVE-Sonny James
GOTTA QUIT LOOKIN' AT YOU BABY-Dave & Sugar I'M GONNA LOVE YOU ANYWAY-Cristy Lane NIGHT TIME MAGIC-Larry Gatlin

IW TW 20. 16. STARTING ALL OVER AGAIN-Don Gibson 18. 17. I'M ALWAYS ON A MOUNTAIN...-M. Haggard --. 18. BABY, IT'S YOU-Janie Fricke
25. 19. I'LL NEVER BE FREE-Jim Ed & Helen
22. 20. LAY DOWN SALLY-Eric Clapton
23. 21. DO YOU KNOW...Statler Bros. 10. 22. WALK RIGHT BACK-Anne Murray 16. 23. I WOULD LIKE TO SEE YOU...-J. Cash 19. 24. BUCKET TO THE SOUTH-Ava Barber 11. 10. WE BELIEVE IN HAPPY ENDINGS-Johnny Rodriguez 30. 25. WHISKEY TRIP-Gary Stewart 8. 11. A LOVER'S QUESTION-Jacky Ward -- . 26. IF YOU CAN TOUCH HER...-Willie Nelson

29. 27. THE POWER OF POSITIVE...-M.Gilley --. 28. GEORGIA ON MY MIND-Willie Nelson --. 29. COME ON IN-Jerry Lee Lewis

27. 30. HERE IN LOVE-Dottsy

BORN TO BE WITH YOU-Sandy Posey TWO MORE BOTTLES OF WINE-Emmylou Harris COWBOYS DON'T GET LUCKY ALL THE TIME-G. Watson FOUR LITTLE LETTERS-Stella Parton RUNAWAY-Narvel Felts IF YOU'RE LOOKING FOR A FOOL-Freddy Fender ME AND THE IRS/GEORGIA...-Johnny Paycheck SWEET LOVE FEELINGS-Jerry Reed I WISH I LOVED SOMEBODY ELSE-Tom T. Hall IT'S A HEARTACHE-Bonnie Tyler

Airplay: (New listings are underlined)

Oak Ridge Boys (24); Roy Head (20); Billie Jo Spears (18); Margo Smith (17); Sterling Whipple (16); Bobby Borchers (15); Bill Anderson (14); Charly McClain (13); Bobby Bare (12); Tammy Wynette (12); Bellamy Bros. (12); Freddie Hart (12); Rayburn Anthony (10); Nat Stuckey (10); Dale McBride (10); Mel Street (10).

GOD KNOWS-Debby Boone (Warner Bros./Curb Records)

I WANT TO LIVE-John Denver (RCA)

Aberdeen (Jack McDaniel-KKAA) Deb-Elvis (24) (both), W.Nelson (26) (RCA), J.Stampley (27).

Akron (Don Dempsey-WSLR) Pl-T.Wynette, J.Paycheck (both), Oaks, Freddie Hart, S.Whipple, N.Felts.

Albany, Ga. (Scott Parker-WJAZ) Pl-D.Boone, M.Smith. Rq-J.Paycheck (IRS), R.McDowell, T.Wynette.

Albany, Ore. (Larry Blair-KRKT) Pl-David Rogers. Rq-Willie Nelson (Col.), E.Clapton, J.L.Lewis.

Amarillo (Terry Amburn-KBUY) Gns-B.Tyler (27-18). Deb-Joe Ely (24). Pl-Oaks, B.J.Spears, J.Denver.

Ann Arbor (Mark Thomas-WNRS) Pl-S.Wariner, S.Smith, B.Tyler, Hank Jr., Bill Anderson, Margo Smith.

Asheville (Dave Jacobs-WWNC) Gns-S.Parton (39-25), W.Nelson (45-25) (Col.). Pl-Elvis (SOFTLY).

Ashland (Dave McLain-WTCR) Pl-Tina Wellman, Rex Jr., S.Posey, F.Fender, David Houston. Asheville (Dave Jacobs-WWNC) Gns-S.Parton (39-25), W.Nelson (45-25) (Col.). Pl-Elvis (SOFTLY).

Ashland (Dave McLain-WTCR) Pl-Tina Wellman, Rex Jr., S.Posey, F.Fender, David Houston.

Ashland, Ore. (Christopher Stoney-KCMX) Pl-M.Smith, Charlie Rich, Oak Ridge Boys. Rq-Tom Bresh.

Atlanta (Jim Clemens-WPLO) Deb-Rex Allen Jr. (27), Dave & Sugar (28), E.Harris (29), G.Watson.

Austin (Jerry K.Green-KVET) Fk-B.K.Perry. Pl-Bellamy Bros., Tom Bresh, R.Steagall (fl.), D.Rogers.

Battle Creek (Mark Shepard-WWKQ) Pl-Rex Jr., Gary Stewart, Sonny James, Mickey Gilley, J.Paycheck.

Beaumont (Bob Shannon-KTRM) Deb-Jim Ed & Helen (23), J. Stampley (24), R.Head (27). Pl-J.Denver.

Billings (Mary June-KBMY) Deb-G.Stewart (24). Pl-G.Watson, C.McClain, D.Houston, B.J.Spears.

Biloxi (Lance Carson-WVMI) Gns-J.Cash (23-17), J.Rodriguez (25-18). Pl-D.Gibson, Gene Cotton.

Birmingham (Dan Brennan-WVOK) Gns-D.Houston (21-5). Pl-Bellamy Bros., S.James, Tammy Wynette.

Bismarck (Marv Allen-KBMR) Pl-E.Harris, Dave & Sugar, Lynn Anderson, J.Paycheck, Tammy Wynette.

Buford (Jim Lewis-WDYX) Pl-D.Houston, Kenny Pruitt. Ex-Jimmy Rogers, M.Macgregor, Rains & Harris. Buford (Jim Lewis-WDYX) Pl-D. Houston, Kenny Pruitt. Ex-Jimmy Rogers, M. Macgregor, Raims & Harris. Cape Girardeau (David Holt-KZYM) Deb-M. Gilley (23), Rex Jr. (25). Pl-Willie Nelson, J. L. Lewis. Carrollton (Ray Hammons-WLBB) Pl-D. Bowman, Bellamy Bros., B. Bare, T. Bresh, D. Boone, L. Ronstadt. Charlotte (Larry James-WBT) Gns-Willie Nelson (37-25) (RCA), D. Rogers (38-26). Pl-B. Anderson. Chicago (Bill Hart-WJD) Pl-Jim Ed & Helen, Dolly (2 DOORS), Bonnie Tyler, J. Paycheck (IRS). - - (Bob King-WMAQ) Pl-M.Gilley, Joe Stampley, Statlers, Merle Haggard, Johnny Duncan.
Chillicothe (Bill Burns-WCLL) Pl-Jan Howard. LP cut-Billy Swan (PLEASE HELP ME).
Columbia (Ken Martin-WCOS/FM) Pl-J.Paycheck (TRS), Willie Nelson (Col.), S.Posey, Narvel Felts. Cypress Gardens (Terry Slane-WGTO) Pl-C.Rich, W.Nelson (Col.), B.K.Perry, Bobby Borchers, G.Watson Dallas (Peggy Sears-KBOX) Gns-S.James (32-17), N.Felts (35-19). Pl-C.Lane, F.Fender, J.L.Lewis. Denver (Bill Ashford-KLAK) Gns-S.Posey (37-28). Rq-B.Tyler. Pl-Mel Street, Bill Anderson. Des Moines (John Charleston-KSO) Pl-K.Dale, B.Anderson, R.Head, T.T.Hall, B.Borchers. Detroit (Cindy-WDEE) Pl-L.Gatlin, J.Reed, E.Harris, R.Head, T.T.Hall, B.Borchers. Eugene (Bob Wise-KEED) Pl-L.Ronstadt (MARRY), L.Anderson, M.Smith, T.Wynette, Oaks, M.Street. ... Roundup cont'd. on page 6... ... Country Club, page 12... ... LP cuts, page 13...

Roundup (cont'd. from pg. 5)

Everett/Seattle (Lee Wade-KWYZ) Pl-C.McClain, J.Shepard, Dave & Sugar, Bobby Borchers, J.Paycheck. Fargo (Donnie Roberts-KFGO) Pl-W.L.Colt, Cristy Lane, L.Anderson, Ronnie Sessions, J.Paycheck (IRS) Fayetteville (Mike Edwards-WFAI) Gns-A.Harden (24-16), F.Fender (34-23). Pl-B.Tyler, E.Arnold. Florence (Paige Ferris-WXOR) Pl-T.Wynette, J.Paycheck (IRS), Capt. & Tennille, T.T.Hall, C.Rich. Ft. Dodge (Dale Eichor-KWMT) Pl-B.Bare, R.C.Bannon, C.McClain, M.Smith, B.J.Spears. Rg-Elvis (SOFT) Ft. Worth (Scott Reese-KXOL) Fl-Oak Ridge Boys, G.Watson, S.Whipple, T.Bresh, Mel Street. Ft. Worth/Dallas (Art Davis-WEAP) Gns-F.Young (32-22). Pl-Willie Nelson (Col.), R.Anthony, D.Boone. Hanford, Ca. (Dave Bazzell-KNGS) Pl-J.Reed, L.Gatlin, E.Harris, B.Borchers, B.Bare, R.Head. Harlan, Ky. (Rob Baxter-WFSR) Pl-J.Cash, Hank Jr., S.Parton, J.Stampley, J.Fricke. Rg-S.Whipple. Hollywood (Chris Shawn-WGMA) Gns-J.Rodriguez (39-18). Pl-J.Stampley, W.Nelson (RCA), Helen & Jim Ed Houma (Les Domangue-KCIL) Gns-E.Harris (43-19). #1-G.Stewart. Pk-B.K.Perry. Pl-B.J.Spears. Houston (Joe Ladd-KIKK) Pl-Margo Smith, L.Gatlin, N.Felts. Rg-Statlers, R.Head, Bonnie Tyler. Indianapolis (Bill Robinson-WIRE) Pk-D.Boone (BABY). Pl-B.Anderson, J.Denver, F.Hart, R.Gurley. Jamestown (Mark Peterson-KSJB) Pl-M.Smith, B.K.Perry, S.Whipple, M.Street, R.McDowell. Rg-S.Linton. Kansas City (Ted Cramer-WDAF) Gns-W.Nelson (14-3) (RCA), M.Gilley (24-18). Deb-C.Rich (21). Kennewick (Doug Allen-KOTY) Deb-J.L.Lewis (17). Pl-B.Luman, Oak Ridge Boys, T.Bresh. Rg-D.Lee. Kingsville (Gordon K.Marcy-KINE) Deb-J.Stampley (28), Rex Jr. (29), M.Gilley (30). Pl-J.Fricke. Lansing (Wayne Waters-WITL) Gns-M.Haggard (17-10). Pl-Margo Smith, Eddy Arnold. Rg-J.Paycheck(both) Las Vegas (Johnny Steele-KRAM) Pl-T.Jennings, Pete & Anthony, B.Stevens, S.Whipple, C.Rich. Lockhart (John Hood-KCIT) Pl-Bert Colwell, R.Sessions, W.Cagle, Dalsy Dillman Bd., D.Ellington. Lockhart (John Hood-KCIT) Pl-Bert Colwell, R.Sessions, W.Cagle, Dalsy Dillman Bd., D.Ellington Roundup (cont'd. from pg. 5) Lockhart (John Hood-KCLT) Pl-Bert Colwell, R.Sessions, W.Cagle, Daisy Dillman Bd., D.Ellington.

Los Angeles (Cathy Hahn-KLAC) Gns-J.Fricke (39-29). Pl-Jerry Reed, Roy Head, J.Paycheck (both).

Lynchburg (Cory Dennison-WBRG) Pl-Larry Booth, J.Howard, M.K.Place, Oaks, J.Paycheck (IRS).

Manitowoc (Bob Irish-WCUB) Deb-Dave & Sugar (21), D.McBride (24), C.Lane (27). Pl-B.J.Spears.

Medford (Nick Jaggstone-KSHA) Deb-B.Gentry (29), D.McBride (30). Pl-L.Gatlin, N.Stuckey, C.Lane.

Memphis (Hal Jay-WMC) Pl-Oak Ridge Boys, E.Harris, Cristy Lane, Margo Smith. Rq-T.Wynette.

Miami (Ron Tatar-WWOK) Gns-J.Denver (19-10). Deb-J.Paycheck (24) (IRS), L.Gatlin (26). Pl-E.Harris.

Milwaukee (Ken Rice-WBCS) Pl-S.Allanson, G.Stewart, M.Gilley, W.Nelson (RCA), Janie Fricke.

Minneapolis (Gregg Lindahl-WDGY) Gns-J.Cash (21-15), Dolly (23-18). Pl-C.Rich, Debby Boone (BABY).

Missoula (Jack Lundy-KCRZ) Gns-E.Harris (34-27). Pl-L.Gatlin, J.Reed, C.Rich, B.J.Spears.

Mobile (Bill Robbins-WKSJ) Gns-D.Williams (20-5), Statlers (39-19), J.Fricke (38-20). Pl-L.Gatlin.

Modesto (Kenny Roberts-KTRB) Gns-J.Wallace (23-17). Pl-E.Clapton, Willie (Col.), Rex Jr., C.Rich.

Monroe (Rob Williams-KNOE) Pl-B.J.Spears, T.T.Hall, J.Howard, C.McClain, Steve Wariner.

Montgomery (Diane Brennan-WBAM) Pl-Ken Matthews, T.Wynette, Bellamy Bros., F.Hard, L.Anderson.

Nashville (Dale Turner-WKDA) Pl-T.Wynette, S.Whipple, B.K.Perry, Beverly Heckel, C.Hunley. Montgomery (Diane Brennan-WBAM) Pl-Ken Matthews, T.Wynette, Bellamy Bros., F.Hard, L.Anderson.
Nashville (Dale Turner-WKDA) Pl-T.Wynette, S.Whipple, B.K.Perry, Beverly Heckel, C.Hunley.

- - (Mary Catherine-WSM) Deb-B.J.Spears (37), N.Felts (39). Pl-M.Smith, R.Barlow, B.Anderson.
Natchez (Bob Cupit-WNAT) Pl-T.Jennings, Claude Gray, Sonny Wright, B.Anderson, Mel Street.

New York (Ed Salamon-WHN) Pl-Bonnie Tyler, Jerry Lee Lewis, Mickey Gilley, Statler Brothers.

Oakland (Bob Guerra-KNEW) Pl-Narvel Felts, Charlie Rich, Dave & Sugar, Larry Gatlin.

Orlando (Mike Burger-WHOO) Gns-S.Parton (35-29). Pk-Bill Anderson. Pl-R.C.Bannon, Margo Smith.

Oshkosh (Doug Lane-WYTL) Pl-F.Hart, T.Wynette, Dale McBride, S.Parton, J.Paycheck (IRS), Dave & S.

Ottawa (Alden Weatherbie-KOFO/AM) Gns-C.Lane (19-13). Pl-Eric Clapton, Dottsy, Susie Allanson.

Panama City (John Dunaway-WPAP/FM) Gns-S.James (28-18). Pl-Del Reeves, Bellamy Bros., B.Goldsboro.

Pascagoula (Larry Hester-WGUD) Pl-J.Adrian, Don Schlitz, Atl. Rhy.Sec., Jan Howard, G.Watson.

Phoenix (Terry Black-KJJJ) Pl-B.Anderson, Mel Street, L.Anderson, S.Smith, L. Wickham.

- - (John Buchanan-KNIX) Gns-T.G.Sheppard (19-13). Deb-G.Stewart (39). Pl-Margo Smith, B.Anderson.

Port Arthur (Dick Davis-KYKR) Pl-J.Chesnut, Oak Ridge Boys, R.Falls, J.Paycheck (JUG), M.Wiseman. Phoenix (Terry Black-ROJJ) PI-B-Anderson, MeI Street, Relations in Michael Manager Michael South Bend (Tom Sidwell-WJVA) Gns-Statlers (30-15), J.Cash (36-25). Pl-Jim Ed & Helen, Willie (Col.)

Stevens Point (Pat Martin-WXVQ) Deb-B.Tyler, G.Stewart (27), D.Gibson (28), Dottsy (29).

Tacoma (Russ Riley-KMO) Pl-M.Smith, B.Anderson, T.Wynette, Mel Street, Earl Scruggs Revue.

Thibodaux (Rick Luquette-KTIB) Pk-D.Boone (both), Oak Ridge Boys, Margo Smith, Mel Street.

Thief River Falls (Jim Olson-KTRF) Deb-Don Gibson (20). Pl-S.Posey, J.Holm. Rq-Rains & Harris.

Toledo (Bob Pepas-WTOD) Pl-Mel Street, E.Arnold, C.McClain, Oak Ridge Boys, Tammy Wynette.

Toronto (Joe LeFresne-CFGM) Deb-J.Cash (19). Pl-Sonny James, Carroll Baker, Family Brown.

Tucson (Tim Tyler-KIKX) Pl-L.Gatlin, M.Smith, K.Starr, J.Fricke, E.Harris, J.L.Lewis, B.Tyler.

Tulsa (Fran Couch-KTOW) Pl-S.Parton, Willie Nelson (Col.), R.Anthony. Rq-M.Wiseman, L.Gatlin.

- (Billy Parker-KVOO) Pl-Oak Ridge Boys, Tom Bresh, Mel Street, R.C.Bannon. Rq-Bellamy Bros.

Twin Falls (Carl R.Raida-KLIX) Pl-L.Booth, D.Bowman, F.Hart, S.Whipple, B.J.Spears. Rq-Peggy Sue.

Victoria (Marvin Paul-KNAL) Pl-G.Hamilton IV, Kathy Barnes, Margo Smith, Charly McLain, L.Gatlin.

Waco (Ray Welch-KKIK) Gns-Paul Craft (37-17). Pl-M.Macgregor, Bellamy Bros., T.Jennings, B.Bare.

Washington, D.C. (Chris Dullett-WPIK/WXRA) Gns-T.T.Hall (36-27), E.Arnold (37-28), G.Watson (39-29)

West Palm Beach (Jim Howie-WIRK/FM) Gns-D.Rogers (24-12). Pl-J.Denver, M.Smith, Del Reeves.

Wheeling (Bob Berry-WWVA) Gns-S.Posey (27-23). Pl-B.Borchers, B.Anderson, J.W.Ryles, M.Smith.

Wichita (Don Walton-KFDI) Gns-M.Newbury (30-20). Pk-Sammi Smith. Pl-T.Bresh, F.Hart, M.Earwood.

Wolf Point (Jerry Gerke-KVCK) Gns-N.Felts (21-14). Pl-M.Montgomery, J.Howard, D.McBride.

Yakima (Jerry Wilson-KUTI) Deb-S.James (25), S.Posey (27), S.Parton (28). Pl-T.Jennings, M.Street.

Yankton (Jefferson Red-WNAX) Gns-M.Haggard (22-13). Pl-Cristy Lane, S.Parton, N.Felts, Jerry Reed.

#### Top 40 Station Reports - April 10 thru Wed. April 12 (Total Reports this week 211 - last week 223) Research Assistant - Kent Zimmerman

BONDS AWAY-Bob Weir- 15 reports (20 last week). KBLY (12), WCRO (19 to 14), WFBC (25 to 19), KZUE (21), WKLN (23), WKKY (26), WRFC (28), KRHC (29). On: KMKF, KNDE, KRIZ, KKIQ, KJCK/FM, WRJZ, WBTR/FM. Off: WANS. DANCE WITH ME-Peter Brown- 16 reports (16 last week). 99X (18), KSIQ (21), WDRQ (28). On: 96X.

Also: WCIL/FM (20 to 12), WORC (24), KROK (25), WAGQ (27). On: WBGN, WDLP, WFLB, WGNI, WONS DANCE STITM MR-Peter stown in Prepare (20), MORG (25), MAGE (27), DEL INDE, MORE, WILE, MORE, WORK (24), MORG (24) to 39, MORG (24) to 39, MORG (24), MORG (25), MORG (25), MORG (26), MORG (25), MORG (25), MORG (26), MORG (25), MORG (26), MORG (25), MORG WYRE, KAYC, KOTN. YOU'LL LOVE AGAIN-Hotel- 16 reports (20 last week). WKXX (5). On: WZZP. Also: WHHY (2), WKLN (8), WAIR (14), WCRO (24 to 18), WIGY (19), KREM (21), KOZE (24), KRLC (29). On: WBGN, WZOO, WLOF,

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\*\*ROO-Elton John- 87 reports (91 Last week). WIRQ (23), KRSP (24), WMAK (28), WKCX (30). On: WEBQ, WFEZ, WCXI, WZZF, KING, KJR, KTAC, KTA. Also: KEZF (17), WFEG (28 to 21), WBTR/FM (28 to 22), WAGQ (29 to 23), WZTQ (29 to 24), KYCJ (25), WIGY (25), Q107 (25), KOFM (27), KRIQ (27), WFRC (27), KNDE (28), KYLT (28), KYCQ (28), KGAL (28), etc. Off: WFEC.

DISCO INFERNO-Trammpa- 94 reports (87 last week). WFRO/FM (4), RRTH (1), 99X (12), WBRQ (16),

KFRC (17), KLIV (23 to 18), WRKO (19), WQXI (20), KHJ (21), WIFI (21), 293 (29 to 23), 139 (23),

TENQ (23), WBBF (24), WGCL (25), WBRQ (25), WKXX (26), KTI (26), WZZZ (27), WIFE (27). On: WAYS,

WNCI, WOKY, KRSP, Also: CKOIOI (1), KROK (11 to 3), KGAL (3), WDLP (4), WMKE (7), KYNO (3), etc.

\*\*BABY HOLD ON-Eddie Money- 102 reports (95 Last week). 94Q (15 to 8), Z93 (14 to 9), KYA (15),

KFRC (15), WNCI (15), WAKY (15), WFEZ (16), 13Q (17), WKXX (18), KTH (19), WBBQ (19),

KFRC (17), KLIV (27 to 20), WERR (30), WMET (30). On: WOKY, KING, KJRB, Also: WKKY (2),

KRLC (8), KSTN (8), WCRO (8), WERR/FM (17 to 9), KQOT (10), WCOO (15 to 10), KSEL (21 to 11), etc.

TOO MUCH, TOO LITTLE......J. MATHIS & D. WIlliams-104 reports (77 Last week). WHEQ (4), WIFE (4),

WQXI (16 to 4), WZZP (15 to 10), WDRQ (10), KSILQ (18 to 13), KGW (24 to 16), WAYS (28 to 17),

99X (28 to 19), KLIV (27 to 20), 96X (29 to 20), WGCL (21), WKCX (29 to 23), KRTH (23),

KFRC (25), KJRB (26), WMAK (26), WMET (27), Z93 (28), WAKY (28), WCOL (30), WHIT (30), etc.

IT'S A HEARTACHE-Bonnie Tyler- 108 reports (93 Last week). 94Q (29 to 19), WMAK (27 to 21),

96X (30). On: KTAC, KFT, WFRO/FM, WAYS, TENQ, Also: KRIZ (15), KATI (23 to 19), WFRAY (77), WAS (8), KRTH (27), KRD (27), WKX (28), KRSP (28), WCOL (29),

96X (30). On: KTAC, KFT, WFRO/FM, WAYS, TENQ, Also: KRIZ (15), KATI (23 to 12), WERR (16), WREY (29), KOW (29), KOW (20), WREY (29), KOW (20), WREY

YOU'RE THE ONE THAT I WANT-J. Travolta & O. Newton-John- 163 reports (155 last week). KLIV (19 to 11), WAKY (20 to 12), KFRC (18 to 13), KFI (14), WPRO/FM (14), WQXI (25 to 15), WBBF (21 to 16), WBBQ (21 to 16), Z93 (23 to 17), 99X (17), WAYS (18), KRTH (18), WZZP (26 to 19), WCOL (26 to 20 WOKY (21), WHBQ (21), KRSP (22), WRKO (23), WMAK (28 to 23), KIOA (24), KYA (25), KING (25), etc

A Playlist Grows In Houston
In these tight playlist days, it's still news when a major station expands its list of singles and album cuts. Clay Gish, PD of KRBE-Houston, advises us that he has enlarged his playlist to 40 singles and 5 album cuts. That this was done in the middle of this important rating period may seem doubly remarkable, but, Clay says, "If you know what you're doing it doesn't matter when you do it."

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KJCK/FM-Junction City, Ks. WKKY-Pascagoula KPTL/KKBC-Carson City WKKY-Pascagoula KAOK-Lake Charles

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New Adds Depth reports on newer airplay, derived from a selected section of top 40 correspondents are listed below in regional order. Stations included may vary from week to week. Listing of any station has no relationship to its audience rating in its market.

Bangor, Mark Lawrence-WGUY- Seals & Crofts, Dolly Parton, Billy Joel. Deb: Andy Gibb, Carly Simon. Boston, Harry Nelson-WRKO- Mathis & Williams. Deb: Andy Gibb, Steely Dan, Wet Willie. Providence, Gary Berkowitz-WPRO/FM- Bonnie Tyler, Atlanta Rhythm Section. Deb: C.Mangione, A.Gibb. New York, Rich/Myzal-99X- Meatloaf, Atlanta Rhythm Section. Philadelphia, Mark Serpas-WZZD- Wings, Diana Ross, Peter Brown. <u>Deb</u>: Elton John, A.R.S., G.Lightft. Charlotte, Roy Rosen-WAYS- Bonnie Tyler, Jimmy Buffett, Eric Clapton. <u>Deb</u>: A.Gibb, Wings. Augusta, Bruce Stevens-WBBQ- Capt. & Tennille, Roger Voudouris. <u>Deb</u>: A.Gibb, G.Benson, Player. Atlanta, Dale O'Brien-Z93- Carly Simon, Abba, Barry Manilow, Paul Davis. <u>Deb</u>: A. Gibb, B.Tyler. Jacksonville, Paul Sebastian-WAPE- Mathis & Williams. Deb: Flack & Hathaway, A.Gibb, M.Zager. Miami, Jack Forsythe-96X- Travolta & Olivia, Warren Zevon, Bonnie Tyler, Peter Brown. Montgomery, Lanny West-WHHY- Paul Davis, Carly Simon, Andy Gibb, Abba. <u>Deb</u>: Steely Dan, Meatloaf. New Orleans, Marc Sommers-WNOE- Kongas, Chuck Mangione, Abba, R.Palmer, Michael Zager, Genesis. Memphis, John Long-WHBQ- A.R.S., Chuck Mangione, Warren Zevon, Celebration. Deb: Wings. Knoxville, Bob Kaghan-WRJZ- Andy Gibb, Trammps, Michael Johnson. Deb: W.Zevon, Sweet, Travolta/O. Nashville, Bruce Sherman-92Q- Mathis & Williams, Eddie Money, Rod Stewart. Deb: Styx, Player. Lexington, Jim Jordan-WVLK- Player, Mathis & Williams, Bonnie Tyler, Eddie Money. Deb: Elton John. Indianapolis, Jerry Steele-WIFE- John Denver, Saul Cassidy, Elvis (SOFTLY). Deb: G.Cotton. Columbus, Dave Bishop-WCOL- Bonnie Tyler, Mathis & Williams. Pittsburgh, Patti Sullivan-13Q- Andy Gibb. <u>Deb</u>: Billy Joel, Sweet, J.Starship.
Lansing, Tim Kelly-WILS- Eddie Money, Billy Joel, Heart, Mathis & Williams. <u>Deb</u>: Wings, Trammps.
Milwaukee, Jim Smith-WOKY- Sweet, Trammps, Warren Zevon, Player. Des Moines, Gary Stevens-KIOA- Chuck Mangione, J.Starship, Travolta/Olivia, A.R.Section. Tulsa, Dr. Don-KAKC- Mike Finnigan, George Benson, Michael Johnson, Sweet. <u>Deb</u>: L.Skynyrd, Player. Austin, Bill Mayne-KNOW- Shaun Cassidy, Mathis & Williams, Andy Gibb. <u>Deb</u>: Parliament, Wings. Austin, Bill Mayne-KNOW- Snaun Cassidy, Mathis & Williams, Andy Gibb. Deb: Parliament, Wings. Houston, Clay Gish-KRBE- C.Mangione, Flack & Hathaway, Trammps, Sweet, J.Starship, Patti Smith. El Paso, Tim Paige-KELP- Bonnie Tyler, Warren Zevon, Travolta/Olivia, Wet Willie, Michael Johnson. Salt Lake City, Lorraine Winegar-KRSP- Trammps, Mathis & Williams, Carly Simon, Andy Gibb. San Diego, Nina Gomez-KCBQ- Mathis & Williams, Chuck Mangione, Patti Smith, Warren Zevon, Carly S. Los Angeles, Eric Chase-KFI- Gerry Rafferty, Barry Manilow. Deb: Andy Gibb, Trammps, Rubicon. Fresno, John Berry-KYNO- Billy Joel, Andy Gibb, George Benson, Bonnie Tyler, Tower of Power. San Francisco, Dave Sholin-KFRC- Carly Simon, Wings (ENOUGH-LP cut). Deb: Heart, A.Gibb. - - Rick Scott-KYA- A.R. Section, Andy Gibb, Heart, Mathis & Williams. Deb: Wings, C. Mangione. Stockton, David Kraham-KJOY- Carly Simon, Garland Jeffries & Phoebe Snow, Seals & Crofts. Sacramento, Jeff Hunter-KNDE- Jimmy Buffett, G.Rafferty, Cont. Minatures, Carly Simon, Queen. Eugene, Richard Harker-KBDF- Sweet, Carly Simon. Deb: Jefferson Starship, Travolta/Olivia, E.Money. Portland, Terry Danner-KGW- Natalie Cole, Flack/Hathaway, Warren Zevon, Rod Stewart. Deb: Wings. -- Michael O'Brien-KPAM- Trammps, Carly Simon, Andy Gibb, Mathis & Williams, G.Benson, S.Dan. Seattle, Tracy Mitchell-KJR- Andy Gibb, Mathis & Williams, Gerry Rafferty. Deb: S.Dan, Heart. - - Robin Mitchell-KYYX- Sweet (nites), Mathis & Williams, Eruption, Jimmy Buffett. <u>Deb</u>: Heart. Spokane, Tom Hutyler-KJRB- Carly Simon, Gerry Rafferty, Player. <u>Deb</u>: Heart, B.Tyler, Travolta/O.

Beaumont, Paul King-KAYC- Elvis Presley Victoria, Gary Steele-KVIC- Abba San Antonio, Wayne Shane-KZ100- Eddie Money - - Scott Christianson-KTSA- #2-Heatwave Corpus Christi, John Stealy-KRYS- Styx - - Robert A.-KEYS- \*Andy Gibb Laredo, Joe Ruiz-KLAR- Patti Smith Group Odessa, Ron Harper-KRIG- Juice Newton - - Mark Rivers-KOZA- Sea Level San Angelo, Curt Lancaster-KGKL- \*George Benson Coos Bay, Dave Lee-KYNG- Dan Fogelberg Lubbock, John Steele-KSEL- #11-Eddie Money - Mark Conway-KLBK- Player El Paso, Rish Wood-KINT- #7-Bee Gees (W) Albuquerque, Debi Hines-KRKE- Celebration Phoenix, Greg Mills-KRUX- Andrew Gold Show Low, Chip Stanley-KVSL- Styx Pueblo, Rip Avina-KDZA- Sweet Denver, Ed Greene-KIMN- #9-Gene Cotton Colorado Springs, Marc McCoy-KYSN- #10-Styx Casper, Donna Foxx-KATI- Heart Las Vegas, Steve Sommers-KENO- Player - Dave Van Stone-KLUC- Travolta/Olivia San Diego, Michele Pettis-KMJC- Andy Gibb Anaheim, Larry Groves-KEZY- A.R.S. Los Angeles, Denise Gorman-K100- Carly Simon - John Driscoll-TEN-Q- #8-ELO - John Sebastian-KHJ- #13-Wings Bob Hamilton-KRTH/FM- Carly Simon - Sherman Cohen-KIIS/FM- Randy Newman Whittier, Jay Loughrin-KRHC- Kayak San Bernardino, Mitch Montrose-KFXM- #1-Dan & C. Santa Barbara, Dick Williams-KIST- Celebration Santa Maria, Johnny Dixon-KCl48- Capt. & Tenn. San Luis Obispo, John Tobin-KSLY- G.Rafferty Bakersfield, Pete Shannon-KERN- Carly Simon Fresno, Dan Spears-KFYE- Virgin Modesto, Ralph Chavez-KFIV- Tower of Power Salinas, A.J.Roberts-KDON- Seals & Crofts

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esley San Jose, Paul Wells-KSJO- The Rutles - - Ralph Koal-KLIV- Steely Dan Livermore, Steve O'Neil-KKIQ- Airwaves Stockton, Dave Morgan-KSTN- \*Patti Smith Sacramento, Kris Mitchell-KROY- Trammps Yuba City, Jason Fine-KOBO- Linda Ronstadt Redding, John Stall-KSXO- Genesis Arcata, Len Jarvela-KATA- Bob Marley Medford, R.E.Lucas-KYJC- Seals & Crofts Eugene, Bill Dudley-KASH- The Rutles Lebanon, Bob Donovan-KGAL- The Rutles Portland, Karen Knight-KYTE- Trammps Hoquiam, Steve Larson-KGHO- Wet Willie Kelso, Jay McCrae-KLOG- Player Tacoma, Bruce Cannon-KTAC- A.R. Section Seattle, Frank Colbourn-FM/KVI- \*Gene Cotton - - Tom McKay-KING- Heart Mt. Vernon, Jim Allen-KBRC- \*Al Martino Yakima, Brady Layman-KQOT- #14-Meatloaf Tri-Cities, Tom Mann-KALE- Patti Smith Group Spokane, Jim Hill-KREM- Wet Willie Boise, Charlie Fox-KFXD- Eddie Money Lewiston, Wes McShay-KOZE- Meatloaf - - Steve MacKelvie-KRLC- Airwaves Moscow, Gary Cummings-KRPL- Airwaves Missoula, Vern Argo-KYLT- Gerry Rafferty Helena, Bobby Rivers-KCAP- Ronnie Montrose Bozeman, Dennis Nichols-KBOZ- Heart Great Falls, John Walton-KEIN- Seals & Crofts - Don Nordine-KQDI- Michael Johnson Billings, Allen Moos-KOOK- Wet Willie - - Jack Bell-KYYA- A.R. Section Anchorage, Brian Christian-KANC-- - - Tony Mitchell-KENI- \*Fotomaker Vancouver, Paul McKnight-CKLG- #9-Wings Toronto, John Terminesi-CHUM- Warren Zevon Thunder Bay, B.M.Dean-CKPR- \*Eddie Money

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Eugene (Vicky Larson-KUGN) Rubicon/D. Boone (GOD KNOWS)/Skyliners. Calls: Tuxedo Junction/Wings.

