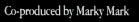


Charles had everything going for him A top paying job, a good life, a good wife until he took a walk on the...

The follow-up track to the #1 hit single "Good Vibrations"

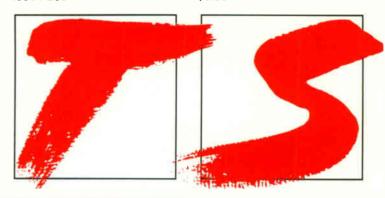


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SINGLES

Karyn White takes the throne, making everyone in Bunnyville smile, especially since Prince surges to #3. But watch out for Michael Bolton, detonating 24-9!!!!

DIALOGUE

Scotti Brothers' rulers Myron Roth and Chuck Gullo have too much record biz experience to be lumped in the same Contents entry as HITS' still-wet-behindthe-ears Steve Peters "Picked A Peck Of Pickled Peppers."

POST MODERN

Nirvana's so hot it's even making manager/activist Danny Goldberg look good.

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JAMS

Def Jam/Columbia's Public Enemy remain on the controversial tip with "Can't Truss It," while the truss JAMS' "Hexa" Graham Armstrong is forced to don comes from trying to lift his lunch.

ALBUMS

Guns II just barely leads a close trio of Garth Brooks,
Public Enemy and Prince. Nirvana continues to
surge.

Hitsbound
Marx & Genesis.

Top Tens
73
Requests
Paula fights back.

Breakouts
Farpicks
Genesis & Marx.

Top Tens
Garth ropes 'em in.

Breakouts
Frasure & Digital.

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Horse Race



Capitol Sr. Promo VP John Fagot isn't just a homespun raconteur — the man's a promo thoroughbred, and this week he wins in a photo finish with Most Added honors for his label's hot horse, Richard Marx, barely edging out his Atlantic counterpart Andrea Ganis, who deserves a tip of the old hat for a phenomenal week on Genesis. Fagot is riding his mounts extra hard, charging hard with Hammer after steering Bonnie Raitt into the Top 10. As he heads into the holiday season stretch run, the Great Fago is in perfect position for a fantastic finish. Unless this "Contents" appearance relegates his nag to the glue factory.

On The Cover

Hammer insists he's "Too Legit To Quit," but that was before this very illegitimate HITS cover appearance.

DECEMBER 1989

VIRGIN SHIPS **THE WAY YOU DO THE THINGS YOU DO** FROM THE MOTION PICTURE SOUNDTRACK *BLACK RAIN* AND THE UB40 ALBUM **LABOUR OF LOVE II**.

DECEMBER 1990

ONE YEAR LATER, **THE WAY YOU DO THE THINGS YOU DO** PEAKS AT **NO. 6** IN BILLBOARD.

JANUARY 1991

HERE I AM IS RE-RELEASED.
LABOUR OF LOVE II IS APPROACHING PLATINUM
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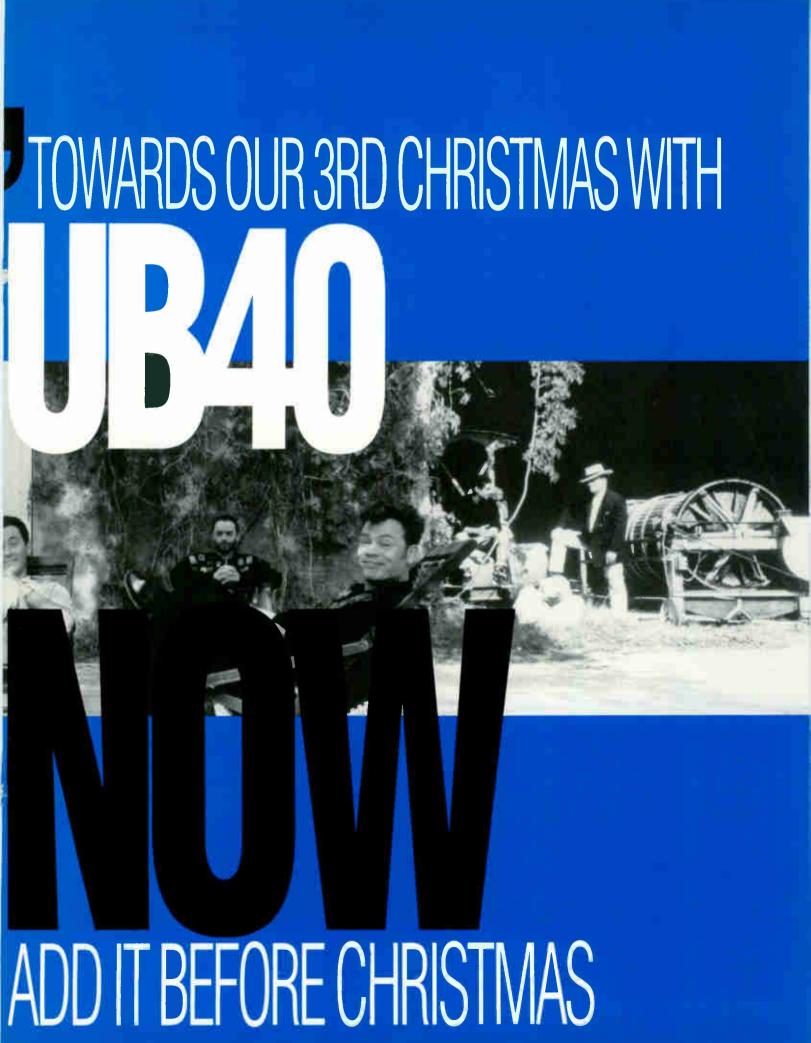
SEPTEMBER 1991

NINE MONTHS LATER, **HERE I AM** PEAKS AT **NO. 6**IN BILLBOARD AND IS THE **NO. 1** RECURRENT AIRPLAY
RECORD IN THE COUNTRY FOR FIVE WEEKS. **LABOUR OF LOVE II** HAS BEEN ON THE CHARTS
FOR **92** WEEKS AND HAS SOLD
OVER **1.4** MILLIAN COPIES.

OCTOBER 1991

CRUOVIN' IS THE NEW SINGLE FROM UB40.





FOREVER MY LADY





EARPICKS WINNER!
31-27 HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS!
42-37 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES!

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WBXX	add	KMEL	5-4
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HOT SALES AT:

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- #1 Fletcher One-Stop/Chicago
- #3 Buzzards Nest/Col
- #4 S.W. Wholesale/Houston
- #4 Record Theater/Buffalo
- #4 Nova/Atlanta
- **#5 Sound Warehouse/Dallas**
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- #6 Sea Port/Portland
- #6 Angott One Stop/Detroit
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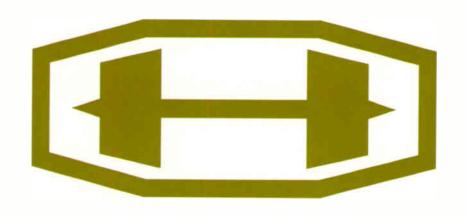
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IT'S HAMMER TIME!

MOST ADDED AGAIN! ON OVER 85 TOP 40s!



2 LEGIT 2 QUIT

Hammer Week Kicks Off With MTV World Premiere Oct. 26th World Premiere Broadcast Of The Album "Too Legit To Quit" Oct. 26th. Look Out Retail. In Store Oct. 29th!







ARTIST

HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES

LABEL

Karyn White jumps to the #1 spot this week finally overtaking Mariah Carey. Prince continues to bid for the top by inching to #3. PM Dawn and Paula Abdul both make big jumps this week while PoMo faves B.A.D. II and The Farm

TITLE

jump to #38 & #39 respectively. **Jodeci** and former Wildcard, **Shabba Ranks** continue to move big, fueled by sales while this week's Wildcard **Marky Mark**, is the highest debut at #41.

COMMENTS

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ARTIST			
KARYN WHITE	ROMAN TIC	Warner Bros 19319	Smash
MARIAH CAREY	EMOTIONS	Columbia 38T-73977	Gigantic in sales
PRINCE	CREAM	P.Park/WB 19175	From #4 Lp
NATURAL SELECTION	DO ANYTHING	Atco EW 98724	Monster in sales
EXTREME	HOLE HEARTED	A&M 1564	Hot on MTV
BRYAN ADAMS	CAN'T STOP THIS	A&M 1576	Gaining
MARKY MARK	GOOD VIBRATIONS	Inter/EW 98764	New single starting
NAUGHTY BY NATURE	O.P.P.	Tommy Boy TBC-988	Smash
MICHAEL BOLTON	WHEN A MAN LOVES	Columbia 74020	Exploding
JESUS JONES	REAL REAL REAL	SBK 7364	Building each week
BOYZ II MEN	IT'S SO HARD	Motown 2136	Smash
PM DAWN	SET ADRIFT ON	G St/IsI/PLG/866-094	Smash
TONY TERRY	WITH YOU	Epic 73713	Former Wildcard
ROBERTA FLACK	SET THE NIGHT	Atlantic 87607	With Maxi Priest
GUNS N' ROSES	DON'T CRY	Geffen 19027	Dominating Lp chart
CHESNEY HAWKES	THE ONE AND ONLY	Chrysalis 23730	Developing
METALLICA	ENTER SANDMAN	Elektra 94-64857	Sales
RYTHM SYNDICATE	HEY DONNA	Impact 54208	Former Wildcard
PAULA ABDUL	BLOWING KISSES IN	Captive/Vir 98683	Exploding
VANESSA WILLIAMS	RUNNING BACK TO YOU	Wing/Mercury 867-518	Steacy
SALT-N-PEPA	LET'S TALK ABOUT SEX	Next Plateau 50157	Steady gains
CURTIS STIGERS	I WONDER WHY	Arista 12331	Hot
AMY GRANT	THAT'S WHAT LOVE	A&M 1566	Exploding
LUTHER VANDROSS	DON'T WANT TO	Epic 73879	Peaked
BONNIE RAITT	SOMETHING TO TALK	Capitol 44724	Falling now



Tevin Campbell's debut single, "Tomorrow," from Quincy Jones' Back On The Block, was a No. 1 R&B hit. He scored gold, a Grammy nomination and a Top 15 pop hit with "Round And Round" from Prince's Graffiti Bridge. And "Just Ask Me To," from the "Boyz N The Hood" soundtrack, just went Top Ten R&B.

Tevin's fourth single launches a career that's already pretty remarkable.

● EVIN LAWPBELL●

The first single from his very own debut album T.E.V.I.N.

"Tell Me What You Want Me To Do"







Gear up for **just a touch of love**

The latest single off "Gonna Make You Sweat"—the ground-breaking, worldwide 5x platinum album that already gave you three #1 hits.

Will Just a Touch of Love be just as big?

You bet your ass!

C&C MUSIC FACTORY

Written by Robert Clivilles. Produced, arranged and mixed by Robert Clivilles and David Cole for Cole/Clivilles Music Enterprises.

Management: Barbara Warren-Pace for Cole/Clivilles Music Enterprises in Association with 23 West Entertainment, Inc.





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ARTIST
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COLOR ME BADD
NIA PEEPLES
BOYZ II MEN
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JOHN MELLENCAM
SIMPLY RED
EMF
VAN HALEN

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JODECI

B.A.D. II

THE FARM **GLORIA ESTEFAN MARKY MARK CE CE PENISTON** SHABBA RANKS

RUSS IRWIN J. JEFF & F. PRINCE

ROD STEWART RICHARD MARX

GENESIS FIREHOUSE

--50 **COLOR ME BADD**

TITLE **EVERYBODY PLAYS...**

> I ADORE MI AMOR STREET OF DREAMS

MOTOWNPHILLY KISS THEM FOR ME

GET A LEG UP

SOMETHING GOT ME ...

LIES

TOP OF THE WORLD

JUST WANT TO HOLD ...

WHISPERS

FOREVER MY LADY

RUSH

GROOVY TRAIN

LIVE FOR LOVING YOU

WILD SIDE

FINALLY HOUSECALL

MY HEART BELONGS ...

RING MY BELL

BROKEN ARROW

KEEP COMING BACK NO SON OF MINE

LOVE OF A LIFETIME

ALL 4 LOVE

LABEL COMMENTS

A&M 1563 Falling Warner Bros 19330 Steady

Giant 4-19204 New single starting

Charisma 98690 Breaking

Motown 2090 Peaked

Mercury 867890

Interscope 96260

A&M 1586

Epic 73928

SBK 05403

Jive 42023-2

Capitol 44753

Epic 73771

Giant 19236

Atlantic 4-87571

Warner Bros 19274

Geffen 19031 Falling now From hot new Lp

Atco/EW 98711 MTV Add

EMI 50363 Developing each week

Warner Bros 4-19151 Breaking Top 40

Atco/EW 98709 Building Uptown MCA 54197 Smash

Columbia 73844 Selling 45's big

Sire/Rep 19209 Developing Epic 73962

Building

Smash Breaking

Hot seller

Early sales

Hot video

Breaking Top 40

Most added Top 40

Sweeping Top 40

New single shipping

Hot follow up

(Based on a combination of sales and airplay)

LITA FORD (RCA) **NEXT UP** ROXETTE (EMI)

HAMMER (Capitol) LENNY KRAVITZ (Virgin)

CHER (Geffen) TRACIE SPENCER (Capitol)

HITS October 28, 1991



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The New Single







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You know Atlantic Starr's previous No. 1 smash "Always" and their hits "Secret Lovers" and "My First Love."

Now Starr burst forth with "Love Crazy."

Produced by David Lewis and Wayne Lewis • Associate Producer Jonathan Lewis • A Jodaway Production

From the new album LOVE CRAZY • Management: Gold Mountain Entertainment/Danny Goldberg and Ruth Carson

© 1991 Reprise Records, Starr light, Starr bright, first Starr we hear tonight...

FRONT PAGE



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Marx & Genesis Battle It Out At Top 40

SINGLES SCENE!!!

Here We Go Again -- Michigan

Troubled by the **David Duke** candidacy? Well, when it rains it pours because **Michigan**, the incredible state that gave you Detroit, is set as the battleground for three bills that could lead to a handful of God's chosen people deciding what is appropriate for you to see and hear.

Michigan House Bill 5148 and 4987 and State Senate Bill 399 would allow individual communities to set their own standards for obscenity. The chaotic end result would mean that a specific record or video could be banned in one town, but available in another two miles down the road. Besides constitutional ramifications of such bills, retailers and distributors are justifiably turning gray over the prospects of their success.

There are also rumors of a bill that would only permit music retailers to sell the classic, "David Duke's Songs Of Love & Harmony." A spokesperson for Duke could not comment as he was at a cross burning.

The RIAA, NARM, VSDA and MPAA are all gearing to fight against these veiled attempts at censorship. Here we go again.

It's Them Again



Genesis: Top 40 welcomes them back — big time.

Advertisement

DRUMMER DIED, need new one. Must have no immediate family.

Auditions October 3 at LA Coliseum with

David St. Hubbins Nigel Tufnel Derek Smalls



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Chestnuts will soon be roasting on the open fire and that means things will be heating up quickly at Top 40 as labels begin positioning themselves for the holiday buying spree. First hint of that Christmas spirit went down this week as Top 40 programmers were faced with a number of hot new singles vying for those precious adds.

Biggest battle of the week belonged to Most Added Richard Marx (Capitol) and runner-up Genesis (Atlantic), which spent last Tuesday in a battle closer than Clarence Thomas' Senate confirmation. Both these records are a lock to go the distance.

Further heating up playlists this week are Color Me Badd (Giant), Mötley Crüe (Elektra), Lita Ford (RCA), Roxette (EMI) and PM Dawn (Island).

In addition, great first weeks were turned in by Arista's Lisa Stansfield and MCA's Tom Petty.

"How'd the **Reba Mc- Entire** record do?" queried KKBQ PD **Dene Hallam** when we mistakenly called him, erroneously thinking he still mattered.

Queried HITS Retail Guru Mitch Perliss: "Does radio have anything to do with selling records?" Goodnight Mitch.

PIC OF THE WEEK



This Photo Is The Pits

Capitol Sr. VP of Promotion John Fagot does his first "pit check" after his national staff concludes its first full month of wearing the same Crow-ded House T-shirts to work. Said action is one of those moves that promotion teams tend to do to show the rest of the company that, despite the fact that no one at radio will take their calls, they still really do care about the project. VP of Promotion Ritch Bloom (2nd from right) has taken his commitment to a new level and vowed not to bathe until March, 1993, eclipsing his old record by six

Quick Hits

MTV adds Hammer (Capitol), Color Me Badd (Giant), Roxette (EMI), Extreme (A&M), Chris Whitley (Columbia), Voice Of The Beehive (PLG), Simply Red (Atco EW), Southside Johnny (Impact), Firehouse (Epic) and Baby Animals (Imago). DJ Jazzy Jeff (Jive) and Skid Row (Atlantic) receive rotation increases.

WILD

MARKY MARK (INTERSCOPE)

The pre-release majors have lined up behind this smash follow-up and are already yelling smash. The phones are lighting up and the moves are huge: 24-10 WZOU, 22-12 PWR96, 8-7 WHYT, 18-13 Q106, 20-16 B96. The adds include KIIS, KRBE, B97, KPRR, HOT102, WTIC and WRVQ and album sales are kicking in. Marc & Billy will be calling you on this one. They're right!

Quick Schulman Rising At Warner

Mark "My Words" Schulman has been apointed to the newly created position of Vice President, Market Development, Warner Music Group, by Robert J. (for "Jillionaire") Morgado, Chairman of the company.

Stated Morgado: "The increasingly complex marketing environment for our industry has placed a premium on supporting our labels and WEA Corp. in their efforts to build traffic and sales at the retail level. Mark's experience and relationships make him an ideal executive to work with the music group companies to deliver on this commitment. (Translation: It took some publicist seven hours to come up with that quote.) And he was always my favorite member of Gentle Giant... Whaddya mean not that Schulman?"

Added the other Schulman: "I am very excited about meeting the challenge of developing dynamic new concepts to stimulate retail activity. (Translation: How-

about a 1-900 line for Marky Mark?) The Warner Music Group's labels are the recognized leaders in maximizing the success of a tremendously diverse range of artists and music. (Translation: Is Ratt still on the roster?) We must now strive to further enhance our efforts through, aggressive street level approaches" (Translation: Grab some posters and a bucket of paste!)



Mark Schulman: Can get you season tickets for Cosmos soccer.

Wheeler & Dealer



Ear Candy artiste Audrey Wheeler (1) hangs backstage with BMG Chairman and CEO Michael Dornemann, who kept referring to her as "Cissy's kid" and kept requesting "The Greatest Love Of All." Immediately after this shot was taken, Dornemann slashed the artist's contract by 24% with further reductions tied to fluctuations in the national inflation rate. Oh, those nutty CEOs.



Rich Gets Richer At Columbia

"Richie" Rich Kudolla has nounced). In addition, the been upped to Sr. VP Sales, Columbia Records, it was announced by label President Don "Here's Mud In Your" lenner.

In his new post, Kudolla will have the Columbia Retail Marketing Department (with reps in N.Y., Chicago and L.A.) report directly to him, as will the newly created Development/Retail Artist Marketing Department (with reps in N.Y., L.A., Chicago and Houston to be an-



Rich Kudolla: Rhymes with rock and rolla.

Columbia Jazz Department will now report directly to Mr. Kudolla, who will continue to serve as the primary sales liaison between Columbia and the Sony Music Branch Distribution System. He will be responsible for coordinating sales plans and programs at branch and retail levels on all current and upcoming Columbia album releases, including advance promotional activities and full support for label touring acts. On the seventh day, he'll brush his teeth and rest.

Said Ienner: "Rich has always been willing to break with tradition and do things differently. This promotion proves that despite the fact he has no personality, and I hate his stinkin' guts, I will still promote a great executive. I look forward to working together with him for many vears."

Said Kudolla: "Mitch Perliss? Never heard of him."

The 678,987th Tommy, Gloria & Dave Shot

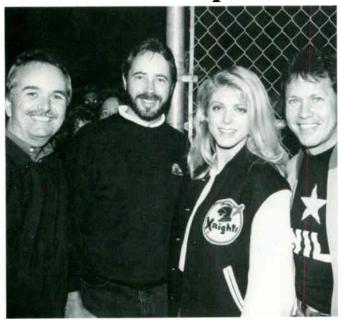


In a shot reminiscent of ones we ran in issue #232, and issue #224, and issue #215, and let's not forget issues #198, 191, 188, 176, 162, 153, 148, 134, 119, 98 and 75, we present Sony Music President Tommy Mottola (1) and Epic President Dave Glew (r) presenting superstar Gloria Estefan with a Platinum plaque for "Into The Night." Naturally, Gloria still doesn't have a clue as to who these two suits are, but she's more than happy to grab the plaque and scram. Thank you for your understanding.

Quick Hits

The Most Added singles of the week at Top 40 radio are #1 Richard Marx (Capitol), #2 Genesis (Atlantic), #3 Color Me Badd (Giant), #4 Lisa Stansfield (Arista) and #5 Mötley Crüe (Elektra). Tom Petty (MCA) gets off to a strong start with his latest.

Two Marla Maples Photos We Ran Together



The photo on the left shows Marla Maples, who has reached celebrity status by virtue of the fact that she's the inventor of that nutty dance craze, "The Trump Hump," hanging with (l-r) Columbia's Greg Phifer, KIIS PD Bill Richards and KIIS



Morning Man Rick Dees at a recent charity softball game in Smog City. Guess they couldn't get that gal from Jimmy Swaggart's car. The photo on the right shows Marla backstage at a recent Michael Bolton concert.

Two People With Porno Cakes Getting Slimed





Look folks, it's the '90s. People are now even questioning how safe "safe sex" actually is. Let's face it, for the young single person of the '90s, the choices are painfully clear - you can either go home and "Blame The Butler" (you know... "Shuck The Clam," "Bop The Water Buffalo," "Wrestle The Bald Headed Champion") or you can have an encounter with an incredibly X-plicit X-rated cake. The photo on the left shows Epic's Suzie Spondor satisfying her sweet tooth, while the photo on the right shows HITS' own Brian Lindsey and his sweetie-pie. Naturally, Brian had two quick bites, smoked a cigarette, rolled over on his side and fell asleep.

ATTORNEY GRUBMAN DOES A GALA WEDDING BY THE



WONDER HOW SYKES DID?

After reports began circulating of a mysterious, funguslike growth on Paula Abdul's left cheek, the editors of HITS (speaking of fungus-like growths) have decided to publish this photo of the talented artist with the cause of said growth - Global Satellite Network President Howard Gillman — otherwise known as "Petrie-Dish Lips." The event was a recent "Rockline On MTV."



Prutzman, Shapiro Make MCA Moves

"It's dirty work, but someone has to take Thom Duffy and Craig Rosen to lunch."

With those immortal words, MCA Music Entertainment Group Sr. VP "Hey" Paula Batson announced that Caroline "No" Prutzman and "Da Do Ron" Ron Shapiro have both been promoted to their level of incompetence as Vice President Public Relations, MCA Records.

Prutzman will develop comprehensive national presscampaigns for MCA artists from her New York base with the East Coast staff reporting to her. (Translation: She'll call Danny Fields and give

him the list of executives and

Ron Shapiro: Got Frances Preston on "Love Connection."

the menu at label parties.)

Shapiro will develop national press campaigns for MCA artists from his Universal City base and assist with corporate public relations, while the West Coast staff reports to him. (Translation: He'll try to find out I.B. Bad's real identity so he can take him to lunch.)

Commented Paula: "Caroline and Ron have both done an exceptional job of publicizing MCA artists. They are two consummate publicists." (Translation: "After I got my promotion (see HITS #264), I couldn't very well tell them, 'Tough noogies.")



Caroline Prutzman: Replaces Bobby Fleckman as Spinal Tap publicist.

"SHIMIMG" STAR



INXS

FROM THEIR FORTHCOMING ALBUM LIVE BABY LIVE.

LIVE BABY LIVE contains 15 classic live tracks by INXS and this brand new studio track.

The home video LIVE BABY LIVE contains 18 of their biggest hits and was shot by director David Mallet at Wembley Stadium.

Written by Andrew Farriss.



Promise by Mark Opitz & BOS Manager: C.M. Marehy





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People Posing At The Elton/Bernie Bash







Nothing like a gala record company party to bring out the classic poses, and this crop of photos from PLG's gala "Two Rooms" bash in the Big Apple, honoring Elton John and Bernie Taupin, proves that the posers rated this one mighty high. Here's what we mean: In photo one, Elton and Bernie pry their butts away from 300 puckered lips long enough to snap a photo. Naturally, the pair hated everyone at the party. In photo two, PLG President/CEO Rick Dobbis and Sr. VP Promotion

& Sales Johnny Barbis grab an obviously thrilled Bernie Taupin after Elton refused to be photographed with them. Both Dobbis and Barbis look fabulous in polyester. In photo three, Nile Rodgers and Bob Guccione Jr. hold yet another meeting of the "Axl Rose Fan Club." Despite rumors, Bob is not a spoiled rich kid who has his very own rock n' roll magazine to play with.







In photo four, Rod Stewart proves conclusively that he definitely CAN remember his wife's name and proved it by repeating it over and over again to the three bimbos he went home with at the end of the night. In photo five, famous divorce lawyer Marvin Mitchelson arrives with his lovely young date, who is interested in Marvin strictly for his personality and

looks, and would be on his arm even if he didn't have any money at all. In photo six, MTV VJ Julie Brown continues to enhance her image as someone who would never be regarded as a loud, flashy, classless scenester. That's Julie looking for someone more important to hang with.

Greg Brady: "Tuck Me In, Mommy!"

Williams, who Barry played eldest son Greg Brady on the popular sitcom "The Brady Bunch," revealed on a recent edition of "Geraldo" that he and TV mom Florence Henderson dated while taping episodes of the wholesome family comedy. According to the former child nymph, now 37, he was too young to drive at the time of his dates and his brother would act as a chauffeur. Geez Bar, what was the matter with Florence, was she too

hot to drive? Unconfirmed reports have Williams stating, "Cindy wasn't putting out, Marcia was frigid, and Jan was boinking **Robert Reed**. What the hell would *you* do?"

In other Brady news, Louisiana gubernatorial candidate **David Duke** has called for a boycott of all reruns of the now-legendary series after it was discovered that Greg Brady was circumcised. Said a spokesperson for the show, "No skin off my back." He's right about that.

Marx In A Rush

Capitol artist and Most Added geek of the week Richard Marx will perform in five cities in one day as he embarks on the "Rush In, Rush Out, Rush Street Tour" on November 9. Marx will charter an MGM Grand plane for concerts in Wash. D.C., New York, Cleveland. Chicago and L.A. The shows will take place at various airports and be free to the public. NBC Nightly News anchorman Tom Brokow will have absolutely nothing to do with the tour.



Tom Brokaw

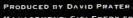
FIREHOUSE. PLATINUM.

October, 1989. A North Carolina quartet lands the number 1 most requested single at their local Charlotte station. All this with a basement demo.

October, 1991. Ore year after ther Epic debut, Frehouse is Plat num with two consecutive Top-10 hits under their belts. The story cortinues with...

"ALL SHE WROTE" THE NEW SINGLE AND VIDEO.





MANAGEMENT: GIGI FREDY FOR ENDLESS GRIND MGT.











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Great Cause, Poor Choice Of Magazines



Proving that people will make huge personal sacrifices for a worthy cause, the following four gunslingers risked personal humiliation and embarrassment by asking this magazine to run a photo publicizing "Prom Night '91" a gala charity event honoring Geffen President Ed Rosenblatt and benefiting the Neil Bogart Memorial Laboratories, a division of the T.J. Martell Foundation. The event will be held November 8 at the Hollywood Palladium, Pictured (l-r): Laboratory Director Dr. Denman Hammond, Executive Board Member Gil Segal. honoree Rosenblatt and Warner Bros. Chairman Mo Ostin. These people deserve better.

Quick Hits

VH-1 reports adds on Amy Grant (A&M), Cher (Geffen), Julia Fordham (Virgin) and Southside Johnny (Im-Robbie Robertson pact).

(Geffen) moves into Five while **Star** rotation. Amy Grant goes right into Greatest Hits rotation.

MOVIE SCORES

1	TITLE OTHER PEOPLE'S MONEY	WEEKEND GROSS 5.0m	PER SCREEN AVERAGE 4023	TOTAL GROSS 5.0m	SOUND TRACK
2	FRANKIE & JOHNNY	3.5m	3071	9.5m	_
3	THE FISHER KING	3.4m	2180	27.4m	MCA
4	RICOCHET	3.1m	2288	15.2m	Varese
5	EARNEST SCARED STUPID	3.1m	1715	8.lm	_
6	LITTLE MAN TATE	2.9m	8902	3.3m	_
7	DECEIVED	2.7m	2238	19.7m	_
8	PARADISE	2.4m	2611	11.0m	_
9	NECESSARY ROUGHNESS	2.lm	1288	19.1m	_
10	SHATTERED	2.1m	1632	6.3m	_

a rundown of executives on the move









Bernstein

Brubaker

Kennedy

Je'une

"Jubilee" Griffith. In her

new capacity, Lena will

handle all financial matters

relating to the department and

Bob "For Apples" Bernstein has been kicked upstairs to Senior Director **Public** Relations/Corporate Communications for Capitol-EMI Music, Inc., by the company's President/CEO Joe Smith. In his new position, Bernstein will make sure Smith gets plenty of closeups on Prime Ticket Laker telecasts this season (hint, "Strange" hint)... Ann **Brubaker** has been appointed Director of International for Marketing Atlantic Records by the label's VP In-"Tic" ternational Fran Lichtman. In her new post, Brubaker will function as the liaison between Atlantic's international affiliates and artists' licensees and management in order to facilitate marketing plans. In other words, she'll traffic in counterfeit passports.... Bill "Me Later" Kennedy has been named Director of National Accounts for Hollywood Records by the Sales VP Gary label's "Don't Call Me Benedict" Arnold. Kennedy will be in charge of buying up all November issues of Spy Magazine.... Lena Je'Une "Is Busting Out All has been named Coordinator Black Music for Arista Records by the label's Sr. VP Black Music Gerry



Wheat

refuse to accept phone calls from Darryl Lindsey.... At RCA, where things are chipper as long as you get along with Nipper, Susan "Mav" Arick has been promoted to West Manager Coast Publicity and Chris "Shredded" Wheat was appointed Manager East Coast Publicity by label VP Publicity WC Susan Clary "Fication" and VP Publicity EC Marilyn "Stiff Upper" Lipsius, respectively. In their new posts, Arick and Wheat will bring back vaudeville with their famed "Disappearing Doves" routine... Candy "Is Dandy But Liquor is Quicker" Massengale has been re-named **Phyllis** "That Newman Lookalike Who's Now Director of Mainstream Marketing for BMG Distribution" by Sr. VP Marketing David Steffen "Fetch It." Massengale will be in charge of overseeing BMG's field marketing staff to make sure they don't pilfer any paper clips... Dino "Don't Rain On My" Paredes has been named Art God at the Priority Records dog house. Beware. As an ex-HITS employee, Dino's bite





Massengale

Paredes

is every bit as bad as his bark.