Everett (Robert O'Brien-KRKO) Dara Sedaka/Seals & Crofts/W. Nelson. Gains: Mangione/Cole/Raydio.

Fitchburg (Chuck Morgan-WEIM) Gibb/Carly Simon/Capt. & Tennille/Meco. Calls: Rutles/W. Zevon.

Flint (Ken Myers-WTRX) Tavares/Joel/Browne/Earth, Wind & Fire/Gibb/O'Jays/Benson. Gains: Dan & C.

Grand Rapids (Doc Donovan-WLAV) Gains: Flack & Hathaway/Atlanta Rhy. Sec./Wings/Benson/Mathis & Wms.

Green Bay (Jim Trotter-WNFL) Macgregor/Rubicon/D. Boone (BABY). Gains: Starship/P. Simon/E.L.O.

Helena (Harley Dee-KBLL) Abba/Rafferty/McGrath/Bruce Roberts/Denver. Gains: Steely Dan/Bonoff.

Honolulu (Bernie Armstrong-KGU) Parton/Gibb/Odyssey/Carly Simon/War/Atlanta Rhythm Section.

Hopewell (John Harper-WHAP) Seals & Crofts/Steely Dan/Gibb. Gains: Benson/Player/Wings/E.L.O.

Houston (Chuck Buell-KULF) Chuck Mangione/Yvonne Elliman. Most Active: Cole/Rawls/Benson. A - C Correspondents' Reports - continued from Page 3. Hopewell (John Harper-WHAP) Seals & Crofts/Steely Dan/Gibb. Gains: Benson/Player/Wings/E.L.U.
Houston (Chuck Buell-KULF) Chuck Mangione/Yvonne Elliman. Most Active: Cole/Rawls/Benson.
- - - (John Jenkins-KXYZ) E. Money/B. Tyler/Bee Gees (WOMAN)/Travolta & Olivia.

Jefferson City (Mike Schaefer-KJMO) Gibb/P. Simon/Steely Dan/MacGregor/Celebration. Gains: Dan & C.
Kansas City (Steve Bell-KMBZ) S. Lawrence/Pure Prarie League/Meco/L. Gatlin/T.G. Sheppard/D. Ross.
Keene (Sandy Ellsworth-WKNE) Wings/M. Johnson/Airwaves/C. Simon. Gains: Benson/Mathis & Wms./Cole.
Kingston (Bruce Conklin-WGHQ) Gains: Flack & Hathaway/Dan & Coley/Lightfoot/Jefferson Starship.
Klamath Falls (Jim Howe-KAGO) Reddy/Benson/Tuxedo Junction/Seals & Crofts/Abba/Gibb/Humperdinck.
Lincoln (Cathy Rlythe-KFOR) Roone (both)/Abba/Seals & Crofts/Reddy. Gains: Parton/Starship. Lincoln (Cathy Blythe-KFOR) Boone (both)/Abba/Seals & Crofts/Reddy. Gains: Parton/Starship.

Lincoln (Ron Dean-KLIN) Atlanta Rhy. Sec./Boone (GOD KNOWS)/Castle/Barrow/Bellamy Bros./S. & Crofts

Los Angeles (Michale Sheehy-KNX/FM) Carly Simon (single & LP)/Genesis/Seals & Crofts.

- - (Tess Russell & Jane Hassler-KMPC) J. Starship/Mangione/N. Cole/Travolta & Olivia. Louisville (Jerry Melloy-WHAS) Andy Gibb/Steely Dan. Gains: Mathis & Williams. Macon (Steve Murphy-WMAZ) Gains: Flack & Hathaway/Raydio/Gayle/Welch/Starship/Atlanta Rhy. Section.
Manchester (Bob Kennedy-WKER) D. Boone (BABY)/Benson/Capt. & Tennille. Gains: Parton/Gold/Kansas.
Marion (Jim Roberts-WDIF) D. Boone (BABY)/Atlanta Rhy. Section/Robert Palmer. Gains: Valentine. Mason City (Steve Locker-KGLO) Wings/Player/Benson/Boone (BABY)/Tuxedo Junction/Castle.
Miami Beach (Rick Peters-WWL) Manhattan Transfer/Gibb. Gains: Wings/Starship/Player/Gayle. miami Beach (Rick Feters-wwwL) Manhattan Transfer/Gibb. Saint. Wings/Statiship/Lagory-Missoula (Van Wagoner-KGVO) Steely Dan/Reddy/Rubicon/Seals & Crofts. Gains: W. Nelson/Simon. Mobile (Dick Hylton-WMOB) B. Tyler/Bros. Johnson/Elvis/Edwards & Ralph/Boone (BABY). Monterey (Scott O'Brien-KMBY) Airwaves/Gibb/C. Simon/Benson/Abba/Mathis & Williams.
Monterey (Melinda Roberts-KWAV) C. Gayle/Seals & Crofts/S. Sang. Gains: Gates/Kansas/Flack & H. Nashville (Mary Catherine-WSM) Capt. & Tennille/D. Ross/Gibb/Paul Simon.
- - (Gerry House-WSIX) Gatlin/LaBounty/Capt. & Tennille. Gains: Reddy/Boone (BABY). Newport (Denny Pace-KNPT) Carly Simon/Denver/Cassidy/Steve Lawrence. Northfield (Mike Wrubel-KYMN) Rafferty/Capt. & Tennille/Denver/Genesis/Jeff Fenhult/Bruce Cockburn.
Odessa (Dave Prescott-KQIP) Wings/Capt. & Tennille/Starland Vocal Band. Gains: Kansas/Cotton.
Olympia (Dick Pust-KGY) Macgregor/Cole/Newman/Martino/Boone (both). Calls: Elvis/Travolta & Olivia.
Osburn (Dave Nesbitt-KWAL) Joel/Reddy/Gibb/Benson/Rafferty. Calls: Tyler/Rogers & West. Ottumwa (Art Morris-KBIZ) Seals & Crofts/Edwards & Ralph/Denver/McCoy/Goldsboro/Robert John.
Paducah (J. Erick Foreman-WDXR) Reddy/Skyliners/Wings/Gibb/Atlanta Rhythm Section. Gains: A. Gold. Pendleton (Bob Walker-KTIX) Virgin/A. Gibb. Gains: Starship/Flack & Hathaway/Heatwave/Gold.
Philadelphia (Jim Lloyd-WIP) Manilow (EVEN NOW)/Benson. Gains: Jefferson Starship.
Pittsburgh (Chuck Brinkman-WTAE) Atlanta Rhythm Section/Mathis & Williams. Gains: Abba/Tyler/Wings. Pittsburgh (Chuck Brinkman-WTAE) Atlanta Rhythm Section/Mathis & Williams. Gains: Abba/Tyler/Wings. Portland, Me. (Marji Cyr-Adams-WGAN) Parton/W. Nelson/Atlanta Rhythm Section. Gains: Rubicon. Portland, Ore. (Bob Swanson-KEX) Parton/Gibb/M. Johnson/Seals & Crofts/A. Gold (NEVER). Providence (Joe Thomas-WJAR) C. Simon/Valentine/Pat Boone/Bros. Johnson. Gains: Wings/Mathis & Wms. Pueblo (Ken Harthoorn-KCSJ) Gibb/Boone (both)/Paul Simon. Gains: Gates/Manilow. Racine (Bob Cook-WRJN) Wings/Flack & Hathaway/Conti. Gains: Manilow/Cole/Travolta & Olivia. Reno (Mike Haggerty-KOLO) Carly Simon/Abba/Rafferty/Airwaves/Tuxedo Junction. Gains: Mangione. Richmond (Bob Ridle-WRVA) Olivia & Travolta/Seals & Crofts/Wings. Gains: Mathis & Wms./Lightfoot. Rochester (Kim David-KROC) Player/Macgregor/Melanie/Newman/Joel/Benson.
Rock Springs (Rod Tucker-KRKK) Tuxedo Junction/Parton/Benson/Reddy/Castle. Gains: Clapton/A. Gold. Rumford (Mike Breton-WRUM) Seals & Crofts/Gibb/N. Cole/Reddy/Styx. Gains: Macgregor/Kansas. Sacramento (D. Darin & L. Kirk-KCRA) Macgregor/Seals & Crofts. Calls: Wings/A. Gold/Flack & H. Saginaw (Rick Belcher-WSGW) Michael Johnson/Bill LaBounty. Gains: Ward/Clapton/Flack & H./Kansas. Salt Lake City (Flo Wineriter-KSL) Rubicon/Reddy/Macgregor. Salt Lake City (Flo Wineriter-KSL) Rubicon/Reddy/Macgregor. St. Joseph (Mathew/O'Neil-KSFT) Wings/A. Clarke. Gains: Rubicon/Mangione/Dan & Coley.

St. Louis (Bob Osborne-KMOX) M. Johnson/Dara Sedaka/Garfunkel/Denver/Toby Beau/Andy Gibb.

- - (Ed Scarborough-KSD) Tavares/Olivia & Travolta. Gains: Wings/Kansas/Bee Gees (ALIVE).

San Francisco (Don Hofmann-KSFO) Bonnie Tyler/Seals & Crofts/Travolta & Olivia. Santa Rosa (Jerry Johnson-KSRO) Tuxedo Junction/Juice Newton/Meatloaf. Gains: Mangione/Gold/Cole. Schenectady (Lee Fowler-WGY) C. Simon/Capt. & Tennille/M. Johnson/Joel/Gibb. Gains: Wings/Player. Scranton (Chris Norton-WEJL) Bee Gees (WOMAN)/Parton/Travolta & Olivia/C. Simon/Macgregor. Seattle (Carol Stripling-KVI) B. Tyler/Abba/Benson. Gains: Wings/Mathis & Wms./Player. - - (Dick Cross-KOMO) Tom Jones/H. Reddy/W. Nelson/Rogers & West/Boone (BABY)/Edwards & Ralph. Sharon (Jack Taylor-WPIC) Gains: Bee Gees (FEVER)/Parton/Player/Macgregor/Elliman/Lightfoot.

Spokane (Chuck Harmon-KXLY) Denver/Flack & Hathaway/Parton/New Markettes. Gains: Macgregor/Wings. Spokane (Chuck Harmon-KXLY) Denver/Flack & Hathaway/Parton/New Markettes. Gains: Macgregor/Wings. Toledo (Leah Myers-WSPD) Conti/Gibb/Spyro Gyra/Clarke/Skyliners/Fogelberg/LaBounty/Capt. & Tennille Tri Cities (Ed Ray-KORD) D. Parton/Capt. & Tennille/Garfunkel. Gains: Dan & Coley/C. Gayle/Money. Tulare (Chuck Carson-KCOK) D. Fargo/Capt. & Tennille/Hudson & Judson. Gains: Parton/Tuxedo Junction Tulsa (Don Bishop-KRMC) Atlanta Rhy. Section/Boone (GOD KNOWS)/Manilow (COPA)/M. Johnson. Tyler (Brad Houston-KTBB) Capt. & Tennille/Joel/Boone/Tuxedo Junction/Earth, Wind & Fire. Vacaville (Matt Steiger-KUIC) Browne/Sang/Airwaves/Jeffries & Snow/W. Nelson/Capt. & Tennille. Wahpeton (Chris Delaney-KBMW) LaBounty/Seals & Crofts/Edwards & Ralph/Travolta & Olivia. Warwick (Dick Wells-WTBQ) Gibb/Abba/Rafferty/Seals & Crofts/Airwaves/Tuxedo Junction/Reddy/Benson. Warwick (Dick Wells-WTBQ) Gibb/Abba/Rafferty/Seals & Crofts/Airwaves/Tuxedo Junction/Reddy/Benson. Washington (Bonnie Smith-WMAL) Gibb/Carly Simon/Abba/Capt. & Tennille/Jefferson Starship. - - (Bob Duckman-WASH) Michael Johnson/George Benson. Gains: Tyler/B. Joel.
Wausau (Chuck Williams-WSAU) Gibb/Egan/Fogelberg/McCrarys. Gains: J. Ward/Castle/McDaniel. West Palm Beach (Russ Morley-WJNO) Elvis (both). Gains: Heatwave/Parton/Humperdinck.
Wichita (Jack Oliver-KAKE) Travolta & Olivia/Tyler/Reddy/Atlanta Rhy. Sec./Boone (GOD KNOWS).
Yakima (Frank Taylor-KMWX) Denver/Reddy/Capt. & Tennille/Atlanta Rhythm. Section/C. Simon.



### Inside Progressive Radio (by George Meier, Editor of Walrus)

For us progressives, the most exciting moments in recent weeks have been provided by several new wave artists. The fresh breeze they blow through stale rock and roll air is exhilarating.

Elvis Costello's new LP is even better than his first. It is filled with super songs as it restates the basic rock and roll premise. His producer and the man pushing many of the artistic buttons in this music is Nick Lowe, who has his own new LP. It's title, Pure Pop For Now People implies his sly wit. His music follows suit.

Also from the street school of rock music is the latest issuance of the Patti Smith Group.

This avant poetess has combined with Bruce Springsteen to write what may be the song of the year called "BEFORE THE NIGHT". Don't miss it.

Disappointing is the Wings album. Unfortunately, everything they do is compared to Band On The Run. This LP is nice enough, but it has none of the dynamic tension generated by its predecessor.

Several points of note include Loudon Wainwright's new album in which he updates his sound by hardening the accompaniment. John Hall is notable because he steps into the solo spotlight - having left Orleans - with a few smashing songs. Also, for mediaphiles especially, the subtle insanity spun by Proctor & Bergman in their comedy is memorable.

Finally, on the pop R&B side, a new group called 7th Wonder sparks the memory with a gregarious, up-beat, post-Motown collection of fine songs. Look for them.

#### Gavin's Gab

Flip in Fargo
KQWB-Fargo went 24-hours April 14th and with 5000 directional watts at night, the Midwest Radio station expects to cover much of the Northwest, West and Rocky Mountain states. Governor Arthur Link and Congressman Mark Andrews of Idaho taped tributes which ran the first 24-hours, along with other celebrity greetings, cash and album giveaways. The new lineup includes six new additions, four of whom are from rival KVOX. Dan Collins, from WAXC-Rochester, 6-9 AM, John Messenger from KVOX, 9-12 PM, Rick Morgan, ex-KVOX, 12-3 PM, Bob Denver, P.D., 3-6 PM, B.J. Daniels from KKOA-Minot, 6-10 PM, Dr. John Winston, 10 - 2 AM, Peggy Mason, ex-KVOX, 2-6 AM and Shaun Mitchell, weekends, also from KVOX. The news director is Mark Swartzell from KFYR-Bismarck. Midwest Radio also owns Q98/FM-Moorhead and WEBC-Duluth.

Concern-Muscular Dystrophy-Easter Seals

Jocks at many stations have outdanced, outwalked and out-talked themselves in the wave of benefits for various charities over the past few weeks. WCIR-Beckley, W.Va., raised \$21,000 for Muscular Dystrophy with a 24-hour dance marathon April 7-8. Dwayne Bonds said they established a record for the largest amount raised in their three-state district. KENO-Las Vegas raised \$16,000 for Easter Seals with a dance-athon at the Aladdin Hotel April 1-2. WYIG-Jackson's "Walk for Mankind" raised \$90,000 for Project Concern; almost 4000 walkers participated in the 30 kilometer walk. KEWI-Topeka put together a "Unathon" for Easter Seals which combined into one event, a 24 hour dance-athon, a Chili Cook-off, a Tall Tale Telling contest and a parade. KAKE-Wichita sponsored the "World's Largest Garage Sale" the last weekend in April, inviting

50 non-profit organizations to set up booths in the local 4-H building.

During the Easter Seals Telethon in Cincinnati, WKRC Music Director Vance Dillard spent 27 hours in a mini-house, suspended 100 feet in the air by a crane. A local realtor sponsored the event, pledging to sell one home for every hour Vance stayed in the air. His meals were donated by area restaurants and were sent up by rope pulley and, of course, he broadcast reports and a Sunday morning show from the hut. It rocked with fifteen to thirty mile-per-hour winds much of the time he was in it however, and during a rain and lightning storm, Dillard's dorm had to be brought down. The realtor sold 46 homes and donated to Easter Seals, \$100 for each one sold. An on-the-air auction of the cottage brought in an additional \$500.

Orangutans on the Road
WJDX-Jackson has followed up its phenomenally successful "Zoo Day" on April 1st with its equally entertaining "Mystery Bank Caper." Listeners guess the identities of certain depositors of the American Bank in Clinton, over a ten day period this month. The depositors are well-known people in the area, and clues are released regularly by the station. The person who guesses the list of names in order wins three minutes in the Bank's vault to carry out up to \$5000, with a guaranteed \$2500 going in. Tom Daniels adds the proceeds from WJDX Zoo Day more than allowed the station to buy two orangutans instead of one for the Jackson City Zoo. The couple is enroute from a South American jungle.

...And the Promotions just keep on comin'...
"George Harrison didn't succeed in uniting the Beatles for Greenpeace but KASH-Eugene did," says
Bill Dudley. The excitement generated by a widely-publicized, false report that the Beatles
would get together for a Los Angeles concert, was captured in Eugene all last week. The station
played two Beatles hits every hour and gave away anthologies. Participants donated \$2 each to
Greenpeace.

Clay Gish at KRBE-Houston reports the station is only four weeks into its "Say It and Win" contest and has already received 10-15,000 entries for the over \$100,000 in cash and prizes.

KEYS-Corpus Christi is making a big hit among high school students with its "KEYS Cash Box" promotion, running throughout April. Every afternoon after classes, the treasure box is taken to a school where students select and try keys that may open it. The winning key-holder receives the treasure—albums, cash and other prizes. The drive for wider contact with students of the city is proving very successful.

Another promising promotion for teens comes from WPRO/FM-Providence. Junior high and high school students have been asked to vote for their favorite principal, with unlimited votes per person allowed. The winner of the "Principal of the Year Election" will vacation in Los Angeles and San Francisco for a week while the winner's school will get a dance concert by Tavares in mid-

May. Do the losers have to go to the dance?

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We're looking forward to seeing many of our country correspondents in St. Louis May 6 & 7 for our regional conference at the Marriott. As other country stations have discovered in past Gavin Regionals, these meetings cover many vital areas of radio that transcend all formats. Ratings, news, promotion, interdepartmental relationships, engineering, the FCC and many other non-music ideas are discussed at every Regional. For full information see page 14, or give us a call. Meet us in St. Louis.

Loretta Lynn, Conway Twitty and Jane Olivor will entertain more than 1000 guests when Joan Mondale, wife of the Vice-President, receives the Recording Industry Association of America's Tenth Annual Cultural Award at a dinner April 18 in the International Ballroom of the Washington Hilton Hotel. Mrs. Mondale will be honored for her support of the arts and her encouragement of new performing and graphic artists. Members of the Administration, the Senate, the House of Representatives, and the heads of Federal agencies are expected to attend.

WJJK-Eau Claire, on the air since January with a modern country format, is wrapped up in its Country Wagon promotion. In addition to cash giveaways in excess of \$1400 so far, the contest will climax with a drawing for an all-expense paid trip for two to Nashville. In other activities, the station recently sponsored a fund-raising dance with the Indianhead Country Citizens Band Radio Club to send four Eau Claire youths to Camp Waubeek, a rehabilitation center for the handicapped in Wisconsin Dells.

In anticipation of National Secretary Week, WIRE-Indianapolis let loose its "Magnificent Music Machine" loaded with 1000 roses April 12. The flowers were given away in one day to deserving ladies at a shopping center remote. One secretary of the day will be chosen over the next two weeks and in a final drawing, open to everyone, one secretary will win a trip for two to Puerto Rico.

KRAM-Las Vegas organized a cow chip throwing contest between its jocks and a group of stewardesses on April 15, during Henderson, Nevada's, Industrial Days. Henderson, the industrial complex of Las Vegas, holds a carnival every year but this is the first time two such distinguished teams will lock horns at the event.

The Austin Symphony Orchestra Society has prevailed upon country superstars to support the Symphony! Willie Nelson accommodated by performing at the "Waterloo Music Festival" April 8-9. WBT-Charlotte's Concert in the Park broke all previous attendance records when 10,000 people gathered at Carowinds Park to see Waylon Jennings perform.

To prove that KCKN-Kansas City is fun to live with, a couple has taken up residence in KCKN's motor home and listeners must guess how long they'll stay in order to win the \$18,000 home. The vehicle is parked above a billboard, 35 feet off the ground and will remain there for at least four, but not more than six weeks.

A local luxury car dealer just contributed a 1978 model to WJVA-South Bend's "Great American Music Game" (3/31) as grand prize, Tom Sidwell reports.

Publisher's Memo

In previous issues we presented a summary of our procedures in compiling information from our Rock, A-C, and Black Radio correspondents. What follows covers the Country section of The Gavin Report.

In 1960 we added a country music section to The Gavin Report. Thanks to friends like Steve Sholes, Chris Lane, Don Rhea, and a few others, we were able to print a few regional highlights. Later on, as our coverage grew, we could compile a representative chart. Our family of country radio correspondents has now grown to well over 100, and each week we research a minimum of 150 titles. In country research the various reports are weighted according to market importance and depth of local research. Just below our Top 30 chart, the records listed in the left hand column are actually next in line in point count, although some of them may never qualify for a number. The right hand column lists those records that "Airplay have started getting positive regional reports of sales or requests. Under minimum of 10 reports is required for a listing, with the number of the current week's mentions in parentheses after each artist's name. It should be emphasized that, because of deadline restrictions, not all of the reports listed in the "Roundup" section have been used in that week's research tabulations. These "extras" are then placed with the following week's reports. News about promotions, jobs, service needs, etc. is carried in the "Country Club" section, usually printed on page 12. Country album cuts are listed in the Album Section on page 13, reflecting the top consensus of correspondent's reports. Most heavily played cuts are underlined. Associate editor for country music is Elma Greer, formerly music director and assistant PD at KSFO-San Francisco.

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Jobs: WQYK/FM-St. Petersburg, Fla., has an opening for a newsperson. Contact Joe Patrick at 813-224-0183.

WYLL-Oshkosh, Wis., needs a 6-mid. air talent with super production skills. Great benefits. Tapes and resumes to Doug Lane, Box 1490, Zip 54901.

KTRB-Modesto, Ca., is looking for an air talent with a first and production experience. Resumes and tapes to Cal Purviance, Box 3839, Zip 95352. Phone: 209-526-8600.

Service: KRAM-Las Vegas requests service from U.A.

KSHA-Medford needs album service from all sources. They also have not received Emmylou Harris' latest single or album.

KPUB-AM/FM-Pueblo lacks album service from Capitol.

KKAA-Aberdeen would appreciate country oldies particularly pre-1973.

KCLT-Lockhart, Txz, still hasn't received the Eric Clapton single from RSO.

KSJB-Jamestown would like a copy of the Bonnie Tyler single. KRKT-Albany, Ore., needs dupes from RCA.

Changes: Laurie Karon joins WNRS-Ann Arbor as Director of Promotion. New lineup at WXOR-Florence: Bill Lawson (6-10 AM); Mark Williams from KAPS-Mt. Vernon (to 2 PM);

Paige Ferris (to 6 PM); Dutch Holland (to mid.).

Bill O'Brien at KRKT-Albany, Ore., has been promoted to Program Director.
Revised staff lineup at KMO-Tacoma: Russ Riley (6-10 AM); Bill Norton (to 3 PM); Ed Dunaway (to 7 PM); Mark Edwards (to mid.); Larry Moore (mid.-6 AM).

Music Calls: Paige Ferris, M.D., WXOR-Florence, Monday through Friday, 10 AM - 2 PM.



#### Albums of the Week (reviewed by Ron Fell)

"Shine On"-Climax Blues Band (Sire) The band that wrote "Couldn't Get It Right", finally did. They, like Fleetwood Mac, bear little music resemblance to their early blues band sound and like Mac, the Climax Blues Band can become a greater "mass attraction" just rolling with the flow created here. MAKIN' LOVE, MISTRESS MOONSHINE, and CHAMPAGNE ROCK & ROLL are mainstream,

WHATCHA FEEL fills the funk quota and TEARDROPS is good blues/rocker.
"The Last Waltz"-The Band (Warner Bros.) A celebration. A last supper. The Band hosted and toasted a cadre of friends worthy of another Woodstock and recorded the evening on film and record. This concert was billed as the final live performance of the Robertson-Danko-Hudson-Helm-Manuel Quintet and comes off, on this three records set, as one of the finest superstar jam sets yet. Though a fair share of the time consumed here is spent with cameos and short solos from the assembled guests of the rock world, there is plenty of The Band in their

normal configuration.
"Boys In The Trees"-Carly Simon (Elektra) One listen to a Carly Simon album is never enough. The first, casual listen can be the most difficult, Simon is a singer-songwriter who usually puts her emphasis on lyric and uses melody as decoration. (So often, in the contemporary music spectrum, lyric is no more than coincidental to the melody.) There is nothing shallow or stagnant about YOU BELONG TO ME, BACK DOWN TO EARTH, DEVOTED TO YOU, TRANQUILLO or YOU'RE THE ONE. Thank you Carly.

Also recommended from the following LP's:
"Hermit Of Mink Hollow"-Todd Rundgren(B'ville) BREAD/YOU CRIED WOLF/HURTING FOR YOU/CHILDREN SING "Deep In The Night"-Etta James (W.B.) PIECE OF MY HEART/ONLY WOMEN BLEED/TAKE IT TO THE LIMIT/ LOVESICK BLUES

"For You"-Prince (W.B.) FOR YOU/MY LOVE IS FOREVER/I'M YOURS
"Dance A Little Light"-Richie Furay (Asylum) IT'S YOUR LOVE/YOUR FRIENDS/YESTERDAY'S GONE
"Long Live Rock 'N' Roll-Rainbow (Polydor) LADY OF THE LAKE/GATES OF BABYLON/THE SHED (SUBTLE)
"Roger Voudouris"-Roger Voudouris (W.B.) FRIENDS FOREVER/DON'T TURN MY MUSIC DOWN/WILL I EVER...
"Stanky Brown"-Stanky Brown (Sire) AROUND TOWN/CHANCE ON LOVE/BROWN ARMS AGAIN

"Love In A Sleeper"-Silver Convention (Midsong) SPEND THE NIGHT WITH ME/LOVE IN A SLEEPER "Flame"-Flame (RCA) TOO MANY COOKS/WALK AWAY/IT'S ALL OVER "Lisa Burns"-Lisa Burns (MCA) SOUL DEEP/IN THE STREETS "Memories"-Bonnie Bramlett (Capricorn) EXCEPT FOR REAL/THE FLAME BLINDS THE MOTH

Our correspondents recommend the following LP cuts: (Most frequently mentioned are underlined)

Adult Contemporary Bee Gees-MORE THAN A WOMAN Barry Manilow-EVEN NOW/COPACABANA/ LEAVING IN THE MORNING/SUNRISE Gene Cotton-YOU'RE A PART OF ME Gordon Lightfoot-DAYLIGHT KATY Andrew Gold-NEVER LET HER SLIP AWAY Boz Scaggs-STILL FALLING FOR YOU Dan & Coley-YOU CAN'T DANCE Billy Joel-SHE'S ALWAYS A WOMAN Jimmy Buffett-SON OF../COAST OF MARSAILLES Wings-LONDON TOWN/DELIVER YOUR CHILDREN

Rock Bee Gees-MORE THAN A WOMAN Wings-I'VE HAD ENOUGH Warren Zevon-EXCITABLE BOY Billy Joel-ONLY THE GOOD DIE YOUNG Barry Manilow-EVEN NOW/COPACABANA Steely Dan-JOSIE Manfred Mann-QUINN THE ESKIMO REO Speedwagon-ROLL WITH THE CHANGES Journey-ANYTIME Jefferson Starship-LOVE TOO GOOD Gordon Lightfoot-DAYLIGHT KATY Dan & Coley-YOU CAN'T DANCE Jackson Browne-THE LOAD OUT/STAY

Eric Clapton-THE CORE/WONDERFUL TONIGHT Jimmy Buffett-SON OF A SON OF A SAILOR

Country Music Eddie Rabbitt-YOU DON'T LOVE ME ANYMORE/ROOM AT THE TOP OF THE STAIRS Kenny & Dottie-ANYONE WHO ISN'T ME TONIGHT/BABY, I'M A WANT YOU/YOU & ME
Moe Bandy-THAT'S WHAT MAKES THE JUKE BOX PLAY/ BABY AND A SEWING MACHINE Kendalls-PITTSBURGH STEELERS/PLAIN OLD FASHIONED CHEATIN' Bobby Bare-GREASY CRIT GRAVY Statler Bros.-YOUR LOVE/WHO AM I TO SAY

Black Radio Isley Bros.-SHOWDOWN/GROOVE WITH YOU Tyrone Davis-STILL IN LOVE Enchantment-SILLY LOVE SONG Walter Jackson-I'LL NEVER REMEMBER EVEN LOVING YOU Van McCoy-MY FAVORITE FANTASY James Brown-THE SPANK Living Proof-MOVE YOUR BODY/DISCO BOOGIE Shotgun-GOOD, BAD & FUNKY Manhattans-EVERYBODY HAS A DREAM O'Jays-CRY TOGETHE. Natalie Cole-ANNIE MAE Evelyn King-SHAME Linda Clifford-RUNAWAY LOVE Deodato-SAN JUAN SUNSET Joe Tex-YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE A STAR Johnnie Taylor-SOLE FILLET

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Gary Taylor's Personal Picks I WILL BE THERE (PAT'S SONG)-Cowboy (Capricorn) Songs of this type defy format definition. mood is similar to Michael Murphy's WILDFIRE while the approach and presentation feel like

Paul Simon effort. The comparisons are compliments to a relatively unknown act which displays a parallel level of class and quality.

YOU BELONG TO ME-Carly Simon (Elektra) The artistic cover deserves an award and so does Arif Mardin. Carly Simon deserves the accolades the industry has given her because once again she

has given us great music.

LONG NIGHTS-Crack The Sky (Lifesong) YOU GOT IT-Diana Ross (Motown)

CRYING IN MY SLEEP-Art Garfunkel (Columbia)

CARA MIA-The Raes (A&M)

I WANT TO LIVE-John Denver (RCA)

NIGHT PEOPLE-Allen Toussaint (Warner Bros.)

Also Possible

YOU KNOW YOU WANNA BE LOVED-Keith Barrow (Columbia) YOU KEEP ME DANCING-Samantha Sang (Private Stock)

MY GUY-Dara Sedaka (RSO)

TUMBLING DICE-Linda Ronstadt (Asylum)

HAPPY BEAT-Mandrill (Arista)

Regional Meetings

Where? St. Louis - Mariott Hotel. When? Saturday & Sunday, May 6 & 7.

Registration: Radio - \$30 pre-registered; \$35 at the gate

Records - \$25 - covers cocktail reception and Sunday session.

Schedule

Saturday 5/6 9AM First session. Greetings from Bob Osborne, PD of KMOX

Moderator: Charlie Lake, National Program Director, Downes Broadcasting. 12:30 Lunch

2PM Second Session. Moderator: Bill Bailey, KSLQ

Guest speaker - Paul Drew, Consultant, formerly RKO Radio

5PM Adjourn

6:00 to 7:30PM - Cocktail reception. Record personnel welcome.

Sunday 5/7 10AM Third Session (includes both radio & record people)

Moderator: Carol Singer, Elektra/Asylum, formerly music director at WRKO-Boston.

1PM Adjourn

Other Meetings

Monterey - May 13 & 14. Guests: Bill Graham & Michael Spears. Moderator: Mark Driscoll, KNDE,

and Les Garland, KFRC, Mardi Nehrbass, Big Tree.