THE CRUE'S GOT A NEW 'HOME'



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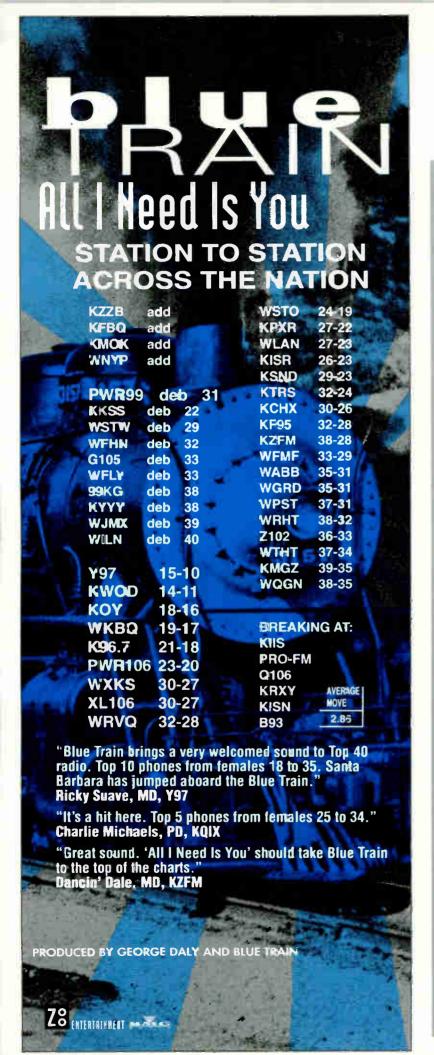
- ALBUM SHIPPED PLATINUM & DEBUTED #2 ON BILLBOARD'S SOUNDSCAN ALBUM CHART
 - THE ORIGINAL "HOME SWEET HOME" VIDEO IS ONE OF MTV'S MOST REQUESTED CLIPS OF ALL TIME
 - 1991 VERSION OF "HOME SWEET HOME" IS ALREADY
 IN TOP 5 REQUESTS AT Z100

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REMIXED BY BOB ROCK AND RANDY STAUB





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NEAR TRUTHS

By I. B. Bad, Los Angeles

Big action of the week revolves around the muchtalked-about and now DONE Thorn-EMI buyout of the remaining half of Chrysolis it doesn't already own. Figure making the rounds is in the \$50 mill range with Chrysalis Music not included in the deal. Said move is the latest by a very busy Jim Fifield, who was reportedly less-than-pleased about walking away emptyhanded after being oh-so-close the recent Motown negotiations. The deal makes Chrysalis the fourth whollyowned EMI label and sets industry tongues wagging over the massive potential for farreaching structural changes within the entire EMI family. Action to come? With Fifield's EMI, it's a lock — latest buzz has the British conglom very close to closing the Rolling Stones deal. Stay tuned.... Major buzz that Virgin has purchased back the 25% it sold to Fuii-Sankei. Deal reportedly went down for less than \$100 mill. Does this set the stage for the muchrumored-about sale of Mr. Branson's empire?... Rumblings of the week in Smog City were the latest about Walter Yetnikoff's return to the record fold. Once again, they seem to

Busy Guy



Jim Fifield: Will he get Stoned?

be smoke.... Much chatter over why Birch Lane Press rejected John Mendelssohn's manuscript for his book on David Geffen. Author is reportedly doing a rewrite.... Industry who's-who at John Sykes' wedding to Laurie Guthrie at Jann Wenner's East Hampton estate. One attendee tagged the gala "an afternoon with Rolph Lauren.".... Michael Jackson reportedly missed last Friday's delivery date for his new project, which was also missing in action at presstime. Will it still hit the streets by Thanksgiving?.... Word of impending changes in the management world of Wilson Phillips.... Plenty of chatter over Allen Kovac being offered the top spot at a major label.... And have two major music world moguls buried the hatchet?.... New York barrister Fred Davis making a name for himself in the world of the music biz legal eagles.... Garth Brooks has a monster album and an exploding single potential. crossover However. since Capitol Nashville is a freestanding independent entity, the Pop Promotion apparatus needed to cross it will be conabsent.... spicuously there's talk of one major gunslinger, currently a Captain without a ship, exploring the possibility of leaving the corporate ranks to join a successful label.... Sony's Bob Sherwood to exit the International ranks and segue into the company's effort to develop the Mini-Disc software.... hardware and Tonguewagging over major label topper hanging tight as his company searches for his replacement.... Names in the Rumor Mill: Eric Eisner. Gil Friesen, Jeff Jones. Val

Azzoli and Sandy Gallin.

"They called... I kept resisting... they wouldn't stop. They drove me CRAZY. How, I'm so glad they did. After one week, Top 5 phones, and I love how refreshing it sounds on the air!"

--BRIAN PATRICK, G105, Raleigh/Durham





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LETTERS

Odd Man Out

Dave:

Thanks for the party. You are the hardest working man in show business. Thanks for a wonderful five years.

P.S. Try not to proof this.

Danny Ostrow PLG N.Y.C.

Dave replies: Who? Did anybody send PLG the bill for that Tone Loc release party yet?

Frost Bite

Dear Roy:

Haven't had two secs to write you a proper thanx. Loved the HITS copies — you are truly the MAD magazine of industry rags. Albert and I are still laughing hysterically. Glad to see you are using your time *most* profitably, putting all the right captions in the right places, etc. Would love to come up with something for you. Let's talk about it! More! More! Later.

Luv, Deborah Frost Village Voice N.Y.C.

Roy replies: I'm about as profitable as Charles Keating's Lincoln Savings and Loans. If you wanna come up with something for me, how about a job at the real MAD magazine?

Science Gone Too Far

Neil:

Lanky, East Coast Rocket Scientist? Please...

Ken Friedman Arista Records N.Y.C.

Neil replies: You preferred "Preternaturally thin, Einstein wannabe pathetically trying to hide male pattern baldness?"

Alex or Alexis?

Nick:

Here's a photo for the interview! I can't wait to read it!

Alex Kosper KWOD 106 Sacramento, CA

Nick replies: Geez, guy, you look great in a bikini. The operation in Sweden seems to have turned out to be a complete success. But how did you remove the mustache and sideburns? You don't mind if we call you Alexis, do you?



Skin Trade

Hi Karen:

This picture should be most amusing to you and HITS. It's the Candy Skins and Quiet Riot's Kevin DuBrow. Hope you will print it...

John Rosenfelder DGC Records

Karen replies: John, forget the Candy Skins and Kevin Du-Brow. They don't hold a candle to Sterling Hayden and Jean Hagen in John Huston's "Quand La Ville Dort." Now that's PoMo!



FAR TRUTHS

By Danny Fields, New York

Lavish and star-studded was PLG's sit-down dinner for 300 at the Four Seasons to mark the release of the album, "Two Rooms," celebrating the songs of Elton John and Bernie Taupin, as performed by other artistes. Paying due tribute to Bernie and Elton were the creative power forces of the universe en masse, including art-Eric Clapton. Stewart, Yoko Ono, David Crosby. Stephen Graham Nash, Nile Rodgers, David Sanborn, Paul Shaffer, Bob Geldof, Davey Johnstone, Nigel Olsson, Jellybean Benitez, Hal Wilner and Curt Smith; an A+ media list including Bob Guccione Jr., Stephen Holden, Frank DiGiacomo, Scott Muni, Dave Herman, Timothy White and Bill Flanagan; industry giants Dennis Lavinthal. Lenny Beer (who?), Frances Preston, Bob Buziak, Morton Gould, Ron Delsener, Michael Lippman, Linda Stein and Marvin Mitchelson: corporate hierarchs Rick Dobbis. Johnny Barbis, Davitt Sigerson, Jeff Jones, Dennis Fine, Gerry Kopecky, John Scher, Joe Schultz, Mike Bone, Jeb Hart, Joe Bosso, Nancy Sullivan, Beverly Paige, Tracy Hill and Dawn Bridges. Dinner featured Scottish smoked salmon, lobster wrapped in Savoy cabbage and Sevruga caviar, and roasted breast of duck with pepper sauce. The Saturday Night Live Band played, and the vibes were from another, grander era, the '70s... Burdened by shame and low self-esteem, all industryites not invited to the monumental wedding of barrister-to-thestars Allen Grubman and the lovely Debbie Haimoff at the N.Y. Public Library laid low, sending out for Chinese using fake names, while luckier, A++-list colleageus marveled at the splendor of the great im-

perial rooms, festooned with

PLG Caviar Tribute!!



Elton & Bernie: Duck breast in a power universe.

more flowers than had ever been seen indoors before, dined on Glorious Food's finest delicacies (including a smorgasbord of deli delights, pigs in blankets and a stuffed veal and noodle pudding main course that's still the talk of Gotham), and mingled with Madonna, David Geffen, Ahmet Ertegun (dancing the hora with aplomb), Mariah Carey, Tommy Mottola, Don lenner, John Mellencamp, Bob Feiden, Michael and Carol Klenfner. Lisa Robinson. Lucas Janklow, Dennis Lavinthal, Mickey Schulhof, Mo Ostin, Bob Krasnow, Seymour Stein, Joe Smith, John Sykes, Clive Davis, John Scher, Doug Morris, Al Teller, Charles Koppelman, Tom Kiefer, Joan Jett, Robert DeNiro and Ron Meyer. among 500 others, all of whom were written up in the next day's toniest society columns. Referred to as simply "The Wedding," it was the epicentral event of '91... From the grandiose to the intimate, and Arista's elegant dinner for Canadian songstgress Sarah McLachlan, at Chelsea's soignee Fiasco eatery. The artiste previewed her new LP. "Solace," due January, with a rare acoustic set. The event was orchestrated by Melani Rogers. Kris Nicholson and product mgr. Robert Wieger as guests gobbled penne vodka and stuffed sole.

ESTORM

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HITSBOUND

Richard Marx blasts back onto Top 40 with a killer ballad, Rock legends, Genesis, are close behind with their latest, Color Me Badd scores bigtime with an upbeat attempt and

Roxette's new one is gaining. Lita Ford rocks things with a hot new one, Gloria Estefan is developing nicely, and both Storm and Shabba Ranks are picking up speed!

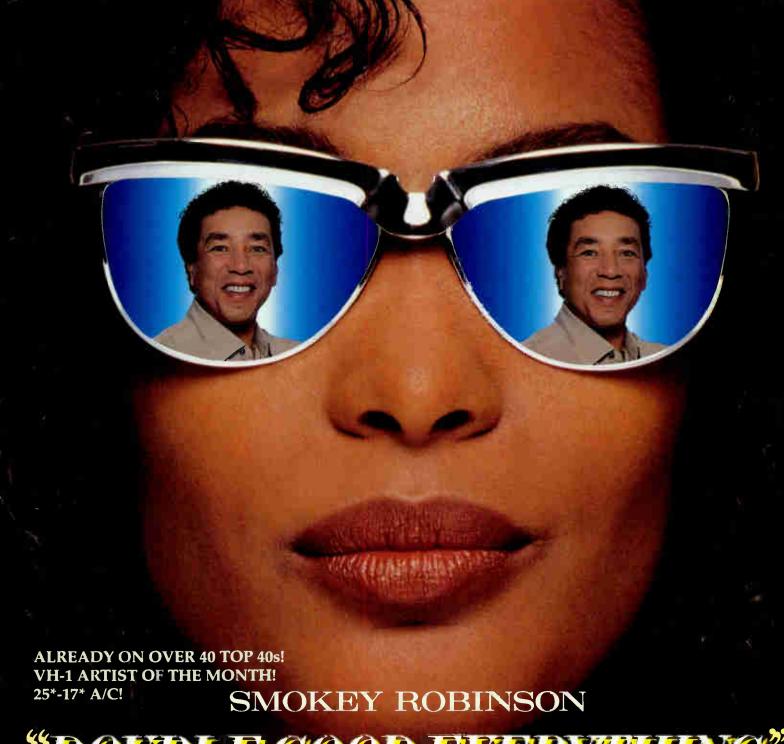
ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	ONS	ADDS	DEBS	AGGR	MTV	AVG MOVE
KARYN WHITE #1 Singles, currently #1 at WN	ROMANTIC ICI, KKRZ, WTIC, WJMO.	WB	215	1	0	8	10/134	0.7
MICHAEL BOLTON #9 Singles, #15 Albums, #14 I	WHEN A MAN Requests, new at HOT102	COL , KKRZ, WDFX, K	213 RQ, KDON.	5	9	159	0/0	5.97
PRINCE #4 Albums, #3 Singles, #2 Red	CREAM quests, 1-1 KDWB, 6-1 KX	PP/WB (XR, 9-2 KKRZ.	212	2	0	100	33/105	3.78
ROBERTA FLACK 25-14 Singles, new at 194, 8-4	SET THE NIGHT Y100, 17-2 Y107, 15-10 V	ATL VNVZ.	198	1	7	96	0/0	3.7
PAULA ABDUL 29-19 Singles, deb #15 Reque	BLOWING ests, close-out at Q102, jur	CAPT/VIR nps 30-24 WZOU.	196	8	42	128	0/0	5.62
AMY GRANT #23 Singles, #40 Albums, #17	THAT'S WHAT Requests, new at Q106, I	A&M MOJO, 12-8 B97, 3	190 3-1 KRXY. VH1!	5	5	104	0/0	4.04
BRYAN ADAMS #6 Singles, #9 Albums, #13 Re	CAN'T STOP equests, new at KLUC, KS	A&M 967, 11-4 WNVZ.	184	2	0	55	22/168	2.88
NIA PEEPLES #29 Singles, gains with adds a	STREET OF at WZPL, Q995, 26-16 Y10	CHAR 07, 26-21 PWR106	183	4	33	79	0/0	3.73
JESUS JONES #10 Singles, add at WKPE, 2-	REAL REAL 1 KWOD, 3-1 XL106.	SBK	182	1	3	34	19/160	2.01
RYTHM SYNDICATE #23-#18 Singles chart, add at	HEY DONNA KWIN, 13-8 KKRZ.	IMP	175	1	3	48	0/1	2.32
CURTIS STIGERS #29 Singles, add at WZPL, jur	I WONDER WHY mps 26-21 PWR106, 25-2	ARISTA 1 Q105, 27-22 WZ	168	3	13	60	0/0	3.21
RICHARD MARX #47 Singles, out of the box at (KEEP COMING Q106, B96, KIIS, WHYT, E	CAP 394, PWR99, WAV	167 ⁄A.	166	0	0	0/0	0.0
CHESNEY HAWKES Still gaining, #16 Singles, new	THE ONE & at JETFM, WKSE, KCAQ	CHRYS , KQHT.	165	3	10	45	4/55	2.41
GUNS N' ROSES Holds #1 & #7 spots on Album	DON'T CRY ns, #15 Singles, picks up K	GEF 1967, WKZL.	156	2	3	54	4/4	3.3
GENESIS #49 Single out of the box inclu	NO SON OF ding Z100, KIIS, KEGL, W	ATL XKS, KUBE, WZF	153	152	0	0	0/0	0.0
JOHN MELLENCAMP #32 Singles, #12 Albums, new	GET A LEG : KC101, WBPR, WFHN,	MERC WJAD, 18-14 WZ	150 PL, heavy at Mi	4 □V & VH1.	7	58	18/78	3.5
TONY TERRY #13 Singles, new at WAVA, Ki	WITH YOU BEQ, WZPL, 3-1 PWR106	EPIC 6, 14-9 WXKS.	150	15	7	54	2/3	2.87
EMF #34 Singles, close-out adds at	LIES WXKS, B94, KKRZ, KQK	EMI (Q, deb 29 KISN, 3	149 7 KXXR.	10	13	50	20/154	3.2
SIMPLY RED #33 Singles, new adds include	SOMETHING MTV, WPGC, KKRZ, KY	ATCO/EW RK, KKXX, moves	149 17-13 WNCI.	11	14	61	0/0	3.22
BOYZ II MEN #11 Singles, #5 Requests, #18	SO HARD TO 3 Albums, picks up PWR9.	MOT 5, WKZL, WRQN.	146	14	15	84	2/5	5.41
VAN HALEN Moves 47-35 Singles, #37 Alb	TOP OF THE	WB . WKSI, WOKI.	140	7	19	64	31/31	3.73

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ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	ONS	ADDS	DEBS	AGGR	MTV	AVG MOVE
ROD STEWART #45 Singles, picks up support at	BROKEN KIIS, WABB, WXKS, KUE	WB BE, Y107, VH1 hea	140 vy.	16	33	52	9/15	3.38
PM DAWN Smash! #7 Requests, #12 Singl	SET ADRIFT les, #49 Albums, new at W	PLG /PHR, PRO-FM, W	136 OVV, WRVQ.	23	20	72	16/51	4.96
COLOR ME BADD One of Most Added, #50 Singles	ALL 4 s, #22 Albums, adds at MT	GIANT V, KIIS, KUBE, Q1	111 05, B94, WZPL	102	0	3	0/0	2.5
RUSS IRWIN #44 Singles, moves 10-9 KRBE,	MY HEART 18-13 KISN, 22-17 Y107,	SBK 38-29 WBXX.	111	0	8	42	5/11	2.73
GLORIA ESTEFAN #40 Singles, new at WPHR, B93	LIVE FOR 3, HOT95, deb 34 HOT97,	EPIC 6-5 Y100, 21-14 M	107 10J0, VH1!	12	21	35	0/0	3.28
B.A.D.II 44-38 Singles, #19 Requests, ad	RUSH dds at WRQN, KZFM, 4-3	COL KWOD, 20-15 WR	106 VQ.	3	11	26	14/106	2.26
FARM #39 Singles, new at WZOU, KH	GROOVY TRAIN TK, WVSR, WMXF, WHH	SIR/REP Y, WBXX.	105	9	10	33	11/138	2.87
ROXETTE Second week adds include MTV	SPENDING ', WAVA, HOT949, KPLZ,	EMI KYRK, G105, WW	104 /FX.	28	38	29	0/0	3.03
LITA FORD Second week support at B104, E	SHOT OF POISON 394, WAPE, KISN, KWNZ,	RCA , WRVQ, WNNK.	103	34	20	11	0/0	1.72
VANESSA WILLIAMS #20 Singles, new at PWR95, 3-2	RUNNING WZOU, 6-4 PRO-FM, 15	WING/MERC -10 KKRZ.	99	1	3	17	3/8	1.27
NAUGHTY BY NATURE #8 Singles, #14 Albums, #4 Req	O.P.P. uests, new at WIOQ, WPF	T.BOY HR, 6-1 WZOU, 3-2	91 2 <i>B96</i> .	5	7	38	21/178	3.73
CHER Adds include VH1, WJMX, FM10	SAVE UP ALL 04, KZZU, WYKS, WSSX,	GEF WRQK, WRCK.	90	9	17	29	0/0	2.73
COMMITMENTS #13 Albums, picks up support at	TRY A LITTLE WKDD, KSMB, WJAD, 20	MCA 0-15 Y107, VH1 He	83 eavy.	3	2	22	10/56	2.33
HAMMER Second week adds include B97,	2 LEGIT 2 WDFX, WZOU, WXKS, K	CAP (UBE, PWR106, W	78 /ABB, Y107, on	17 at MTV.	16	10	0/0	1.38
BELINDA CARLISLE Picks up support at KQHT, WON	DO YOU FEEL MP, KF95, KBOZ, KTRS, V	MCA VFMF, 27-21 WKB	71	8	18	17	0/0	2.52
SALT-N-PEPA #21 Singles, #11 Requests, new	LET'S TALK at KMCK, KFRX, 1-1 B96	N PLAT 6, 4-2 PWR106, 7-3	69 B WZOU.	2	4	19	11/81	2.64
CORINA #36 Singles, new at 95XXX, WM	WHISPERS IMZ, 22-18 WZOU, 21-18	ATCO WJMO, 29-21 PW	69 R <i>96</i> .	2	1	16	0/0	2.24
STORM New adds at KDWB, WNVZ, WH	I'VE GOT KBQ, WGTZ, 20-10 WQU'	INTER T, 35-27 WNYP, 28	67 3-23 KEGL.	14	13	21	0/0	3.37
DESMOND CHILD Add at MIX96 in Tampa, 19-15 V	YOU'RE THE WQUT, 22-17 WHTO, deb	ELEK 36 KXXR.	67	1	6	18	0/0	2.29
KENNY LOGGINS New at KBEQ, WAPE, WOVV, W	CONVICTION NZKS, WRHT, WGTZ, KO	COL DMQ, Y97, KISR.	65	19	9	11	0/0	2.25
ROBBIE NEVIL New adds include WDFX, WWK	FOR YOUR X, PWR95, WWFX, KLYV	EMI /, XL106, KTUX.	64	8	12	6	0/0	1.31



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BLUE TRAIN Picks up adds at KZZB, KMOK,	ALL I NEED KFBQ, jumps 15-10 Y97,	ZOO 32-28 WRVQ, deb	61 31 PWR99.	4 -	10	18	0/0	2.86
CECE PENISTON #42 Singles, new at WHYT, WE	FINALLY DFX, WKSE, XL106, 4-1 H	A&M OT97, 22-8 HOT9	60	8	5	13	1/1	2.62
CROWDED HOUSE New at WNCI, KZZB, moves 12	FALL AT YOUR 2-7 KTMT, 11-10 MIX96, 1	CAP 4-12 KRXY.	59	2	4	7	9/55	1.31
MARC COHN Picks up support at PRO-FM, K	TRUE COMPANION (ISN, WSTW, KFBQ, WCC		57 KTRS.	7	8	12	0/0	2.0
VOICE OF THE BEEHIVE Add at MTV, KISN, WBNQ, WS		PLG WILN, deb 33 KBI	56	7	8	10	0/1	2.21
LISA STANSFIELD Out of the box at KS104, KOY,	CHANGE Q106, PWR106, KKFR, P	ARISTA RO-FM, PWR99.	53	52	0	1	0/0	4.0
LENNY KRAVITZ New at WKSE, KQMQ, WJAD,	STAND BY pulls phones where player	VIRG d.	53	3	6	14	12/41	2.19
STEVIE B New this week at KKSS, WFHT	FOREVER MORE T, WOMP, WFHN, 13-11 V	LMR/RCA VJAD, 35-27 KZFN	51 1, 38-30 KDON.	4	8	5	0/0	1.22
DJ JAZZY JEFF #45 Singles, new at PWR96, KI	RING MY KSS, KPSI, WBXX, 22-16	JIVE <i>WIOQ, 24-21 Q10</i>	50	4	0	12	9/59	2.11
MARKY MARK This week's Wildcard, early add	WILDSIDE Is include KIIS, HOT102, I	INTER (RBE, 24-10 WZO	48 U.	15	4	13	10/26	3.61
SCORPIONS Second week action includes W	SEND ME AN /NVZ, 98PXY, WPST, KY	MERC YY, JETFM, WAZY	47 Y, KISN.	17	9	9	0/3	2.87
MOTLEY CRUE Remix out of the box at Z100, W	HOME SWEET VZPL, KDWB, WABB, WN	ELEK INK, KNIN, WMMZ	45	44	0	1	0/0	4.0
SHABBA RANKS Former Wildcard, #43 Singles, r	HOUSECALL new at Z100, KOY, PWR9	EPIC 6, HOT947, HOT9	41 77. Selling!	12	8	7	6/31	1.89
TRACIE SPENCER Selling big and moving 24-19 W	TENDER KISSES VIOQ, 9-6 KMEL, 8-5 KBX.	CAP X, 27-20 KOY.	39	1	4	15	0/0	3.18
KLF Follow up to debut goes on at W	WHAT TIME VDFX, WZOU, K967, KZII,	ARISTA WILN, KFBQ.	35	6	5	6	5/13	2.04
.38 SPECIAL Second single scores at KRXY,	SIGNS OF WABB, WKDD, KTUX, K	CHAR MGZ, KFTZ, KKHT	32 r, WCGQ, WKF	10	9	1	0/0	1.33
SMOKEY ROBINSON Picks up more adds at WZOU,	DOUBLE GOOD Y100, WCKZ, 31-25 STRS	SBK 94, 31-27 KRXY, d	32 eb 32 KMEL.	6	3	8	0/0	1.88
ANGELICA New adds at KMEL, KRQ, KCA	ANGEL BABY Q, 194, 1-1 Z90, 3-1 KGGI	QUAL , 12-8 KTFM.	30	4	6	11	0/0	3.38
TOM PETTY New out of the box at KWNZ, K	INTO THE NIN, WQUT, KISR, WBBG	MCA D, WWFX.	28	27	0	0	25/163	0.0
ROBYN HITCHCOCK Top Ten PoMo, new at WNCI, H	SO YOU THINK KYYY, KMGZ, WERZ, 24-	A&M 20 KWOD.	26	4	1	4	4/19	1.24
ICY BLU Pulling requests, new at WTIC,	I WANNA BE WLAN, moves 9-4 KLUC,	GIANT 16-9 B96.	25	2	7	9	0/0	2.7

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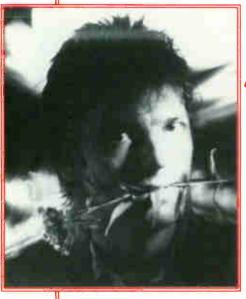
46-42 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES! *6-*4 BB DANCE SALES! **#1 BB DANCE SINGLES!**

WHYT **HOT97** 4-1 PWR106 20-17 add WIOQ KS104 23-20 10-6 **WDFX** add **WZOU 10-7** WILN 30-20 KDON add HOT94.7 22-8 WXKS 26-23 WKSE add WKSS 14-10 O106 28-25 XL106 add PWR99 29-26 **B96** 18-12 WFHN add **Z90** 21-14 **KXXR** 30-27 WMMZ add PWR102 18-14





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WNCI	add	ALSO ON	N AT:
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KMGZ	add	WBBQ	WIFC
KYYY	add	WPST	WJMX
WAZY	add	99KG	WRHT
KNOE	add	KISR	WVBS
		KLYV	WZOK
KWOD	24-20	KNIN	ZFUN
KFMW	33-24	KROC	
WCIL	32-26	KTMT	
WDJX	38-34		





HITSBOUND

ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	ONS	ADDS	DEBS	AGGR	MTV	AVG MOVE
JODECI Scores adds at HOT977, KS104,	FOREVER MY , WHYT, WWKX, WQXA	UPT/MCA , 2-2 WPGC, 2-1	21 KBXX, #37 Sing	9 iles!	4	5	2/3	4.08
PARTY On out of the box at Q102, Y107,	IN MY DREAMS , KJ103, KCAQ, KKXX, V	HWD VQXA, WWKX, V	20 VPRR.	20	0	0	0/0	0.0
KID N' PLAY New at WJMO, PWR106, deb 25	AIN'T GONNA 5 KGGI, 29-25 WTIC, 29-	SEL/ELEK 26 WPGC.	19	3	3	2	2/4	1.38
BONNIE RAITT Album #11, new at KZIO, KKRD,	I CAN'T MAKE , 33-29 Q102, deb 28 KK	CAP HT, 36 WLAN.	18	6	6	4	0/0	2.67
R.E.M. New one goes out of the box at h	RADIO SONG KPLZ, KWOD, WLAN, KS	WB 967, KTMT, WVB	14 S.	13	0	0	30/71	1.0
ONE NATION Picks up support this week at WI	LOVES ROCK NVZ, deb 40 99KG, 40-34	IRS 8 WILN, 39-34 W	14 LAN.	1	1	1	0/0	0.62
ERASURE Scores adds at KPLZ, HOT949,	CHORUS KUBE, WRHT, ZFUN, 18	SIRE/REP 9-15 B96, 12-12 V	13 VHYT.	5	0	2	0/5	0.75
KYM SIMS New at WMXP, B96, Q106, WW	TOO BLIND KX, KRBE, B95, KZFM,	ATCO/EW PWR102.	12	9	1	0	0/0	1.33
D. UNDERGROUND More action including Album deb	KISS U BACK #30, WJMO, KOY, WCF	T.BOY KZ, WWHT, PWF	11 1102, 19-15 Q10	5	1	5	1/3	6.0
JULIAN LENNON Picks up support at WABB, KRO	SALTWATER OC, WSTW, 999KHI, WRI	ATL HT, WERZ, WJM	11 X, 29-25 KWOD	7	0	1	12/12	1.0
ROBBIE ROBERTSON Out of the box at WHOT, WWFX	WHAT ABOUT K, WLAN, KFMW, KPXR,	GEF KTRS, KTMT, 99	10 99KHI.	10	0	0	0/0	0.0

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WJAD	add	WKSI	deb	28	WQUT	13-7
HOT95	add	WKBQ	deb	29	WRQK	8-7

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FM104	16-8	WERZ	20-14		(1)	
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WBNQ	16-10	WIFC	20-15	KPLZ	22 17	KAY1
103CIR	12-10	KMCK	19-15	WNCI	21-17	95XX
WILN	21-11	99 9KHI	18-15	KFTZ	24-17	KFBC
KISR	15-11	KZII	18-15	KTMT	23-17	WPR
KCHX	20-13	KTRS	23-16	K92	21-17	WAAL
KFMW	16-13	WAZY	22-16	WOMP	25-18	KFRX
WZPL	18-14	WCIL	22-16	95XIL	22-18	WKSF
WGTZ	19-14	WKFR	21-16	WNYP	22-18	Y102

20-16

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ALBUM TRACKS!

<u>= SCOULDIONS</u> Send Me An Angel

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ON OVER 53 TOP 40s INCLUDING:

WNVZ	add	WZYP	add	999KHI	deb	25	WICG	19-11	BREAK	ING AT:
KISN	add	WAZY	add	KNIN	deb	33	JET-FM	20-15	KTUX	WCGQ
93PXY	add	WFHN	add	WQUT	deb	3:3	KWNZ	24-19	WRQN	WJMX
K92	add	WHOT	add	KSMB	deb	34	Q102	35-31	FM104	WRHT
WPST	add	WIFC	add	WLAN	deb	37	WAAL	38-31	KMYZ	WRQK
CK105	add	WNYP	add	KTMT	deb	38	KFMW	39-33	KFQX	WSNX
KFTZ	add	KOIK	add	OK95	deb	38			KOHT	WWFX
KISR	add	WPER	add	WVSR	deb	38			KZII	ZFUN
KYYY	add	WTEX	add	KZZU	deb	40			WBIZ	
PWR92	add									



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KPRR 7-1 WJMO 5-4 WWKX **WZQU** 3-2 Z90 4-4 Y107 KWIN **4-3 WFHN Y97 KKXK HOT95**

6-4 WCKZ PWR106 9-6

WFMF 6-5 KGGI 6-5 **WMXP**

KOY

10-7 10-7 9-8 **KKSS**

XL106 11-9 **KKRZ HOT102 11-10 KZZB**

KFBQ 15-10 WBXX

22-19 22-19 22-19

PWR95 add HOT94.7 deb 21 **K92** deb 28

WTHT

WDJX KZFM deb 35

PWR102 4-4 4-3 194 PRO-FM 6-4 WXKS

4-4 WKSS **7-5 WFLY**

WTIC 7-6 **WNOK** 8-6 **KPSI**

9-8 11-9

KYRK PWR99 20-12 WDFX

14-10 KFFM

11-10 WSPK 17-14 KMGZ 16-12 WZKS 37-21

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REQUESTS

David Duke calls in for "The White Album".

LW	TW	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	нотѕ	INCL	UDIN	G	%
1	1	N. SELECTION	DO ANYTHING	ATCO EW	100	PWR106 WAVA	MOJO WDFX	KBEQ Y100	45
4	2	PRINCE	CREAM	P.PARK/WB	81	WZPL PWR99	Q102 WNVZ	KXXR Z90	37
2	3	GUNS N' ROSES	DON'T CRY	GEFFEN	75	Z100 WPST	KDWB KZZU	Q99.5 JETFM	34
6	4	N. BY NATURE	O.P.P.	TOMMY BOY	71	PWR106 B96	B97 KTFM	KS104 HOT97	32
10	5	BOYZ II MEN	SO HARD TO	MOTOWN	70	KIIS KPLZ	WIOQ STAR94	WJMO KC101	32
5	6	FIREHOUSE	LOVE OF A	EPIC	56	KEGL WKSE	KUBE KRQ	WZPL XL106	25
13	7	PM DAWN	SET ADRIFT	G ST/ISL/PLG	54	Z100 Q105	KIIS KUBE	PWR106 Q106	24
9	8	METALLICA	ENTER SANDMAN	ELEKTRA	52	KPLZ WRVQ	KBEQ WPST	WDFX KKYK	23
3	9	MARKY MARK	GOOD VIBRATIONS	INTER	48	KMEL HOT97	B96 KSND	WKSE WAPE	22
7	10	COLOR ME BADD	I ADORE MI	GIANT	46	PWR106 KPLZ	KIIS Y100	MOJO WR C K	21
11	11	SALT-N-PEPA	LET'S TALK	NEXT PLAT	42	KS104 KXXR	Q106 WIOQ	KBEQ KLUC	19
8	12	MARIAH CAREY	EMOTIONS	COLUMBIA	39	KEGL KBEQ	Q105 WNVZ	KS104 KJ103	17
14	13	BRYAN ADAMS	CAN'T STOP	A&M	36	PWR106 HOT949	KIIS WQUT	STAR94 KGGG	16
18	14	MICHAEL BOLTON	WHEN A MAN	COLUMBIA	35	PWR106 KQKQ	MOJO KPXR	Q102 WVSR	16
E	15	PAULA ABDUL	BLOWING	CAPTIVIR	32	KMEL KXXR	PWR99 KPLZ	B97 MIX96	14
13	16	EXTREME	HOLE HEARTED	A&M	30	KDWB WPHR	MOJO Y100	WNVZ Z104	13
15	17	AMY GRANT	THAT'S WHAT	A&M	27	KTXY KISN	KSND KF95	WSSX KFFM	12
16	18	CURTIS STIGERS	I WONDER WHY	ARISTA	23	Z104 WNNK	WYKS WLRW	KTMT KG95	10
19	19	B.A.D.II	RUSH	COLUMBIA	20	KUBE WWFX	KWOD WPST	WRVQ WILN	9
20	20	CHESNEY HAWKES	THE ONE &	CHRYSALIS	20	KUBE KKRD	KXXR WDBR	WKFR WNYP	9