Columbus - June 3 & 4. Guest: Kent Burkhart. Moderators: Dave Bishop, WCOL, & Bob Goode, WROK. Houston - June 24 & 25. Guest: Jack McCoy. Moderators: Bill Young, KILT, Clay Gish, KRBE, Rish Wood, KINT.

Atlanta - July 8 & 9. Guests: Bill Engle, Bill Lowery. Moderators: Don Benson, 94Q, Jim Davenport. All those planning to attend the St. Louis meeting are urged to pre-register as soon as possible, so that we may provide the hotel with attendance information for food and beverage. No blanks to fill out - just a check and the names of those to be registered. We'll then send each registrant a hotel registration card, to be returned directly to the hotel.

Those who register at the door should do so early. Registration desk will open at 8:30.

It should be understood that our regional meetings are not devoted to individual formats. Our discussions concern themselves with the basics of radio - research, personnel, promotions, etc. We will be especially glad to register as many as possible from country and black radio. Also, it isn't necessary to be a Gavin Report subscriber. So tell your friends.

Edited Singles
What happens when a record company edits an LP cut and releases the shorter version as a single for airplay only, with the original album version going into the stores as the single? The station plays the edit, the listener buys the long version and blames the station for a rip-off. If the edited version is released for sale and the station plays the full album cut, the buyer thinks he has been cheated and blames both the station and the record company. Conversely, the album buyer may feel deceived.

Dave Bishop, PD of WCOL-Columbus, offers a practical solution. Whenever a record producer offers a single that has been shortened from the LP cut, the single should have the long version on one side and the short version on the other. In stereo, both sides. Then it would be up to the radio station which version to play. The two sides could be day parted. Neither the listeners or the record buyers would be offended.

Dave goes on to state:

This should solve the edited singles crises, and I hope this system can be adopted soon. It's a simple system and it should keep everyone happy, especially Music Directors who are tired of having to guess which version to play.'

Publisher's Memo- Albums (cont'd. from pg. 12)

Album programming is approached in two different directions. Ron Fell auditions all album product and reviews those that he considers worthy of airplay. He also lists consensus LP cuts recommended by our correspondents in the four major music formats. George Meier, editor , and formerly music director of WIBG-Philadelphia, keeps us current with his observations about progressive radio, as derived from his hundreds of weekly reports from

progressive radio stations, record retailers and concert promoters.

It has been our standing practice over the years to audition all the singles & LP's we receive and to list the ones we like best. Managing editor Gary Taylor reviews as his "Personal Picks" those records that he considers most worthy, and he lists as "Also Possible" those that stand next in line for his approval. Ron Fell reviews his "Albums of the Week" and recommends cuts from other LP's that sound good to him. Elma Greer auditions all country singles and lists those that sound best to her. Any subsequent mentions of these singles or albums reflects reports by our correspondents.

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In the preceding, we've summarized the mechanics of our publication. Behind these procedures is a staff of eight dedicated people, each of whom is proud to be a vital contributor to the

continuing growth of The Gavin Report.



#### THE GAVIN REPORT #1199 WEEKLY SUMMARY (Editor, Gary Taylor)

Smash of the Week: WITH A LITTLE LUCK-Wings (Capitol) To be this successful for more than a decade isn't luck, it's talent.

Hot: SHADOW DANCING-Andy Gibb (RSO) Evidently the name Gibb is becoming a synonym for hit.

Top Tip: BABY HOLD ON-Eddie Money (Columbia) These are some of the building blocks for further growth: 94Q (3), Z93 (7), WZOO (8), WNOE (9), WAKY (12), WSAI (13), WNCI (13), KFRC (13), KYA (14), WZZD (15), KRTH (16), WZUU (16), 13Q (16), WDRQ (17), etc.

Record to Watch: THIS TIME I'M IN IT FOR LOVE-Player (RSO) Slow to start but now gaining momentum with 69 chart numbers out of 92 reports.

Sleeper of the Week: TWO OUT OF THREE AIN'T BAD-Meatloaf (Epic) Several correspondents report good requests (18-24 M/F and 25-34 F) which leads us to believe this is more than a local Cleveland hit.

Top New Add: YOU'RE THE LOVE-Seals & Crofts (Warner Bros.) The headline says it all.

Recommended Playlist

The listings below represent a consensus of rock correspondents' reports. Their evaluations are derived from a variety of sources - retail sales, phone requests, call out research, juke box plays, etc. - according to the individual characteristics of the various markets. Underlined sides show the strongest potential for continued growth.

Top Twenty

1. NIGHT FEVER-Bee Gees 3. 2. IF I CAN'T HAVE YOU-Yvonne Elliman 3. THE CLOSER...-R.Flack & D.Hathaway
4. CAN'T SMILE WITHOUT YOU-Barry Manilow
5. DUST IN THE WIND-Kansas 4. 6. WITH A LITTLE LUCK-Wings 16. 7. FEELS SO GOOD-Chuck Mangione 8. THANK YOU...-Andrew Gold 9. JACK & JILL-Raydio 12. 7. 6. 14. 10. IMAGINARY LOVER-Atlanta Rhythm S. 5. 11. EBONY EYES-Bob Welch
9. 12. RUNNIN' ON EMPTY-Jackson Browne
11. 13. GOODBYE AGAIN-Eng.Dan & J.F.Coley

17. 14. COUNT ON ME-Jefferson Starship

20. 15. YOU'RE THE ONE..-Travolta/Olivia N-J
10. 16. OUR LOVE-Natalie Cole
13. 17. GOODBYE GIRL-David Gates

--. 18. WEREWOLVES OF LONDON-Warren Zevon

SWEET TALKIN' WOMAN-ELO 15. 19.

--. 20. TOO MUCH..-J.Mathis & D.Williams

Gaining in Several Markets MOVIN' OUT-Billy Joel SHADOW DANCING-Andy Gibb BABY HOLD ON-Eddie Money IT'S A HEARTACHE-Bonnie Tyler MORE THAN A WOMAN-Bee Gees (LP cut) DISCO INFERNO-The Trammps
THIS TIME I'M IN IN FOR LOVE-Player
ON BROADWAY-George Benson FLASHLIGHT-Parliament TWO DOORS DOWN-Dolly Parton FOOLING YOURSELF-Styx
...TAKE CARE OF EVERYTHING-Rubicon
FANTASY-Earth, Wind & Fire LOVE IS LIKE OXYGEN-Sweet EGO-Elton John

Gaining DEACON BLUES-Steely Dan YOU BELONG TO ME-Carly Simon EVERY KINDA PEOPLE-Robert Palmer TAKE A CHANCE ON ME-Abba

Top Prospect BAKER STREET-Gerry Rafferty (U.A.)

HEARTLESS-Heart (Mushroom) TWO OUT OF THREE AIN'T BAD-Meatloaf (Epic) BLUER THAN BLUE-Michael Johnson (EMI)
MAKE YOU FEEL LOVE AGAIN-Wet Willie (Epic)
BECAUSE THE NIGHT-Patti Smith Group (Arista) CHEESEBURGER IN PARADISE-Jimmy Buffett (ABC) I CAN'T STAND THE RAIN-Eruption (Ariola) DANCE WITH ME-Peter Brown (Drive) I'VE NEVER BEEN TO ME-Mary Macgregor (Ariola) WHAT A NIGHT FOR DANCING-Barry White (20th) DO YOU BELIEVE IN MAGIC-Shaun Cassidy (W.B.)

> The St. Louis Regional Meeting will be held May 6 & 7. Guests & moderators include Paul Drew, Charlie Lake, Bill Bailey, Bob Osborn and Carol Singer. Registration details on page 14.

Regional Sales and/or Requests

LET'S ALL CHANT-Michael Zager Band (P.Stock) OU KEEP ME DANCING-Samantha Sang (Private Stock) I'M ON MY WAY-Capt. & Tennille (A&M) SO HARD LIVING WITHOUT YOU-Airwaves (A&M) TUMBLING DICE-Linda Ronstadt (Asylum) YOU GOT IT-Diana Ross (Motown) FOLLOW YOU FOLLOW ME-Genesis (Atlantic) SINCE YOU BEEN GONE-Head East (A&M) I WAS ONLY JOKING-Rod Stewart (Warner Bros.) SHADOW IN THE STREET-Allan Clarke (Atlantic) WARM RIDE-Rare Earth (Prodigal) THE GROOVE LINE-Heatwave (Epic) AIN'T GONNA...-Angel (Casablanca) MAMA LET HIM PLAY-Doucette (Mushroom) STAY-Rufus & Chaka Khan (ABC) WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN-Fotomaker (Atlantic) WHEEL IN THE SKY-Journey (Columbia) I WANT TO LIVE-John Denver (RCA) LET'S PUT OUR LOVE...-Micky Denne/Ken Gold (MCA) I WANT YOU TO BE MINE-Kayak (Janus)

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#### Correspondents' Corner\*\*

Chart and listings on page one are derived from information supplied by the radio reporters listed below. \*Indicates requests. Sales action is underlined.

Bangor, Mark Lawrence-WGUY- Robert Palmer Lewiston, Mark Ericson-WLAM- Parliament Portsmouth, Mike O'Neal-WHEB- Seals & Crofts Dover, Jim Sebastian-WTSN- Sweet Hyannis, Rick Stuart-WCOD/FM- Eruption Worcester, B.J. Dean-WORC- Carly Simon Danbury, Brian St. James-WINE- Carly Simon Hartford, Rick Donahue-WTIC- #12-Michael Zager Rochester, Tom Nast-WBBF- George Benson Utica, Jim Reitz-WTLB- Sweet Schenectady, Jim Walsh-3WD- Michael Johnson New York, Roz Frank-WNBC- Earth, Wind & Fire - Barbara Brozdowski-WCBS/FM- Billy Joel Babylon, Bernie Bernard-WBAB-\*Fotomaker Philadelphia, Mark Serpas-WZZD- Mathis/Wms. Reading, Shannon/Newman-WRAW- Peter Brown Trenton, Tom Taylor-WPST- Warren Zevon Wilmington, Bill O'Brien-WAMS- Robert Palmer Annapolis, Kingston/Lewis-WYRE- George Benson Frederick, Barry Hodge-14ZYQ- Patti Smith Richmond, Ken Curtis-WLEE- \*Andy Gibb Lynchburg, Tony Love-WLLL- Carly Simon Reidsville, Lebai-WFRC- Kayak Asheboro, Gary Cannon-WZ00- Gerry Rafferty Shelby, Jeffrey Owens-WOHS- \*Lynyrd Skynyrd Asheville, Ray Williams-WISE- Steely Dan New Bern, Richard Taylor-WSFL/FM- Dara Sedaka Fayetteville, Stan Stewart-WFLB-Steely Dan(FM) Wilmington, Robbie Vogt-WGNI- Jimmy Buffett Columbia, Dan Valli-WCOS- Patti Smith Kingstree, Jerry Smith-WKSP- \*Meatloaf Augusta, Steve York-WAUG/FM- Meatloaf Savannah, Jerry Katz-WSGF- Rare Earth Athens, Jeff Michaels-WAGQ- Abba - Kelley McCoy-WRFC- Paul Davis Gainesville, Sam Church-WFOX- Genesis - - Tom Harris-WWID- Michael Johnson Atlanta, Dale O'Brien-Z93- Player Columbus, Jeff Blake-WCGQ- Airwaves Albany, Kris Van Dyke-WALG- Roger Voudouris Carrollton, Scott Evans-WPPI- #2-Eddie Money - - Ray Hammons-WBTR/FM- Capt. & Tennille Jacksonville, Paul Sebastian-WAPE- Abba Daytona Beach, John Scott-WMFJ- Genesis Cocoa Beach, Steve Ocean-CK101- #1-Trammps W.Palm Beach, Allan Edwards-WIRK- P.Smith Miami, Jack Forsythe-96X- Jimmy Buffett Ft. Meyers, Webster James-WMYR- Allan Clarke Tampa, Ron Parker-WLCY- Leif Garrett Ocala, Bill Early-WWKE- Michael Zager Tallahassee, Michael O'Malley-WONS- Rufus - - Robin Sterns-WGLF- Michael Johnson Panama City, Jim King-WDLP- Head East Ft. Walton, Bob Kitzmiller-WNUE- #7-Eruption Pensacola, Dan Ingram-WBSR- Toby Beau Huntsville, Jay Fredericks-WAAY- Capt. & T. - Bill Heslip-WVOV- #2-Mathis & Wms. Muscle Shoals, Rick Shayne-Q107- Leif Garrett Cullman, Rich McCarthy-WKLN/FM- Seals & Crofts Gadsden, Dale McKee-WQEN- Diana Ross - Gaither-WGAD- Robert Palmer Birmingham, Steve Davis-WKXX- #13-E.Money Montgomery, Lanny West-WHHY- Jimmy Buffett Enterprise, Mark Thompson-WKMX- A. Toussaint Starkville, Glen James-WKOR- Robert Palmer Greenville, Ken Rogers-WFBC- Allan Clarke - Mark Jones-WDDT- Paley Bros. Natchez, Haynes Ford-WQNZ- Seals & Crofts Jackson, Mickey Coulter-WYIG- Gerry Rafferty Pascagoula, Dan Lynch-WKKY- #11-J.Buffett Biloxi, Bob Lima-WQID- Elton John Hattiesburg, Don Simmons-WXXX- Love 'N Kisses New Orleans, Marc Sommers-WNOE- #9-Eddie Money Baton Rouge, Joe London-WIBR- A. Toussaint Lake Charles, Bob Simon-KAOK- Kongas \*\* Correspondents not listed above will be found on pages 8 & 9....

Lake Charles, Kim Canard-KLOU- Airwaves Lafayette, Michael Lea-KVOL- Lisa Hartman Shreveport, Keith Greer-KROK- Ted Nugent - Randy Davis-KEEL- Andy Gibb New Iberia, Bob Holbrook-KNIR- Sweet Knoxville, Bob Kaghan-WRJZ- Carly Simon Nashville, Bruce Sherman-92Q- #6-Gene Cotton Louisville, Coyote Calhoun-WAKY-Plastic Bertrand Bowling Green, Doug Kirsch-WBGN- Patti Smith Paducah, Bryan Sargent-WKYX- Eddie Money South Bend, Jason Foxx-WRBR- #8-M.Macgregor Anderson, Dan Scott-WHUT- Gerry Rafferty Evansville, Adam Smasher-WGBF- Eddie Money Cincinnati, C.C.Matthews-WSAI- Styx Hamilton, Joe London-WMOH- Bonnie Tyler Akron, Bobby Knight-WCUE- Wet Willie Columbus, Dave Bishop-WCOL- Eddie Money Canton, Ron Foster-WQIO- \*Meatloaf
-- Keith London-WINW- #6-Mathis & Williams
Wheeling, Jim Roberts-WKWK- Michael Zager Band Parkersburg, Jack Fitzgerald-WXIL- Wha-Koo Beckley, Dwayne Bonds-WCIR- Trigger Altoona, Tony Booth-WFBG- Sweet - - John Harrison-WVAM- Andy Gibb Youngstown, Jack Taylor-WYFM- #8-Wings Pittsburgh, T. Morgan-WPEZ- \*Meatloaf Johnstown, Douglas Kaye-WCRO- Seals & Crofts Detroit, Lori Darwin-WDRQ- #10-Billy Joel Sault Ste.Marie, Tom Ewing-WSMM- Airwaves Grand Rapids, Jay Michaels-Z96- Carly Simon Jackson, Garry Osborn-WIBM- Player Muskegon, Jon London-WTRU- Bonnie Tyler Peoria, Lee Malcolm-WIRL- #7-Dan & Coley
Springfield, Greg Thomas-WCVS- Capt. & Tennille
Carbondale, Rick Zurick-WCIL/FM- \*J.Buffett Chicago, Alan Burns-WLS- Mathis/Williams - Dave Morgan-WMET- Andrew Gold Freeport, Kevin Kenney-WACI- Airwaves Rockford, Bob Goode-WROK- #15-Styx Milwaukee, Jim Smith-WOKY- Heart Two Rivers, John Barber-15Q- Rod Stewart Green Bay, Gregg Albert-WDUZ- \*Abba Appleton, Jason Page-WNAM- Carly Simon - - Dan Davis-WYNE- Willie Nelson Wausau, Terry Tuszka-WIFC- Bill LaBounty LaCrosse, Pat Smith-WLCX- Andy Gibb Eau Claire, Sean McCartney-WEAQ- Mathis & Wms. Duluth, Beau Elliot-WEBC- Richard Torrance Rochester, Denny Foster-KWEB- Capt. & Tennille St. Cloud, Tom Kay-WJON- Seals & Crofts Grand Forks, Bob Hooper-KKXL- Abba Fargo, Bob Denver-KQWB- Seals & Crofts - Mark Renier-KVOX- Andy Gibb Bismarck, Dan Brannan-KFYR- Warren Zevon Minot, Doug Corbett-KKOA- \*M. Macgregor Aberdeen, Gary Dixon-KSDN- Rare Earth Huron, L.A. Timms-KOKK- Samantha Sang Rapid City, Dave Hohn-KTOQ- Andy Gibb - Mick Kjar-KKLS- Gerry Rafferty Sioux Falls, Tom Evans-KISD- Wet Willie Sioux City, Bill Body-KWSL- Gerry Rafferty Dubuque, Steve Sesterhenn-KFMD- Abba Ottumwa, Dave Carlson-KLEE- Dara Sedaka Des Moines, Gary Stevens-KIOA- Bonnie Tyler Mason City, Bob Scott-KRIB- Robert Palmer Cedar Rapids, Carl Mann-KCRG- Mathis & Williams Waterloo, Bob Beck-KWWL- \*Michael Johnson St. Louis, Sherry Toennies-KSLQ- Genesis Jackson, Kent Nelson-KJAS- Peter Brown Kansas City, Kim Welsh-KBEQ- Barry Manilow Joplin, John C.Davis-KFSB- #1-Chuck Mangione Pine Bluff, Paul Sims-KOTN- Rufus Little Rock, C.David Hamilton-KAAY- #3-Dan & C. Topeka, J.R. Greely-KWEI- Love & Kisses Manhattans, Ed Klimke-KMKF- Patti Smith



## Adult Contemporary Programming (Associate Editor, Ron Fell)

Most Active: IT'S A HEARTACHE-Bonnie Tyler (RCA) This record was a big European hit and based on its growth here in the U.S. with both A/C & rock radio, similar success can be predicted.

Worth Watching: EVERY KINDA PEOPLE-Robert Palmer (Island) Originally released from the album to pick up rock airplay, A/C's appear to be just as enthusiastic about it. Already charted at WSM, WLAV & WMAZ and others.

1. WE'LL NEVER HAVE TO SAY...-Dan & Coley 2. CAN'T SMILE WITHOUT YOU-Barry Manilow 1. 3. THE CLOSER I GET TO YOU-Flack & Hathaway 4. FEELS SO GOOD-Chuck Mangione 5. DUST IN THE WIND-Kansas 3. 6. NIGHT FEVER-Bee Gees 4. 7. IF I CAN'T HAVE YOU-Yvonne Elliman 8. THANK YOU FOR BEING A FRIEND-Andrew Gold 7. 10. 9. WITH A LITTLE LUCK-Wings 15. 13. 10. TOO MUCH, TOO LITTLE...-Mathis & Williams 20. 25. FALLING-LeBlanc & Carr 14. 11. COUNT ON ME-Jefferson Starship 28. 26. MOVIN' OUT-Billy Joel 8. 12. THE CIRCLE IS SMALL-Gordon Lightfoot 9. 13. BEFORE MY HEART FINDS OUT-Gene Cotton 17. 14. IMAGINARY LOVER-Atlanta Rhythm Section 15. GOODBYE GIRL-David Gates

Action Sides SHADOW DANCING-Andy Gibb YOU'RE THE ONE-Seals & Crofts I'M ON MY WAY-Capt. & Tennille STRANDED IN A LIMOUSINE-Paul Simon WE'LL SING IN THE SUNSHINE-Helen Reddy YOU BELONG TO ME-Carly Simon TAKE A CHANCE ON ME-Abba I WANNA LIVE-John Denver BAKER STREET-Gerry Rafferty

Sales and/or Requests CHATTANOOGA CHOO CHOO-Tuxedo Junction MORE THAN A WOMAN-Bee Gees (LP cut) RUNNIN' ON EMPTY-Jackson Browne THE LAST OF THE ROMANTICS-Engelbert Humperdinck SWEET TALKING WOMAN-Electric Light Orch. SOFTY.../UNCHAINED...-Elvis Presley DEACON BLUES-Steely Dan FANTASY-Earth, Wind & Fire A LOVER'S QUESTION-Jacky Ward

Top Thirty 11. 16. LAY DOWN SALLY-Eric Clapton 18. 17. THIS TIME I'M IN IT FOR LOVE-Player 21. 18. TWO DOORS DOWN-Dolly Parton 19. 19. OUR LOVE-Natalie Cole 25. 20. YOU'RE THE ONE ... - Travolta & Newton-John 16. 21. READY FOR THE TIMES...-Crystal Gayle 24. 22. ON BROADWAY-George Benson 27. 23. GEORGIA ON MY MIND-Willie Nelson 23. 24. I'VE NEVER BEEN TO ME-Mary Macgregor 26. 27. JACK & JILL-Raydio 29. 28. I'M GONNA TAKE CARE OF EVERYTHING-Rubicon --. 29. GOD KNOWS/BABY I'M YOURS-Debby Boone --. 30. IT'S A HEARTACHE-Bonnie Tyler

> Correspondents' Preferred Picks
> EVERY KINDA PEOPLE-Robert Palmer (Island) EVEN NOW-Barry Manilow (Arista-LP cut)
> YOU GOT IT-Diana Ross (Motown) UNMARRIED WOMAN THEME-Bill Conti (20th) OPINION ON LOVE-Mac McAnally (Ariola)

Airplay
SO HARD LIVING WITHOUT YOU-Airwaves
THIS NIGHT WON'T LAST-Bill LaBounty BALTIMORE-Randy Newman ALL I EVERY WANNA BE-David Castle ONE LAST TIME-Al Martino EVERY TIME TWO FOOLS COLLIDE-Rogers & West NO ONE GAVE ME LOVE-Tom Jones

Anna, Ill. (Jane Michel-WRAJ) D. Sedaka/Palmer/D. Ross/S. & Crofts/M. Johnson/Mandrill. Athens (Ty Richards-WATH) H. Reddy/Wings/Macgregor. Calls: Boone (GOD KNOWS)/T. & Olivia/Tux.Junc. Austin (Bob Joseph-KCSW) Denver/Springer Bros./Benson. Gains: Cisyk/Ward/Mathis & Wms./Heatwave. Baltimore (Dexter Beane-WCBM) Manilow (new)/M. Johnson/B. Tyler. Gains: Starship/T. & Olivia. Baton Rouge (Al Casey-WJBO) Martino/Sang/Raes/Bros. Johnson/C. Simon. Gains: Flack & Hathaway. Bemidji (Carolyn Rossbach-KKBJ) Seals & Crofts/Capt. & Tennille/A. Gibb/Manhattan Trsf. Calls:Conti Bend, Ore. (Bill Jay-KBND) Rafferty/LaBounty/Airwaves/D. Boone (GOD KNOWS). Gains: S. & Crofts. Bismarck (Tom Bitz-KBOM) N. Cole/M. Johnson/B. Vee/S. & Crofts/Capt. & T. Gains: Raydio/Browne. Blackfoot (Jack Sunday-KBLI) D. Parton/Abba/Tuxedo Junction. Gains: Elvis P./Flack & Hathaway. Boise (Lee Chabre-KBOI) Capt. & Tennille/Rubicon/D. Boone (GOD KNOWS). Gains: Humperdinck/J. Ward. Bonners Ferry (Jan Andrews-KBFI) P. Simon/J. Browne/Humperdinck. Gains: Mathis & Wms./W. Nelson. Boston (Jim Spellmeyer-WEEI/FM) D. Ross/Airwaves/R. Palmer/Billy Paul. Buffalo (Roger Christian-WBEN) Manilow (new)/C. Simon/Garfunkel/Abba. Gains: Meatloaf/Spyro Gyra. Butte (Bob Roberts-KXLF) S. & Crofts/Rafferty/C. Simon/D. Ross/Ronstadt.
Canton (Rick Jacobs-WHBC) Gibb/Airwaves/Abba/C. Simon/S. & Crofts/Rafferty/M. Johnson/Raes.
Cedar Rapids (Rick Sellers-WMT) Denver/D. Ross/Conti/Rafferty/Jeff Fenholt. Gains: Flack & Hathaway Charlottesville (Jim Racey-WCHV) Abba/R. Palmer. Gains: Travolta & Olivia/Joel/Mathis & Williams. Chicago (Dave Martin-WFYR) Gains: Wings/Travolta & Olivia/P. Brown/Dan & Coley/Flack & Hathaway.

- - (Rob Reynolds-WYEN) Rafferty/Capt. & Tennille. Gains: Manilow (new)/Gibb/Wings/Travolta & O. Chico (Jan Claire-KPAY) Rubicon/Gibb/Travolta & Olivia/Capt. & Tennille/Reddy. Gains: Parton/Cisyk. Cincinnati (Susan Howe-WLW) Elton/Tyler/Tavares. Gains: Wings/Flack & Hathaway. Clovis (Charlie Russell-KKQQ) Reddy/Juice Newton/Meco/Abba/Chaser/Mac Anally/Dara Sedaka/Toby Beau. Columbia (Mike Collins-WIS) Capt. & Tennille/C. Simon/D. Ross/Gibb. Gains: Macgregor/Player. Coquille (Warren Farwell-KWRO) M. Johnson/Flo Lacey. Gains: Starship/A. Gold/Player/Mangione. Corona (Rick Painter-KWRM) A. Gibb/Newman/Capt. & Tennille/Humperdinck/W. Nelson/H. Reddy. Corvallis (Weldon Greig-KLOO) Capt. & Tennille/McAnally/Jane Olivor/LaBounty/Humperdinck/Abba. Crossent City (Sup Williams-KPOD) Captle/Gibb/Pelman/Adminusca/Albert & Macakala Catala (Captle/Ca Crescent City (Sue Williams-KPOD) Castle/Gibb/Palmer/Airwaves/Alpert & Masekela. Gains: G. Cotton. Des Moines (Del Hull-KRNT) Seals & Crofts/Sang/Conti/Travolta & Olivia. Gains: N. Cole/Parton. Dubuque (Steve Sesterhenn-KDTH) Carly Simon/Abba/Denver/M. Johnson/Capt. & Tennille. Eugene (Catherine Bitterman-KPNW) B.J. Thomas (NO LOVE)/Rogers & West/Travolta & O./Capt. & T.

- - (Vicky Larson-KUGN) Valentine/M. Johnson/C. Simon/Capt. & Tennille/G. Rafferty. Calls: Wings.

Everett (Robert O'Brien-KRKO) Abba/M. Johnson/Humperdinck/Benson. Gains: Wings/Gibb/Tyler/E.L.O. Continued on Page 10.....

#### Black Radio (Associate Editor, Betty Hollars)

Hot Line: OH WHAT A NIGHT FOR DANCING-Barry White (20th) Another addition to our endless list dance" releases, it jumps from 30 to 18 on our chart this week.

Looking Good: I AM YOUR WOMAN, SHE IS YOUR WIFE-Barbara Mason (Prelude) The most added single we show this week, with females "ringing up" for it at most stations.

Correspondents' Top Thirty
The following list is a composite of sales and requests reported by our correspondents, whose names appear below.

L	W	TW		LW	TW	
	ī.	1.	TOO MUCHJ.Mathis/D.Williams	12.	<u>16</u> .	DUKEY STICK-George Duke
			ON BROADWAY-George Benson	14.	17.	IT'S YOU THAT I NEED-Enchantment
(	6.	3.	GET ON UP (DISCO)-Tyrone Davis	30.		OH WHAT A NIGHT FOR DANCING-Barry White
1	4.	4.	THE CLOSER I GET TO YOU-Flack/Hathaway	16.	19.	SLICK SUPERCHICK/LIFE'S A SONG-Kool & Gang
•	7.	5.	STAY-Rufus & Chaka Khan	18.	20.	WORKING TOGETHER-Maze
10	0.	6.	TAKE ME TO THE NEXT PHASE-Isley Bros.	19.	21.	FANTASY-Earth, Wind & Fire
			NIGHT FEVER-Bee Gees			RIDING HIGH-Faze-O
	5.	8.	FLASHLIGHT-Parliament	20.	23.	OCEANS OF THOUGHTS & DREAMS-Dramatics
1	3.	9.	THE GROOVE LINE/& fHeatwave	22.	24.	NEVER GET ENOUGH OF YOUR LOVE-LTD
1	7.	10.	USE TA BE MY GIRL-O'Jays	23.	25.	LET ME PARTY WITH YOU-Bunny Sigler
	3.	11.	BOOTZILLA-Bootsy' Rubber Band		26.	KEEP ON DANCING-Johnnie Taylor
1	1.	12.	DANCE WITH ME-Peter Brown	26.	27.	DON'T COST YOU NOTHIN'-Ashford & Simpson
1	5.	13.	EMOTION-Samantha Sang	27.	28.	IF I HAD MY WAY-Walter Jackson
9	9.	14.	REACHING FOR THE SKY-Peabo Bryson			TOMORROW I MAY NOT FEEL Gene Chandler
12	2.	15.	ALL THE WAY LOVER-Millie Jackson			YOU ARE, YOU ARE-Curtis Mayfield

EVERYBODY DANCE-Chic (Atlantic)

Movin' On Up

SUPERNATURAL FEELING-Blackbyrds (Fantasy)

Top Airplay Correspondents' Preferred Picks I AM YOUR WOMAN, SHE IS YOUR WIFE-Barbara Mason'TILL YOU TAKE MY LOVE-Harvey Mason (Arista)
I CAN'T STAND THE RAIN-Eruption ALMIGHTY FIRE-Aretha Franklin (Atlantic) DAYLIGHT & DARKNESS-Smokey Robinson YOU-The McCrarys (Portrait) ALL NIGHT LONG-Dexter Wansel MAKE A DREAM COME TRUE-Mass Production (Cotillion) SAVE & SPEND-Cheryl Barnes (Millennium) IT'S SERIOUS-Cameo THE ONE & ONLY-Gladys Knight & the Pips YOU GOT IT-Diana Ross (Motown) TRY & UNDERSTAND-Jaisun (Jett Sett) RUMOUR HAS IT-Donna Summer OLD MAN WITH YOUNG IDEAS-Ann Peebles (Hi) (LET'S GO) ALL THE WAY-The Whispers (Solar) MS.-David Oliver ALL IN YOUR MIND-Side Effect AIN'T NO SMOKE/WHIP-Eddie Kendricks (Arista) MISS BROADWAY-Belle Epoque I'M REALLY GONNA MISS YOU-Billy Preston YOU'VE BEEN A PART OF ME-Wee Gee (Juney) GHOST OF LOVE-Tavares BABY I JUST WANNA LOVE YOU-Jonelle Allen (Alex.St.) SUMMER SONG-Grover Washington, Jr. WHAT IS FUNK-Rare Gems Odyssey (Casablanca) TRUST YOUR HEART-Bobby Womack WEEKEND LOVER-Odyssey (RCA)

Regional Highlights

Albany (Doc Suttles-WJIZ) #1-0'Jays, #5-Eruption, #6-Bill Wright. Gns: Isleys, George Duke, Jaisun Whispers, Johnny Adams, Roy Ayers, Eddie Kendricks, Barbara Mason, Harvey Mason. New: Andy Gibb, Aretha, Blue Magic, Shane, Side Effect. Rq: Isaac Hayes, David Oliver, Dexter Wansel.

Birmingham (Sam Moore-WBUL) #1-Flack/Hathaway, #2-Williams/Mathis, #5-Millie Jackson, #9-Tyrone Davis. Gns: Kool & Gang, Moments, Peter Brown, James Brown, Johnny Adams, Bee Gees. New: Ann Peebles, Diana Ross, Cissy Houston, Kay Gees, Gladys Knight. Rq: Dorothy Moore, M.Mitchell. Chicago (Earnest James-WMBX/FM)#2-Tyrone Davis, #3-0'Jays, #10-George Duke. Gns: Millie Jackson, Chicago (Earnest James-WMBX/FM)#2-Tyrone Davis, #3-0'Jays, #10-George Duke. Gns: Millie Jackson B.T.Express, Belle Epoque, Dramatics, Steely Dan, Barry White, Ann Peebles. New: Aretha, Bobbi Humphrey. Rq: Pharoah Sanders, Heatwave. On: Isleys, Linda Clifford, Evelyn C. King. Chicago (Richard Steele-WJPC) #4-Enchantment, #5-Tyrone Davis, #8-Peter Brown, #9-Brook Benton, #10-Belle Epoque. Gns: George Duke, Bee Gees, Dramatics, O'Jays, Gladys Knight, Blackbyrds, Smokey Robinson. New: George Benson, Chic, Isleys, Heatwave, Millie Jackson, 21st Creation. Cleveland (Mike Payne-WABQ) #1-George Duke, #2-Heatwave, #5-Isleys, #8-Rufus, #9-George Benson, #10-Millie Jackson. New: Jejaya Miracles, Detroit Encycles, #8-Rufus, #9-George Benson, #10-Millie Jackson. New: Jaisun, Miracles, Detroit Emeralds, Albert King. LP: Marlena Shaw. Galveston (Randy Sterling-KGBC) #3-Millie Jackson, #5-Enchantment, #8-Peabo Bryson, #10-Maze.

New: Cheryl Barnes, World's Funkiest Band, The McCrarys. Rq: Kongas, Barbara Mason, Heatwave, B&G Rhythm, Side Effect. On: Jonelle Allen, J.Taylor, Blackbyrds, Harvey Mason, Sun, Gene C. Henderson (Juan Blanco-KGRI/FM) #2-George Duke, #6-Rufus, #9-Barry White, #10-Isleys. Gns: O'Jays,

Tower of Power, Faze-O, Billy Preston, Jimmy Buffett, Isaac Hayes. New: Samantha Sang. On:
Hues Corp., Mandrill, Whispers, Aretha, Mass Production, Jean Terrell.

Natchez (Haynes Ford-WNAT) #1-Mathis/Williams, #4-Rufus, #6-O'Jays, #8-Walter Jackson, #10-Barry
White. Gns: Rare Gems Odyssey, Isleys, Con Funk Shun, Grover Washington, Jr., Chic, Smokey R.,
Faze-O, Heatwave, J.Taylor. New: Odyssey, Whispers, Barbara Mason. LP: Donna Summer.

New York (Sonny Taylor-WWRL) #3-Chic, #4-Rufus, #9-Barry White, #10-Evelyn C.King. Gns: O'Jays,

David Oliver, Chocolete Milk, Blackbyrds, Smokey Robinson, New: Bob Merley, Bolink MacDonald

David Oliver, Chocolate Milk, Blackbyrds, Smokey Robinson. New: Bob Marley, Ralph MacDonald. Matthews (Andy Henderson-WQKI) #2-Tyrone Davis, #6-Rufus, #7-Peter Brown, #10-Barry White.

<u>Gns</u>: Gene Chandler, Isley Bros., O'Jays, Heatwave, Eruption. <u>New</u>: Barbara Mason, Natalie Cole. <u>On</u>: Johnnie Taylor, Diana Ross. <u>LP's</u>: AWB, Floaters.

Seattle (Robert L.Scott-KYAC) Gns: Barry White, Heatwave (HAPPINESS), Rufus, Tyrone Davis, Chuck Mangione, O'Jays. New: Curtis Mayfield, Isley Bros., George Duke. On: David Oliver, Aretha Franklin, Stargard. LP's: B.B.King, Pleasure, Idris Muhammad, Wayne Henderson.

Stockton (Charles Richardson-KUOP/FM) Chart: Parliament, Bunny Sigler, Rufus, Isleys, O'Jays,

Heatwave. Gns: Dexter Wansel, Cameo, Garland Jeffreys/Phoebe Snow. New: Jimmy Bo Horne, Johnnie Taylor, Peter Brown. LP's: Johnnie Taylor, O'Jays, Enchantment, Auracle.

Berkeley (Rob Singleton-KRE) Heavy Reqs: Sweet Thunder (..NEED YOUR LOVE). New: Etta James, Jan

Akkerman, Bobby Bland, Allen Toussaint, Aaron Neville, Gene Chandler, Smokey Robinson. New LP's: Aretha, Raul DeSouza, Keith Jarrett, Blue Collar, Idris Muhammad, Nina Simone. Black Radio Correspondents' LP cuts are on page 13.....

### Country Music (Associate Editor, Elma Greer)

Prime Mover: I'M ALWAYS ON A MOUNTAIN WHEN I FALL-Merle Haggard (MCA) An important leap towards

Most Active: I CAN'T WAIT ANY LONGER-Bill Anderson (MCA) Receiving an abundance of adds and excellent phone action.

The following list of country hits is a composite of sales and requests reported by our correspondents, whose names appear below.

1. EVERYTIME TWO FOOLS...-Rogers & West 2. HEARTS ON FIRE-Eddie Rabbitt 3. IT'S ALL WRONG ... - Dolly Parton 4. SHE CAN PUT HER SHOES ... - Johnny Duncan 12.

5. SCMEONE LOVES YOU HONEY-Charley Pride 6. WE BELIEVE IN HAPPY ENDINGS-Johnny Rodriguez29. 21. COME ON IN-Jerry Lee Lewis 10.

7. I'M ALWAYS ON A MOUNTAIN...-Merle Haggard

8. 8. SWEET SWEET SMILE-Carpenters

6. 9. I'VE FOUND A WINNER IN YOU-Don Williams
5. 10. I CHEATED...-Billy "Crash" Craddock
4. 11. IT DON'T FEEL LIKE SINNIN' TO ME-Kendalls

15. 12. MAYBE BABY-Susie Allanson 14. 13. SOFTLY.../UNCHAINED...-Elvis Presley

7. 14. READY FOR THE TIMES ... - Crystal Gayle 13. 15. DON'T SAY GOODBYE-T.G. Sheppard

Next In Line NIGHT TIME MAGIC-Larry Gatlin I'M GONNA LOVE YOU ANYWAY-Cristy Lane THIS IS THE LOVE-Sonny James BORN TO BE WITH YOU-Sandy Posey I'LL BE THERE (WHEN YOU GET LONELY) -David Rogers ME & THE IRS/GEORGIA IN A JUG-Johnny Paycheck TWO MORE BOTTLES OF WINE-Emmylou Harris COWBOYS DON'T GET LUCKY ALL THE TIME-Gene Watson FOUR LITTLE LETTERS-Stella Parton RUNAWAY-Narvel Felts

19. 16. I'LL NEVER BE FREE-Jim Ed & Helen 21. 17. DO YOU KNOW...-Statler Bros.

11. 18. A LOVER'S QUESTION-Jacky Ward 27. 19. THE POWER OF POSITIVE...-M.Gilley

16. 20. STARTING ALL OVER...-Don Gibson

20. 22. LAY DOWN SALLY-Eric Clapton 26. 23. IF YOU CAN TOUCH HER...-Willie Nelson

--. 24. NO, NO, NO...-Rex Allen Jr. 25. 25. WHISKEY TRIP-Gary Stewart 18. 26. BABY IT'S YOU-Janie Fricke

28. 27. GEORGIA ON MY MIND-Willie Nelson --. 28. RED WINE & BLUE MEMORIES-Joe Stampley

--. 29. PUTTIN IN OVERTIME AT HOME-C. Rich --. 30. GOTTA QUIT LOOKIN'...-Dave & Sugar

Other Gains, Sales and/or Requests IT'S A HEARTACHE-Bonnie Tyler SWEET LOVE FEELINGS-Jerry Reed I'LL BE TRUE TO YOU-Oak Ridge Boys I WISH I LOVED SOMEBODY ELSE-Tom T. Hall NOW YOU SEE 'EM, NOW YOU DON'T-Roy Head I LIKE LADIES IN LONG...-Bobby Borchers I CAN'T WAIT ANY LONGER-Bill Anderson MAYBE I SHOULD'VE BEEN LISTENING-R. Anthony SLOW AND EASY-Randy Barlow IT ONLY HURTS FOR A WHILE-Margo Smith

Airplay: (New listings are underlined)

Billie Jo Spears (23); Tammy Wynette (21); Mel Street (21); Sterling Whipple (19); Lynn

Anderson (16); Charly McClain (15); John Wesley Ryles (15); Freddie Hart (14); Debby Boone (both) (14); Ronnie McDowell (14); Dale McBride (11); Hank Williams Jr. (10).

YOU NEEDED ME-Anne Murray (Capitol) MAN MADE OF GLASS-Ed Bruce (Epic)

New Releases That Merit Airplay

I BELIEVE IN YOU-Mel Tillis (MCA) THE GAMBLER-Don Schlitz (Capitol)

Roundup Aberdeen (Jack McDaniel-KKAA) Deb-C.Lane (27), S.James (28), S.Posey (29), Stella Parton (30).

Akron (Don Dempsey-WSLR) Gns-Rex Jr. (29-24), S.Parton (35-29). Pl-B.J.Spears, Ronnie McDowell. Aberdeen (Jack McDaniel-KKAA) Deb-C.Lane (27), S.James (28), S.Posey (29), Stella Parton (30).

Akron (Don Dempsey-WSLR) Gns-Rex Jr. (29-24), S.Parton (35-29). Pl-B.J.Spears, Ronnie McDowell.

Amarillo (Terry Amburn-KBUY) Pl-Tammy Wynette, Dale McBride, D.Boone (GOD), Bellamy Bros.

Ann Arbor (Mark Thomas-WNRS) Gns-N.Felts (35-29). Pl-M.Turner, F.Hart, Bellamy Bros., R.McDowell.

Ashlend, Ky. (Dave McLain-WTCR) Pl-S.Parton, R.Anthony, Narvel Felts, C.Rich, Dave & Sugar.

Atlanta (Jim Clemens-WPLO) Deb-C.McClain (28). Pl-J.Olivor, R.Starr, A.Murray, Mel Tillis.

Austin (Jerry K.Green-KVET) Pl-M. Smith, Bill Anderson, Hank Jr. Pk-L.Anderson. Rg-R.Steagall.

Baltimore (Danny Reese-WPCO) Gns-Rex Jr. (26-19), Jim Ed & Helen (33-23). Pl-Statlers, W.Nelson.

Beaumont (Bob Shannon-KTRM) Deb-L.Gatlin (17), M.White (28). Pl-John Wesley Ryles, Randy Barlov.

Billings (Mary June-KBMY) Pl-J.Paycheck (JUG), S.Whipple, B.Bare, Oak Ridge Boys, B.Tyler.

Biloxi (Lance Carson-WVMI) Deb-Elvis (SOFTLY) (21), S.Allanson (25). Pl-Mickey Gilley, Jim Ed & H.

Birmingham (Dan Brennan-WVG) Deb-T.T.Hall (15), Dave & Sugar (18). Pl-Bill Anderson, R.Steagall.

Bismarck (Marv Allen-KBMY) Pl-J.Smith, Larry Gatlin, B.J.Spears, F.Hart. Rg-Billy Farker.

Boise (Paul Rider-KGEM) Gns-C.Rich (30-21). Pl-J.Paycheck (IRS), G.Watson. Rg-D.Boone, B.Anderson.

Cape Glaradeau (David Holt-KZYM) Deb-Cristy Lane (23). Pl-E.Harris, C.Rich, Statlers, S.Parton.

Carrollton (Ray Hammons-WLBB) Deb-D.Bowman (24), Moonlighters (25). Pl-Capt. & Tenn., J.Denver.

Charlotte (Larry James-WBT) Gns-S.James (31-21). Pl-R.McDowell, F.Hart. Rg-Bill Anderson.

Chicago (Bill Hart-WJJD) Deb-D.Rogers (28), S.Posey (29). Pl-J.Levis, T.Wynette, G.Watson.

Chilicothe, Ill. (Bill Burns-WCLL) Pl-Billy Swan, D.A.Coe. Rg-Willie Nelson (Col.), J.Howard.

Cleveland (Terry Stevens-WBK) Deb-G.Stewart (33), S.Wariner (37), T.Wynette (38), F.Bart (39).

Columbia (Ken Martin-WCOS/FM) Deb-G.Stewart (33), S.Wariner (37), T.Wynette (38), F.Bart (39).

Columbia (Ken Martin-WCOS/FM) Deb-G.Stewa Eau Claire (Ken Loomis-WAXX/FM) P1-T. Wynette, W. Neison (Col.), R. C. Ballion, C. McClain, S. W. K. Eugene (Bob Wise-KEED) P1-B.K. Perry, S. Wariner, C. McClain, Waylon & W. (GET OFF), F. Fender. Fargo (Donnie Roberts-KFGO) P1-Drifting Cowboys, N. Felts, B. J. Spears, Oaks, Bill Anderson. Florence (Paige Ferris-WXOR) Gns-E. Harris (19-11), R. Head (20-13). P1-M. Smith, Hank Jr. Fort Dodge (P. J. Winn-KWMT) P1-J. Paycheck, B. K. Perry, M. Street, J. W. Ryles, Bill Anderson. Fort Worth (Scott Reese-KXOL) P1-R. McDowell, S. Smith, L. Anderson, Del Reeves, B. J. Spears. Fort Worth/Dallas (Art Davis-WBAP) P1-E. Harris, R. Barlow, Jerry Reed, S. Posey, B. Borchers. ... Roundup cont'd. on page 6... ... Country Club, page 12... ... LP cuts, page 13...

Roundup (cont d. from pg. 5)

Hanford (Dave Bazzell-KNGS) Pl-J. Paycheck (IRS), B.J. Spears, Caks. Rq-B. Borchers, R. Anthony.

Harlan, Ky. (Rob Baxter-WFSR) Gns-R. Head (36-21). Pl-R. Barlow, T. Bresh, S. Whipple. Rq-C. Tango. Hollywood (Chris Shawn-WGMA) Gns-M.Gilley (31-25). Pl-Statlers, G.Stewart, J.Fricke. Rg-Caks.
Houma (Les Domangue-KCIL) Gns-J.Fricke (17-5), S.Posey (25-13), J.W.Ryles (39-14). Pk-J.Paycheck.
Houston (Joe Ladd-KIKK) Gns-G.Watson (35-22). Pl-Bill Nash, B.C.Craddock, M.Earwood, K.Dale.
Huntsville (Rick Warren-WBHP) Gns-R.Nelson (8-3). Pl-Capt. & Tennille, Bill Anderson.
Indianapolis (Herb Allen-WFMS) Gns-J.Rodriguez (18-4). Pl-S.Parton, C.Rich, L.Gatlin, Dave & S. Indianapolis (Herb Allen-WFMS) Gns-J.Rodriguez (18-4). Pl-S.Parton, C.Rich, L.Gatlin, Dave & S.
- - (Bill Robinson-WIRE) Pl-E.Arnold, Bobby Bare, Billie Jo Spears, Mel Street.

Jacksonville (John St. John-WQIK) Pl-Capt. & Tenn., Dale McBride, L.Anderson, S.Posey, B.J.Spears.

Jamestown (Mark Peterson-KSJB) Pl-Hank Jr., Ed Bruce, Billy Parker, B.C.Craddock, J.Buffett.

Kansas City (Don Rhea-KCKN) Gns- C. Rich (15-7), J.Stampley (17-10). Deb-R.Anthony (27).
- - (Ted Cramer-WDAF) #1-Dolly (2 DOORS). Deb-J.Stampley (16). Pl-Statlers, B.Anderson.

Kennewick (Doug Allen-KOTY) Pl-Bellamy Bros., Hank Williams Jr., Lynn Anderson, Roy Head.

Kingsville (Gordon K.Marcy-KINE) Deb-J.Fricke (29), J.Lee (30). Pl-C.Rich, L.Gatlin, Jerry Reed.

Lansing (Wayne Waters-WITL) Pl-F.Hart, Ronnie McDowell, Don Schlitz. Rq-S.Whipple, T.Wynette.

Las Vegas (Johnny Steele-KRAM) Pl-Oak Ridge Boys, E.Harris, Dave & Sugar, S.Allanson.

Lockhart (John Hood-KCLT) Pl-G.Watson, Dave & Sugar, S.Whipple, J.Paycheck (IRS), B.J.Spears.

Los Angeles (Cathy Hahn-KLAC) Gns-J.Stampley (38-27). Pl-Tom T.Hall, Bobby Borchers, Oaks.

Lynchburg (Cory Dennison-WERG) Gns-Larry Gatlin (30-17). Pl-T.Jennings, Earl Scruggs, S.Posey.

Manitowoc (Bob Irish-WCUB) Deb-L.Gatlin (29), J.W.Ryles (27). Pl-Bill Anderson, L.Anderson.

Miami (Ron Tatar-WWOK) Pl-B. Borchers, R.Barlow, S.Parton, Willie Nelson (RCA), Dave & Sugar.

Milwaukee (Ken Rice-WBCS) Deb-J.Fricke (27), M.Gilley (29), G.Stewart (30). Pl-J.L.Lewis, Stampley Milwaukee (Ken Rice-WBCS) Deb-J.Fricke (27), M.Gilley (29), G.Stewart (30). Pl-J.L.Lewis, Stampley Minneapolis (Gregg Lindahl-WDGY) Gns-J.Cash (15-9). Pl-S.James, Mickey Gilley, Willie (Col.). Missoula (Jack Lundy-KGRZ) Deb-J.L.Lewis (28). Pl-S.Posey, B.Borchers, Bill Anderson, G.Watson. Mobile (Bill Robbins-WKSJ) Gns-Rex Jr. (41-19). Deb-J.Stampley (20), G.Stewart (21). Pl-B.J.Spears Modesto (Kenny Roberts-KTRB) Pl-Dave & Sugar, S.Posey, C.Lane, S.Parton, B.Borchers. Monroe (Rob Williams-KNOE) Pl-J.L.Lewis, N.Felts, L.Anderson, L.Ronstadt (MARRY), B.Tyler. Montgomery (Diane Brennan-WBAM) Pl-Debby Boone (BABY), T.Bresh, M.Street, B.Anderson, R.McDowell. Nashville (Dale Turner-WKDA) Deb-Rex Jr. (28). Pl-B.Anderson, E.Harris, M.Smith, S.Wariner. - - (Mary Catherine-WSM) Gns-S.Parton (21-17), G.Watson (34-29). Pl-C.Hunley, Hank Jr. Natchez (Bob Cupit-WNAT) Pl-D.McCall. C.Peterson. Hank Jr., Clover Willis, L.Curtis, M.Lunsford. Natchez (Bob Cupit-WNAT) Pl-D.McCall, C.Peterson, Hank Jr., Clover Willis, L.Curtis, M.Lunsford. New Bern (Don Harrison-WBIC) Pl-D.McBride, J.Howard, J.Rogers, L.Curtis, Jerry Abbott.

Orlando (Mike Burger-WHOO) Gns-Dave & Sugar (20-9), D.Gibson (34-26). Pl-J.Cash & Waylon (CHAIN).

Oshkosh (Doug Lane-WYTL) Pl-Tom T.Hall, S.Posey, C.Lane, B.J.Spears, Bill Anderson.

Ottawa (Alden Weatherbie-KOFO) Gns-E.Harris (25-19). Pl-Rex Jr., Statlers, Larry Catlin. Pascagoula (Larry Hester-WGUD) Pl-S.Whipple, J.W.Ryles, T.Wynette, R.C.Bannon, Oaks, R.Barlow.
Phoenix (Terry Black-KJJJ) Pl-J.Russell, S.Whipple, B.C.Craddock, E.Bruce, G.Ortega.
- - (John Buchanan-KNIX) Pl-J.Paycheck (JUG), K.Dale, S.Posey, A.Murray, M.McDaniel.
Port Arthur (Dick Davis-KYKR) Pl-M.Smith, F.Hart, D.Boone (BABY), Bellamy Bros. Rq-K.Starr.
Portland (Bob Zane-KRDR) Gns-M.Gilley (17-7). Pl-P.Boone, D.Boone, Hank Jr. J.Howard, T.Wynette. Portland (Bob Zane-KRDR) Gns-M.Gilley (17-7). Pl-P.Boone, D.Boone, Hank Jr. J.Howard, T.Wynette.

Provo (Chris McGuire-KFTN) Gns-B.Tyler (36-26), C.McClain (38-30). Pl-B.Goldsboro, B.Anderson.

Pueblo (Randy Lee-KPUB) Pl-E.Harris, L.Gatlin, N.Felts, Oak Ridge Boys, Dale McBride.

Rochester (Pat O'Neill-KKEE) Deb-R.Anthony (29). Rq-John Ed Willowby, S.Whipple. Pl-D.Boone (GOD).

Saginaw (Tommy Samoray-WKCQ) Pl-Margo Smith, Mel Street, Billie Jo Spears, R.Barlow.

St. Cloud (Dean Allen-WWJO) Gns-D.Lee (23-16), N.Stuckey (31-25). Pl-W.Nelson (Col.), E.Harris.

St. Petersburg (Joe Patrick-WQYK/FM) Gns-S.Parton (20-15). Pl-J.L.Lewis, E.Clapton, G.Stewart.

Salem (J.A.Williams-KGAY) Pl-M.Smith, D.McCall, M.L.Turner, Cowboys, B.C.Craddock. Rq-Waylon & W.

San Diego (Ed Chandler-KSON) LP cut: Waylon & W. (DON'T CUSS). Deb-J.L.Lewis (43). Pl-Dave & S.

San Jose (Don West-KEED) Pl-M.Street, R.McDowell, B.Tyler, T.Wynette, Debby Boone.

Shreveport (Ron Scott-KEMD) Deb-D.Rogers (24). Pl-C.McClain, Bill Anderson, B.J.Spears, F.Hart. Shreveport (Ron Scott-KRMD) Deb-D.Rogers (24). Pl-C.McClain, Bill Anderson, B.J.Spears, F.Hart. South Bend (Tom Sidwell-WJVA) Pl-Dave & Sugar, J.Fricke, D.Gibson, Charlie Rich.

Stevens Point (Pat Martin-WXYQ) Gns-B.Tyler (21-7). Deb-Larry Booth (25). Pl-C.Rich, Dave & S. Tacoma (Russ Riley-KMO) Pl-E.Bruce, C.Peterson, B.C.Craddock, D. McCall, M.L.Turner.

Thibodaux (Rick Luquette-KTIB) Pk-B.C.Craddock (ABC), Starland Voc. Bd. Pl-M.McAnally, D.McCall. Thief River Falls (Jim Olson-KTRF) Deb-C.Rich (19), R.Anthony (20). Pl-J.Reed, Oaks, Willie (Col.)

Toledo (Bob Pepas-WTOD) Pl-L.Gatlin, B.Anderson, M.Smith, F.Hart, Sammi Smith. Rq-Mel Street.

Tulson (Tim Tyler-KIKX) Pl-Oaks, R.Barlow, B.Anderson, Sandy Posey. Rq-Larry Gatlin.

Tulsa (Billy Parker-KVOO) Pl-F.Hart, Bill Anderson, Stan Hitchcock. Rq-B.Tyler, M. Street.

- - (Fran Couch-KTOW) Gns-M.Wiseman (31-23). Rq-Oaks (FRECKLES). Pl-C.McLain, Oaks, B.J.Spears. Twin Falls (Carl R.Raida-KLIX) Pl-B.Anderson, J.Paycheck (IRS), D.Houston, Mel Street, T.T.Hall. Victoria (Marvin Paul-KNAL) Gns-M. Smith (37-25). Pk-M. Lane, B. Anderson. Pl-K. Price. Rq-J. Abbott. Waco (Ray Welch-KKIK) Deb-Bellamy Bros. (22). Rq-S. Whipple, Capt. & Tenn., F. Hart, B. Tyler. Washington, D.C. (Chris Gullett-WPIK/WXRA) Pl-E.Harris, R.Anthony, Drifting Cowboys, F.Hart. Wenatchee (Tim Scott-KUEN) Deb-M.Gilley (20). Pl-J.Howard, F.Fender, C.Rich, L.Gatlin. Wheeling (Bob Berry-WWVA) Pl-Debby Boone (BABY), T.Wynette, J.Paycheck (JUG), F.Hart.
Wichita (Don Walton-KFDI) Pk-D.McCall. Pl-S.Wright, C.Gray, M.Lunsford. Rq-S.Wariner, D.Orender.
Wolf Point (Jerry Gerke-KVCK) Gns-S.Parton (36-22). Pl-L.Anderson, S.Smith, F.Hart, B.Anderson.
Yankton (Jefferson Red-WNAX) Gns-S.Posey (35-28). Pl-C.Rich, Dave & Sugar, E.Harris, L.Gatlin.

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### Top 40 Station Reports - April 17 thru Wed. April 19 (Total Reports this week 225 - last week 211) Research Assistant - Kent Zimmerman

WHAT A NIGHT FOR DANCING-Barry White- 13 reports. On: WIFE. Also: WFLB (10), WONS (18 to 12), WGNI (18), WRFC (20), WGSV (29 to 22), WANS (23), 15Q (27). On: WBTR/FM, Q107, KAOK, KMHT, KWIC. DO YOU BELIEVE IN MAGIC-Shaun Cassidy- 20 reports. WBBQ (21), WOKY (27 to 22), WIFE (26). On: WPEZ. Also: WINW (11), WKLN (17), KBEQ (19), WACI (22), WBTR/FM (29 to 23), WAAY (24), WKKY (29), WAGQ (29), WTLB (29). On: KOBO, KSTN, KATI, WKYX, CKPR, WDLP. Rq: 15Q. Off: KGHO, WOHS.

I'VE NEVER BEEN TO ME-Mary Macgregor- 20 reports (18 last week). WFEC (7), WRBR (8), WZOO (12), WQEN (20 to 15), KRLC (19), KJAS (24), KAOK (25), KKIQ (26), WGOW (27). On: WANS, WIGY, Q107, WMFJ, WKLN, KFIV, KFMD, KYJC, KWWL, KWEB. Rq: KKOA.

DANCE WITH ME-Peter Brown- 26 reports (16 last week). 99X (15), WDRQ (28 to 18), KRBE (19), 96X (26). On: WNOE, WZZD. Also: WCIL/FM (12 to 7), KOBO (12), KWZ (17), WORC (23), WAGQ (23), WDLP (27), WONS (29), WTLB (29). On: WBGN, WBTR/FM, WFLB, WGNI, WYRE, WTMA, WRAW, WKWK, WKLN, KJAS, KOTN. Rq: 3WD.

I CAN'T STAND THE RAIN-Eruption- 26 reports (26 last week). KFXD (2), WNUE (7), WGNI (9), WMFJ (9), KJAS, KOTN. Rq: 3WD.

I CAN'T STAND THE RAIN-Eruption- 26 reports (26 last week). KFXD (2), WNUE (7), WGNI (9), WMFJ (9)

WCOS (17 to 11), WGOW (17 to 12), KFLY (14), WFBC (14), KMHT (24 to 16), WKKY (23 to 18),

KOZE (28), KWEB (30). On: WAGQ, WBGN, WBTR/FM, WCGQ, WIGY, WRFC, WRER, WQEN, WKSP, KYJC, KRLC,

KNDE. Rq: KIXS.

TOTAL AGAIN-Wet Willie- 45 reports (62 last week). WKXX (17), 94Q (23), WMAK (29). | Conference | Con TOP 40 Station Reports - continued from Page 7....

MORE THAN A WOMAN-Bee Gees- 92 reports (77 last week). WNBC (1), KFRC (4), 13Q (6), WNDE (8), KTRT (11), WZZD (20 to 11), KFI (15), KIIS/FM (16), KTAC (22 to 17), KJRB (17), WAKY (17), KYA (18), KGW (26 to 21), WDRC (26). On: WBEF, WHBQ WMAK, WGKY, WRKO, KJR. Also: WIBR (1), WRAW (1), KFRM (15 to 1), KSIY (1), KSTM (2), WAMS (3), 15Q (3), WZGO (3), WSGA (3), WONS (3)etc YOU BELONG TO MS-GAILY SIMON-102 reports. KRTH (26 to 21), WHBC (28 to 22), WFRO/FM (23), KIIS/FM (23), KRSP (26), KJRB (27), 94Q (28), WRKO (29), 293 (30). On: TENQ, WAYS, WBBQ, WDRQ, WKCX, WNDE, KFRC, KR, KRBE, KSIQ, KTAC, KYA. Also: KIXS (25), WGUY (27), WIGY (27), WIGY (27), WSGA (27), KERN (27), KNDE (28), WJO (28), WRSO (29), 293 (30). On: TENQ, WAYS, WBBQ, WDRQ, WKCX, WNDE, KFRC, KAR, KRBE, KSIQ, KTAC, KYA. Also: KIXS (25), WGUY (27), WIGY (27), WIGY (27), WSGA (27), KERN (27), KNDE (28), WJO (28), WJO (29), WTSN (29), WTRK (29), KOTIN (30), etc.

ON BROADMAY-George Benson- 104 reports (77 last week). 94Q (1), 96X (1), KFRC (3), KRBE (5), Y100 (13 to 7), WHBQ (7), KYA (16), KSIQ (22 to 17), KRTH (17), ZO3 (17), KNDW (28 to 19), 99X (19), WMAK (24), KLIF (24), WAYS (25), WBBQ (25), 13Q (28), WBBF (29), WAKY (30). On: TENQ, WKCX, WRKO, KFT, KINC, KJR, KJRB. Also: KNDE (3), KOY (4), KOBO (8), KAYC (15 to 9), etc.

BISCO INFERNO-THE Trammps- 109 reports (94 last week). WNDE (3), WFDO (4), WBBF (24 to 16), KJR (18), TENQ (23 to 18), 13Q (19), 293 (19), KFI (26 to 19), WKCX (26 to 20), KRBE (29 to 24), KRBY (25), WFBE (26), WORY (29). On: WARY, WNCI. Also: CKIOI (1), KNDE (11 to 2), KIBD (2), etc.

BASY HOLD ON-Eddie Money- 116 reports (102 last week). P4Q (8 to 3), 293 (7), WODE (14 to 9).

WAKY (12), WKCX (18 to 13), WMCI (13), WSAI (13), KFRC (13), KYA (14), WZZD (15), KRTH (16),

WZZD (12), WCKX (18 to 13), WGCI (13), WSAI (13), KFRC (13), KYA (14), WZZD (15), KRTH (16),

On: WHEW, WON'Y, 99X, KING, KJRB. Also: WKNY (1), WFDO (1), KRB (26), WRRY (27), WCD (10), WGR (29), WGRY (29), WGRY (2 -DEBUTS-TOO MUCH, TOO LITTLE...-J. Mathis & D. Williams- 144 reports (104 last week). WHBQ (2), WIFE (2), WDRQ (6), 96X (20 to 8), KSLQ (13 to 8), KGW (16 to 10), WAYS (17 to 11), WGCL (21 to 13), 99X (17), WAKY (28 to 18), WMAK (26 to 18), KRTH (19), WKXX (19), KFRC (25 to 20), WCOL (30 to 21), WNCI (21), WMET (27 to 22), WBBF (22), Z93 (28 to 23), KING (23), KJRB (24), WRKO (25), etc WEREWOLVES OF LONDON-Warren Zevon- 150 reports (138 last week). WGCL (16 to 7), KREE (7), WBBQ (10) KIIS/FM (17 to 11), 13Q (12), KRTH (20 to 15), KFI (21 to 16), WRKO (21 to 16), WPRO/FM (16), WKXX (16), KFRC (17), WPEZ (18), KJRB (19), WIFI (20), TENQ (21), KSLQ (22), KRSP (22), 99X (22), WDRQ (22), WBBF (25), KLIF (25), 96X (27), WNOE (28), KGW (29), WMAK (30), etc.

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New Adds

Depth reports on newer airplay, derived from a selected section of top 40 correspondents are listed below in regional order. Stations included may vary from week to week. Listing of any station has no relationship to its audience rating in its market.

Bath, Jack O'Brian-WIGY- Wha-Koo, George Benson, Linda Ronstadt, Eddie Money, Dolly Parton.
Boston, Harry Nelson-WIRO- Meatloaf, Sweet, George Benson. Deb: Mathis & Williams, Carly Simon.
Providence, Gary Berkowitz-WRO/FM- Meatloaf, Abba, Mathis & Williams, Deb: Entyler, A.R.S.
New York, Rich/Myzal-99X- J.Starship, Patti Smith, Andy Gibb, Eddie Money.
Philadelphia, Jeff Robins-WIFI- Billy Joel, Andy Gibb, Styx, Steely Dan (DEACON). Deb: A.R.S.
Charlotte, Roy Rosen-WAYS- Abba, Carly Simon, Warren Zevon, Reatwave, Seals & Crofts.
Anderson, Bill McCown-WANS- Trammps, Lynyrd Skynyrd, Abba, Gerry Rafferty, M.Macgregor.
Charleston, Bob McLaine-WIMA- Peter Brown, Patti Smith, Gerry Rafferty, Gynsey, L.Ronstadt, Abba
Augusta, Bruce Stevens-WBBQ- Carly Simon, Meatloaf, Jimmy Buffett, Deb: S.Dan, G.Rafferty.
Savannah, Brady MacGraw-WGGA- Eddie Money. Carly Simon, O'Jaya, Bhlly Joel, Barry Manilov.
Atlanta, Don Benson-94Q- Barry Manilov, Gerry Rafferty, Carly Simon, Steely Dan (FM).
O'Lando, Chris O'Neal-WLOF- Mathis & Williams, Bonnie Tyler, Diana Ross, Kenny Loggins.
Miami, Colleen Cassidy-Ti00- Barry Manilov, Jefferson Starship, Seals & Crofts.
Guntersville, Kerry Jackson-WGSV- Paul Davis, Carly Simon, Gerry Rafferty, Abba.
Jackson, Tom Daniels-WIDX- Bonnie Tyler, Gerry Rafferty, Andy Gibb. Deb: Travoits/Olivia.
Memphis, John Long-WHBQ- Barry White, Eddie Money. Deb: Chuck Mangione, Andy Gibb.
Chattanooga, David Carroll-WGOV- Andy Gibb, Gerry Rafferty, Michael Johnson, S.Sang, Carly Simon.
Nashville, Jim Holton-WAK- Bee Gees (WOMAN), Carly Simon, Rod Stevart. Deb: G.Benson, A.Gibb.
Lexington, Jim Jordan-WVLK- Mathis/Williams, Bonnie Tyler, Eddie Money, Player.
Indianapolis, Jerry Steele-WIFF- Andy Gibb, Gerry Rafferty, Mive, Rare Barth, Billy Joel.
Columbus, Steve Edwards-WKCI- Mathis & Williams, Warren Zevon, Styx, Robert Palmer.
Coleveland, Bob Travis-WCCI- Genesis. Deb: Jefferson Starship, Allan Clarke.
Pittsburgh, Patti Sullivan-13Q- George Benson, Meatloaf, Robert Palmer,
Madison, R.J. Reynolds-WISM- Abba, Carly S

Mt. Vernon, Jim Allan-KBRC- Heart
Yakima, Brady Layman-KQOT- Steely Dan
Tri-Cities, Tom Mann-KALE- Steely Dan
Boise, Charlie Fox-KFXD- Gerry Rafferty
-- Steve Homan-KWZ- #11-Sweet
Lewiston, Steve McKelvie-KRLC- Wha-Koo
Moscow, Gary Cummings-KRPL- \*Cowboy
Missoula, Vern Argo-KYLT- Jacky Ward
Helena, Bobby Rivers-KCAP- Fotomaker

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Bozeman, Dennis Nichols-KBOZ- Gerry Rafferty
Great Falls, John Walton-KEIN- Michael Johnson
Billings, Jack Bell-KYYA- Warren Zevon
- - Allen Moos-KOOK- Meatloaf
Anchorage, Tony Mitchell-KENI- Eddie Money
- - Brian Christian-KANC- Bonnie Tyler
Toronto, John Terminesi-CHUM- Player (HIT SONG)
Thunder Bay, B.M. Dean-CKPR- George Benson

KSLM-Salem, Ore. WLAM-Lewiston, Me. KASH-Eugene KSEE-Santa Maria, Ca. KOFM-Oklahoma City WCGQ-Columbus, Ga. KASH-Eugene KOTN-Pine Bluff KLOU-Lake Charles WJFI-Vicksburg, Miss. KKXI-Grand Forks, N.D. WKBN-Youngstown, Ohio KSFO-San Francisco KVOL-Lafayette, La. KRAV-Tulsa, Ok. KLOG-Longview, Wn. KUCN-Eugene, Ore. WCGQ-Columbus, Ga. Burkhart/Abrams-Atlanta Z96-Grand Rapids, Mich.