REDHOT CHILINGS



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STATSHEET

ARTIST	AVERAGE MOVE	AGGRESSIVES (4 or more)	TOP 10	TOP 5	REQUESTS (1 to 10)	Lp SALES (1 to 10)	45 SALES (1 to 10)
MICHAEL BOLTON	5.97	159	42	15	8	9	8
PAULA ABDUL	5.62	128	6	1	8	5	6
BOYZ II MEN	5.41	84	24	8	9	9	10
PM DAWN	4.96	72	21	6	9	6	9
JODECI	4.08	5	4	3	5	8	9
AMY GRANT	4.04	104	43	11	7	7	7
VAN HALEN	3.73	64	3	2	7	7	4
NIA PEEPLES	3.73	79	0	0	4	-	6
ROBERTA FLACK	3.70	96	38	6	6	2	7
MARKY MARK	3.61	13	2	0	8	6	-
JOHN MELLENCAMP	3.50	58	7	1	5	9	5
ANGELICA	3.38	11	8	7	9		4
ROD STEWART	3.38	52	1	0	3	4	2
STORM	3.37	21	1	0	7	2	1
GUNS N' ROSES/1 ILLU	3.30	54	43	12	10	10	9
GLORIA ESTEFAN	3.28	35	4	2	2	1	1
SIMPLY RED	3.22	61	10	1	4	7	5
CURTIS STIGERS	3.21	60	30	4	7	1	7
EMF	3.20	50	5	1	6	3	- 4
TRACIE SPENCER	3.18	15	4	1	5	1	6
ROXETTE	3.03	29	1	0	1	1	1
SCORPIONS	2.87	9	0	0	3	3	1
FARM	2.87	33	5	1	7	1	3
TONY TERRY	2.87	54	40	15	7	2	8
BLUE TRAIN	2.86	18	1	0	5	1	3
CHER	2.73	29	0	0	2	1	1
RUSS IRWIN	2.73	42	7	1	7	1	6
ICY BLU	2.70	9	3	1	3	-	
SALT-N-PEPA	2.64	19	34	20	9	2	9
CECE PENISTON	2.62	13	6	1	2	-	3
CRASH TEST DUMMIES	2.55	4	3	3	7	2	4
BELINDA CARLISLE	2.52	17	0	0	4	2	-
CHESNEY HAWKES	2.41	45	61	24	7	1	8
COMMITMENTS (ST)	2.33	22	2	0	4	9	
RYTHM SYNDICATE	2.32	48	66	11	5	2	8
DESMOND CHILD	2.29	18	0	0	3	1	2
B.A.D.II	2.26	26	7	1	7	5	8
KENNY LOGGINS	2.25	11	0	0	2	3	1
METALLICA	2.24	20	15	8	10	10	10
CORINA	2.24	16	1	1	1	1	2
VOICE OF THE BEEHIVE	2.21	10	3	0	7	2	1
LENNY KRAVITZ	2.19	14	0	0	6	3	2
DJ J.JEFF & F.PRINCE	2.110	12	1.	0.	6	3	9
K.L.F.	2.04	6	0	0	3	2	3
JESUS JONES	2.01		00	45	5	5	8
MARC COHN	2.00	12	0	0	4	2	1

Average Move: The average upward radio playlist movement of the single.

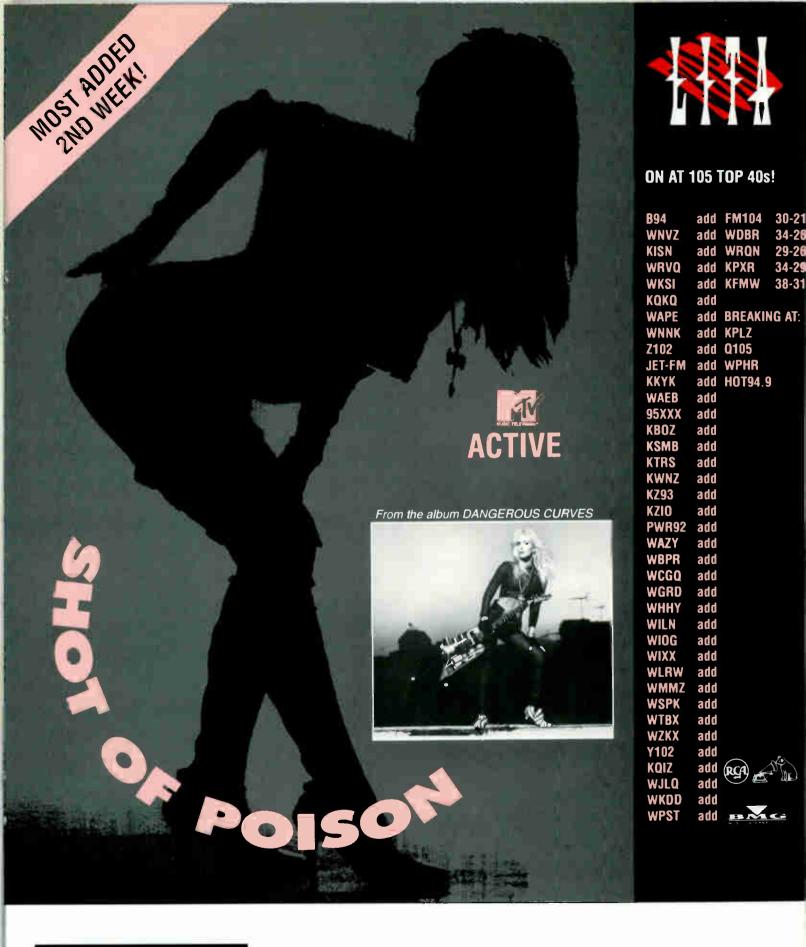
Aggressive Moves: The number of key reporters moving the single up four or more positions on their playlist.

Top 10/Top 5: The number of reporting playlists showing Top 10 and Top 5 positioning.

Requests: Based on hot phone mentions from our reporters, listed on a 1-10 scale, 10 being strongest.

Lp Sales: Piece count reports from leading merchandisers on a 1-10 scale.

45 Sales: Based on reports from key retailers and one-stops. Info is on a 1-10 scale.





"JUST ANOTHER GIRLFRIEND"

NEW THIS WEEK!



In the immortal words of autumnal crooner Neil Sedaka, breaking up is hard to do. But don't tell Scotti Bros. Records. After spending nearly 13 years under the CBS Records umbrella, the label decided to split from the major and brave the treacherous music biz waters on its own, beginning in January of this year. As part of a New York-based entertainment company called All-American Communications, headed by CEO Tony Scotti, Scotti Bros. inked a new distribution deal with BMG, put together a team of experienced personnel to head up its various departments and set its eager eyes on a future filled with breaking new artists, revitalizing the careers of existing ones, and hopefully collecting a few metal-plated wall decorations for its Santa Monica-based offices along the way, with an eclectic roster which includes the likes of James Brown, ELO, David Hallyday, acid-jazzer Dread Flimstone, Northern Pikes, the Nylons and ex-Survivor Jim Jamison.

Though it's too early to tell what the rewards of this new venture might be, two of the company's key players have strong visions of gold (and platinum, natch) at the end of the rainbow. Myron Roth, who began his stint in the entertainment business in the mid-'70s as a lawyer for NBC Television before going on to executive posts at MCA and CBS, was named President of All-American Communications in January. Scotti Bros. General Manager Chuck Gullo joined the company the same month, following a career in sales that began as a buyer for an East Coast-based record chain nearly 20 years ago and eventually led to positions at the now-defunct ABC Records label, and later, A&M Records, where he started as a Regional Sales Manager before ultimately becoming Vice President of Sales at the label. The pair talked about the developments at Scotti Bros. over the past few months and what to expect as the label continues to forge a new identity, which is something our own invisible man, HITS' Steve "Doesn't Have A Very Large" Peters, could use himself.

BEAM 'EM UP.

"I haven't had a good night's sleep since I don't know when," Myron Roth, All-American Comm.





"You have to start with good records, but it's still attitude that puts you over." Chuck Gullo, Scotti Brothers



PAPA'S GOT A BRAND-NEW BAG: Scotti Bros. recording artist and living legend James Brown is humiliated into buying two David Hallyday records and a Dread Flimstone CD by label GM Chuck Gullo (I) during an in-store at Hollywood's Tower Records.

What are the major differences at Scotti Bros. as a result of the new deal?

Myron Roth: It's changed drastically. Before, Scotti Bros. was a custom label under CBS, so it basically acted in an A & R capacity. Officially, it supplied records to CBS, and CBS produced the artwork, promoted them, did all the marketing and all the sales. The switch-over to BMG is a pressing and distribution deal, which means that we now do everything except sell the records. So we needed to establish a full-scale A & R department, a marketing department and a creative department as well as expanding our promotion department.

Chuck Gullo: Now we do everything from getting the project and laying out the plans to taking that message out into the streets — whether it's the retail community, the radio community, trades, whatever.

Taking over control over those areas was obviously the way you wanted to go.

Gullo: Yeah, definitely. Even though Scotti Bros. had been around for awhile, with the new company, it was like starting on the ground floor of something new... and that was intriguing. I was very excited about getting involved in all the different areas — not just the sales or the marketing functions, but the various aspects of running the company. Roth: It's always more fun to build a company than work in an established one.

Now that you're nine months into it, is it as much fun as you had anticipated?

Roth: (Laughs.) I'm going crazy, man! But I feel great. I really do. We will have released 12 or 13 records this year, and we're establishing some at the club level, some at Top 40, some at urban. So we're getting our hands into all areas of the music, and it's been real good.

Was the split with CBS amicable?

Roth: They had some major hits with Scotti Bros. — Survivor, Weird Al Yankovic, Eddie and the Cruisers, James Brown and others. They're all in the catalog, which came with us from CBS. They sold an enormous amount of records at CBS and I think they felt a little unappreciated, which is always the case with small companies feeding into major companies. The idea of doing it for ourselves was very exciting. We hired a bunch of people from other companies with the same idea of wanting to build something fresh, so there's a tremendous amount of energy.

I would imagine working on such a multi-media venture would light anybody's creative fire.

Gullo: It definitely has. If you spent any time over in our record building, you'd feel that. The energy level is incredible. Everyone is working towards the same goals and really believing that we're going to make it happen.

Do you ever get the feeling you've bitten off more than you can chew?

Roth: Always. That's exactly what we're doing by putting out records in every category.

Gullo: (Laughs.) We wanted to take a bite of something that we couldn't chew!

Is it working?

Roth: (Laughs.) Let's talk again next year! We're happy with the progress so far.

Gullo: We're still building — there's no question. We're still in the infancy stages of this company.

"We haven't been around long enough to be cold yet!," Chuck Gullo

Roth: We've basically been operating six or seven months building a staff, signing a number of acts, recording them, releasing them and having some success. We haven't had any major hits yet, but we're happy with the way we've moved some artists, and it's been hectic. We've always had strong Top 40 promotion. That's been the strength of the company, so the goal is to feed into that strength — whether you're coming from Album or Adult or urban radio. But it's so difficult to start a record at Top 40 — it's just so much easier coming off success in another format.

Is there a general philosophy in regards to what the company hopes to accomplish?

Roth: We plan to be a major company that releases different styles of music — jazz, Adult, Album Rock, Top 40 — and builds from there. There's no limit to what we can do. Gullo: We're searching for alternative ways to market and sell our music. We're not relying on the fact that if radio didn't add it, we can't sell it. I think our philosophy is taking these projects directly to the streets. A case in point is our Acid Jazz project. We released "Acid Jazz One," which is a collection of various artists. From that, we signed Dread

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Flimstone. His album just came out and it's a breakout at the club level right now. We're going to 30 clubs on a national level and doing Acid Jazz Nights, where we're giving out T-shirts, sunglasses and product and just spreading the word of what Acid Jazz music is all about. It's just an awareness thing — and we're going to continue to find alternative ways to market the songs.

Another example is Northern Pikes, It's building at Album radio. Their tour just started with Dread Zeppelin, so they're going to be out there for 40 or 50 dates. We're tying in and doing "unplugged" acoustic concerts at various Tower Records around the country. It's not a situation where we're going to have 200 people waiting to see this new group Northern Pikes, but we're getting store personnel involved and a great many people aware of who the Northern Pikes are for the first time.

"We wanted to take a bite of something that we couldn't chew!," **Chuck Gullo**

That's one of the advantages of being a small company rather than a major label.

Roth: That's right. We can devote ourselves to a particular project for a longer period of time. We've been working this Northern Pikes record for probably three months now. We don't have to drop a project because we have another one coming right behind it. If it shows some promise, like the Pikes do, we can stay with it, and that's what we're trying to

Gullo: One big advantage we have over some of the new companies that are just starting up is our catalog. We're starting with established artists on the roster.

Was it always your plan to hold on to the back catalog, even after leaving CBS?

Roth: We gave up a great deal of money that was due to us in order to acquire the catalog. But Scotti Bros. valued the catalog more.

Sounds like a calculated gamble.

Roth: It sure is. Rebuilding a record company is a calculated gamble anyway. But it's better to do it with a catalog, especially in slow times.



EVERYDAY IS A HALLYDAY: At Scotti Bros., where Gullo (1) and Roth (r) are old enough to remember label artiste David Hallyday's famous parents, Johnny Halliday and Sylvie Vartan, or is it Sting and Russ Irwin? Darned if we know.

Are you at all impatient to get through this growth period to become a fully matured company?

Gullo: (Laughing.) Definitely!

Roth: I haven't had a good night's sleep since I don't know

Gullo: We see it, but we just can't grab it yet. But we know it's there, and we're going to get it. I had someone call the other day and say that his company was cold — you know, not selling or whatever — and he said, "Are you guys in the same position?" We haven't been around long enough to be cold yet! We've had many a night of waking up thinking about how to grab it. But we understand the road that we need to take to get there, and that's what we're doing. What significant steps have you taken on that road this first

vear?



WHERE'S ROY WOOD?: Roth, Gullo and Tony Scotti (back row, third from I) wonder if ELO are real or merely graduates of mar. Don Arden's (front row. I) famous Las Vegas "Legends of Rock & Roll" show.

Roth: We've managed to operate the record company profitably in the first year, which is not true for a lot of other companies. Much of that success is due to the catalog. The catalog is having more success now that we're working it ourselves than it ever did as part of a large record company. We're careful in what we do as far as marketing. And we operate lean.

Gullo: Up until a few months ago, we weren't really in the dance music arena. We've already had a hit dance record with a group called Cartouche. That's exciting. That's what keeps everybody pumped up. It was our first record going to the clubs, and we delivered a smash dance record and the #1 club video with Cartouche. We really weren't an Album rock company before, either. Pikes is the first project we're really pounding away at in the Album rock arena, and we're feeling some success now with that. And hopefully, we're going to feel that same excitement with Dread Flimstone at urban radio and in the clubs.

Those early indications of success in specific markets can be real confidence-builders in taking a project to the next step.

Gullo: Oh yeah. I firmly believe you break records with attitude. It's not arrogance, but it's an attitude. You really believe that you're going to get this record to the top, and everyone around you believes that they're going to do it, too. You have to start with good records, but it's still attitude that puts you over.



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ARPICKS

Current favorites as chosen by members of all segments of the music industry

It's the week of the big four. Genesis, Richard Marx, Color Me Badd and Lisa Stansfield are going to get airplay and will sell. In other news the third single from R.E.M. scores with lots of mentions from both retail and radio as does the

second Tom Petty which is getting big play at MTV. The new Party record is getting mentions from programmers everywhere while Jodeci is already selling big time with majors feeling it first.

WINNERS

- 1 **GENESIS**
- **RICHARD MARX**
- 3 **COLOR ME BADD**
- LISA STANSFIELD
- REM
- NO SON OF MINE (Atlantic)
- KEEP COMING...
- **ALL 4 LOVE**
- **CHANGE**
- **RADIO SONG**
- (Capitol)
- (Giant)
- (Arista) (WB)
- U2
- TOM PETTY
- 8 R. ROBERTSON
- PARTY
- 10 **JODECI**
- THE FLY
- (IsI/PLG)
- INTO THE GREAT... (MCA)
- WHAT ABOUT... (Geffen)
- IN MY DREAMS
- (Hollywood)
- (Upt/MCA) FOREVER MY...

- DR. DAVE /WBXX/BATTLE CREEK R Marx/Roger/REM/T Petty
- JON ANTHONY/KBEQ/KANSAS CITY R Marx/Genesis
- DAVE ARTHUR/KF95/BOISE Genesis/R Marx/REM/CM Badd
- M ASCH/JEK ENT/BALTIMORE REM/CM Badd/Jodeci/The Who
- DANNY B/KZFM/CORPUS CHRISTI NE Color/Fourplay/R Nevil/L Stansfield
- TOMMY B/KZIO/DULUTH B Raitt/L Ford/R Marx/L Stansfield
- G BAIN/O RECORDS & VIDEO/MIAMI REM/CM Badd/Genesis/R Marx
- DAN BAKER/WMEE/FT WAYNE M Mark
- L BATCHECK/REC & TAPE/COLUM Genesis/REM/Jodeci/Party
- S BEAN/HARMONY HOUSE/DETROIT U2/Hammer/Erasure/B Raitt
- S BENDER/WYAV/MYRTLE BEACH Genesis/Storm/B Train
- CHAZRIN BLAKE/WILN/PANAMA Party/R Marx/Firehouse/L Stansfield
- T BRENNER/ARROW DIST/SOLON L Feat/M Bros/B Traveler/G Blossoms

- GUY BROUILLARD/CKOI/MONTREAL L Stansfield/Genesis/R Marx/R Robertson
- D.T.ED BROWN/WPHR/CLEVELAND M Mark/Genesis/R Marx/C Skins
- JOE BRYANT/JUSTIN/ATLANTA U2/P Abdul/BD Kane
- TREVOR CAREY/B95/FRESNO K Sims/T Seville/Ex-Girlfriend/Party
- D CARROLL/CD ONE-STOP/CONN Hammer/N Young/Soundgarden/O Adams
- STEVE CASEY/KOID/ALEXANDRIA Genesis/U2/R Hitchcock/CM Badd
- C CAWLEY/WMMZ/GAINESVILLE Genesis R Marx
- JOHNNA CECCOLI/Y100/MIAMI Genesis/B Rain/R Marx/L Stansfield
- JIM CERONE/WBWB/BLOOMINGTON R Marx/Genesis/CM Badd/L Stansfield
- I CHAFFERDET/UNIQUE RECORD/NY P Abdul/L Stansfield/S Johnny/L Ford
- DAVE CHRISTOPHER/KWTX/WACO Genesis/R Marx/CM Badd/M Crue
- J COHEN/STRAWBERRIES/BOSTON R Robertson/Jodeci/REM/L Stansfield
- DAVE COLLINS/KFBO/CHEYENNE R Marx/U2/L Stansfield/Genesis

- TOM COLT/KCMO/COLUMBIA Genesis/R Marx
- CATFISH COOPER/CK105/FLINT Hammer/Genesis/R Marx/Party
- DAVE COOPER/WWFX/BANGOR Genesis/R Robertson/R Marx/CM Badd
- SHADOW B CRUZ/HOT95/JACKSON R Marx/CM Badd/Party/Genesis
- ALBIE D/WPGC/WASH DC K Sims/T Campbell/C&C Music/S Wilson
- LARRY D/XL106/ORLANDO R Marx/Genesis/C&C Music
- H DAVIDSON/KKXX/BAKERSFIELD Party/CM Badd/Genesis/R Marx
- WES DAVIS/KZMG/BOISE Genesis/R Marx/Storm/J Jett
- RICK DEAM/HEGEWISCH/CHICAGO Mulberrys/P Abdul/4PM/PM Dawn
- M DIX/MICHELLE'S REC & VIDEO/WV R Stewart/Cher/T Turner/N Peeples
- V ELLIOTT/V VENDORS/KALAMAZOO U2/M Bolton/N Peeples/Fourplay
- J FARKAS/TAPE WORLD/CLEVELAND M Crue/Erasure/C & Effect/C Skins
- W WILLIAMS/KOHT/GRAND FORKS Genesis/CM Badd/REM



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JIM GRADY/KISR/FT SMITH R Robertson/R Marx/Genesis

K HARNETT/COCONUTS/IN U2/Hammer/B Raitt/S Ranks

KATHY HART/G105/DURHAM Party/Sabrina/CM Badd

GREG HEAD/KBXX/HOUSTON T Campbell/T Loc/R Marx

STEVE HELLER/ZFUN/MOSCOW R Marx/Genesis/Erasure/REM

R HEWSON/REC & TAPE TRADER/MD M Crue/REM/Genesis/R Robertson

LOUIS HIGGENS/TOWER/NASHVILLE M Carey/M Mark/Jodeci/P Enemy

ERIC HOFFMAN/FM104/MODESTO L Ford/R Marx/Scorpions/.38 Special

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STEVE JACKSON/Y93/BILLINGS REM/R Marx

K JAKIELA/GALAXY/PITTSBURGH U2/Roger/M Source/L Stansfield

P JOHNSON/PRO ONE-STOP/TEMPE G Blossoms/Pixies/2 Live Crew/S Red

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KEITH LEMIR/WKPE/CAPE COD Genesis/R Marx

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Texas/RL Jones/EB The Girl/J Mathis

K MACIVER/F THE MUSIC/ROCH U2/REM/T Petty/S Ranks

STEVE MANN/WQUT/JOHNSON CITY
T Petty/R Marx/Genesis/M Crue

DAVE MCCOLL/WPRR/ALTOONA C Skins/Roxette/Genesis

MARK MCGILL/WSNX/MUSKEGON Genesis/R Marx/R Robertson

JJ MCKAY/KNIN/WICHITA FALLS R Marx/Genesis/D Straits/T Petty

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JIM O'BRIEN/OK95/TRI CITIES M Crue/Genesis/R Marx/REM

V OLVEIRA/SEA-PORT/PORTLAND T Petty/R Robertson/REM/Jodeci

R PASOWICZ/ROSE REC/DES PLAINES
JL Hooker/Storm/L Kravitz

K PETERSON/XL93/GRAND FORKS CM Badd/J Jackson

M PFAFFL/MAINSTREAM/MILWAUK REM/L Ford/KLF/N Peeples

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DAVE ROY/TRANSWORLD/ALBANY Genesis/R Marx/Hammer/N Peeples

CHRIS RUH/KSND/EUGENE R Marx/B Raitt/PM Dawn/Genesis

J RUMSEY/REC TOWN/BEACHWOOD U2/Genesis/T Tumer/2 Rooms

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M SCHNEIDER/APPLE TREE/ILLINOIS
J Mellencamp/BAD II/W Zevon/R Robertson

JOHN SCOTT/KC101/NEW HAVEN Genesis/CM Badd

ROGER SCOTT/KRQ/TUCSON S Earl/T Campbell/R Marx

J SHAHINIAN/RECORD EXCH/CLEVE Erasure/L Ford/Hammer/U2

JAY SHANNON/KFQX/ABILENE Genesis/R Marx/CM Badd/Party

G SHAVER/MUSIC PEOPLE/OAKLAND U2/R Tresvant/L Stansfield/C Dennis

K SHEDD/D IN THE VALLEY/MPLS S Johnny/U2/N Young/Hammer

J SHELLEY/SOUND SHOP/MEMPHIS B Raitt/G N'Roses/Metallica/G Boys

TANK SHERMAN/WJMO/CLEVELAND L Stansfield/T Seville/Heavy D/Freeze

A SIGNER/ASSOCIATED/PHOENIX R Marx/Genesis/L Stansfield/M Crue TIM SMITH/KMYZ/TULSA B Raitt/T Petty

RC SNYDER/KTMT/BEDFORD R Robertson/R Marx/L Stansfield

SCOTT STALKER/KMGZ/LAWTON REM/L Stansfield/R Marx/CM Badd

K STAMM/SOUNDS & VID/MILWAUK N Young/Slaver/Dinosaur

GENE STERN/KZ93/PEORIA Genesis/CM Badd/R Marx

M STEVENS/WPST/TRENTON Genesis/R Marx/REM/CM Badd

R STICKS/WRHT/MOOREHEAD CITY CM Badd/T Petty/R Marx/S Robinson

TIM STOBIE/TOWER/FRESNO AM Club/S Pumpkins/Crucified/H Berry

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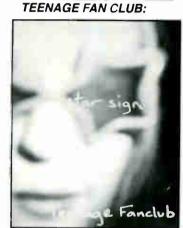
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(Ba	ased on	a combination of airplay and sales.)	
LW		ARTIST-LABEL	COMMENTS
1	1	NIRVANA - DGC Smells Like Teen	POP SALES!
2	2	RED HOT CHILI PEPPER - WB Give It Away	MTV BUZZ BIN!
6	3	PIXIES - 4AD/Elektra Letter To Memphis	HOTS Winner!
4	4	BILLY BRAGG - Go!/Elektra Sexuality	Cool as Hitchcock
5	5	B.A.D. II - Columbia Rush/Globe	MTV BUZZ BIN!
3	6	THE CULT - Sire/Reprise Wild Hearted Son	PoMo/Pop Sales
9	7	PUBLIC ENEMY - Def Jam/Col Can't Truss It	MEGA-PoMo
7	8	LLOYD COLE - Capitol She's A Girl	Still Way-Huge!
10	9	BLUR - Food/SBK There's No Other Way	MTV BUZZ BIN??
12	10	SOUNDGARDEN - A&M Jesus/Outshined	KNDD ADD!
11	11	FUGAZI - Dischord Various	A MAJOR Threat!
14	12	PRIMAL SCREAM - Sire Movin' On Up	LOTS of HITS!
8	13	ROBYN HITCHCOCK - A&M So You/Oceanside	Crossover(please)
	14	ERASURE - Sire/Reprise Chorus	SALES!SALES!
18	15	SMASHING PUMPKINS - Caroline Rhinoceros	RHCP's Tour!
13	16	SMITHEREENS - Capitol Top Of The Pops	Next PoMo cut?
17	17	VOICE OF BEEHIVE - London/PLG Monsters/I Think	Amazing on radio!
22	18	ROBBIE ROBERTSON - Geffen Various	Song w/Blue Nile!
24	19	SHAMEN - Epic Move Any Mountain	HUGE AIRPLAY!
19	20	OCEAN BLUE - Sire/Reprise Cerulean	Tour w/P.Furs!!
15	21	NED'S ATOMIC Columbia Grey Cell Green	Song's a smash!
	22	SWERVEDRIVER - A&M Rave Down	HUGE College LP!
16	23	SIOUXSIE & BANSHEES - Geffen Shadowtime	Still Selling!
-	24	MC 900 FT JESUS - Nettwerk/IRS Killer Insidé Me	Great Book!
25	25	HOUSE OF FREAKS - Giant Rocking Chair	On tour (rule!)

POST TOASTED By Ivana B. Adored

I ENJOY BEING A GIRL (NOT!): Remember when the lategreat Andy Kaufman used to do an impersonation of someone with sharp needles being stuck into their eyes? Imagine that same sensation in your pelvic region and you'll know how I'm feeling at this moment.....Had a chance to spend a brilliant weekend in the Pacific Northwest, albeit less enjoyable due to the absence of Jack Isquith.....Imagine this din-

ner-party: Kyle from PLG, Marco Collins from KNDD, John S. Hall and Sub Pop's **Jonathan** Poneman. I think Marco was a little overwhelmed, especially when he was "carded" for ordering a glass of milk. KNDD sounds really great; they'd sound even better if they were playing the genius House Of Freaks "band to record.....The watch" in Seattle is Best Kissers In The World. who have an upcoming release on Sub Pop, though their single, "Goldfish



(BIG) "STAR SIGN!"

Bowl" will remind you of "Another Girl, Another Planet," rather than "Touch Me, I'm Sick"....Another up-and-coming band called the Smells took the stage the same night as the Kissers, relying heavily on Nirvana covers, belying their alter-ego as members of the Posies. Ken Stringfellow reviewed the totally god-like Chris Stamey album for this issue. It's fun to get other people to do your work for you.....In addition to all of the fab records that Paul V. and Jimmy D. are working, especially Primal Scream (there are at least three hits on this record) and Dinosaur Jr., they've got two happenin' ones you may not have heard: The Love Drops song "Monster Sound" and "Bis ans Ende der Welt," the upcoming soundtrack from the new Wim Wenders film, featuring brand spankin' new songs from R.E.M., Patti Smith, Lou Reed, Elvis and the ever-god-like Nick Cave. It's an awesome album! Hope the film is half as good.....I'm not ignoring the Reprise side: Neil Young's latest makes me very happy. Metal machine music at its finest! I would be remiss in my duties as a responsible reporter of facts if I didn't point out that the Erasure album debuted on the PoMo chart at #14! (Just please don't make me listen to it).....After weeks of perservance, Baby Animals was added to MTV and is showing major signs of life at PoMo stations as diverse as KJJO and KJHK. Cool.....If any of you have doubts about Soundgarden still being PoMo, guess again bucko. They're Top 10 on the PoMo chart, therefore they're PoMo. Way.

PUST MUDDER

- 1. NIRVANA (DGC)
- 2. PIXIES (4AD/Elektra)
- 3. SOUNDGARDEN (A&M)
- 3. RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS (WB)
- 5. URBAN DANCE SQUAD (Arista)
- 5. U2 (Island/PLG)

- 1. TWO ROOMS COMP. (LP) (Polydor/PLG)
- 2. DYLANS (LP) (Beggar's Banquet/RCA)
- 2. CARTER USM (LP) (Chrysalis)
- 2. DEAD CAN DANCE (LP) (Rykodisc)
- 5. CHRIS STAMEY (LP) (RNA/Rhino)
- 5. MATTHEW SWEET (LP) (Zoo)

(Hot reports from the nation's leading radio and retail outlets)

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Matthew Sweet

Paleface

Tribe Called Quest

Pulnoc

Curve

ULLOA / MIAMI

Nirvana

Pixies

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Stumpy Joe

Nirvana

Soundgarden

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Nirvana

Fudgetunnel

Helmet

Mudhoney

Les Thugs

WDRE / TOM CALDERONE / NEW YORK CITY

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Morrissey

Ned's Atomic Dustbin

MUSIC DROME / JIM VINING /

NORCROSS

PM Dawn

Infectious Grooves

STEVE ATHEY / NORFOLK

Slaver

Voivod

WHEREHOUSE / NIKK) BASOUE

/ PACIFIC BEACH

Soundgarden

Nitzer Ebb

MC 900 Ft Jesus

Alison Moyet

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Nirvana

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Pixies

Urban Dance Squad

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Urban Dance Squad

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DIEGO U2

Red Hot Chili Peppers

Guns N' Roses

Primal Scream

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Vanilla Train Wreck

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PM Dawn

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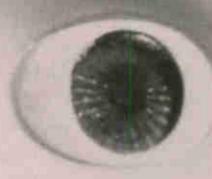
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This newest MD at WHFS may certainly be the "Sassy-est" MD since George Gimarc. When not writing "Brideshead Revisited," Bob can be found bonding with other guys named Bob, getting in touch with his "hairy inner self." Hey Bob, have you read "Iron John" by Robert (er, I mean Bob) Bly? Seriously, this guy rules, but after a few months, he'll become as cynical and jaded as the rest of us.