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\*No Calls Please

Requirements
Newsman
Newsperson
Newsperson (E.O.E.-M/F)
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News Director (E.O.E.-M/F)
Air Talent (weekend)
Air Talent (part-time)
Air Talent/Production
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Fitchburg (Chuck Morgan-WEIM) Airwaves/Sang/Robert John/Denver. Calls: Gibb/Odyssey/C. Simon. Flint (Ken Byers-WTRX) Reddy/Humperdinck. Gains: N. Cole/Parton/Browne/Atlanta Rhy. Section. Ft. Lauderdale (Mike Harvey-WFTL) Don Williams/Spyro Gyra/Capt. & Tennille/Denver/M. Johnson. Grand Rapids (Doc Donovan-WLAV) Carly Simon/M. Johnson/Humperdinck/Abba/Joel/Denver. Green Bay (Jim Trotter-WNFL) Reddy/Capt. & Tennille/Gibb/Seals & Crofts. Gains: N. Cole. Helena (Harley Dee-KBLL) Capt. & Tennille/Cowboy/Airwaves/D. Ross/McAnally. Calls: Rafferty. Houston (Chuck Buell-KULF) Heatwave (old)/Welch. - - (John Jenkins-KXYZ) Player/Joel. Gains: Parton/Mangione/Tyler/Wings.

Jefferson City (Mike Schaefer-KJMO) S. Sang/Seals & Crofts/Clarke/Bonoff/Fleetwood Mac (GOLD DUST)

Kansas City (Steve Bell-KMBZ) Denver/C. Simon/Seals & Crofts/Capt. & Tennille. Gains: Parton. Keene (Sandy Ellsworth-WKNE) Heart/Abba/Capt. & Tennille/Rubicon. Gains: Parton/Palmer/Travolta & O Kingston (Bruce Conklin-WGHQ) J. Olivor/Capt. & T./Denver/Rafferty/Genesis/Ross/Midler/Manilow.

Klamath Falls (Jim Howe-KAGO) C. Simon/Manilow/Capt. & Tennille/Denver/M. Johnson/Genesis.

Lincoln (Cathy Blythe-KFOR) Sang/Gibb/D. Ross/Rafferty/Starland Vocal Bd. Gains: Wings/Macgregor.

Los Angeles (Tess Russell & Jane Hassler-KMPC) Mathis & Williams. Gains: Elliman/Wings/Dan & Coley.

- - (Michael Sheehy-KNX/FM) Elton John/Gibb/G. Rafferty.

Macon (Steve Murphy-WMAZ) Abba/Capt. & Tennille/Rafferty/Airwaves/C. Simon/Manilow/Denver.

Manchester (Bob Kennedy-WKBR) Travolta & Olivia/Player/Tuxedo Junction. Gains: Parton/Boone (BABY).

Marion (Jim Roberts-WDIF) Seels & Crofts/Capt. & Tennille/Ree Gees (WOMAN). Gains: Travolta & O. Marion (Jim Roberts-WDIF) Seals & Crofts/Capt. & Tennille/Bee Gees (WOMAN). Gains: Travolta & O. Mason City (Steve Locker-KGLO) Seals & Crofts/Capt. & Tennille/C. Simon/Manhattan Trsf./Conti. Miami Beach (Rick Peters-WWL) C. Simon/Genesis/R. Palmer/Seals & Crofts. Gains: Wings. - - (Al Anderson-WIOD) D. Ross/Manilow (COPA)/Jane Olivor.
Midland (Kirk Hughes-WMPX) George Benson/Capt. & T./M. Johnson/Seals & Crofts/Spyro Gyra. Milwaukee (Mike Elliott-WTMJ) Gibb/M. Johnson/S. Sang/Airwaves/D. Ross. Gains: Starship/Abba. Minneapolis (Curt Lundgren-WCCO/FM) Rafferty/Denver/Gibb/Rod Stewart/Ringo/McAnally.
Missoula (Van Wagoner-KGVO) Denver/Gibb/Simon/Jeffereys. Gains: Raydio/Simon/Parton/Wings. Nashville (Mary Catherine-WSM) Manilow/Murray/M. Johnson. Gains: Wings/W. Nelson/Player. Newport (Denny Pace-KNPT) Abba/Odyssey/Pure Prarie League/E. Arnold/Starland Vocal Band. New York (Jeff Mazzei-WNEW) P. Allen/Manilow/Boone (GOD KNOWS)/J. Ward. Gains: B. Tyler/Elliman. Northfield (Mike Wrubel-KYMN) Abba/Cuba Gooding/D. Ross/McAnally/Jane Olivor.
Odessa (Dave Prescott-KQIP) Spyro Gyra/Alpert & Masekela/B. White/Rafferty. Gains: Player/Starship. Olympia (Dick Pust-KGY) Gibb/Denver/Seals & Crofts/Tyler/Capt. & Tennille. Calls: Dan & Coley. Osburn (Dave Nesbitt-KWAL) Tyler/Seals & Corfts/C. Simon/Capt. & Tennille/D. Boone (GOD KNOWS). Paducah (J. Erick Foreman-WDXR) Boone (both)/Capt. & Tennille/Jones & Stanley Band/S. & Crofts. Pendleton (Bob Walker-KTIX) Capt. & Tennille/Simon/Rutles/Bellamy Bros./Airwaves/Seals & Crofts. Philadelphia (Jim Lloyd-WIP) Carly Simon/Abba/D. Ross. Gains: Andy Gibb/Atlanta Rhy. Section. Phoenix (Dan Armstong-KOY) Manilow/C. Simon/Boone (BABY)/Denver (new). Gains: C. Pride. Pittsburgh (Chuck Brinkman-WTAE) Zevon/Gold. Gains: Skyliners/Atlanta Rhy. Section/Mathis & Wms. Portland, Me. (Marji Cyr-Adams-WGAN) Palmer/Abba/Seals & Crofts. Gains: Wings/Starship. Portland, Ore. (Bob Swanson-KEX) C. Simon/Fricke/Starship/Player. Sales: Raydio/Travolta & Olivia. Providence (Joe Thomas-WJAR) Manilow/W. Nelson/R. Stewart/J. Olivor/Peter Allen. Pueblo (Ken Harthoorn-KCSJ) Denver/Dara Sedaka/Clapton/Parton. Gains: Humperdinck/Martino. Quad Cities (Jim Mahanay-WQUA) Eddie Money/B. Tyler. Gains: Wings/Mathis & Williams.
Racine (Bob Cook-WRJN) Denver/Abba/Humperdinck/Tom Jones/Capt. & Tennille. Gains: Wings/Meatloaf. Reno (Mike Haggerty-KOLO) McAnally/B. Roberts/Ringo. Gains: Steely Dan/Benson/Mangione.
Roseburg (Tom Worden-KRSB) Elton/Humperdinck/Parton/Seals & Crofts/Macgregor/Heatwave (old).
Roswell (Larry Ahrems-KBCQ) D. Ross/C. Simon/Reddy/Abba. Gains: Gibb/Humperdinck. Sacramento (D. Darin & L. Kirk-KCRA) Abba/Capt. & Tennille. Saginaw (Rick Belcher-WSGW) Capt. & Tennille/Mathis & Wms./W. Nelson/Edwards & Ralph/Denver/Abba. St. Joseph (Phil O'Neil-KSFT) Parton/Simon/A. Gibb. Gains: Player/Rubicon/Wings/Alan Clarke. St. Louis (Ed Scarborough-KSD) Flack & Hathaway/Gibb/Seals & Crofts/C. Simon. Gains: Wings. San Diego/Vista (Don Michaels-KMLO) G. Rafferty. Gains: N. Cole/Bee Gees (WOMAN)/Starship/E,W. & F. San Diego (Clark Anthony-KFMB) Wings/George Benson/Paul Simon. San Francisco (Don Hofmann-KSFO) C. Simon/M. Johnson/Abba/Andy Gibb.
San Luis Obispo (Anna Bokma-KVEC) Wings/W. Egan/D. Ross/Denver. Gains: Gibb/Travolta & Olivia. Santa Maria (Denny Luell-KUHL) Abba/Capt. & Tennille/Airwaves/Ringo. Gains: Mangione/Mathis & Wms. Schenectady (Lee Fowler-WGY) Denver/Seals & Crofts/V. McCoy/Manilow. Calls: M. Johnson/Reddy/Abba. Scranton (Chris Norton-WEJL) Andy Gibb. Gains: C. Simon/Mathis & Wms./Humperdinck/Wings. Seattle (Carol Stripling-KVI) Andy Gibb/Seals & Crofts/Rafferty. - - (Dick Cross-KOMO) M. Johnson. Gains: Stewart Harris/Martino/Parton/The Babys/R. Nelson. Sharon (Jack Taylor-WPIC) Bee Gees (WOMAN)/Boone (BABY)/C. Simon/Abba/M. Johnson. Gains: Wings. Spokane (Barry Watkins-KHQ) Gibb/Travolta & Olivia. Gains: Wings/Atlanta Rhythm Section. - (Chuck Harmon-KXLY) Gold/Garfunkel/Tuxedo Junction/Benson/Bob James/Rafferty. Toledo (Leah Myers-WSPD) C. Simon/Jeffries & Snow/D. Ross/M. Johnson/Seals & Crofts/Egan. Tri Cities (Ed Ray-KORD) Jefferys & Snow/M. Johnson/C. Simon/Tyler. Gains: Mathis & Williams. Tulare (Chuck Carson-KCOK) J. Ward/Benson/Player. Gains: A. Gold/Flack & Hathaway/Mangione.
Tulsa (Don Bishop-KRMG) C. Simon/Manilow/Player. Calls: Mathis & Williams/Boone (GOD KNOWS).
- - - (Kenny King-KRAV) George Benson/M. Johnson/Mathis & Williams.
Twin Falls (Randy Elison-KEEP) B. Tyler/Gibb/Steely Dan. Gains: Rubicon/Starship/Lightfoot/Money. Tyler (Brad Houston-KTBB)Abba/Andy Gibb/Carly Simon. Gains: Wings/E.L.O./Parton/Macgregor.
Vacaville (Matt Steiger-KUIC) Abba/Tyler/Rafferty/D. Ross/Genesis/W. Egan/Fogelberg/Pure Prarie Lg.
Wahpeton (Kris Delaney-KBMW) B. Tyler/Capt. & Tennille/C. Simon/S. Sang/Conti. Warwick (Dick Wells-WTBQ) C. Simon/Denver/Capt. & T./Buffett/Garrett/Cowboy/J. Rogers. Waterloo (Jay Douglas-KXEL/FM) Heart/C. Simon/Steely Dan (FM).
Wausau (Chuck Williams-WSAU) Abba/Capt. & Tennille/Starland Vocal Band/C. Simon/D. Ross/McAnally. West Palm Beach (Russ Morley-WJNO) J. Denver/H. Reddy/N. Cole. Calls: Boone (BABY) Wichita (Jack Oliver-KAKE) Finnigan/M. Johnson/Joel/C. Simon. Calls: Manilow (COPA). Winston-Salem (Kim Jones-WSJS) G. Benson/Gibb/Travolta & Olivia. Gains: Dan & Coley/Lightfoot. Yakima (Frank Taylor-KMWX) Abba/Rafferty/Johnson/Gibb/Seals & C./Conti/Airwaves.

Gavin's Gab

"Around the World in (Less Than) 80 Days"

David Niven he's not, but Bob Laurence will help KLEO-Wichita with their newly acquired \$10,000 hot air balloon. Balloons are popular in Wichita; there's a club for balloon-owners and every year at the "Spring River Festival," a flotilla of 50 to 75 is seen criss-crossing the city's skies. Races, including "Hare & Hounds," are staged, using balloons. As a tie-in, listeners are attempting to name KLEO's balloon, and at the Festival May 5-7, the winner will christen it and pocket a U.S. Savings Bond.

Bob, soon to be one of KLEO's official Balloon Operators with FAA license in hand, says the success of a balloon's flight hinges on weather conditions. If the wind is strong, the balloon can move at very fast speeds, making landing very tricky. The hot air fire in the center of the basket makes a roaring sound while in flight, but no wind sounds are heard. Except for the fire, a trip by balloon sounds unusually "still."

It could be "Around Wichita in Three Days;" then again, it could be "Vertigo," or "High Anxiety" or "30-Seconds Over Wichita."

San Jose Sounds

Making inroads through San Jose radio is 10,000 watt KXRX with its unusual Adult Contemporary/ News Block format, on the air since December. M.D. Bill Stone moved in just before Christmas, updated the playlist and modified the approach to a more mellow, relaxed sound. Mixed with personality news talk shows in morning and afternoon drives, sports talk from 7-8 and from 10:30 PM, all night syndication with the Larry King Show, the station moved from .6 in the October/November book to 3.3 in the January/February one. Got something there?

A Day in the Life Of ...

Like program directors everywhere right now, Bill Mayne at KNOW-Austin is living from weekend to harried weekend and asking "what, more?" Every Saturday and Sunday since March 11th, KNOW has played basketball, volleyball and backgammon at local high schools as part of its 56th anniversary celebration. The Backgammon Tournament at Waterloo Park raised \$100,000 for the Austin Symphony with help from Willie Nelson, who performed twice. The station's 50th annual Kite Flying Contest took place March 19th for a crowd of 7000. The actual birthday celebration happened March 24-26 with ex-KNOW jocks and artist greetings, a party in Zilker Park with free food, games, balloons and cold, muggy weather. April 1st, the KNOW jocks walked the 20 kilometers for the March of Dimes, raising \$30,000. In between the birthday and the Walkathon, Bill was handling a new cart machine conversion, and huffing and puffing for the His wife was moving their household belongings from an apartment to their March of Dimes. brand new four bedroom house. The new dishwasher blew up and flooded later that night, and the refrigerator, of course, was the wrong color. Other than that there isn't much going on in the life of this P.D. The Owner's "On the Air"

Denny Bixler, co-owner of WVAM-Altoona, Pa., hosts a fairly spectacular talk show from 12-1 and 5-6 weekdays. After four terms in the Pennsylvania legislature and a losing bid for U.S. Congress, Denny returned to radio in 1974. He has since traveled with President Carter on his seven-nation tour last fall, the Panama Canal trip and the South American-African trips in March, as part of the press corps. Two weeks after Anwar Sadat visited Jerusalem last December, Denny and his wife flew to Israel where he filed reports with the station. Two years ago, his house was placed under heavy police-security after he reached Sandra Goode by phone and taped her threats to kill a number of top American businessmen. (Goode was Squeaky Frome's roommate in the Spring of 1976 when Frome attempted to shoot then-President Gerald Ford.) Denny's interview helped indict Goode, who was subsequently sent to prison for 15 years. Obviously the man is an extraordinary owner.

"Play Ball!" Another encounter with the White House will happen April 22nd when the WDIF-Marion "Bodywatchin' Softball Superstars" open their 1978 season against the White House team led by Hamilton Jordan and Jody Powell. The event came about when the station invited Mrs. Lillian Carter to throw the first ball of the season in Marion last year. The White House responded by challenging the WDIF team to a game the following season. "But Ohio's a Republican state!" M.D. Jim Roberts exclaimed, recovering happily from the shock. While WDIF is hustling on the bases, look for

Jordan and Powell -- hustling votes for their boss.

KCRA-Sacramento would like to hear from recording artists for on-air phone interviews. Contact Dave Darin, Monday through Friday, 8:30 to 5:30, at 916-441-5272, to set up times. KSKG-Salina, Ks., is celebrating the third anniversary of its move to 100,000 watts and requests

calls from artists and ex-jocks for on-air greetings. Contact David Stone.

Bill Robinson, P.D. at WIRE-Indianapolis, also coordinates syndication for a number of A-C stations and needs Adult Contemporary product from all sources. Address: The Music Works, 6238 Lapas Trail, Indianapolis, 46268.

KTSA-San Antonio Bruce Hathaway David Gayle Trevlyn Ryan Charlie Brown Michael Chase John Driscoll J.J.Rodriguez

Lineups WCPI-Wheeling, W.Va. Dave & Dawn Jill Shontos Gary Beck Tory Tolley Ted Deseldig

KYNG-Coos Bay Rich Waters David Lee Rod Lewis Howard Pergament

KMJC-San Diego Chris Cane Bobby Malik Roger W. Morgan Kevin O'Day

WANS-Anderson, S.C. Mark Sanders Mike McCoy Bill McCown Frankie J. Nonna Chris Scott Nelson Hunter

KCRS-Midland Too Tall Paul Ross Dick Baze Dave Howard Darrell Ward Don Clay Jim Shaw Rick Abraham

WSMM-Sault Ste.Marie Bob Martin Tom Ewing Dennis Sutton Morris Thomas Don Bentley Bill Crawford

KMGK-Des Moines Bwana Johnny Benjamin Hill Dave McKay Jay Street Michael Stone Carol

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President Jimmy Carter called country music "an important part of me" and said it was a "treasure" at a reception in the East Room honoring several hundred members of the C.M.A. April 17th.

Conway Twitty, Loretta Lynn and Tom T. Hall performed for the black-tie affair.

WKDA-Nashville held a Spring Showcase at the "Possum Holler" April 11th. Although the event was not promoted as a benefit, Charlie Rich, Narvel Felts, Melba Montgomery, John Wesley Ryles, Don King and Tommy Jennings performed, helping the station raise \$3000 for the widow of ex-

WKDA air talent, Bob Lockwood, who died of cancer.

The winner of a complete Elvis Presley catalog at WCOS/FM-Columbia must turn in a list of the Elvis album titles given out on the air. One woman, missing a few titles on her list, used her C.B. for four hours, trying to find out the answers.

Ten thousand people showed up for Roy Clark and Tammy Wynette's show in Kemper Arena April 12th, when WDAF-Kansas City sponsored a benefit for the Baker University Scholarship Fund. The station broadcast the concert and Ted Cramer emcee'd. Roy received an honorary degree from the school, which has an enrollment of 3000 students and is located in Baldwin.

Rex Allen Jr. did the 10-3 air shift with his brother, Mark Allen, air talent at KIKX-Tucson, April 19th. Rex was in town for two days during the Pima County Fair, running from April 14

April 19th. Rex was in town for two days during the Fima County Fair, running from April 14 though 23rd. Stella Parton and Tom Bresh also performed at the Fair.

With over \$10,500 at stake, WBRG-Lynchburg, Va., listeners are trying to match the serial numbers of one dollar bills against those called out on the air in the "Great Money Match."

KEED-Eugene is giving away T-shirts that display the faces of Trailblazer team members, during

the on-going play-offs.
Winners of the WYTH-Oshkosh, Wis., CRY CRY DARLING weekend contest received the Con Hunley single, an onion and an "Oshkosh B'Gosh" Bandana.

In a benefit for Muscular Dystrophy, WKCQ-Saginaw, Mich., will present Charlie Rich and Eddie Rabbitt in concert on April 28th.

KJJJ-Phoenix has Waylon Jennings, Sammi Smith, Jesse Colter, Bobby Borchers, Johnny Rodriguez and lot's of local talent confirmed for performance dates at the "Big Country Music Festival" April 29-30. The event will raise funds for the Apache and San Carlos Indian Scholarship Fund.

KMO-Tacoma anticipates a huge crowd for opening day of baseball in Tacoma April 23. The station bought the ball park for the day and is letting listeners in free. Opening day last year set an all-time attendance record for baseball in Tacoma.

Jobs: WXYQ-Stevens Point, Wis., is looking for a modern country air talent. Contact Pat Martin at 715-341-1300.

KBUY-Amarillo, Tx., has a program director/air talent position open. Tapes and resumes to Terry Amburn, Box 5844, Zip 79107. Phone: 806-372-4731.

WKCQ-Saginaw, Mi., has at Box 1776, Zip 48605. has two full-time openings for air talent. Tapes and resumes to Tom Samoray

KSO-Des Moines, Iowa, is accepting tapes from air talent for future openings. Tapes and resumes to Perry St. John, 3900 N.E. Broadway, Zip 50317.

Service: WFSR-Harlan, Ky., needs service from Monument.

KINE-Kingsville, Tx., does not have the current singles by The Statler Bros., Johnny Rodriguez

and Jerry Lee Lewis on Mercury. The station also needs the Billy Crash Craddock single on Cap. WBRG-Lynchburg, Va., would appreciate album service from all sources.

KTRM-Beaumont, Tx., needs service from Mercury.

KTRB-Modesto, Ca., has not received the latest Tom T. Hall, Gene Watson or Emmylou Harris

singles.

Changes: William H. Johnson, Jr., formerly Sales Manager of WKNX-Saginaw, is the new General Manager of WDEE-Detroit and Tom Allen from KBOX-Dallas has taken over the responsibilities of Program Director.

J.D. Cannon was promoted to Music Director at WFMS-Indianapolis.

#### Service

Station KVEC-San Luis Obispo Requests Singles From Capitol KYMN-Northfield, Minn. H.Reddy & M.Johnson singles Capitol/EMI WGAN-Portland, Me. J.Travolta & O.Newton-John single RSO KKBJ-Bemidji, Minn. RCA/Capitol Dolly Parton/Wings singles KBOM-Bismarck, N.D. J.Buffett album ABC KKBJ-Bemidji, Minn. Wings album Capitol KCAP-Helena Albums Polydor/Mushroom WAIL-Baton Rouge Albums All sources KKQQ-Clovis, N.M. KRIX-Brownsville, Tx. Albums All sources Albums All sources KHSN-Coos Bay, Ore. RSO/Columbia Singles and albums WKOR-Starkville, Miss. Singles and albums Capitol/20th/U.A. WSJM-St. Joseph, Mich. Singles and albums All sources KLEE-Ottumwa Oldies All sources

Changes

Jody Hotka Bob Stevenson Tom Brewer George Sepulvida Frank Terry Tommy Lee Karen Lee Kim Jeffries B.J. Adams Jay Michaels Barry Watkins Chris O'Brien Nick Alexander Gene Shaw Beau Phillips Rick Broussard Blaine Kelly K.C. Hobgood

KEEP-Twin Falls WTLB-Winston Salem KEXO-Grand Junction KPTL-Carson City WROA-Gulf Port WANL-Lineville, Al. WLST-Marionette, Ws. WJON-St. Cloud Z98-Little Rock WHNN-Bay City, Mich. KHQ-Spokane Z96-Grand Rapids KLIF-Dallas KKXI-Grand Forks KYA/FM-San Francisco KNIR-New Iberia G100-Mobile KAOK-Lake Charles

KJRB-Spokane WISE-Asheville KYSN-Colorado Spgs. KOLO-Reno WABB/FM-Mobile WGAD-Gadsden WJON-St. Cloud KS95-Minneapolis KEY8-Corpus Christi Z96-Grand Rapids promoted to promoted to Gl00-Mobile KISD-Sioux Falls KISW/FM-Seattle resigned as resigned as promoted to

Assignment Production Director Air Talent Music Director Music Director Program Director Program Director Program Director Program Director Program Director Program Director Asst. Oper. Mgr.



#### Album of the Week (reviewed by Ron Fell)

"Takin' It Easy"-Seals & Crofts (Warner Bros.) When they are good they are very good and there is more good here than on most of their earlier albums. TAKIN' IT EASY sets an unusually hot pace for these two, usually acoustic, musketeers and the rhythm tracks on BREAKING IN A BRAND NEW LOVE and NOBODY GETS OVER LOVIN' YOU add substance to their bright and tight vocals. The quick acceptance of YOU'RE THE LOVE by many A-C programmers and the natural beauty of ONE MORE TIME and SUNRISE contribute further to an attractive package.

Also recommended from the following LP's:

Stardust"-Willie Nelson (Columbia) GEORGIA ON MY MIND/BLUE SKIES/SEPTEMBER SONG/ON THE SUNNY SIDE OF THE STREET/MOONLIGHT IN VERMONT

"Sweet Cheeks"-Duke Jupiter (Mercury) WHEN THE LADIES GET DOWN/YOU KNOW THAT'S WHY I LOVE YOU/ DAYS BETWEEN US

"All I Want To Do In Life"-Jack Clement (Elektra) ROVING GAMBLER/WE MUST BELIEVE IN MAGIC/ GOOD HEARTED WOMAN/IT'LL BE HER

"Future Bound"-Tavares (Capitol) THE GHOST OF LOVE/TIMBER/WE'RE BOTH READY FOR LOVE/ MORE THAN A WOMAN

"Midnight Believer"-B.B. King (ABC) WHEN IT ALL COMES DOWN/MIDNIGHT BELIEVER/I JUST CAN'T LEAVE YOUR LOVE ALONE/HOLD ON

"U.K."-U.K. (Polydor) PRESTO VIVACE AND REPRISE/ALASKA

"Bad Boy"-Ringo Starr (Portrait) LIPSTICK TRACES (ON A CIGARETTE)/ HEART ON MY SLEEVE/ MONKEY SEE-MONKEY DO

"Just Fly"-Pure Prairie League (RCA) PLACE IN THE MIDDLE/LOVE IS FALLING/WORKING IN THE COAL MINE/MY YOUNG GIRL

"Almighty Fire"-Aretha Franklin (Atlantic) ALMIGHTY FIRE (WOMAN OF THE FUTURE)/KEEP ON LOVING

YOU/I NEEDED YOU BABY/CLOSE TO YOU
"Sergio Mendes Brasil 88"-Sergio Mendes (Elektra) WATERS OF MARCH/THAT'S ENOUGH/ONE MORE LIE/ MIDNIGHT LOVERS

"Never My Love"-Vern Gosdin (Elektra) CATCH THE WIND/BREAK MY MIND/FORGET YESTERDAY

"Demis Roussos"-Demis Roussos (Mercury) LOVING ARMS/LIFE IN THE CITY/I JUST LIVE/THE OTHER WOMAN

"Together Forever"-The Marshall Tucker Band (Capricorn) I'LL BE LOVING YOU/SINGING RHYMES

"Do What You Wanna Do"-The Dramatics (ABC) DO WHAT YOU WANT TO DO/DISCO DANCE CONTEST/YO' LOVE

Our correspondents recommend the following LP cuts: (Most frequently mentioned are underlined)

Adult Contemporary Bee Gees-MORE THAN A WOMAN Barry Manilow-COPACABANA

Billy Joel-SHE'S ALWAYS A WOMAN

Andrew Gold-NEVER LET HER SLIP AWAY Eng.Dan & J.F.Coley-YOU CAN'T DANCE/

SOME THINGS DON'T COME EASY Jimmy Buffett-SON OF A SON OF A SAILOR

Carly Simon-DEVOTED TO YOU/TRANQUILLO Gene Cotton-YOU'RE A PART OF ME Wings-LONDON TOWN/DELIVER YOUR CHILDREN

Maria Muldaur-MAKE LOVE TO THE MUSIC

Gordon Lightfoot-DAYLIGHT KATY

Boz Scaggs-STILL FALLING FOR YOU

Country Music Eddie Rabbit-YOU DON'T LOVE ME/ROOM AT THE

TOP/PLAIN AS THE PAIN Rogers & West-YOU & ME/LAY DOWN BESIDE ME/

ANYONE WHO ISN'T ME TONIGHT

Oak Ridge Boys-FRECKLES

Bobby Bare-GREASY GRIT GRAVY/BIG DUPREE

Kendalls-PITTSBURGH STEELERS/SWEET DESIRE/ OLD FASHIONED CHEATIN'

Johnny Cash-THERE AIN'T NO GOOD CHAIN GANG/ WHO'S GENE AUTRY

Statler Bros.-SHIRLEY JEAN BERRELL/I DREAMED

ABOUT YOU/MORE THAN YOU'LL EVER KNOW Moe Bandy-THAT'S WHAT MAKES THE JUKE BOX PLAY Floaters-MAGIC

Rock

Bee Gees-MORE THAN A WOMAN

Steely Dan-FM/JOSIE

Billy Joel-ONLY THE GOOD DIE YOUNG/ALWAYS A WOMAN

REO Speedwagon-ROLL WITH THE CHANGES

A.R.S.-CHAMPAGNE JAM/...BOTHER ME TONIGHT

Barry Manilow-COPACABANA

Wings-I'VE HAD ENOUGH/LONDON TOWN/DELIVER YOUR

Eric Clapton-WONDERFUL TONIGHT

Jackson Browne-THE LOAD OUT/STAY

Jefferson Starship-LOVE TOO GOOD/RUNAWAY

Journey-ANYTIME

Gene Cotton-YOU'RE A PART OF ME

Black Radio

O'Jays-SHOWDOWN/CRY TOGETHER/STROKETY STROKE

Heatwave-THE STAR OF A STORY

Donna Summer-LAST DANCE Chocolate Milk-GIRL CALLING

Ray Charles-GAME #9

Pleasure-LADIES' NIGHT OUT

Mirros Jefferson-TO SPANK WITH LOVE

Shotgun-LOVE ATTACK

Enchantment-SILLY LOVE SONG

Jean Terrell-HAD TO FALL IN LOVE

Auracle-COLUMBIAN BUBBLE GUM

AWB-YOUR LOVE IS A MIRACLE

Special Note: We encourage all our reporting stations to report each week the important album cuts they are playing. However, please do not list cuts being played off albums which are available as singles. While some stations still use the term LP cuts to mean limited play cuts, for purposes of our research on page 13, we will only research non-singles.

Gary Taylor's Personal Picks

KNOCK ON WOOD-Mealine (Midsong) That unique Melanie voice is one of the "keys" to this 12 year old Eddie Floyd hit. A well penned arrangement with the right amount of Memphis feel allows producer/spouse Peter Schekeryk to surround her to the point where she even does a little scat technique at the end. Her best effort yet.

DARLIN'-Paul Davis (Bang) It is interesting to note that with this re-make he will no longer be called the industries' "best kept secret". Secondly, the male-female duo, which is in vogue, appears here with the introduction of Susan Collins. It's a nice combination. I WAS ONLY JOKING-Rod Stewart (Warner Bros.) His appeal seems to be at its strongest when he does a ballad which allows that highly familiar sound to really stand out.

Also Possible

MY ANGEL BABY-Tony Beau (RCA) PHILADELPHIA KID-Ted Bird (Big Tree) MIDNIGHT LIGHT-LeBlanc & Carr (Big Tree) THE GREATEST LOVE-Aaron Neville (Palm Tree) SEA CRUISE-Robert Gordon (Private Stock)

THE WANDERER-Leif Garrett (Atlantic) PARADISE-Bette Midler (Atlantic) STAY AWHILE-Continental Miniatures (London) HANGING ON A STAR-Lane Caudell (MCA) LIPSTICK TRACES (ON A CIGARETTE)-Ringo Starr (Portrait)

Regional Meetings Where? St. Louis - Mariott Hotel. When? Saturday & Sunday, May 6 & 7. Registration: Radio - \$30 pre-registered; \$35 at the gate. Records - \$25 - covers cocktail reception and Sunday session.

Monterey - May 13 & 14. Guests: Bill Graham & Michael Spears. Moderator: Mark Driscoll, KNDE,

and Les Garland, KFRC, Mardi Nehrbass, Big Tree.

Columbus - June 3 & 4. Guest: Kent Burkhart. Moderators: Dave Bishop, WCOL, & Bob Goode, WROK.

Houston - June 24 & 25. Guest: Jack McCoy. Moderators: Bill Young, KILT, Clay Gish, KRBE, and

Rish Wood, KINT.

Atlanta - July 8 & 9. Guests: Bill Engle, Bill Lowery. Moderators: Don Benson, 94Q, Jim Davenport.

Those planning to attend our gatherings are urged not to wait too long in getting us their registrations for the upcoming meetings. The hotels can't hold our block of rooms up to the dates we convene; they have to release the rooms at least a week before our meeting. Also, we need a "head count" for our guaranteed luncheon attendance.

Those who register at the door should do so early. Registration desk will open at 8:30. It should be understood that our regional meetings are not devoted to individual formats. Our discussions concern themselves with the basics of radio.

Inside Progressive Radio
(by George Meier, Editor of Walrus)

Established Progressive Airplay:

(In Order) Jefferson Starship Atlanta Rhythm Section
Warren Zevon Genesis Little Feat Jimmy Buffett Robert Palmer Jackson Browne Eric Clapton Charlie Journey Nick Love Patti Smith Group Garland Jeffreys

New Progressive Airplay: (In Order)

Wings Elvis Costello Jethro Tull R.E.O. Speedwagon Heart/MAGAZINE Bob Marley 38 Special N.R.B.Q. Auger/Tippetts

Notes: Lots of plateaus separate bunches of albums in current airplay. Starship and Atlanta Rhythm Section dominate, yet even with their universal strength, A.R.S.'s southern power stands out. Jimmy Buffett also gets drawn up the list by his southern connection. Following a different pattern we find the intense, complex rock of Genesis faring best in the N.E. & M.W. The first significant erosion of airplay occurs for Jackson Browne in this survey period while the bottom part of the list is the most interesting. The revitalized Journey shows nice response and the street rockers start to show up in force. Nick and Patti and Garland are part of the new music excitement. Charlie is in there stokin', too.

Notes: As expected, Wings has gotten strong initial response. It will be interesting to watch how airplay proceeds for what is felt by some to be a soft album. Will it fade quickly or not? Elvis Costello's new LP has gotten good response across the regional board which implies that he is conquering the East Coast/ West Coast ghetto-ization of his first LP. Of the others, only the Marley album is noteworthy for its mediocre start. This may mean that both reggae and Marley have faded as possibilities.

Singles: Elton and Bonnie Tyler dominate the singles scene. Imports: Most of the hot imports have just been released domestically. Lead by Elvis Costello's new album, the import list includes Bill Bruford, Rocky Horror Picture Show, Brian Eno, and Nick Lowe. Only the Bruford isn't out here.

The following new tracks are getting airplay position: Patti Smith Group-BECAUSE THE NIGHT Elvis Costello-RADIO RADIO/PUMP IT UP/THIS YEAR'S GIRL/NO ACTION/THE BEAT Genesis-FOLLOW YOU FOLLOW ME Jerry Garcia-RUBIN AND CHERISE/RHAPSODY IN RED/CATS UNDER THE STARS Stanley Clarke-ROCK 'N' ROLL JELLY

Nick Lowe-AND SO IT GOES/SOUNDS OF BREAKING GLASS/ROLLERS SHOW Wings-WITH A LITTLE LUCK R.E.O. Speedwagon-ROLL WITH THE CHANGES Loudon Wainwright III-FINAL EXAM Garland Jeffreys-SHE DIDN'T LIE/REELIN' Sutherland Bros.-ICE IN THE FIRE



### THE GAVIN REPORT #1200 WEEKLY SUMMARY (Editor, Gary Taylor)

Smash of the Week: FEELS SO GOOD-Chuck Mangione (A&M) Our "Sleeper" of February 17 has turned into the biggest instrumental since Meco's STAR WARS, and without benefit of a movie. Jazz buffs, take heart. Maybe this marks a new direction for popular music.

Hot: IT'S A HEARTACHE-Bonnie Tyler (RCA) The statistical evidence is impressive: ninth in airplay research with 164 reports, of which 138 are chart numbers. Its greatest strength is in Atlanta, Casper, Duluth, Houston, Portland and Waterloo.

Top Tip: ON BROADWAY-George Benson (Warner Brothers) Though several programmers appear reluctant to air this release, our information indicates mass acceptance.

Record to Watch: BLUER THAN BLUE-Michael Johnson (EMI) The growth trend is substantiated by a spot check of station activity: KVOX (21), WFOM (22), KRTH (24), KNDE (24), KIOA (26), KELP (27), WGUY (28), KLIF (30), KAKC (30), WZYQ (30), etc.

Sleeper of the Week: BECAUSE THE NIGHT-Patti Smith Group (Arista) Some correspondents report large jumps: KSLY (17 from 22), KYLT (19 from 25), KFRC (20 from 27), WGLF (20 from 26), WIGY (20 from 26), KJOY (20 from 30), and WTIC (21 from 26).

Top New Add: I WAS ONLY JOKING-Rod Stewart (Warner Brothers) Added 2 to 1 over its nearest competitor. Recommended Playlist

The listings below represent a consensus of rock correspondents' reports. Their evaluations are derived from a variety of sources - retail sales, phone requests, call out research, juke box plays, etc. - according to the individual characteristics of the various markets. Underlined sides show the strongest potential for continued growth.

LW TW Top Twenty
2. T. IF I CAN'T HAVE YOU-Yvonne Elliman

2. WITH A LITTLE LUCK-Wings

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3. 3. THE CLOSER...-R.Flack & D.Hathaway
7. 4. FEELS SO GOOD-Chuck Mangione
15. 5. YOU'RE THE ONE...-Travolta/Olivia N-J
10. 6. IMAGINARY LOVER-Atlanta Rhythm Section
1. 7. NIGHT FEVER-Bee Gees
4. 8. CAN'T SMILE WITHOUT YOU-Barry Manilow
8. 9. THANK YOU...-Andrew Gold
5. 10. DUST IN THE WIND-Kansas
14. 11. COUNT ON ME-Jefferson Starship 10.

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9. 12. JACK & JILL-Raydio
20. 13. TOO MUCH...-J.Mathis & D.Williams

--. 14. SHADOW DANCING-Andy G1bb

18. 15. WEREWOLVES OF LONDON-Warren Zevon

12. 16. RUNNIN' ON EMPTY-Jackson Browne

13. 17. GOODBYE AGAIN-Eng.Dan & J.F.Coley

18. MOVIN' OUT-Billy Joel

19. DISCO INFERNO-Trammps 16. 20. OUR LOVE-Natalie Cole Gaining in Several Markets
IT'S A HEARTACHE-Bonnie Tyler

BABY HOLD ON-Eddie Money

ON BROADWAY-George Benson
MORE THAN A WOMAN-Bee Gees (LP cut)
THIS TIME I'M IN IT FOR LOVE-Player

YOU BELONG TO ME-Carly Simon TWO DOORS DOWN-Dolly Parton LOVE IS LIKE OXYGEN-Sweet TAKE A CHANCE-Abba

FOOLING YOURSELF-Styx

DEACON BLUES-Steely Dan FLASHLIGHT-Parliament

HEARTLESS-Heart FANTASY-Earth, Wind & Fire

EGO-Elton John

Gaining

BAKER STREET-Gerry Rafferty
BECAUSE THE NIGHT-Patti Smith Group

EVERY KINDA PEOPLE-Robert Palmer

TWO OUT OF THREE AIN'T BAD-Meatloaf (Cleveland Int'1.)

Regional Sales and/or Requests

BLUER THAN BLUE-Michael Johnson (EMI)

YOU'RE THE LOVE-Seals & Crofts (Warner Bros.)

CHEESEBURGER IN PARADISE-Jimmy Buffett (ABC)

LET'S ALL CHANT-Michael Zager Band (P.Stock)

SHADOW IN THE STREET-Allan Clarke (Atlantic) MAKE YOU FEEL LOVE AGAIN-Wet Willie (Epic)

DANCE WITH ME-Peter Brown (Drive)

THE GROOVE LINE-Heatwave (Epic) I WANT YOU TO BE MINE-Kayak (Janus)
I CAN'T STAND THE RAIN-Eruption (Ariola)
I'VE NEVER BEEN TO ME-Mary Macgregor (Ariola)
WHAT A NIGHT FOR DANCING-Barry White (20th)
DO YOU BELIEVE IN MAGIC-Shaun Cassidy (W.B.)

Picks & Plays WARM RIDE-Rare Earth (Prodigal) EVEN NOW-Barry Manilow (Arista) USE TA BE MY GIRL-O'Jays (Philadelphia Int'l.)
DARLIN'-Paul Davis (Bang)
SO HARD LIVING WITHOUT YOU-Airwaves (A&M) TUMBLING DICE-Linda Ronstadt (Asylum)
I'M ON MY WAY-Capt. & Tennille (A&M) YOU KEEP ME DANCING-Samantha Sang (Private Stock) YOU GOT IT-Diana Ross (Motown)
SINCE YOU BEEN GONE-Head East (A&M)
FM-Steely Dan (MCA-LP cut) FOLLOW YOU FOLLOW ME-Genesis (Atlantic)
MY ANGEL BABY-Toby Beau (RCA) ALMOST SUMMER-Celebration (w/Mike Love)(MCA)
MAMA LET HIM PLAY-Doucette (Mushroom)
WHEEL IN THE SKY-Journey (Columbia)
I WANT TO LIVE-John Denver (RCA) WONDERFUL TONIGHT-Eric Clapton (RSO) STAY-Rufus & Chaka Khan (ABC) LET'S PUT OUR LOVE...-M. Denne & K. Gold (MCA) WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN-Fotomaker (Atlantic)

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Correspondents' Corner\*\*

Chart and listings on page one are derived from information supplied by the radio reporters listed below. \*Indicates requests. Sales action is underlined.

Bangor, Mark Lawrence-WGUY- Meatloaf Bath, Jack O'Brien-WIGY- #1-Meatloaf Lewiston, Mark Ericson-WLAM- Mathis & Williams Dover, Jim Sebastian-WTSN- Gerry Rafferty Hyannis, Rick Stuart-WCOD/FM- Angel Worcester, B.J.Dean-WORC- Michael Johnson Bridgeport, Greg Loehr-WICC- Rod Stewart Hartford, Rick Donahue-WTIC/FM- Eruption Utica, Jim Reitz-WTLB- Peter Brown Schenectady, Jim Walsh-3WD- Airwaves New York, Barbara Brozdowski-WCBS/FM-A.Gibb Roz Frank-WNBC- Gerry Rafferty - Rich/Myzal-99X- Chicago Babylon, Bernie Bernard-WBAB- \*Fotomaker Philadelphia, Jeff Robins-WIFI- Peter Brown Reading, Shannon/Newman-WRAW- Tuxedo Junction Trenton, Tom Taylor-WPST- Carly Simon Wilmington, Bill O'Brian-WAMS- Diana Ross Annapolis, Kingston/Lewis-WYRE- Abba Frederick, Barry Hodge-14ZYQ- Michael Johnson Richmond, Ken Curtis-WLEE-#5-Dolly Parton Lynchburg, Tony Love-WLLL- #4-J. Starship Winston-Salem, Dave Taylor-WAIR- Peter Brown Reidsville, Lebai-WFRC- Rare Earth Asheboro, Gary Cannon-WZOO- #1-Eddie Money Shelby, Jeffrey Owens-WOHS- Ringo Starr Asheville, Ray Williams-WISE- Paul Davis Fayetteville, Stan Stewart-WFLB- Meatloaf Wilmington, Robbie Vogt-WGNI- #1-Michael Zager Anderson, Bill McCown-WANS- O'Jays Columbia, Dan Valli-WCOS- Barry Manilow Greenville, Ken Rogers-WFBC- Paul Davis Kingstree, Jerry Smith-WKSP- \*Kayak Augusta, Bruce Stevens-WBBQ- O'Jays Savannah, Brady MacGraw-WSGA- Meatloaf Athens, Jeff Michaels-WAGQ- #2-Travolta/Olivia Atlanta, J.J.Jackson-WQXI- Leif Garrett Don Benson-94Q-\*Gerry Rafferty Marietta, Greg McClure-WFOM- O'Jays Columbus, Jeff Blake-WCGQ- \*Jimmy Buffett Americus, Steve Stansell-WDEC- \*Heart Albany, Chris Van Dyke-WALG- Rare Earth Carrollton, Scott Evans-WPPI- #5-G.Benson - Ray Hammons-WBTR/FM- O'Jays Orlando, Chris O'Neil-WLOF- #10-Sweet Cocoa Beach, Steve Ocean-CK101- Abba W.Palm Beach, Alan Edwards-WIRK- Linda Ronstadt Miami, Jack Forsythe-96X- K.C. & Sunshine Band - Colleen Cassidy-Y100- Steely Dan (FM) Ft. Meyers, Webster James-WMYR- Elton John Tampa, Ron Parker-WLCY- #1-Mathis & Williams
Ocala, Bill Early-WWKE- Meatloaf Tallahassee, Robin Sterns-WGLF- Manfred Mann Panama City, Jim King-WDLP- O'Jays Pensacola, Dan Ingram-WBSR- Paul Davis Huntsville, Jay Fredericks-WAAY- Jimmy Buffett - - Dave Novak-WVOV- Debby Boone (BABY) Muscle Shoals, Rick Shayne-Q107- Hometown Band Cullman, Rich McCarthy-WKLN/FM- LeBlanc & Carr Gadsden, Dale McKee-WQEN- O'Jays - Roger Gaither-WGAD- Paul Davis Birmingham, Steve Davis-WKXX- Patti Smith Montgomery, Lanny West-WHHY- Michael Johnson Enterprise, Mark Thompson-WKMX- Paul Davis Starkville, Glen James-WKOR- \*Mary Macgregor Greenville, Mark Jones-WDDT- Little Feat Natchez, Haynes Ford-WQNZ- Paul Davis Pascagoula, Dan Lynch-WKKY- Cowboy Biloxi, Bob Lima-WQID- Player Hattiesburg, Don Simmons-WXXX- Dara Sedaka Gulfport, Jack Talley-WROA- Sweet Baton Rouge, Joe London-WIBR- \*A. Toussaint Lafayette, Michael Lea-KVOL- Celebration Lake Charles, Bob Simons-KAOK- Toby Beau - - Kim Canard-KLOU- Kayak

Shreveport, Shepherd/Greer-KROK- Isley Bros. - Randy Davis-KEEL- Player New Iberia, Bob Holbrook-KNIR- Toby Beau - Ken Romero-KANE- Melanie Chattanooga, David Carroll-WGOW- Robert Palmer Nashville, Jim Holton-WMAK- Rod Stewart Louisville, Coyote Calhoun-WAKY- Plastic Bertrand Bowling Green, Doug Kirsch-WBGN- Airwaves Paducah, Bryan Sargent-WKYX- Jones & Stanley Lexington, Jim Jordan-WVLK- #10-Chuck Mangione South Bend, Jason Fox-WRBR- Airwaves Anderson, Dan Scott-WHUT- Bill LaBounty Evansville, Adam Smasher-WGBF- Rare Earth Wheeling, Jim Roberts-WKWK- Seals & Crofts Parkersburg, Jack Fitzgerald-WXIL- Doucette Beckley, Dwayne Bonds-WCIR- Love & Kisses Cincinnati, C.C.Matthews-WSAI- #1-David Gates Hamilton, Joe London-WMOH- #4-Eddie Money Akron, Bobby Knight-WCUE- #6-Wings Columbus, Dave Bishop-WCOL- Steely Dan - Steve Edwards-WNCI- Heatwave Alliance, Bill Brophy-WFAH- Kevin Lamb Canton, Ron Foster-WQIO- Genesis - - - Keith London-WINW- #10-Shaun Cassidy Johnstown, Douglas Kaye-WCRO- #14-Kayak Altoona, John Harrison-WVAM- Van Halen - Tony Booth-WFBG- Bonnie Tyler Pittsburgh, Patti Sullivan-13Q- Gerry Rafferty Sault Ste. Marie, Tom Ewing-WSMM- Rufus Grand Rapids, Jay Michaels-Z96- #10-Trammps Jackson, Garry Osborn-WIBM- #9-Mathis & Williams Muskegon, Jon London-WTRU- Michael Johnson Lansing, Tim Kelly-WILS- #3-Styx Saginaw, Roger Sinclair-WSAM- Celebration Springfield, Greg Thomas-WCVS- Sweet Chicago, Alan Burns-WLS- #5-Parliament -- Dave Morgan-WMET- Warren Zevon Rockford, Bob Goode-WROK- Heart Freeport, Kevin Kenney-WACI- Rare Earth Two Rivers, John Barber-15Q- LeBlanc & Carr Green Bay, Gregg Albert-WDUZ- Airwaves Neenah, Jason Page-WNAM- Airwaves Stevens Point, Pat Martin-WSPT- \*Gerry Rafferty Eau Claire, Sean McCartney-WEAQ- Player LaCrosse, Pat Smith-WLCX- Rare Earth Duluth, Beau Elliot-WEBC- #3-Bonnie Tyler Rochester, Denny Foster-KWEB- Cont. Miniatures St. Cloud, Tom Kay-WJON- Michael Johnson Grand Forks, Bob Hooper-KKXL- Sweet Fargo, Mark Renier-KVOX- Carly Simon - Bob Denver-KQWB- Seals & Crofts Minot, Doug Corbett-KKOA- \*Michael Johnson Huron, L.A. Timms-KOKK- \*Kayak Rapid City, Dave Hohn-KTOQ- Todd Rundgren - C.J. Stone-KKLS- Toby Beau Sioux Falls, Tom Evans-KISD- Michael Johnson Sioux City, Bill Bodie-KWSL- John Denver Dubuque, Steve Sesterhenn-KFMD- Sweet Des Moines, Gary Stevens-KIOA- Michael Johnson - - Dick Downes-KGGO- Frankie Valli (GREASE) Mason City, Bob Scott-KRIB- Trammps Cedar Rapids, Ron Dennington-KLWW- Bonnie Tyler Waterloo, Bob Beck-KWWL- Capt. & Tennille Omaha, Bruce Vidal-KOIL- Trammps Jackson, Kent Nelson-KJAS- Walter Egan Cape Girardeau, Tim McKay-KGMO- Toby Beau Kansas City, Kim Welsh-KBEQ- Sweet Joplin, John David-KFSB- Mary Macgregor Pine Bluff, Paul Sims-KOTN- Paul Davis Little Rock, C.David Hamilton-KAAY- Warren Zevon Lawrence, Mike Schmidt-KLWN- \*Gerry Rafferty Topeka, J.R. Greeley-KEWI- Sweet Salina, David Stone-KSKG- Celebration Wichita, Bob Lawrence-KLEO- Mike Finnigan - Barry Casey-KEYN- Genesis

<sup>\*\*</sup>Correspondents not listed above will be found on pages 8 & 9.....



## Adult Contemporary Programming (Associate Editor, Ron Fell)

Most Active: SHADOW DANCING-Andy Gibb (RSO) YOU'RE THE LOVE-Seals & Crofts (Warner Bros.)

I'M ON MY WAY-Capt. & Tennille (A&M) YOU BELONG TO ME-Carly Simon (Elektra)

This gang of four (or six, depending on how you count 'em) will be very heavily played during the month of May.

Worth Watching: I WAS ONLY JOKING-Rod Stewart (Warner Bros.) Reports from KVI, WMGK, KSFO, WTMJ, and 14 other stations in its first week.

Top Thirty 17. 16. THIS TIME I'M IN IT FOR LOVE-Player 1. WE'LL NEVER HAVE TO SAY ... - Dan & Coley 16. 17. LAY DOWN SALLY-Eric Clapton 3. 2. THE CLOSER I GET ... - Flack & Hathaway 19. 18. OUR LOVE-Natalie Cole 3. FEELS SO GOOD-Chuck Mangione 15. 19. GOODBYE GIRL-David Gates 4. CAN'T SMILE WITHOUT YOU-Barry Manilow 2. 5. TOO MUCH, TOO LITTLE...-Mathis & Williams 6. WITH A LITTLE LUCK-Wings 22. 20. ON BROADWAY-George Benson 10. 26. 21. MOVIN' OUT-Billy Joel
---. 22. SHADOW DANCING-Andy Gibb 9. 1. 7. COUNT ON ME-Jefferson Starship
8. 8. THANK YOU FOR BEING A FRIEND-Andrew Gold --. 23. YOU'RE THE LOVE-Seals & Crofts --. 24. I'M ON MY WAY-Capt. & Tennille 9. NIGHT FEVER-Bee Gees 6. --. 25. YOU BELONG TO ME-Carly Simon 5. 10. DUST IN THE WIND-Kansas 28. 26. I'M GONNA TAKE CARE OF EVERYTHING-Rubicon 23. 27. GEORGIA ON MY MIND-Willie Nelson 7. 11. IF I CAN'T HAVE YOU-Yvonne Elliman 14. 12. IMAGINARY LOVER-Atlanta Rhythm Section 30. 28. IT'S A HEARTACHE-Bonnie Tyler 12. 13. THE CIRCLE IS SMALL-Gordon Lightfoot 29. 29. BABY I'M YOURS/GOD KNOWS-Debby Boone 20. 14. YOU'RE THE ONE ... - Travolta & Olivia 24. 30. I'VE NEVER BEEN TO ME-Mary Macgregor 18. 15. TWO DOORS DOWN-Dolly Parton

Action Sides
TAKE A CHANCE ON ME-Abba
BAKER STREET-Gerry Rafferty
BLUER THAN BLUE-Michael Johnson
I WANT TO LIVE-John Denver
WE'LL SING IN THE SUNSHINE-Helen Reddy
EVERY KINDA PEOPLE-Robert Palmer
THE LAST OF THE ROMATICS-Engelbert Humperdinck

Sales and/or Requests
CHATTANOGA CHOO CHOO-Tuxedo Junction
STRANDED IN A LIMOUSINE-Paul Simon
MORE THAN A WOMAN-Bee Gees (LP cut)
RUNNIN' ON EMPTY-Jackson Browne
DEACON BLUES-Steely Dan
FANTASY-Earth, Wind & Fire
SWEET TALKIN' WOMAN-Electric Light Orch.

Correspondents' Preferred Picks
I WAS ONLY JOKING-Rod Stewart (Warner Bros.)
FOLLOW YOU FOLLOW ME-Genesis (Atlantic)
YOU NEEDED ME-Anne Murray (Capitol)
MIDNIGHT LIGHT-LeBlanc & Carr (Big Tree)
YOU KEEP ME DANCING-Samantha Sang (Private Stock)
DARLIN'-Paul Davis (Bang)

Airplay
SO HARD LIVING WITHOUT YOU-Airwaves
EVEN NOW-Barry Manilow
UNMARRIED WOMAN THEME-Bill Conti
NO ONE GAVE ME LOVE-Tom Jones
YOU GOT IT-Diana Ross
THIS NIGHT WON'T LAST-Bill LaBounty
OPINION ON LOVE-Mac McAnally

Note: A typographical error caused the deletion of Michael Johnson's BLUER THAN BLUE from the airplay category of last week's chart.

Abbeville (Gary Shannon-KROF) Capt. & Tennille/Seals & Crofts. Gains: Tyler/Lisa Hartman/Wings.

Anna (Jane Michel-WRAJ) Denver/Tyler/Abba/T. Beau/Sang/Covboy/Sweet.

Appleton (Rob Shannon-WINE) Tuxedo Junction/P. Davis/Meatloaf/Rafferty/Dara Sedaka/Cowboy.

Astoria (Doug McDowell-KAST) LeBlanc & Carr/Seals & Crofts/Abba/Gibb/Raydio. Gains: T & Olivia.

Austin (Bob Joseph-KCSW) O'Jays/Jane Olivor/Seals & Crofts/Abba/Gibb/Raydio. Gains: T & Olivia.

Austin (Bob Joseph-KCSW) O'Jays/Jane Olivor/Seals & Crofts/Abba/Gibb/Raydio. Gains: T & Olivia.

Batimore (Dexter Beane-WCBM) Carly Simon/Abba. Gains: Mathis & Williams.

Baton Rouge (Ron Casey-WJBO) Tyler/Rod Stewart/P. Davis/LaBounty/Airwaves. Gains: Player.

Benidji (Carolyn Rossbach-KKDJ) Jeff Fenholt/McAnally/Rawls/Sang. Gains: Flack & H./Benson.

Bend (Rick Marshall-KGRL) C. Rich/Dave & Sugar/Capt. & Tennille/Denver/Buffett/Palmer/M. Johnson.

Bend (Rick Marshall-KGRL) C. Rich/Dave & Sugar/Capt. & Tennille/Denver/Buffett/Palmer/M. Johnson.

Bend (Rick Marshall-KGRL) C. Rich/Dave & Sugar/Capt. & Tennille/Denver/Buffett/Palmer/M. Johnson.

Bismarck (Tom Bitz-KDOM) Gibb/Reddy/C. Simon/Denver/Steely Dan. Calls: Evris (SOFTIX)/M. Johnson.

Blackfoot (Jack Sunday-KBLI) Rutles/LeBlanc & Carr/Joel/Boone (both)/Airwaves/Tyler/Gibb/Ross.

Boise (Lee Chabre-KBGI) Travolta & Olivia/Gibb. Calls: Boone (GOD KKOWS)/Tuxedo Junction.

Bonners Ferry (Jan Andrews-KBFI) Travolta & Olivia/Gibb. Calls: Boone (GOD KKOWS)/Tuxedo Junction.

Boston (Jim Spellmeyer-WEEI/FM) Russ Ballard/Garfunkel/Rod Stewart/M. Nelson/Atlanta Rhythm Section

Brookhaven (Randall Smith-WJMB) Capt. & T./D. Ross/Airwaves/Midler/LeBlanc & Carr. Calls: Mecco.

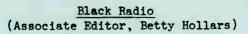
Buffalo (Roger Christian-WEEM) Gibb/D. Sedaks/Dolly Parton (filp)/D. Ross/Chicago/Rawle.

Burlington (Gary Wheelock-WYWT) C. Simon/Tavares/W. Nelson/Steely Dan/M. Cole (re-add).

Butte (Bob Roberts-KXLF) Conti/Rod Stewart/M. Johnson/Steely Dan/M. Cole (re-add).

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Hot Line: DAYLIGHT & DARKNESS-Smokey Robinson (Tamla) This, the "B" side, seems to be achieving more success all around thanks to the few programmers who decided this side was the better one. Debuts on our chart this week.

Correspondents' Top Thirty

The following list is a composite of sales and requests reported by our correspondents, whose names appear below.

LW TW 22. 16. RIDING HIGH-Faze-O LW TW 1. TOO MUCH...-Mathis & Williams
2. GET ON UP (DISCO)-Tyrone Davis 1. 15. 17. ALL THE WAY LOVER-Millie Jackson 3. TAKE ME TO THE NEXT PHASE-Isley Bros. 4. STAY-Rufus & Chaka Khan 14. 18. REACHING FOR THE SKY-Peabo Bryson 17. 19. IT'S YOU THAT I NEED-Enchantment 5. 26. 20. KEEP ON DANCING-Johnnie Taylor 30. 21. YOU ARE, YOU ARE-Curtis Mayfield 5. ON BROADWAY-George Benson 6. USE TA BE MY GIRL-O'Jays 10. 19. 22. SLICK SUPERCHIK/LIFE'S A SONG-Kool & Gang 7. THE GROOVE LINE/& f.-Heatwave 8. THE CLOSER I GET ..- Flack/Hathaway 20. 23. WORKING TOGETHER-Maze 21. 24. FANTASY-Earth, Wind & Fire 9. NIGHT FEVER-Bee Gees 23. 25. OCEANS OF THOUGHTS & DREAMS-Dramatics 8. 10. FLASHLIGHT-Parliament --. 26. EVERYBODY DANCE-Chic 16. 11. DUKEY STICK-George Duke 18. 12. OH WHAT A NIGHT FOR DANCING-Barry White --. 27. I AM YOUR WOMAN...-Barbara Mason --. 28. DAYLIGHT & DARKNESS-Smokey Robinson 12. 13. DANCE WITH ME-Peter Brown 24. 29. NEVER GET ENOUGH OF YOUR LOVE-LTD 11. 14. BOOTZILLA-Bootsy's Rubber Band

Movin' On Up

I CAN'T STAND THE RAIN-Eruption (Ariola)

13. 15. EMOTION-Samantha Sang

SUPERNATURAL FEELING-Blackbyrds (Fantasy)

29. 30. TOMORROW I MAY NOT FEEL ..- Gene Chandler

Top Airplay ALL NIGHT LONG-Dexter Wansel MS.-David Oliver ALL IN YOUR MIND-Side Effect ALMIGHTY FIRE-Aretha Franklin (LET'S GO) ALL THE WAY-The Whispers TIL YOU TAKE MY LOVE-Harvey Mason IT'S SERIOUS-Cameo I'M REALLY GONNA MISS YOU-Billy Preston THE ONE & ONLY-Gladys Knight & Pips YOU-The McCrarys DANCE ACROSS THE FLOOR-Jimmy "Bo" Horne MAKE A DREAM COME TRUE-Mass Production TRY & UNDERSTAND-Jaisun AIN'T NO SMOKE/WHIP-Eddie Kendricks WEEKEND LOVER-Odyssey

ONE LIFE TO LIVE-Lou Rawls (Philadelphia Int'1.) IT'S HEAVEN TO ME-Isaac Hayes (Polydor) RUNAWAY LOVE-Linda Clifford (Curtom) ATTITUDES-Barkays (Mercury) HOME MADE JAM-Bobbi Humphrey (Epic)
THANK GOD IT'S FRIDAY-Love & Kisses (Casablanca) DEACON BLUES-Steely Dan (ABC) FEELING GOOD-Voltage Bros. (Lifesong) SHAME-Evelyn Champagne King (RCA) LOVE IS SO RIGHT-Stargard (MCA) OLD MAN WITH YOUNG IDEAS-Ann Peebles (Hi) YOU GOT IT-Diana Ross (Motown) YOU KEEP ME DANCING-Samantha Sang (P.Stock) GIRL CALLIN'-Chocolate Milk (RCA) LOVELY NIGHT FOR DANCING-Bill Withers (Columbia)

Regional Highlights Regional Highlights

Albany (Doc Suttles-WJIZ) #5-Bill Wright, #8-Al Green, #10-Enchantment. Gns: Johnny Adams, Side Effect, Andy Gibb, Aretha, N.Cole, Blackbyrds, Chic, W.Jackson, Whispers, Evelyn King. New: Dexter Wansel, Bobby McClure, Ann Peebles. Req: Linda Clifford, Harvey Mason. LP: Tower of P. Chicago (Richard Steele-WJPC) #1-Parliament, #4-Tyrone Davis, #9-Bee Gees, #10-George Duke.

Gns: O'Jays, Isley Bros., Smokey Robinson, Heatwave, Eddie Kendricks, Millie Jackson. New: Ann Peebles, Eruption, Jaisun, Mass Production. LP's: Harvey Mason, Spyro Gyra, Moments.

Chicago (Earnest L.James-WBMX/FM) #2-George Duke, #5-Peabo Bryson, #10-Millie Jackson. Gns: Bee Gees, Barry White, Ann Peebles, Greg Perry, Johnnie Taylor, Dramatics, Brass Construction, Steely Dan. New: David Oliver. Req: Enchantment, Evelyn King, Linda Clifford. LP: Smokey R. Columbus (Keith Willis-WVKO) #2-Isleys. #4-George Duke, #8-Chic, #9-Gladys Knight, #10-Dexter Steely Dan. New: David Oliver. Req: Enchantment, Evelyn King, Linda Clifford. LP: Smokey R. Columbus (Keith Willis-WVKO) #2-Isleys, #4-George Duke, #8-Chic, #9-Gladys Knight, #10-Dexter Wansel. Gns: O'Jays, Jaisun, Barry White, Bill Withers, Barkays, Whispers, Aretha. New:
Natalie Cole, Peabo Bryson, Lou Rawls, Gene Chandler, Jimmy Bo Horne. On: Cuba Gooding.

Galveston (Randy Sterling-KGBC) #2-Peter Brown, #6-Tyrone Davis, #10-Maze. New: Isaac Hayes,
Cheryl Barnes. Req: J.Taylor, Side Effect, Heatwave, O'Jays, Isley Bros., Gene Chandler. On:
Jonelle Allen, Kongas, War, Barbara Mason, B & G Rhythm, Blackbyrds.

Henderson (Juan Blanco-KGRI/FM) #4-Cameo, #6-Rufus, #8-Isleys, #10-O'Jays. Gns: Tower of Power,
Heatwave, B.Preston, Aretha, Whispers, S.Sang, C.Mayfield. New: Love & Kisses, Stargard, L.Rawls.
Natchez (Haynes Ford-WNAT) #2-O'Jays, #3-Rufus, #4-Barry White, #9-Rare Gems Odyssey. Gns: Isleys
Smokey R., Chic, Faze-O, Heatwave, G.Duke, Barbara Mason, Whispers, Odyssey. New: McKinley
Mitchell, Diana Ross, Curtis Mayfield, Belle Epoque, Side Effect.
New York (Sonny Taylor-WWRL) New: Linda Clifford, Three Ounces of Love, Van McCoy, Village
People, Salsoul Orch., K.C. & Band, Donna Summer. LP's: Platinum Hook, Raydio, Spyro Gyra.