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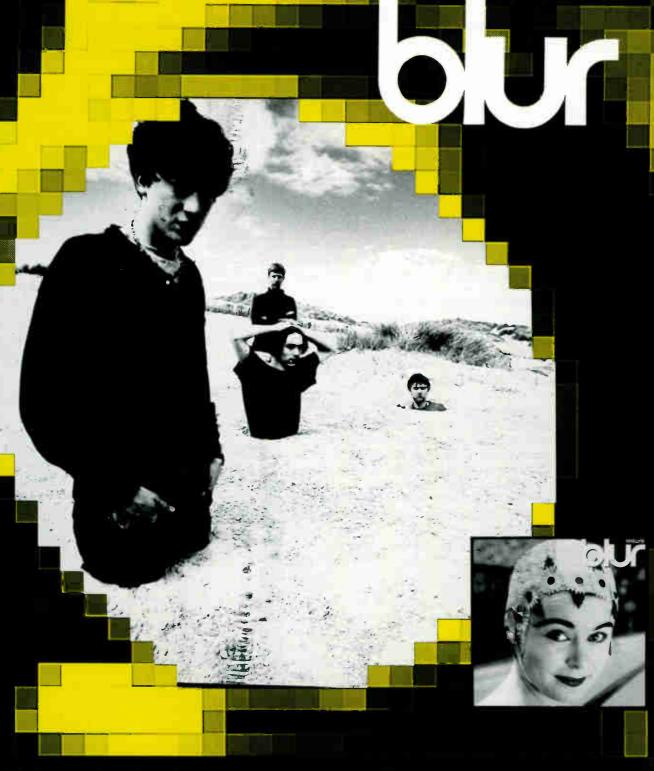
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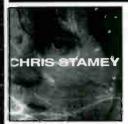
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POMO PICKS Edited by Karen Glauber



Chris Stamey, "Fireworks" (RNA/Rhino): Following "It's Alright", former dB's member Chris Stamey retains living legend status by delivering this collection of shimmeringly clear, informally poignant tunes. "Something Came Over Me" rests among excellent company as typical of

Stamey's delicately simple, almost pastoral style, all glowing like warm lights from windows. Never overtly dark or jarring, the songs here are replete with an infinite supply of moments both chiming and charming. (Ken Stringfellow/Posies)

House Of Freaks, "Cakewalk" (Giant): Quirky-sweet melodies tempered by raucous percussion and a bizarre outlook conjures up images of two guys from Richmond, VA. bouncing ideas off each other in an intellectually inspired delirium. Forget trying to pin this duo down. Just whjen you've decided that



they're terminally optimistic popsters, as evidenced by "I Got Happy," they pull the eerie, delta-inspired "Magpie Wing" on you. A highlight at the recent Q-Fest, these boys are as good live as they are on this, their fourth release. (DD)



Blur, "Leisure" (Food/SBK): The heat was on; who would get this much lauded band from the Food chain? Why all the fuss? How 'bout catchy pop tunes, layered with intense guitars, made magical by a band in its infancy, under the guidance of such god-like prodcers as Stephen Street, Steves

Lovell and Power (Julian Cope) and Mike Thorne (Wire). "There's No Other Way" is one of the biggest reaction songs since that song by that *other* SBK band, but I can *clearly* see other hits. Delightful from start to finish; make time for leisure!

This Picture, "A Violent Impression" (Dedicated/RCA): Of the many impressions This Picture make, violent is one that wouldn't come to mind. Anyone who's seen the video to "Naked Rain" has been captivated by the charisma of singer Symon Bye. And this is more than just a pretty picture; this Bath



quartet use a variety of instruments to create a moving, compelling album that is more than just still life, depicting a world that is violent, but full of emotion and passion. This band will leave a lasting impression on their audience. Listen again and again; This Picture is pop art at its best!

POMO MUGS



BAIT NG MASTERS: Hey kiddies, wouldn't you have loved to see the sparks for when the Fixx's leger dary (NOT!) Cy Curnin, Transvision Vamp's tert 'n siny Wendy James and Live 105 poster boy for secondary education (min?) Steve Masters got together to flex their intellectual muscles. We wish we could have attended, but we wouldn't have wanted to blow Servo's chances of scoring with Wendy by pointing out to her that he has autographed Debbie Gibson posters on his bedroom ceiling, an inflatable sheep, the latest issue of "Highloghts For Children," and a six-pack of Coke in his bedside drawer.



WHY CAN'T I TOUCH IT?: You don't have to schup someone from this ray to get your mug in its pages, but it couldn't hurt (unless you go near a certain Managing Editor). Here, the total bubes from the utterly godhead King Missile show off their true bril unce to an awe-struck WHFS staff, who couldn't believe that they had been graced with such a textbook example of perfection. The true extent of their inspiration and influence on the lives of millions can't be put adequately into words, so we'll end here. (Was it that good? - Ed.,



SONGS FROM UNDER THE FLOHR BOARDS (BORES): We love RCA's Bruce Flohr. So what if he can't hold your attention for more than 15 seconds? Who cares if you have to drink 12 espressos before going out to dirner with him? The man is a saint! Here the boys from Chapterhouse try to make it seem like they're having fun hanging with Bruce and his tabel buddies, while the boks on their faces clearly shows that they'd rather be seeing "Ernest: Sacred Stupid" than posing with this lot.

TIME FOR A CUP OF JOE AND A DOUGHNUT

Never has an album been so aptly titled as "Nevermind." Nirvana's first major-label outing on DGC is chock-full of punky, garagey energy, yet the purveyors of these fine sounds — singer/guitarist Kurt Cobain, bassist Chris Novoselic and drummer Dave Grohl — are totally casually, low-key dudes. Like, hey, but yer record's a hit. "Yeah? Aw, nevermind." And therein lies their appeal — in such thrashy, devil-may-care grooves of tunes like the first single/video, "Teen Spirit," and "On A Plain."

On the other hand, they do care about certain things. Like making good music. Being

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good, peaceful citizens. (Of course, smashing their own instruments doesn't count.) And they're intelligent, too. So the album title is contradictory, as they are. They rail against the apathy of their generation both musically and lyrically, while remaining blase to the typical rock star trappings. Hippies? Maybe. Stoners? Possibly. Godhead? Nevermind.

That's right, Seattle's done it again. Actually, Cobain and Novoselic hail from Aberdeen, Washington, population 17,000, and it appears they're destined to be the burg's most prominent citizens. The band formed in '87 and have had several different drummers since as well as another guitar player. They've left the safety of their native Northwest several times to tour Europe, the States and Canada, garnering a giant underground following for their manic stage-diving, mosh of a live show. If the buzz was loud for Nirvana's Sub Pop releases "Bleach" and the live "Blew," for "Nevermind," it's now reached a deafening roar, which will hopefully drown out the lame line of questioning by HITS' own metal mensa Katherine Turman "Ator 3."

What did you do before this band?

Chris Novoselic: I always had these he-man, heavy jobs, like stacking railroad ties. I was a firefighter in the woods and an industrial painter. I'd paint factories, but I got tired of that. I was just bopping around. As a painter, you go where the work is. I was going to be a bridge painter, but I quit, 'cause the band was doing so good. I got disillusioned with the whole 9-to-5 thing.

How'd you first meet Kurt?

Chris: He hung around my brother, and my brother told him I listened to punk-rock. So Kurt came around, and he was a cool guy, and he gave me a tape that he and Dale from the Melvins made of these songs that Kurt wrote. I listened to it and got really excited, like, "Whoa, this is really cool man... Hey, let's start a band." I borrowed a bass and an amp, we found a drummer and in two weeks, we had a bunch of songs.

What were your first shows like?

Chris: We drove up to Olympia from Aberdeen in this Volkswagen Beetle. We took the back seat out and just stuffed everything in there, including Kurt and a gallon of wine. Then we started playing in Tacoma, then in Seattle. We've always just done more and more. Things kept getting bigger and better. Maybe that's what keeps us going.

Are you surprised at the rave reviews you're getting?

Chris: Yeah, I am, to tell you the truth. I think the quality's there, though. I hope it doesn't get too blown out of proportion, 'cause we're just a band. We play bad shows every once in awhile and we have our hang-ups. Our record is getting called perfect. That's bad.

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What do your folks think of the band?

Chris: Mom saw us when we opened for Soundgarden outside this park. She said, "Oh, it was really nice, it was good. Why did you have to wear those ripped-up jeans, though?" Then she said, "There was this guy wearing ripped pants and you could see his butt because he wasn't wearing any underwear!"

"Our record is getting called perfect. That's bad."

Kurt, what does "Teen Spirit" smell like?

Kurt Cobain: I haven't smelled it. It's more like a military revolutionary fantasy for our generation. It's contradictory and kinda sarcastic at the same time, as well as being serious. I write a lot of contradictions for every line that's serious.

Where'd the idea come from for "Territorial Pissings"?

Kurt: It's just an homage to the female gender. Not sexually, just as people — respecting them, and hoping someday they'll get the recognition and power they deserve. Actually, there's only one line in there that pertains to women. It's the line, "I've never met a wise man, if so, he's a woman."

How many major labels courted you?

Kurt: About ten. We just wanted 100% artistic freedom — the choice to edit anything they do, and we got that.

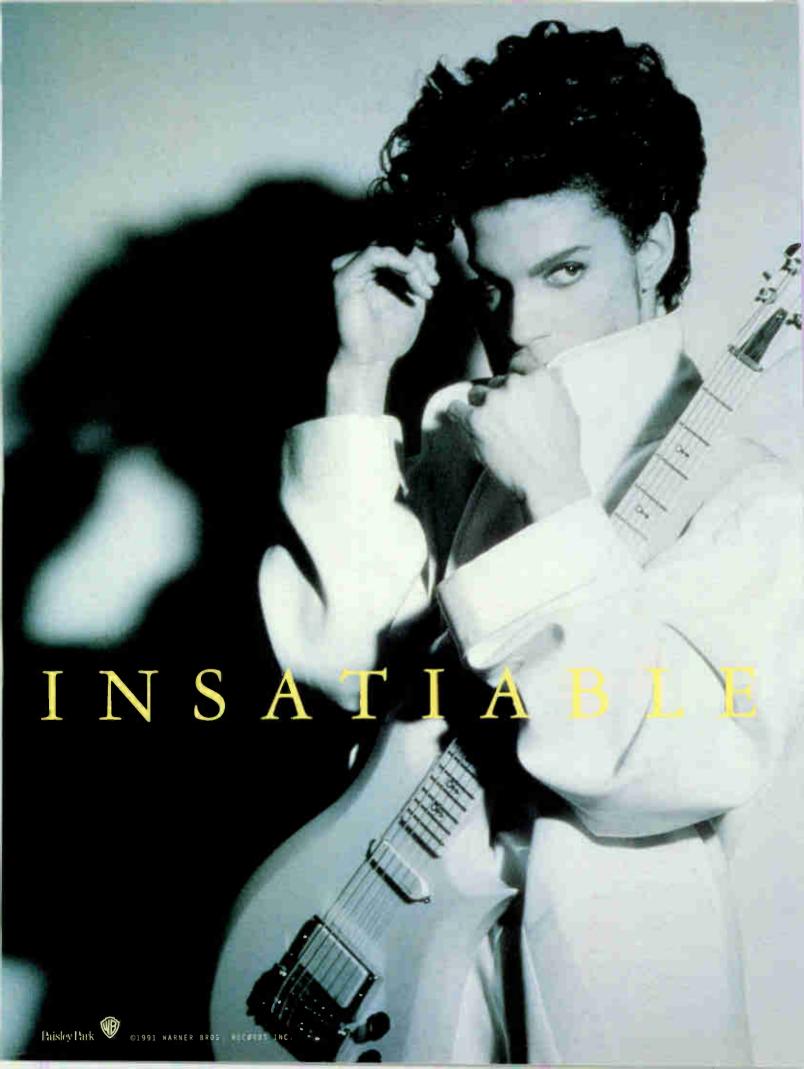
Nirvana obviously has punk influences. What was the first concert you ever went to?

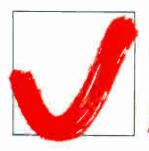
Kurt: I think it was Sammy Hagar in '79 or '80. But I was aware of punk in like, '78-'79, through reading *Creem* magazine, but I was only like 12 at the time. I was too young to find that kind of music, especially living in Aberdeen, but I always felt that I wanted to get into it, but I didn't until, like, '83. I finally found some people who had some punk rock when I met the Melvins, who made me a few compilation tapes. The first punkrock song I heard was "Damage II" by Black Flag.

Chris: I was into the Scorpions and Ozzy two years before anyone else was. I actually got into progressive rock for, like, nine months. I listened to ELP and Yes records and stuff — I think that was just to do something different.

You guys seem pretty casual for a group about to become huge.

Kurt: We've already gone past our expectations. The band was just an excuse to get together, drink and play music. We never really expected to leave Aberdeen. That was the only goal we ever really had.











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Public Enemy's crucial hip-hop is livin' larger than ever, with their latest epic, "Apocalypse '91: The Empire Strikes Black," movin' serious tonnage.

Def Jam promo VP Wes Johnson runs down the raw score. "P.E.'s smash single, 'Can't Truss It,' has delivered something that can be trusted.... Sales figures!" A cold gold and soon-to-be platinum LP and awesome numbers on the single prove his point, as does Ross Wilson of D.J.'s in Norfolk, who drops the mass line. "When we did a midnight opening for Prince, we sold 150 copies of his record. Very impressive. But we also blew out over 400 copies of the P.E. LP that same night, with lines out the door longer than Long Dong Silver. Need I say more?"

For once, it seems that even radio can't 'dis the devastatin' crew from Strong Island. Smogtown powerhouse KJLH is all over it, and MD Jeff Gill kicks the real deal. "P.E.'s still sending out their message, militant as ever. My listeners and I hear it loud and clear." KPRS K.C. MD Bobby Wonder agrees, adding, "They're back, and this time you CAN truss it!"

While over 60% of our reporters are reportin' monster power moves on it, some folks are still holdin' out. Whassup? The vote of the people doesn't count anymore?

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WE'RE ALL IN THE MUSIC BUSINESS: I recently overheard a RADIO CONSULTANT proudly proclaim, "I'm NOT in the Record Business. And I'm NOT concerned about a record company's priorities. I'm ONLY interested in the success of my radio stations." But what makes a station successful? It's simple. The ability to inspire the the largest amount of listeners to tune in for the longest amount of time. Period. And excluding News, Talk, Weather and Airport Information stations, most of us concentrate on MUSIC. What are the elements of a successful music station? Air personalities, jingles, commercials, a little news and weather and some PSAs? Yes, but the central element is still MUSIC! And the choice of what music to play is CRUCIAL! Since the

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By Graham Armstrong

majority of successful Black Music stations play mostly current hits, the source of that lifeblood is extremely important. Let's face it — without a steady supply of great material from record companies to keep your playlist fresh, your station AIN'T JACK! And if you continue to shrink your lists, a lot of great music is going to be wasted and lost, and record companies are going to hurt. Fewer jobs, fewer signings and fewer chances to give your listeners great music. We'll all LOSE!! The bottom line is that we all need each other. Radio needs to lighten up and keep an open mind towards new releases, and record companies need to understand programmers' needs better. We're all in this together, and it's up to US to preserve the MUSIC business. Later.

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MERGERS & ACQUISITIONS: While the legal battle between Motown and MCA looks far from resolved, the House That Busby Rebuilt is firming up their internal structure, locking a number of key staff members into lucrative multi-year deals. Will there be changes in store

for those who don't get the Golden Goose?... We've got to wonder if there's more action to come as a result of the Atco-East/West merger?... Former Capitol West Coast goddess Carin Thomas has scored the highly-coveted West Coast Regional gig at Arista.... While we're asking questions, we've got to ask whether former K104 PD Terri Avery is heading into the record fold? Will she grab the Dallas Regional slot at Mercury? Or will a move to the creative side be in her future?... Things are movin' and shakin' at Reprise, with Ronnie Johnson breaking East from Dallas to grab the National Promo Mgr. gig in Atlanta. Now that they've upped Johnson, can VP stripes be far away for National Promo Dir. David Lin-



ton? Also, on the rap side, the company has brought in Zipporjah Erby to coordinate thangs.... ROCKIN' RADIO: Lots of action in Radioland, with the big story being Chris Reynolds steppin' down as KMJQ MD. He will retain his on-air shift.... What's up at Oaktown

powerhouse KDIA?... George Hamilton has exited the programming throne at Memphis' KJMS, causing MD Toni St. James to grab the reins in the interim.... Former WUFO Buffalo MD Dwayne Landers is gonna chill in the Florida sunshine, and will do afternoons at WZAZ, which will soon be known as WJBT. Also look for the Buffalo institution to lean heavily towards Gospel.... WSKX is a new 50,000 watt FM Churban in Hinesville, GA (their signal will kick it loud in Savannah), and will be programmed by Stanton Jaye, with music duties going to Kimberly Dobson. They can be reached at (912) 368-9292, and, since they used to be a country station, need service of all current and catalog product.



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Aline





LONG DONG SILVER IS NOT IN THIS PHOTO: In fact, you wouldn't even use the term "medium dong," or even "slightly adequate dong," to describe anyone in this shot. Here is yet another installment in our series of sexist, exploitative pics of Profile's Manny Bella trying to prove his manhood by posing with porn goddess Vanessa Del Rio and her big, uh, smile. Going along for the ride is WDAS PD Joe "Butterball" Tamburro, whose wife thinks he's out on his nightly three-bucket run to Kentucky Fried.