St. Louis (Gary Starr-KATZ) #1-Isleys, #2-Heatwave, #4-O'Jays, #5-Faze-O, #7-Rufus, #8-Mathis &
Williams. New: Eddie Kendricks, Luther Ingram, Aretha Franklin, Johnny Bristol, Linda Williams. New: Eddie Kendricks, Luther Ingram, Aretha Franklin, Johnny Bristol, Linda Clifford, Black Ice, Dexter Wansel. On: Randy Brown, Love & Kisses. LP: Donna Summer. ... Matthews (Andy Henderson-WQKI) #2-Rufus, #5-Barry White, #9-Isleys, #10-Gene Chandler. Gns: O'Jays, Heatwave, Eruption, Curtis Mayfield. New: Voltage Bros., AWB, Lou Rawls.

Seattle (Robert L. Scott-KYAC) New: Leroy Hutson, Natalie Cole, Odyssey. On: Aretha Franklin,

David Oliver, Stargard, Whispers, Maze. LP: Norman Connors. Stockton (Charles Richardson-KUOP/FM) #2-George Benson, #4-O'Jays, #5-Rufus, #6-Enchantment, #7-Heatwave, #8-Isleys, #9-Dexter Wansel, #10-Tyrone Davis. Gns: Cameo, Garland Jeffreys.

New: The McCrarys. LP's: Auracle, Nina Simone, O'Jays, Walter Jackson, Tower of Power.

San Francisco (Johnny Morris-KDIA) New: Linda Clifford, Isaac Hayes, Sweet Thunder, Al Johnson,

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Boiling Point, Mandrill. Gns: Peter Brown, Brook Benton, Isleys, O'Jays, Pharoah Sanders, Heatwave, Faze-O, Aretha, George Benson.

# Country Music (Associate Editor, Elma Greer)

Prime Movers: IF YOU CAN TOUCH HER AT ALL-Willie Nelson (RCA) GEORGIA ON MY MIND-Willie Nelson (Columbia)

Willie is as prolific in country music as the Bee Gees are in pop music.

Looking Good: NIGHT TIME MAGIC-Larry Gatlin (Monument) Positive response to this bewitching record indicates a possibility for crossover.

Top Country Hits

The following list of country hits is a composite of sales and requests reported by our correspondents, whose names appear below.

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1. 1. EVERYTIME TWO FOOLS...-K.Rogers & D.West

3. 2. IT'S ALL WRONG...-Dolly Parton

3. SHE CAN PUT HER SHOES...-Johnny Duncan

4. HEARTS ON FIRE-Eddie Rabbitt

5. I'M ALWAYS ON A MOUNTAIN...-Merle Haggard
6. WE BELIEVE IN...-Johnny Rodriguez
7. MAYBE BABY-Susie Allanson 7. 6.

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8. SOMEONE LOVES YOU HONEY-Charley Pride 9. SWEET SWEET SMILE-Carpenters

13. 10. SOFTLY AS I LEAVE.../UNCHAINED...-EIvis
17. 11. DO YOU KNOW...-Statler Bros.

16. 12. I'LL NEVER BE FREE-Jim Ed & Helen

23. 13. IF YOU CAN TOUCH HER AT ALL-Willie Nelson

24. 14. NO, NO, NO...-Rex Allen Jr.
11. 15. IT DON'T FEEL LIKE SINNIN!...-Kendalls

Next In Line
BORN TO BE WITH YOU-Sandy Posey
TWO MORE BOTTLES OF WINE-Emmylou Harris
I'LL BE TRUE TO YOU-Oak Ridge Boys
I'M GONNA LOVE YOU ANYWAY-Cristy Lane ME & THE IRS/GEORGIA IN A JUG-Johnny Paycheck COWBOYS DON'T GET LUCKY ALL THE TIME-G. Watson IT'S A HEARTACHE-Bonnie Tyler FOUR LITTLE LETTERS-Stella Parton RUNAWAY-Narvel Felts I WISH I LOVED SOMEBODY ELSE-Tom T. Hall

27. 16. GEORGIA ON MY MIND-Willie Nelson 19. 17. THE POWER...-Mickey Gilley

9. 18. I'VE FOUND A WINNER...-Don Williams

21. 19. COME ON IN-Jerry Lee Lewis 28. 20. RED WINE & BLUE...-Joe Stampley
25. 21. WHISKEY TRIP-Gary Stewart
26. 22. BABY IT'S YOU-Janie Fricke

14. 23. READY FOR THE TIMES...-Crystal Gayle
15. 24. DON'T SAY GOOIBYE-T.G. Sheppard
10. 25. I CHEATED...-Billy "Crash" Craddock
---- 26. NIGHT TIME MAGIC-Larry Gatlin

22. 27. LAY DOWN SALLY-Eric Clapton
--- 28. THIS IS THE LOVE-Sonny James
29. 29. PUTTIN' IN OVERTIME...-Charlie Rich

30. 30. GOTTA QUIT LOOKIN' ... - Dave & Sugar Other Gains, Sales, and/or Requests
I CAN'T WAIT ANY LONGER-Bill Anderson

I'VE GOT TO GO-Billie Jo Spears SWEET LOVE FEELINGS-Jerry Reed SLOW AND EASY-Randy Barlow NOW YOU SEE 'EM, NOW...-Roy Head I LIKE LADIES IN LONG...-Bobby Borchers MAYBE I SHOULD'VE BEEN ... - Rayburn Anthony LET ME BE YOUR BABY-Charly McClain IT ONLY HURTS FOR A WHILE-Margo Smith DIRTY WORK-Sterling Whipple

Airplay: (New listings are underlined)

Tammy Wynette (29); Mel Street (27); Mel Tillis (27); Ronnie McDowell (26); Debby Boone (25);

Eddy Arnold (21); Bellamy Bros. (21); Lynn Anderson (19); Bobby Bare (19); Billy "Crash"

Craddock (ABC) (17); Sammi Smith (17); Hank Williams Jr. (16); Freddie Hart (15); Tom Bresh (14); John Wesley Ryles (12); Kenny Dale (12); Kenny Starr (12); Dale McBride (11); Captain & Tennille (11); Con Hunley (11); Ed Bruce (10); David Houston (10).

Recommended Newer Releases

TONIGHT-Barbara Mandrell (ABC) YOU'LL BE BACK-Johnny Russell (Polydor) DON'T MAKE NO PROMISES-Don King (Con Brio) I NEVER WILL MARRY-Linda Ronstadt (Asylum) THREE SHEETS IN THE WIND-Jacky Ward & Reba McEntire (Mercury)

Aberdeen (Jack McDaniel-KKAA) Deb-Dave & S. (23), C.Rich (25), J.Ely (26), L.Gatlin (27).

Akron (Don Dempsey-WSLR) Pl-Roy Head, Rq-Statlers, Johnny Duncan, Larry Gatlin, Johnny Paycheck, Albany, Ge. (Scott Parker-WJAZ) Pl-K.Dale, C.Hunley, Capt. & T., M.McDaniel, M.Tillis, Rq-S.Smith.

Albany, Ore. (Larry Blair-KRKT) Deb-J.Newton (27). Pl-Bellamy Bros., Del Reeves, L.Anderson.

Amarillo (Terry Amburn-KBUY) Deb-Hank Jr. (29). Pl-R.Starr, Jimmy Buffett. Rq-J.Denver, D.Boone.

Ann Arbor (Mark Thomas-WNRS) Pl-M.Tillis, Con Hunley, D.Atkins, Jacky Ward & Reba McEntire.

Asheville (Dave Jacobs-WMNC) Gns-B.Bare (36-25), D.Reeves (43-27). Pl-R.McDowell, D.Boone (BABY).

Ashland, Ky. (Dave McLain-WTCR) Pl-J.Paycheck (IRS), L.Gatlin, G.Watson, B.Borchers, J.Howard.

Ashland, Ore. (Christopher Stoney-KCMX) Pl-Mel Tillis, Kenny Dale, E.Bruce, Rq-Bill Anderson.

Aklanta (Jim Clemens-WFLO) Pl-M.Smith, V.Gosdin, C.Hunley, K.Kristofferson, J.Abbott, B.Lynn.

Austin (Jerry K.Green-KVET) Deb-G.Watson (23), R.Barlow (29), B.J.Spears (30). Pl-Sammi Smith.

Battle Creek (Mark Shepard-WWKQ) Gns-B.Anderson (30-20). Pl-S.Whipple, B.Bare, N.Felts, C.Rich.

Beaumont (Bob Shannon-KTRM) Deb-G.Watson (27). Pl-B.Anderson, J.Ward & R.McEntire, M.Tillis.

Billings (Mary June-KBMY) Pl-M.Street, T.Wynette, L.Anderson, J.Ward & R.McEntire, M.Tillis.

Billings (Mary June-KBMY) Pl-Millie Nelson (Col.), C.Mangione, Dave & S., S.Whipple, J.Stampley.

Bismarck (Marv Allen-KBMR) Pl-Ed Bruce, Darrell McCall, Eddie Arnold, Jimmy Buffett, Max D.Barnes.

Boise (Faul Rider-KGEM) Pl-Margo Smith, S.Whipple, B.Anderson, M.Street. Rq-Hank Jr., T.Wynette.

Buford (Jim Lewis-WDXX) Pl-T.Wynette, Hank Jr., Sammi Smith, R.McDowell, B.Anderson. Rg-E.Harris.

Cape Giardeau (David Holt-KZM) Deb-Stells Parton (23). Pl-J.Stampley, B.Borchers, S.Whipple.

Carrollton (Ray Hammons-WLB) Deb-K.Starr (24), D.Boone (BABY) (26), B.Bare (25). Pl-Cowboy.

Charlotte (Larry James-WBT) Pl-Rel Tillis. Rg-Hugh Moffatt, Bill Anderson, Mrillis, M., Smith, T.T.Hall.

Chillicothe, Ill. ( Aberdeen (Jack McDaniel-KKAA) Deb-Dave & S. (23), C.Rich (25), J.Ely (26), L.Gatlin (27).

Portland (Bob Zane-KRDR) Pl-F. Hart, L. Anderson, Cowboys, Ed Bruce, B.C. Craddock (ABC), M. Turner. Provo (Chris McGuire-KFTN) Gns-B. Bare (38-28), C. McClain (30-21). Pl-L. Anderson, R. Barlow. Pueblo (Randy Lee-KPUB) Pl-G. Watson, S. Whipple, B. J. Spears, Randy Barlow, J. Paycheck (both). Provo (Chris McGuire-KFTN) Gns-B.Bare (38-28), C.McClain (30-21). Pl-L.Anderson, R.Barlow. Pueblo (Randy Lee-KFUE) Pl-G.Watson, S.Whipple, B.J.Spears, Randy Barlow, J.Paycheck (both). Redmond (Harry Gift-KFRE) Pl-G.Hunley, M.Tillis, D.King, Anne Murray, Mel McDaniel. Rockester (Pat O'Neill-KKEE) Deb-S.Whipple (26). Pl-S.Smith, M.Street, K.Dale. Rq-R.Head. Rockford (Curtis King-WKKN) Pl-Dwayne Orender, D.Schlitz, G.Griffith, E.Arnold, B.C.Craddock (ABC). Saginaw (Tommy Samoray-WKCQ) Gns-J.Stampley (26-17). Pl-G.Watson, K.Starr, Bill Anderson. St. Cloud (Dean Allen-WWJO) Pl-Dave & S., C.Lane, S.Parton, S.James, R.Barlow. Rq-Kendalls(PTSBRG.) St. Joseph (Bob Orf-KFEQ) Deb-Ernest Tubb (29). Pl-Cowboys, D.McCall. Rq-Bobby Bare. St. Petersburg (Joe Patrick-WQYK/FM) Pl-Joe Stampley, E.Harris, Randy Barlow, N.Felts, Dave & S. Salem (J.A.Williams-KGAY) Pl-K.Dale, M.McDaniel, L.Kaye, D.Schlitz, R.Scovine, Jerry Naylor. San Bernardino (Bob Mitchell-KCKC) Pl-C.Lane, J.Paycheck (JUG), M.Tillis, B.C.Craddock (Cap.). San Diego (Ed Chandler-KSON) Gns-L.Ronstadt (15-10) (MARRY), J.Fricke (35-25) (FALLING). San Jose (Don West-KFEN) Pl-Bill Anderson, Eddy Arnold, Charly McClain, Mel Tillis. Shreveport (Ron Scott-KRMD) Gns-A.Rayburn (27-23), B.Parker (32-24). Pl-Carpenters, Margo Smith. - - (Jim Hawthorne-KWKH)Deb-M.Smith (20), T.Lankford (28). Pl-A.Murray, M.McDaniel, B.Anderson. South Bend (Tom Sidwell-WJVA) Gns-Welson (29-20) (RCA), D.Rogers (34-24). Pl-J.L.Lewis, Stampley. Stevens Foint (Pat Martin-WXYQ) Deb-Hudson: & Judson (23). Pl-S.Whipple, J.Stampley, L.Gatlin. Tacoma (Russ Riley-KMO) Pl-K.Dale, R.McDowell, M.Tillis, A.Murray, D.King. Rq-Freddie Hart. Thibodaux (Rick Luquette-KTIB) Pt-L.Anderson, J.Buffett. Pl-Edwards & Ralph, Garrett Bros. Thief River Falls (Jim Olson-KTRF) Deb-J.Holm (16). Pl-Jimmy Rodgers, Mel Tillis. Rq-J.Reed. Toledo (Bob Pepas-WTOD) Pl-B.C.Craddock, Ed Bruce, J.Russell, S.Whipple, B.K.Perry. Rg-Dave & S. Toronto (Joe LeFresne-CFGM) Pk-Elvis (SOFTLY). Pl-G.Stewart, J.Stampley, D.Rogers, E.Harris, C.R ... Roundup cont'd. on page 12

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NUMAT A NIGHT FOR DMCINN-Barry Waits - 17 reports. Wills (22). Dig MCIP, Also: WTB (8), WONS (9), WONT (13), WONS (19), 150 (27 to 21), MORT (27), WERNING (26), WERNING (10), WONS (10), WONS (19), 150 (27 to 21), MORT (27), WERNING (10), WERNING (10), WONG (10), WON WHAT A NIGHT FOR DANCING-Barry White- 17 reports. WHBQ (22). On: KLIF. Also: WFLB (8), WONS (9), WGNI (15), WGSV (18), WANS (19), 15Q (27 to 21), KMHT (27), WBTR/FM (29), WQEN (30). On: WCGQ,

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DEACON BLUES-Steely Dan- & Perports (73 last veek). KJRB (8), KJR (19), WGCL (21), 99X (23), KING (24), WIRO (26), KRSP (27), WERG (28), WZD (29), WFRO/FM (29). On: WIFI, WMAK, WRCI, WNOE, KSIQ. Also: KMJC (9), WSPT (16 to 9), KNDE (10), KVOX (20 to 14), KQMB (15), KNDE (10), KVOX (20 to 14), KQMB (15), KNDE (11), WIRD (12), KING (17), WKLM (27 to 19), KJOY (28 to 21), WCRO (28 to 22), WGSV (22), etc. MORE THAN A WOMAN-Bee Gees- 88 reports (92 last week). WMBC (1), WZD (7), KFRC (8), KTAC (17 to 11), WIFI (12), KIIS/FM (12), KYA (14), WARY (15), KWH (21 to 15), KJRB (15), KJR (22), WBEF (28), WMAK (30). On: WHER, WRKO. Also: KFRM (1), KRSW (21), KJRB (15), KJR (22), KMGC (2), WONS (3), KINT (3), WAMS (4), KRYS (4), WRAW (5), KJOY (5), KSIY (6), WAAY (6), etc. THIS THME I'M IN IT FOR LOVE-Player- 112 reports (92 last week). WZUU (16), KFI (18), WFRO/FM (18), WQXI (21), WBBQ (22), WIFI (22), Z93 (29 to 24), KIOA (25), WNOE (28). On: KILI, KING, KARB.

ALSO: WFOM (2), WHRY (3), QLOY (3), 15Q (4), WEEC (11 to 6), WIGY (6), WHID (11 to 6), KART (12 to 6), WIGE (7), WARW (13 to 8), WAGQ (9), KOKK (10), WONS (10), WCRO (10), etc.

TAKE A CHANCE ON ME-Abba- 114 reports (74 last week). KLIF (25), Z93 (27), WFRO/FM (27), WBBF (29), WARL (29). On: WBBQ, WGCL, WAAX, WRKO, KJR, KJRB, KRSP. Also: QLOY (7), WIRR (28 to 17), WARE (19), KWGL (25), KWG, KJR, KJRB, KRSP. Also: QLOY (29), KWHZ (25), KWG, WGC) (26), etc.

BAKER STREET-Gerry Rafferty- 116 reports, 94Q (27 to 19), KFI (20), WZUU (20), KRHZ (21), WBBQ (26), WQXI (26), KRSP (28), KJRB (28), 13Q (30). On: WMAK, WNBC, WFRO/FM, TENQ, KILT, KJR, KIRG, KRBE, KSIQ. Also: WJDX (16), KTQ (24 to 19), WALU/FM (28 to 19), WFAM (28), WJDX (17), WGR (28), WGR (2 - DEBUTS-

DISCO INFERNO-Trammps- 118 reports (109 last week). WPRO/FM (2), WZZD (2), 99X (11 to 5), WNOE (5), KRTH (7), WIFI (16 to 10), WBBF (12), KFRC (13), KRBE (24 to 14), KHJ (14), TENQ (14), Z93 (15), KFI (15), KILT (25 to 15), KRSP (25 to 16), 13Q (16), WQXI (21 to 16), WNCI (17), WAKY (28), WCOL (29). On: KGW, KNOW. Also: KISD (1), KSLY (1), KNDE (2), KYNO (3), etc.

MOVIN' OUT-Billy Joel- 145 reports (131 last week). 99X (1), WNBC (2), KRSP (4), KJR (9), WZZD (9), WBBF (9), 94Q (17 to 12), KING (25 to 16), KGW (21), KTAC (22), TENQ (22), WAKY (24), WIFI (25), KLIF (26), KJRB (27), WPRO/FM (28), 96X (29). On: WBBQ, WNOE, Z93. Also: WKLN (1), WSPT (1), WRAW (1), WAMS (2), KWEB (11 to 3), WICC (3), KATI (4), WPST (4), WTLB (5), etc.

SHADOW DANCING-Andy Gibb- 190 reports (161 last week). KRSP (20 to 1), KJRB (11 to 2), KFI (3), WAYS (10 to 4), WZUU (15 to 5), KFRC (14 to 7), 96X (17 to 8), WBBQ (17 to 10), YIOO (20 to 10), WNCI (20 to 12), WNOE (21 to 12), KING (12), KSIQ (21 to 13), WAKY (13), WMET (19 to 14), WRKO (21 to 14), KYA (22 to 15), KLIF (30 to 15), WPRO/FM (21 to 15), Z93 (22 to 16), etc.

Correspondents' Corner (cont'd. from pg. 2)
Junction City, Jimmy West-KJCK/FM- \*Toby Beau Reno, Red Mountain-KCBN- Queen Tulsa, Dr. Don-KAKC- Samantha Sang Oklahoma City, Barry Shannon-KZUE- #12-M.Mann - Chuck Morgan-KOFM- #12-Player Oklahoma City, Sandy Jones-WKY- Eddie Money Longview, Gary Howell-KLUE- Ringo Starr Amarillo, Mark Shannon-KPUR- #6-Warren Zevon Marshall, Jerry Rome-KMHT- O'Jays Tyler, Robert Adams-KDOK- Rod Stewart Dallas, Gary Mack-Z97- Trammps Austin, Bill Mayne-KNOW- Trammps Bryan, Richard Moore-KTAM- Gerry Rafferty Nacogdoches, Kirk Williams-KEEE- Robert Palmer Galveston, Dave Collins-KTLE- Trammps
Beaumont, J.J.Stone-KWIC/FM- \*Leif Garrett - - - Paul King-KAYC- Paley Bros. Victoria, Gary Steele-KVIC- Linda Ronstadt San Antonio, Scott Christenson-KTSA-G. Benson Corpus Christi, Robert A.-KEYS- Trammps Laredo, Joe Ruiz-KLAR- Michael Jarvin San Angelo, Curt Lancaster-KGKL- \*Seals & C. Odessa, Ron Harper-KRIG- Steely Dan - Mark Rivers-KOZA- Lisa Hartman Midland, Darrell Ward-KCRS- Heart Lubbock, Mark Conway-KLBK- \*Eruption - Bill DeMore-KSEL- Elton John El Paso, Rish Wood-KINT- Jimmy Buffett Phoenix, Greg Mills-KRUX- Player Show Low, Chip Stanley-KVSL- Heart Pueblo, Rip Avina-KDZA- Rare Earth Colorado Springs, Marc McCoy-KYSN- Player Casper, Donna Foxx-KATI- Rare Earth Salt Lake, Lorraine Winegar-KRSP- #1-A.Gibb

Las Vegas, Dave Van Stone-KLUC- Styx - - - Steve Sommers-KENO- Shaun Cassidy San Diego, Nina Gomez-KCBQ- Rod Stewart -- Michele Pettis-KMJC- #8-Jeffrey Comanor Anaheim, Larry Groves-KEZY- #6-J.Starship Whittier, Jay Loughrin-KRHC- Angel Los Angeles, Sherman Cohen-KIIS/FM-#9-W. - Denise Gorman-Kl00- Steely Dan (FM)
- John Sebastian-KHJ- #5-Wings San Bernardino, Mitch Montrose-KFSM- #3-Dan & C. Bakersfield, Pete Shannon-KERN- B.Manilow Santa Maria, Johnny Dixon-KCl48- Ringo Starr San Luis Obispo, John Tobin-KSLY- Little Feat Fresno, Dan Spears-KFYE- Rare Earth - John Berry-KYNO- Seals & Crofts Salinas, A.J.Roberts-KDON- Rufus San Francisco, Rick Scott-KYA- Flack & Hathaway Livermore, Steve O'Neil-KKIQ- \*Jimmy Buffett Stockton, Dave Morgan-KSTN- Bill LaBounty - David Kraham-KJOY- Peter Brown Davis, Karl Reinking-KDVS- Be Bop Deluxe Sacramento, Kris Mitchell-KROY- Jimmy Buffett Mark Driscoll-KNDE- #10-S.Dan (DEACON) Yuba City, Ross Forbes-KOBO- Odyssey Redding, John Stall-KSXO- \*Randy Newman Arcata, Len Jarvela-KATA- Robert Gordon Medford, R.E. Lucas-KYJC- Airwaves Coos Bay, Dave Lee-KYNG- Toby Beau - - Gregg Lenny-KHSN- Diana Ross Eugene, Richard Harker-KBDF- Eruption - - Bill Dudley-KASH- Paul Davis Lebanon, Bob Donovan-KGAL- \*The Rutles

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New Adds

Depth reports on newer airplay, derived from a selected section of top 40 correspondents are listed below in regional order. Stations included may vary from week to week. Listing of any station has no relationship to its audience rating in its market.

Portsmouth, Mike O'Neil-WHEB- Sweet, Eddie Money, Gerry Rafferty, Michael Johnson. Boston, Harry Nelson-WRKO- Bonnie Tyler, Abba, Frankie Valli (GREASE). <u>Deb</u>: Sweet, George Benson. Providence, Gary Berkowitz-WPRO/FM- Steely Dan, Barry Manilow (COPA), Gerry Rafferty, Seals & C. Rochester, Tom Nast-WBBF- Chuck Mangione, Eddie Money, Andy Gibb, Leif Garrett. Deb: Abba. Philadelphia, Mark Serpas-WZZD- Andy Gibb, Doucette. Deb: Chuck Mangione, Steely Dan, Diana Ross. Charlotte, Roy Rosen-WAYS- Eddie Money, Peter Brown, Jimmy Buffett (SAT), Player, B.J.Royal. Augusta, Steve York-WAUG- Rod Stewart, Roger Voudouris, J.Buffett, B.J.Royal, O'Jays. Gainesville, Tom Harris-WWID- Carly Simon, Gerry Rafferty, Heart, Eric Clapton. Atlanta, Dale O'Brien-Z93- Billy Joel, O'Jays, John Denver. Deb: Abba, Paul Davis, B.Manilow. Jacksonville, Paul Sebastian-WAPE- Jimmy Buffett, Eddie Money, Patti Smith, Billy Joe Royal. Tallahassee, Michael O'Malley-WONS- Jimmy Buffett, Bonnie Tyler, Gerry Rafferty, George Benson. Ft.Walton Beach, Bob Kitzmiller-WNUE- Seals & Crofts, Jimmy Buffet, Sweet, Patti Smith Group. Guntersville, Kerry Jackson-WGSV- Meatloaf, O'Jays, Patti Smith, Michael Johnson. Deb: Abba. Jackson, Tom Daniels-WJDX- Carly Simon, Abba. Deb: Gerry Rafferty, Bonnie Tyler, Andy Gibb. New Orleans, Marc Sommers-WNOE- Leif Garrett, O'Jays, Frankie Valli (G), Wha-Koo, Billy Joel. Memphis, John Long-WHBQ- O'Jays, Bonnie Tyler, Frankie Valli (GREASE). Deb: Barry White. Knoxville, Bob Kaghan-WRJZ- Gerry Rafferty, Robert Palmer, Paul Davis. <u>Deb</u>: A.Gibb, Trammps.

Nashville, Bruce Sherman-92Q- Warren Zevon, Carly Simon, Eric Clapton, Steely Dan (FM), S/T Bd.

Indianapolis, Jerry Steele-WIFE- Plastic Bertrand, Barry Manilow, Isley Bros., Eddie Money.

Cleveland, Bob Travis-WGCL- Andy Gibb, Travolta/Olivia Newton-John. <u>Deb</u>: Patti Smith, Heart.

Carbondale, Rick Zurick-WCIL/FM- Carly Simon, Abba, Gerry Rafferty, Linda Ronstadt. Madison, R.J. Reynolds-WISM- Michael Johnson, Genesis, Robert Palmer, Meatloaf. Deb: Trammps. Milwaukee, Chris Curtis-WZUU- Meatloaf, Toby Beau. Deb: Mathis & Williams, W.Zevon, C.Simon. Bismarck, Dan Brannan-KFYR- John Denver, Abba, Michael Johnson, Steely Dan. Deb: B.Tyler, A.Gibb. Des Moines, Michael Stone-KMGK- Michael Johnson, Carly Simon, Mathis/Williams, Steely Dan (FM). St. Louis, Sherrie Toennies-KSLQ- Steely Dan, Heatwave, Gerry Rafferty, Robert Palmer. Dallas, Charlie Van Dyke-KLIF- Samantha Sang, Dolly Parton, Mathis & Williams, B.White, Sweet. Houston, Clay Gish-KRBE- Mathis & Williams, Andy Gibb, Heart, Gerry Rafferty. - Bill Young-KILT- Meatloaf, Player. Deb: R.Stewart, Sweet, Gerry Rafferty, Heart. El Paso, Tim Paige-KELP- Carly Simon, Toby Beau, G.Rafferty, Sweet, Mike Pinera, T.Rundgren. Albuquerque, Debi Hines-KRKE- Mathis & Williams, C.Simon, Abba, G.Rafferty, G.Benson, B.Joel. Denver, Ed Greene-KIMN- Mathis & Williams, Abba, Gerry Rafferty. Deb: Trammps, A.Gibb, C.Simon. Los Angeles, Eric Chase-KFI- Gerry Rafferty, A.R.S., Peter Brown, Eddie Money.

- - Meredith Lifson-TEN-Q- Gerry Rafferty, Eddie Money. Deb: George Benson, Andy Gibb.

- - Bob Hamilton-KRTH- Patti Smith, Barry Manilow, Michael Johnson, Paul Davis.

San Francisco, Dave Sholin-KFC- Bonnie Tyler, A.R.S., Frankie Vallie (GREASE). Deb: C.Simon. Portland, Michael O'Brien-KPAM- Abba, Gerry Rafferty, Meatloaf, Willie Nelson. Deb: Heart. Seattle, Frank Colbourn-FM/KVI- Rod Stewart, Mathis & Williams, Travolta/Olivia. Deb: A.Gibb. - - Rob Conrad-KING- Seals & Crofts, Karla Bonoff, Eric Clapton. Deb: Steely Dan (DEACON). Boise, Charlie Fox-KFXD- Abba, Player, Rod Stewart. Deb: G.Rafferty, C.Simon, Bonnie Tyler.

## Correspondents' Corner (cont'd. from pg. 8)

Corvallis, Art Quine-KFLY-#12-Eruption
Salem, Tim Patterson-KBZY- Van Halen
Portland, Terry Danner-KGW- Trammps
- - - Karen Knight-KYTE- Heart
Hoquiam, Steve Larson-KGHO- Michael Johnson
Chehalis, Joe Fiala-KITI- Seals & Crofts
Longview, Jay McCrae-KLOG- Abba
Tacoma, Bruce Cannon-KTAC- Jimmy Buffett
Seattle, Tracy Mitchell-KJR- Karla Bonoff
Mt.Vernon, Jim Allen-KBRC- Edwards & Ralph
Bellingham, Frank Shiers-KPUG- Robert Palmer
Yakima, Brady Layman-KQOT- #9-Meatloaf
Tri-Cities, Tom Mann-KALE- Patti Smith Group
Spokane, Tom Hutyler-KJRB- Gerry Rafferty
- - Jim Hill-KREM- Gerry Rafferty
Boise, Steve Homan-KWZ- Meatloaf

Lewiston, Wes McShay-KOZE- Queen

- - - Steve McKelvie-KRLC- Jigsaw
Moscow, Gary Cummings-KRPL- Melanie
Helena, Bobby Rivers-KCAP- Wha-Koo
Missoula, Vern Argo-KYLT- Genesis
Bozeman, Dennis Nichols-KBOZ- Steely Dan
Great Falls, Don Nordine-KQDI- Kiss

- - John Walton-KEIN- Barry Manilow
Billings, Allan Moos-KOOK- Allan Clarke
Anchorage, Tony Mitchell-KENI- Patti Smith

- - Brian Christian-KANC- #4-Sweet
Vancouver, Joyce Falkowski-CFUN- \*Warren Zevon
Toronto, John T.-CHUM- Flack & Hathaway
Thunder Bay, B.M. Dean-CKPR- \*Player

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A - C Correspondents' Reports - continued from Page 3....
Corvallis (Weldon Greig-KLOO) Seals & Crofts/M. Johnson/Ringo/Alpert & Masekela/Bellamy Bros.
Des Moines (Del Hull-KRNT) Gains: S. Sang/Atlanta Rhy. Sec./Flack & Hathaway/Mathis & Wms.
Dubuque (Steve Sesterhenn-KDTH) Gibb/Manilow/Fenholt/LeBlanc & Carr/Dara Sedaka. Gains: Macgregor.
Durham (Don West-WDNC) Humperdinck/Capt. & Tennille. Gains: Conti/Parton/Lightfoot/W. Nelson.
Eugene (Catherine Bitterman-KPNW) Gibb/S. & Crofts/Carly Simon/M. Johnson. Calls: Capt. & Tennille. Everett (Robert O'Brien-KRKO) T. Jones/C. Simon/Rod Stewart/Tuxedo Junction. Gains: Wings/Gibb.
Fitchburg (Chuck Morgan-WEIM) Rod Stewart/D. Ross/Rafferty/Reddy/Jeffreys & Snow. Calls: Abba.
Flint (Ken Myers-WTRX) Macgregor/Seals & Crofts/Capt. & Tennille/C. Simon. Gains: Player.
Ft. Lauderdale (Mike Harvey-WFTL) Parton (IT'S ALL WRONG)/Murray/Macgregor/Edwards & Ralph.
Grand Rapids (Doc Donovan-WLAV) Reddy/Rod Stewart/Genesis. Gains: Palmer/Travolta & John/Tyler. Green Bay (Jim Trotter-WNFL) C. Simon/Sang/Abba. Gains: D. Parton/Wings/Mathis & Wms./Welch. Haverhill (Bud Jackson-WHAV) D. Sedaka/Airwaves/Silver Convention/Pat Boone. Calls: Valentine.
Helena (Harley Dee-KBLL) LeBlanc & Carr/Spyro Gyra/Andrew Webber. Gains: Parton/Atlanta Rhy. Sec.
Hopewell (Chris Stevens-WHAP) Buffett/McAnally/Wha-Koo/Denver.
Houston (John Jenkins-KXYZ) Trammps/C. Simon/P. Brown. Gains: E. Money/Joel/Travolta & Olivia. - - (Chuck Buell-KULF) Carly Simon/Andy Gibb. Gains: Benson/Gold/Bee Gees (FEVER).
Jefferson City (Mike Schaefer-KJMO) C. Simon/Abba/Rafferty/Airwaves/Conti. Gains: Flack & Hathaway.
Kansas City (Steve Bell-KMBZ) Rafferty/Posey/Gibb/Ringo/A. Gold/McAnally.
Keene (Sandy Ellsworth-WKNE) Tyler/Boone (GOD KNOWS)/Gibb/Manilow/Seals & Crofts.
Kingston (Bruce Conklin-WGHQ) Meatloaf/Seals & Crofts/Rod Stewart/Chicago/Sang/Abba/LeBlanc & Carr.
Lincoln (Cathy Blythe-KFOR) P. Davis/Fenholt/Rains & Harris/M. Johnson/Clarke/C. Simon/Conti.
   - - (Ron Dean-KIIN) Rawls/Toby Beau/A. Murray/Ringo/Conti/C. Simon. Gains: Robert Palmer.
Los Angeles (Michael Sheehy-KNX/FM) M. Johnson. LP: Seals & Crofts.
- - (Tess Russell & Jane Hassler-KMPC) Atlanta Rhythm Secion/Tyler/Gibb. Gains: Flack & Hathaway. Louisville (Jerry Melloy-WHAS) B. Tyler/N. Cole. Gains: C. Simon/Abba/Gibb.
Macon (Steve Murphy-WMAZ) LeBlanc & Carr/P. Davis. Gains: Gibb/Benson/Browne/Mathis & Williams. Marion (Jim Roberts-WDIF) Airwaves/E. Money/Tyler. Gains: Wings/Atlanta Rhythm Section/Palmer.
Mason City (Steve Locker-KGLO) Robert Palmer/LaBounty. Gains: Boone (BABY)/Cole/Cotton/Gold.
Miami (Rick Peters-WWWL) M. Johnson/Cowboy/Denver/Mathis & Wms. Gains: Seals & Crofts/C. Simon.
        (Alan Anderson-WIOD) L. Gatlin/C. Simon/Murray/Rawls. Gains: Reddy/Starland Vocal Band.
Midland (Kirk Hughes-WMPX) Abba/Joel/Rafferty/Reddy/C. Simon/Tyler. Gains: Flack/Parton/S. & Crofts
Milwaukee (Mike Elliott-WTMJ) Genesis/Rod Stewart/Manilow/Mel Tillis. Gains: Abba/Rafferty/W.Nelson
Missoula (Van Wagoner-KGVO) B. Tyler/M. Johnson/G. Rafferty. Gains: Player/G. Benson/Wings.
Mobile (Dick Hylton-WMOB) Rubicon/C. Simon/Rafferty. Gains: C. Gayle/MacGregor/Browne/Rogers & West
Monterey (Scott O'Brien-KMBY) Capt. & Tennille/Denver/Manilow/Murray/M. Johnson. Gains: LaBounty.
- - (Melinda Roberts-KWAV) Capt. & Tennille/Denne & Gold/Rafferty/Airwaves/Genesis. Gains: Wings. Nashville (Gerry House-WSIX) Denver/Tuxedo Junction/Seals & Crofts/Flack & Hathaway/Manilow.
- - (Mary Catherine-WSM) L. Rawls/Ronstadt (MARRY)/D. Boone (GOD KNOWS). Gains: Seals & Crofts. Newport (Denny Pace-KNPT) Melanie/Garrett/Buffett/Rafferty/Hank Wms., Jr./Rod Stewart/McAnally.
Northfield (Mike Wrubel-KYMN) Sheila & Devotion/Jigsaw/Sang/Rawls/Steve Lawrence. Calls: Meco.
Odessa (Dave Prescott-KQIP) Airwaves/Meco/Martino. Gains: Wings/Cisyk/Carradine/Castle/Valentine.
Osburn (Dave Nesbitt-KWAL) Abba/McAnally/Paul Davis/M. Johnson. Gains: Starship/Wings.
Paducah (J. Erick Foreman-WDXR) Steely Dan/Ross/W. Nelson/Tennessee Tuxedo/Abba. Gains: Player. Pendleton (Bob Walker-KTIX) Abba/Sang/Denver/Rafferty/Cowboy. Gains: A. Gold/Mangione/Flack & H.
Philadelphia (Jim Lloyd-WIP) Seals & Crofts/M. Johnson/Celebration/Rafferty. Gains: Abba/Manilow.
   - - (Dave Klahr-WMGK) LeBlanc & Carr/J. Olivor/Cowboy/NRBQ/Rod Stewart/M. Johnson. Calls: Murray.
Phoenix (Dan Armstrong-KOY) Genesis/Brush Arbor/M. Johnson/Fricke/Gibb/Lightfoot (DAYLIGHT KATY).
Pittsburgh (Chuck Brinkman-WTAE) B. Manilow. Gains: Wings/B. Tyler/Mathis & Wms./Atlanta Rhy. Sec.
Portland, Me. (Marji Cyr-Adams-WGAN) Carly Simon/Mathis & Williams. Gains: Palmer/Gold/Abba/Wings.
Portland, Ore. (Bob Swanson-KEX) Rafferty/P. Davis/Meatloaf/S. Martin. Calls: Abba/Travolta & O. Providence (Joe Thomas-WJAR) P. Davis/Palmer/P. Allen/Conti. Calls: W. Nelson/Macgregor. Pueblo (Ken Harthoorn-KCSJ) W. Nelson/Starland Vocal Band/B. Conti/D. Ross/Nat'l. Phil. Orch. Quad Cities (Jim Mahanay-WQUA) Player/Seals & Crofts/Gibb. Gains: B. Tyler/G. Cotton.
Racine (Bob Cook-WRJN) C. Simon/Reddy/Tyler. Gains: Tom Jones/Denver.
Reno (Mike Hagerty-KOLO) Buffett/P. Davis/D. Ross/Manilow/Murray. Gains: Mathis & Wms./Gibb/Abba.
Richmond (Bob Ridle-WRVA) D. Boone/Capt. & T./Reddy/Tuxedo Junction/W. Nelson. Gains: Flack & H.
Rochester (Kim David-KROC) Seals & Crofts/Abba/Capt. & Tennille/Denver/Starland Vocal Bd./Reddy. Rock Springs (Rod Tucker-KRKK) C. Simon/W. Nelson/S. & Crofts/McAnally/Gibb. Gains: Gold/Starship.
Roseburg (Tom Worden-KRSB) Gibb/Hotel/Rubicon/Capt. & Tennille/Buffett/Meatloaf/Chic.
Roswell (Larry Ahrens-KBCQ) Murray/Conti/Tuxedo Junction/M. Johnson.
Rumford (Mike Breton-WRUM) P. Simon/C. Simon/Valentine/Travolta & Olivia.
Sacramento (D. Darin & L. Kirk-KCRA) Gibb/Player/Reddy/Tuxedo Junction. Calls: Abba/Capt. & T.
Saginaw (Rick Belcher-WSCW) A. Gibb/Rogers & West. Gains: Humperdinck/Reddy/Cotton.
St. Joseph (Phil O'Neil-KSFT) C. Simon/Mathis & Williams. Gains: Wings/Mangione/Rubicon/N. Cole.
St. Louis (Ed Scarborough-KSD) Clarke/Capt. & Tennille/Abba/Starship. Gains: Flack/Mathis/Travolta.
Salt Lake City (George Lemich-KSL) Capt. & Tennille/C. Simon/Denver/Tavares/Sang/Manilow.
San Diego (Clark Anthony-KFMB) Seals & Crofts/D. Boone (BABY).
San Francisco (Don Hofmann-KSFO) Palmer/Rafferty/Denver/Rod Stewart.
        (Steve Walker-KCBS/FM) Midler/LeBlanc & Carr/McAnally/Olivor/T. Beau/Rod Stewart/Cowboy.
     - (Ron Reynolds-KNBR) Benson/Capt. & Tennille/Seals & Crofts. Gains: C. Simon/Tyler/Joel.
Santa Maria (Denny Luell-KUHL) P. Davis/Chicago/Denver/Zevon. Gains: Tyler/Gibb/E. Money
Santa Rosa (Jerry Johnson-KSRO) Tyler/Gibb/Capt. & Tennille/Abba/Joel. Gains: Wings/Mathis & Wms. Schenectady (Lee Fowler-WGY) Genesis/Rod Stewart. Calls: John Denver/M. Johnson. Scranton (Chris Norton-WEJL) Denver/Gibb/Seals & Crofts/Capt. & Tennille. Calls: C. Simon/Denver. Seattle (Carol Stripling-KVI) C. Simon/M. Johnson/D. Boone (GOD KNOWS)/Rod Stewart.
     - (Dick Cross-KOMO) Conti/Mangione/Olivor/Abba/Denver/Capt. & T./Atlanta Rhy. Sec./Tuxedo J.
Spokane (Chuck Harmon-KXLY) Garfunkel/M. Johnson/Tom Jones/W. Nelson/A. Murray. Gains: Gates/Reddy.
   - - (Barry Watkins-KHQ) Joel/Geo. Benson/B. Tyler. Calls: Boone (both)/Parton.
Tri Cities (Ed Ray-KORD) Melanie/A. Webber/Davis/O'Jays. Gains: Gold/Gibb/Travolta & Olivia/Wings.
Toledo (Leah Myers-WSPD) Abba/Travolta & Olivia/Sang/Rafferty/R. John/Ringo. Gains: Geo. Benson.
Tulare (Chuck Carson-KCOK) Humperdinck/Joel. Gains: W. Nelson/Tuxedo Junction/Flack & Hathaway.
Tulsa (Don Bishop-KRMG) B. Tyler/Travolta & Olivia/Sang/T. Beau/Bee Gees (WOMAN).
Tyler (Brad Houston-KTBB) B. Tyler. Gains: Mathis & Wms./Wings/Starship/Parton/Player/Travolta & O.
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Gavin's Gab

Format Shifts & Fine Tuning

XEROK-El Paso has changed formats from rock to beautiful music and the entire staff is out. The following people are available: Air Talent, Keith Morgan (915-581-7271); Research Director/ Air Talent Stan Main (915-545-4512); Air Talent/Music Director, Chris Michaels (915-584-4603); Air Talent/Program Director, Bob Payton, ex-WZZP, (915-581-7271); Air Talent/Production Director Kirk Russell, ex-WZZP, (915-598-6768); and AM Drive Team, Guy Phillips and Mike Wall (915-591-9790).

WGLF-Tallahassee, known as GULF-104, has been shifting its "strict Top 40" format to "Album Top 40" over the past two months, according to M.D. Robin Sterns. "These days an FM doesn't have 40" over the past two months, according to M.D. Robin Sterns. "These days an FM doesn't have to sound like an AM." P.D. Casey McCarthy and Robin have slowly dropped the teen-oriented music increasing the gold and old LP cuts. They now play more current LP cuts than current singles

and report good response.

Joe London at WIBR-Baton Rouge tells us the station was heard by a listener in Invercargill, New Zealand. WIBR had a power increase to 5000 watts officially approved two weeks ago. Joe said the New Zealander sent a letter detailing the WIBR newscast, weather report and contest--"Watts Up?"--that he caught via his lengthy antenna.

Tom Harris at WDUN/WWID-FM-Gainesville, Ga., tells us both stations are completely live and separate now. They had been automated and simulcast at night. Tom is now program director of WWID, known as WIDE-107, while George Van Voorhis will program WDUN. Both stations have contemporary music formats with the AM leaning toward A/C.

Northwest Conference Call

An idea from Richard Harker at KBDF-Eugene:

"KBDF would like to set up a network of Northwest secondaries who would exchange weekly information about music through the use of a conference call. While many of us exchange playlists, we could, through the use of a conference call, learn much more about how a record is doing in a market. The expense of the call would be rotated among the participants. Should the idea prove feasible it would be a simple matter to expand the pooling of resources into more exotic areas of music research. We would begin this in May as soon as the lineup of stations is settled." Interested stations can contact Richard at 503-345-4304. Note: The project gains validity in that this would be radio sponsored, not subject to outside influence.

Two for the Price of One

Pat Martin programs two stations, Rock WSPT (AM) and Country WXYQ (FM) in Stevens Point, Wis., using a well-planned regimen that assigns a specific goal to each day of the week. He emphasizes delegating a lot of authority but says, "The key is in the organization."

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Monday is WSPT's Music Day, Tuesday is WXYQ's. That means research, playlist, trades and so on, are taken care of for both stations on separate days. Wednesday and Thursday are "Critique Days" when the jocks have an hour of Pat's time to review their airwork, make suggestions and discuss problems, individually. Friday is General Business Day, when unfinished business,

promotion work and so on, are wrapped up.

Pat says he takes a lot of notes. "Each morning, things that must be accomplished by the end of each business day are written down and carried out." He says he also takes a micro cassette or He says he also takes a micro cassette on

trips and dictates his thoughts and ideas while traveling.
"Staff input is crucial." Regular staff meetings "allow open and frank discussion of the future and direction of the station."

He also recommends hiring part-timers. "You can never have too many...they can develop into excellent fulltimers."

Pat says, "Hire only motivated people who are willing towork hard. They must have a specific goal of their own in mind.

Castles, Calves and King Tut

President of Texas Coast Broadcasters, David H. Morris, thought up an idea for a remote unit that turned into a \$50,000 14' x 8' "Castle" on wheels for KAYC-Beaumont. The unit is a miniature replica of a medieval castle, with brick veneer and turrets. Carrying its own power plant, the castle sports an electric sign that flashes messages around the top. Inside, there's a chess set, plush carpets, equipment of course, and "one of the most comfortable chairs" Paul King has ever sat in, he says. David Morris, who owns KNUZ-Houston also, provided that station with a "Country Cabin" remote unit some time ago. Paul says, now that these priorities are out of the way, maybe they can jump to #341 on the list--raises.

Darrell Ward, Paul Ross and Rick Abraham, personalities at KCRS-Midland, Tx., took part in a "Calf Dressing" contest at the American Junior Rodeo Association's Rodeo on April 21st. They had to catch the calf, dress it in pants and shirt, then drag it to a designated point. "You haven't lived 'til you've wallowed around in the mud with a calf," Paul said. "My mama told me I

should have been a plumber and sometimes...

The King Tut Exhibit, making its way slowly around the country, will never make it to Boise, so KFXD is offering its listeners an all-expense paid trip for two to Seattle where the tour will arrive July 15th. Over the intro on any gold record, the sound of a tomb opening is heard, cueing listeners to call in the correct artist and title for a place in the drawing. No matter what the answer, they win a copy of Steve Martin's new single, KING TUT.

WQOK-Greenville, S.C. WPTR-Albany, N.Y. KSEE-Santa Maria, Ca. KXLY-Spokane KWSL-Sioux City, Ia. KOFM-Oklahoma City KLID-Poplar Bluff, Mo. KLWW-Cedar Rapids WMOH-Hamilton, Oh. WAPE-Jacksonville WGOW-Chattanooga WWKE-Ocala, Fla. KDJW-Amarillo KSFO-San Francisco KROK-Shreveport

Jobs Alan Mason (Box 7777 - 29610) Roy Frank (4243 Albany - 12205) Tim Scott (Box 442 - 93456) Chuck Harmon (W.500 Boone -99201) Paul Gomez (Box 1230 - 51102) \*Mike Miller (Box 14806 - 73114) Sam English (Box 458 - 63901) Don Weir (Box 876 - 52406) Joe London (220 High - 45011) Steve Rivers (904-264-4523) Jim Wood (Box 4704 - 37405) Bill Early (Box 1056 - 32670) Doug Collins (Box 5844 - 79107) \*Don Hofmann (950 California) Ken Shepherd (Box 21130 - 71120) \*No Calls Please

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-12-Country Club

Ordinarily we leave the reporting of non-radio news to other publications who specialize in covering the music business. We make an exception here to note that Larry Baunach, an old friend and winner of one of our first regional promotion awards, has been appointed vice-president of special projects for the Jim Halsey Company. Larry will move from Nashville to Los Angeles, where he'll be general manager of the production and consultant work with act as liason between Halsey managed artists and their record companies, and will work with John Randolph (formerly of WAKY-Louisville) in acquiring a group of radio stations for the company.

Lee Wade at KWYZ-Everett sent an excellent response to Pat O'Neill of KKEE-Rochester's comments

on the programming of LAY DOWN SALLY (C.C. 4/7):

"I think it is terribly confusing to play two versions—we are playing Clapton only, not because Red Sovine's is of any lesser quality but because by playing Clapton, any stray non-country listener will hear a familiar song and may stay to listen to more country (therefore, it became important to us what song was played immediately after LAY DOWN SALLY.) Clapton's version has more mass appeal due to its heavy airplay on other stations...why not capitalize

Reactions are welcome. Disagreements?

A crowd of 2000 showed up at a Kansas City department store to see Mel Tillis present a customized jeep with \$6100 in the glove compartment to the first winner in WDAF's \$25,000 cash and jeep giveaway. Mel drew the winner's name on the air the day before. The station plans to give away another loaded jeep in the near future.

The April 21st Merle Haggard and Marty Robbins concert in Des Moines was cancelled, but clever KSO had time to recreate the concert for disappointed fans.

Sammi Smith, not KJJJ-Phoenix, organized the "Big Country Festival" to raise money for the Indian Scholarship Fund. Sorry, we thought it was a station promotion. (C.C. 4/21)
The "Kayson Win-It-Wagon" is back on the streets of San Diego, spotting KSON window stickers,

pulling drivers over and awarding prizes on the air with two-way radio. Rod Hunter reports tremendous reaction to such daily prizes as micro-wave ovens, ten-speed bicycles, cash and watches.

The first annual KHEY-El Paso picnic drew 15,000 people. Jacky Ward performed. The station had

6000 hotdogs on hand but they soon ran out.

KGRZ-Missoula co-sponsored a Jimmy Buffett concert April 11th with the University of Montana for

over 5000 people.

Willie Nelson's birthday was April 20 and WIRK/FM in West Palm Beach is celebrating it by giving away tickets to the "Willie Nelson & Friends" concert at the West Palm Beach Auditorium on May 4th. Billy Jo Shaver and Emmylou Harris will appear in concert with Willie.

Jobs: KBUY-Amarillo, Tx., is looking for an air talent for afternoon drive. E.O.E. Tapes and resumes to Terry Amburn, Box 5844, Zip 79107. Phone: 806-372-4731.

Available: Dan Dixon, WDEE-Detroit, 313-285-7693.

Changes: Tim Ryan is the new 6-9 PM jock at WNRS-Ann Arbor.

WYTL-Oshkosh has hired Mark Stewart from WMKC to incorporate some "sports talk" along with playing records. Phones will be opened after 10 PM.

Phil Williams from rocker KLWW-Cedar Rapids is now a KYKR-Port Arthur convert, 9 AM-Noon. Service: KKIK-Waco, Tx., would appreciate re-service on oldies. Also needs album service from all sources.

KTIB-Thibodaux needs the current John Denver single from RCA and the Tom T. Hall's Greatest Hits

WBRG-Lynchburg would greatly appreciate album service from all sources.

KLOO-Corvallis, Ore., has not received the Eddie Rabbitt album from Elektra.

Music Calls: Ray Welch, KKIK-Waco, 11 AM-4 PM, Mon. - Fri., 817-772-2101.

Roundup (cont'd. from page 6)

Washington, D.C. (Chris Gullett-WPIK/WXRA) Pl-S.Whipple, C.Hunley, Don King, T.Bresh, S.Wariner.

Wenatchee (Tim Scott-KUEN) Pl-Gene Watson, R.Anthony, J.Paycheck (IRS). Rq-Dave & S., C.Rich.

West Palm Beach (Jim Howie-WIRK/FM) Gns-E.Harris (30-12), N.Felts (38-24). Pl-D.King, J.Howard.

Wheeling (Bob Berry-WWVA) Gns-R.Head (28-22). Pl-M.Street, R.McDowell, C.McClain, K.Dale.

Wichita (Don Walton-KFDI) Fk-Kenny Dale. Pl-R.Pennington, J.Peters, J.Ward & R.McEntire, Don King.

Wolf Point (Jerry Gerke-KVCK) Pl-R.Goldsboro, S.Whipple, D.McCall, Rellamy Bross, R. Stevens Wolf Point (Jerry Gerke-KVCK) Pl-B.Goldsboro, S.Whipple, D.McCall, Bellamy Bros., B.Stevens. Yakima (Jerry Wilson-KUTI) Pl-S.Whipple, Bill Anderson, B.Tyler, C.McClain, B.Vaughn, Hank Jr. Yankton (Jefferson Red-WNAX) Pl-G.Watson, J.Paycheck (IRS), B.Borchers, Roy Head.

Assignment Dir. of Public Aff. News Director promoted to Flo Wineriter KSL-Salt Lake City WZZD-Philadelphia Wally Hines 14ZYQ-Frederick Air Talent KROK-Shreveport KEEL-Shreveport Tim Jacobs Air Talent Mark Christopher KEEL-Shreveport KROK-Shreveport Larry West Birmingham disco WKKY-Pascagoula Air Talent Air Talent Bob Sands KQDY-Bismarck KXLY-Spokane

- C Correspondents' Reports - continued from Page 10.... Vacaville (Matt Steiger-KUIC) Palmer/T. Boylan/Dara Sedaka/Rare Earth/Midler/P. Davis.
Wahpeton (Kris Delaney-KBMW) Flack & H./Fenholt/M. Johnson. Gains: J. Browne/Bee Gees (WOMAN).
Warwick (Dick Wells-WTBQ) McAnally/Manilow/Midler/Melanie. Calls: Macgregor. Washington, D.C. (Bonnie Smith-WMAL) D. Ross/Manilow/Olivor/Tyler/Denver.
- - (Bob Duckman-WASH) Rafferty/Palmer/D. Parton/Manilow. Gains: M. Johnson/Seals & Crofts.
Waterloo (Jay Douglas-KXEL/FM) Abba/Seals & Crofts/Trammps. Galls: Mathis & Wms./Rafferty. Wausau (Chuck Williams-WSAU) Ringo/S. Sang/Russ Ballard. Gains: Wings/Gibb/Egan/Abba/Capt. & T.

West Palm Beach (Russ Morley-WJNO) Alpert & Masekela/Murray. Gains: Wings/Reddy/Boone (BABY). Wichita (Jack Oliver-KAKE) Manilow/P. Davis/Palmer/Capt. & Tennille. Gains: Atlanta Rhy. Section. Winston-Salem (Kim Jones-WSJS) W. Nelson/Tyler/Rogers & West. Gains: Gibb/Travolta & Olivia/Wings.

Yakima (Frank Taylor-KMWX) B. Tyler/R. Palmer. Gains: Gibb/Seals & Crofts.

- - Late Reports - 
Honolulu (Bernie Armstrong-KGU) Manilow (COPA)/Capt. & Tennille/Tyler/McAnally/Rafferty/Conti.

Klamath Falls (Jim Howe-KAGO) S. & T. Band/D. Ross/Mac McAnally. Gains: Benson/Gibb/Wings.



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#### Album of the Week (reviewed by Ron Fell)

"Grease"-John Travolta, Olivia Newton-John, Sha-Na-Na & Various Other Artists (RSO) Because it's on RSO and from a major movie starring John Travolta, this soundtrack will inevitably be compared to the Saturday Night Fever soundtrack. The most obvious similarity is that the predictable singles are all on the first side. The differences here are that John Travolta sings and the Bee Gees don't. John and Olivia couple up on the hit single YOU'RE THE ONE THAT I WANT and join the cast for two more. Other hot tracks include a solo by Olivia, HOPELESSLY DEVOTED TO YOU, a solo by Travolta, SANDY, a forthcoming single by Frankie Valli, GREASE, and a couple of sleepers by Cindy Bullens, IT'S RAINING ON PROM NIGHT and FREDDY MY LOVE.

Also recommended from the following LP's:
"Band Together"-Rare Earth (Prodigal) WARM RIDE/LOVE DO ME RIGHT/LOVE MUSIC
"Snail"-Snail (Cream) THE JOKER/CATCH ME/CHILDHOOD DREAMS/YOU GOTTA RUN

"This Is Your Life"-Norman Connors (Arista) STELLA/THIS IS YOUR LIFE/SAY YOU LOVE ME/YOU MAKE ME FEEL BRAND NEW

"Nantucket"-Nantucket (Epic) HEARTBREAKER/BORN IN A HONKY TONK/GIRL, YOU BLEW A GOOD THING

"Nantucket"-Nantucket (Epic) HEARTBREAKER/BORN IN A HOURT TORK/GIRL, TOO BLEW A GOOD THING
"Baltimore"-Nina Simone (CTI) BALTIMORE/EVERYTHING MUST CHANGE
"Rocket Fuel"-Alvin Lee (RSO) ROCKET FUEL/AIN'T NOTHIN' SHAKIN'/BABY DON'T YOU CRY
"Sailing Down The Years"-Kevin Lamb (Arista) BACK ON THE FARM/TOO LATE NOW/ON THE WRONG TRACK
"Tonight's The Night"-Roy Head (ABC) SHE'S THE SHADOW OF JANE/COME TO ME/TONIGHT'S THE NIGHT
"Bold & New"-The Earl Scruggs Revue (Columbia) THE CABIN/SEA OF LOVE/FOUND MYSELF A NEW LOVE

"The Statue Makers Of Hollywood"-Alpha Band (Arista) MIGHTY MAN/TWO SISTERS
"Flyin' Shoes"-Townes Van Zandt (Tomato) NO PLACE TO FALL/WHO DO YOU LOVE/REX'S BLUES
"Family Album"-David Allan Coe (Columbia) DIVERS DO IT DEEPER/GUILTY FOOTSTEPS/TAKE THIS JOB AND SHOVE IT/WHOLE LOT OF LONESOME

"Let Me Be The One"-Randy Gurley (ABC) ONLY DIAMONDS ARE FOREVER/FAITHLESS LOVE/OLD MEMORIES
"Three Ounces of Love"-Three Ounces of Love (Motown) GIVE ME SOME FEELING/TODAY WILL SOON BE YESTERDAY

"Peaceful"-Al Johnson (Marina) COME CHECK OUT THIS LOVE/IT'S NOT TOO LATE (TO START AGAIN)

Our correspondents recommend the following LP cuts: (Most frequently mentioned are underlined)

Adult Contemporary

Bee Gees-MORE THAN A WOMAN Barry Manilow-COPACABANA/LEAVIN.../LINDA SONG

Gene Cotton-YOU'RE A PART OF ME Carly Simon-DEVOTED TO YOU/BACK DOWN TO EARTH

Billy Joel-SHE'S ALWAYS A WOMAN

Wings-LONDON TOWN/DELIVER YOUR CHILDREN

Jimmy Buffett-SON OF A SON OF A SAILOR

Andrew Gold-NEVER LET HER SLIP AWAY

Gordon Lightfoot-DAYLIGHT KATY

Seals & Crofts-NOBODY GETS OVER LOVIN' YOU

Rita Coolidge-WORDS

Eng.Dan & J.F.Coley-YOU CAN'T DANCE

Boz Scaggs-STILL FALLING FOR YOU Willie Nelson-BLUE SKIES/STARDUST

Country Music
Eddie Rabbitt-YOU DON'T LOVE ME ANYMORE/HURTIN' Isley Bros.-GROOVE WITH YOU

FOR YOU/ROOM AT THE TOP

Rogers & West-ANYONE WHO ISN'T ME/YOU & ME/

LAY DOWN BESIDE ME

Kendalls-PITTSBURGH STEALERS/SWEET DESIRE

Moe Bandy-THAT'S WHAT MAKES THE JUKE BOX PLAY Johnny Cash-AIN'T NO GOOD CHAIN GANG/I WISH

I WAS CRAZY/WHO'S GENE AUTRY?

Jim Ed & Helen-FEELING YOU/TAKE ME, I'M YOURS

Janie Fricke-PLEASE HELP ME I'M FALLING/I BELIEVE IN YOU/LOVED YOU ALL THE WAY

Bee Gees-MORE THAN A WOMAN

Billy Joel-ONLY THE GOOD DIE YOUNG

Steely Dan-FM/JOSIE

Wings-I'VE HAD ENOUGH/LONDON TOWN

Jackson Browne-THE LOAD OUT/STAY

Barry Manilow-COPACABANA

Jefferson Starship-RUNAWAY/LOVE TOO GOOD

Journey-ANYTIME

Dan & Coley-YOU CAN'T DANCE

Andrew Gold-NEVER LET HER SLIP AWAY

A.R.S.-CHAMPAGNE JAM Frankie Valli-GREASE

Jimmy Buffett-LIVINGSTON SATURDAY NIGHT

Climax Blues Band-MAKIN' LOVE

Spyro Gyra-SHAKER SONG/LOVE

Moments-DISCO MAN

Juggy Murray Jones-COME ON DO IT SOME MORE Parliament-FUNKENTELECHY

Nina Simone-BALTIMORE

Walter Jackson-I'LL NEVER EVEN REMEMBER LOVING YOU Tower of Power-YOUR LOVE IS GOING TO SEE ME THRU

Norman Connors-YOU MAKE ME FEEL BRAND NEW

Platinum Hook-BITTERSWEET

Raydio-HONEY I'M RICH

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Gary Taylor's Personal Picks WONDERFUL TONIGHT-Eric Clapton (RSO) In spite of the simple storybook lyric, the artist's vocal sincerity makes this more than an ordinary ballad. Missing is that famous guitar, which plays a lesser part than usual.

ROLL WITH THE CHANGES-REO Speedwagon (Epic) Night time radio will be more dynamic with high

voltage rock music like this.

Also Possible

IT'S LATE-Queen (Elektra) ONLY WHEN I'M LONELY-Jigsaw (20th) THE SOUND OF SUMMER-Starbreaker (Chrysalis) LAST DANCE-Donna Summer (Casablanca) IT'S THE SAME OLD SONG-K.C. & Sunshine Band

EVEN NOW-Barry Manilow (Arista) FROM NOW ON-Bobby Arvon (First Artists)
WHAT'D YA' WANNA' DO THAT FOR-Larry Keith (Number 1)

SHOW ME A REASON-The Tubes (A&M)

JUST ONE MINUTE MORE-Mike Finnigan (Columbia) TAKE ME BACK TO CHICAGO-Chicago (Columbia)

St. Louis Regional

(T.K.)

A final reminder to all those planning to attend our meeting next weekend in St. Louis at the Marriott. We need to give the hotel a figure on meals for Saturday lunch and cocktails for Saturday night and would appreciate hearing from those planning to attend. You need not pay in advance.

The Saturday "radio only" meetings will be stimulating as would be expected of any meeting involving Paul Drew, Charlie Lake and the finest radio minds in the St. Louis region. More fireworks and food for thought is sure to come from Sunday's meeting with record and radio company personnel. See Ya There.

Schedule

Saturday 5/6 9AM First Session. Greetings from Bob Osborne, PD of KMOX.

Moderator: Charlie Lake, National P.D., Downes Broadcasting.

12:00 Lunch

2PM to 5PM. Second Session. Moderator: Bill Bailey, KSLQ. Guest Speaker - Paul Drew, Consultant.

6 to 7:30PM Cocktail reception. Record personnel welcome. Sunday 5/7 10AM - Third Session (includes both radio & record people) Moderator: Carol Singer, Elektra/Asylum.

Publisher's Comment

A number of our correspondents have expressed interest in the title cut from the soundtrack of the movie "FM". It develops that there is a questionable phrase in the lyrics. The second time the phrase is used, it is quite clearly "funked up music", which is probably what was " intended the first time. Unfortunately it comes out clearly sounding like "fucked up music". We make this comment so that programmers whose listeners are apt to be offended by the word may make their judgements accordingly. B.G.

#### Inside Progressive Radio (by George Meier, Editor of Walrus)

In a fairly light release period there is not too much on the progressive side to talk about. The only really advanced record is by Brian Eno. An extraordinary electronician, Eno decries skill in a musician, claiming that inspiration should come from one's musical instincts. Needless to say, his album is inventive, interesting, musical and even a bit skillful.

On the more pop side things are jumpin'. Ringo's recording is great fun. His producer, Vinnie Poncia, has done a marvelous job of using Ringo's limitations to the fullest in a release which seems to encase the star in songs and arrangements especially suited to his personality.

Also notable is the new Carly Simon entry. On the whole, she has more good songs to offer than in many of her other records. Arif Mardin's tastiness caresses the lady.

An unfortunate case of overproduction corrupts an otherwise good project by Richie Furay. This country rocker leads with round songs, a dynamite guitar and his singular voice only to wash the power out with big orchestrations.

From England an old standard and a new amalgam shine through. Jethro Tull has regained the resilience that made them a progressive centerpiece. Meanwhile, a new group which joins members of several noted bands release a strong first album under the name U.K. They play a brand of orchestral rock which isn't as important as it once was, but which they give a proper stroke.

The Southern connection delivers two albums. One by Dickey Betts is O.K., though not up to his last one. It is Les Dudek who puts together a super singing voice and a power guitar with a few top drawer songs. This one feels good.

Bill Goes Back To College

It was my privilege last week to speak to two college audiences, one at San Francisco State University and the other at Belmont College in Nashville. The event in San Francisco was the 28th Annual Broadcast Industry Conference, a week long affair covering a wide ranging field of discussions relating to both radio and television. The entire week of discussions was videotaped.

The group at Belmont College came from the School of Business, and included all those enrolled in studies relating to the music business. My assignement was to cover radio's relationship to the record business, publishing, licensing and so on.

In both cases I was impressed with the many intelligent questions and comments from the students. It was encouraging to note their serious, professional approach to their chosen fields. The future of radio and the music business appears to be in good hands.

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