ITALIAN SUITS AND CHEST HAIR: When Columbia honcho Donnie lenner throws a party, everyone shows up. Here the industry titan fetes the multi-talented Peabo Bryson, causing Peabo's manager David Franklin, bomb-coiffed promo legend Jerry Blair, hip 'n happnin' A&R terror Jay Landers, slick booker Jerry Ade and marketing goddess Sandra Trim-DaCosta to act like they're having a great time before they line up to kiss Donnie's ring. At least that's what we do when we see him.



LES IS MORE: We love to run shots of Warner/Chappell's own bundle of joy Les Bider (he's the guy who looks like he still refuses to believe Studio 54 was closed, and spends all his time trying to break into the jimmy hat dispenser at Le Dome)! In this riveting shot, the big guy gives the big bank to the hype Lewis brothers, who form the creative backbone of Atlantic Starr, while creative demon Rachelle Fields (2nd from 1), the omnipotent fashion plate Danny Goldberg, money-makin' manager Ruth Carson and W/C's Rick Shoemaker wonder whether Peggy King can explain this week's insult to the big guy.

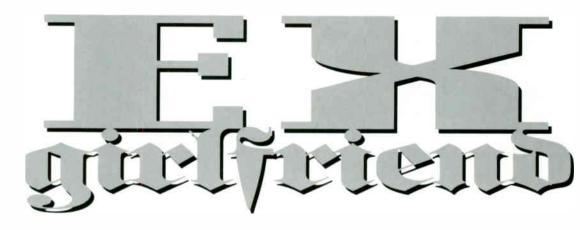


THE REAL THING: Phyllis Hyman is a woman of class, intelligence and wit. She really lights up a room. Here, Phyllis, BMG honcho Pete Jones, brilliant staffer Lisa Session and Zoo promo kingpin Jesus Garber share a light moment, trying to hold back the laughter as Bud Scoppa takes a swig of a Coke into which the 'Sus-man had casually slipped a piece of pubic hair.



WE'RE MAAD AS HELL, AND WE'RE NOT GOING TO TAKE IT ANYMORE: When Priority promo hotshot Eric Brooks (2nd from 1) brung Coolio and W.C. of W.C. and the MAAD Circle down to Smogtown's KKBT, he had no idea that the shot would run in this poor excuse for a mag. He thought the photographer said Hitmakers, a truly ingenious publication whose level of brilliance we try to attain every week, but fail miserably. Then again, we can't even tie our shoes.

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QUIET STORM

ALBUMS

2W LW TW	ARTIST TITLE	LABEL
1 1 1	BOYZ II MEN	Motown
4 3 2	Cooleyhighharmony PHYLLIS HYMAN Prime Of My Life	PIR/Zoo
2 2 3	COLOR ME BADD C.M.B.	Giant/Reprise
5 4 4	O'JAYS Emotionally Yours	EMI
6 5 5	BOYZ N' THE HOOD Soundtrack	Qwest/WB
10 9 6	MARIAH CAREY Emotions	Columbia
9 8 7	BE BE & CE CE WINANS Different Styles	Capitol
- 12 8	JODECI Forever My Lady	Uptown/MCA
11 10 9	KARYN WHITE Ritual Of Love	WB
3 6 10	GLADYS KNIGHT Good Woman	MCA
14 13 11	VANESSA WILLIAMS The Comfort Zone	Wing/Mercury
- 14 12	PEABO BRYSON Can You Stop The	Columbia
7 7 13	JENNIFER HOLLIDAY I'm On Your Side	Arista
8 11 14	LUTHER VANDROSS Power Of Love	Epic
15	BARRY WHITE Put Me In Your Mix	A&M

(Based on retail sales)

SOFT & WARM



STORM WATCH: Let's take a run across the lower 48 to see what's pumpin' up sales of Trojans and No-Doz. At St. Louis' KATZ, PD Keith Antone is hot on jazzman Warren Hill's silky and inventive "Take Out Dreams" (Novus/RCA) and Island crooner supreme Will Downing's latest,

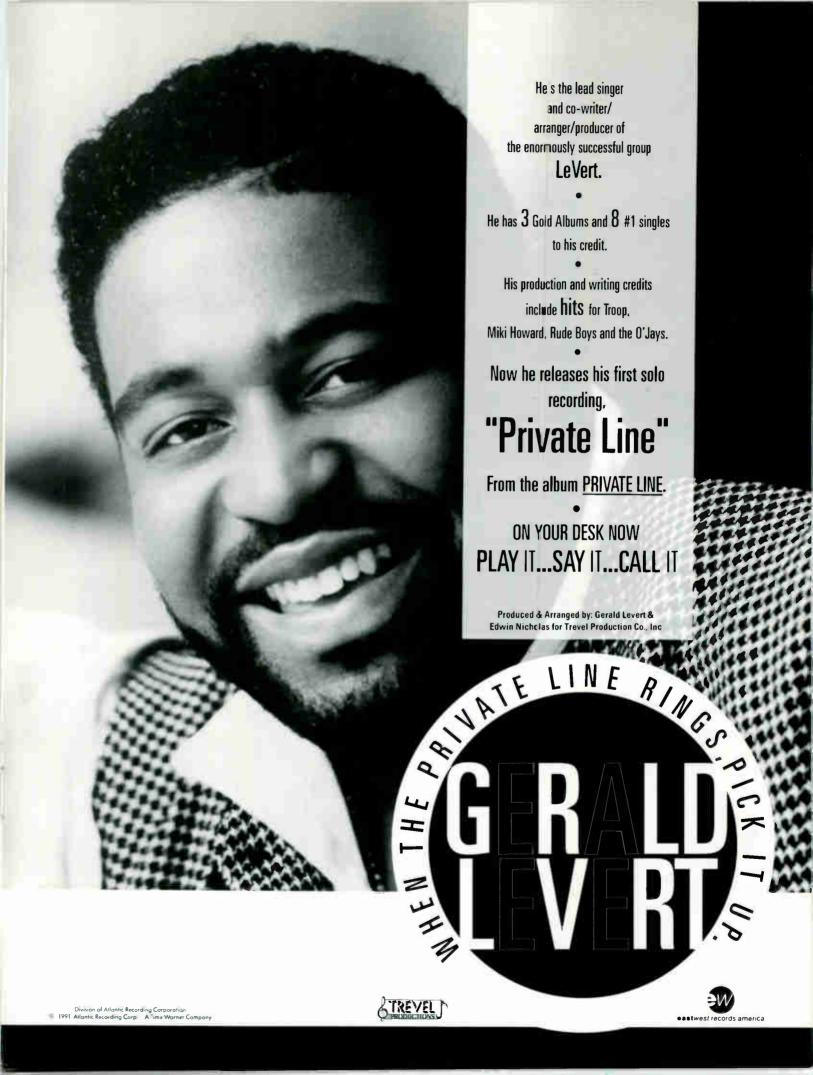
"Don't Make Me Wait." Breaking South to Savannah, we checked in with WEAS Quiet Storm jock Smooth Randall J., who's on Shirley Murdock's classy "Last Hoorah" (Elektra) and soul goddess Vanessa Williams' sultry "Still In Love" (Wing/Mercury). We finished our trip in lovely downtown Birmingham, where WENN MD Michael Starr gets down with Eric Gable's stone-cold SMASH "Can't Wait To Get You Home" (Epic) and Audrey Wheeler's (p) sleeper "I'm Yours Tonight" (Ear Candy). See ya in seven.

RADIO AIRPLAY

2W	LW	TW	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL
3	2	1	JODECI		Uptown/MCA
1	3	2	BOYZ II M	Forever My Lady IEN It's So Hard	Motown
2	1	3	O'JAYS	Keep On Lovin' Me	ЕМІ
5	5	4	JENNIFE	R HOLLIDAY I'm On Your Side	Arista
4	4	5	TRACIE S	SPENCER Tender Kisses	Capitol
16	9	6	PEABO E	BRYSON Closer Than Close	Columbia
10	8	7	CHRIS W	ALKER Giving You All	Pendulum/Elektra
14	14	8	BARRY V	Put Me In Your Mix	A&M
7	6	9	TONY TO	Me And You	Qwest/WB
18	15	10	ERIC GAI	Can't Wait To	Orpheus/Epic
11 25	10	11	PHYLLIS	Are You Lonely	Atlantic PIR/Zoo
23		13	FOURPL	Living In Confusion	WB
22	22	14	STEVIE V	After The Dance	Motown
6	7	15	COLOR	These Three Words ME BADD	Giant/Reprise
8	12	16	JOHNNY		Giant/Reprise
_	18	17	READY F	I'm Still Waiting OR THE WORLD Can He Do It Like	MCA
19	19	18	PHIL PER		Capitol
24	17	19	BOYZ II N	MEN Uhh Ahh	Motown
_		20	DEE HAR	RVEY Leave Well Enough	Motown
	23	_	GENE RI	CE You're A Victim	RCA
9	11		GLADYS	Superwoman	MCA
		23	DAMIAN	Right Down To It	Laface/Arista
		24	GARY TA	Take Control	Valley Vue
		25	SHIRLEY	MURDOCK	Elektra

(Based on radio airplay)

Stay With Me Tonight



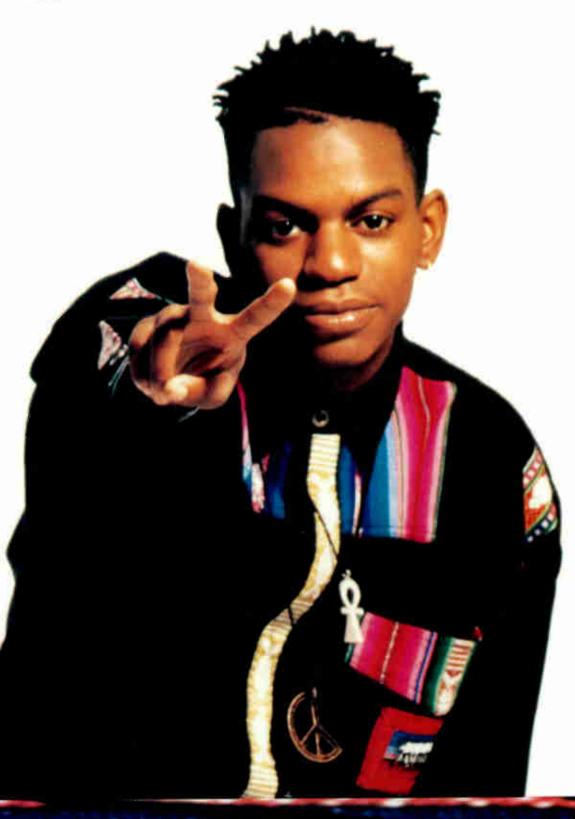












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RAP

RAP RADIO TOP FORTY LABEL LW **ARTIST** TITLE LW 2W TW **ARTIST** TITLE LABEL **PUBLIC ENEMY** 21 Can't Truss Def Jam/Col D. UNDERGROUND Kiss You Back TNT/T Boy **GETO BOYS** Mind Playing... Rap-A-Lot/Pri 22 **RAW FUSION** Throw Your... Hollywood Basic A TRIBE CALLED... 23 --Check The ... Jive **BLACK SHEEP** Choice is... Mercury N. BY NATURE O.P.P. 24 Tommy Boy KID N' PLAY Select/Elektra Ain't Gonna... **NICE & SMOOTH** 25 Hip Hop. **CYPRESS HILL** R.A.L./Columbia How I Could... Ruff House/Col 6 M.C. LYTE When In Love First Priority/Atl **PROFESSOR GRIFF** Jail Sale Luke P. R. TEACHERS Shakiyla (JRH) Profile 27 WC & M.A.D.D... Dress Code Priority **QUEEN LATIFAH** 28 Fly Girl Tommy Boy **HEAVY D** Is It Good ... Uptown/MCA 9 **MARLEY MARL** Symphony II Cold Chillin'/WB 29 CYPRESS HILL Phuncky Feel... Ruff House/Col H.E.A.L. 30 Heal Yourself Elektra 2 LIVE CREW Pop That... Luke/Atlantic 11 N.W.A. Always In... Ruthless/Priority RESIDENT ALIEN RAL/Columbia Mr. Booos **BLACK SHEEP** 32 Flavor Of ... Mercury **BIZ MARKIE** What Goes ... Cold Chillin'/WB 13 **BRAND NUBIAN** 33 All For One Elektra MAIN SOURCE Wild Pitch/EMI Peace Is... 14 UMC'S Bluecheese Wild Pitch/EMI 34 LEADERS OF THE ... Sobb Story Elektra 15 **D-NICE** 25 Ta Life 35 Jive **GANG STARR** Step In... Chrysalis ED O.G. & DA... 36 Be A Father PWL America **POWERRULE** P Groove/Inter **Ruff Neck PM DAWN** 37 Set A Drift Gee St./Isl/PLG **DE LA SOUL** Roller Skating ... Tommy Boy 18 M.C. BREED Ain't No... SDEG/Ichiban 38 THE JAZ **EMI** A Groove 19 **DEF JEF** Here We... Delicious Vinvl 39 J. JEFF & F. Prince Rina Mv Bell .live 20 **CHUBB ROCK** Just The Two... Select/Elektra 40 2 BLACK 2 STRONG Across The ... Relativity

Based on college radio and commercial mix show airplay

IT'S NASTY: Is Nastymix kingpin Nasty Nes contemplating a major full-time power move back onto the airwaves? The Seattle hip-hop vet currently kicks the mix ballistics on KCMU, but his frequent presence in the Bay Area in the past month has folks wondering whether he'll

jump on board a groundbreaking San Francisco powerhouse that gets crazy props from rulers on all sides of the business.... LIGHTS! CAMERA! ACTION!: Hip-hop continues to pull in the big movie bank. The latest round of holiday flics should see MCs livin' larger than ever, and besides the surefire success of Kid 'N Play's "House Party II," which also features a cameo from S.O.U.L. newcomer Kamron, we'll see Uptown king Andre Harrell's first major celluloid venture, "Strictly Business." The rap-flavored feature has an all-star soundtrack, topped off by a new L.L. Cool J jammie, which fetched Mr. Smith a colossal bag.... If you take one look at Epic's hype new rhymer Dina D, you'll only be able to fire off two syl-



lables — All that!... Smogtown's Freestyle Fellowship, a tight coalition of unsigned rappers, are making folks at a number of labels jump higher than Jordan to ink their considerable talents. They recently got wreck onstage here with Island's Disposable Heroes Of Hip

Hoprisy, and are sellin' a crude but effective demo tape wherever fine hip-hop is found.... Select will distribute AMG's "Bitch Betta Have My Money" LP through the indie system, as Elektra have opted to pass on this one project.... NEW AND IMPROVED: This week sees the debut of our new hip-hop radio chart, and we'd like to take this opportunity to give a special shout-out to the folks down with us, including WPLZ's Terry Lewis. The debut chart has Public Enemy livin' at the top, with Main Source's red-hot "Peace Is Not The Word To Play" (Wild Pitch/EMI), 2nd Il None's Quik-mixed "Be True To Yourself" (Profile) and Pete Rock & C.L. Smooth's "Creator" (Elektra) ridin' their straps hard. Peace.

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RAP

TOP TWENTY VIDEO

	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL W	KLY PLAYS
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2	CHUBB ROCK	Just The 2	Select/Elektra	62
3	M.C. LYTE	When In Love	First Priority/Atl	62
4	KID N' PLAY	Ain't Gonna	Select/Elektra	52
5	NAUGHTY BY NATURE	O.P.P.	Tommy Boy	48
6	NICE & SMOOTH	Нір Нор	R.A.L./Col	46
7	A TRIBE CALLED	Check The	Jive	45
8	HEAVY D & THE BOYZ	Is It Good	PLG	44
9	N.W.A.	Always Into	Ruthless/Priority	43
10	SHABBA RANKS	House Calls	Epic	43
11	KOOL MOE DEE	Death Blow	Jive	41
12	J JEFF & THE F PRINCE	Ring My Bell	Jive	37
13	3RD BASS	Portrait Of	D Jam/Col	36
14	QUEEN LATIFAH	Fly Girl	Tommy Boy	36
15	GROUND ZERO	Lettin' You	Lethal Beat	32
16	ICE-T	Ricochet	Sire/WB	32
17	COOKIE CREW	Secret Succes	ss PLG	29
18	COMPTON'S MOST	Straight	Epic	29
19	D UNDERGROUND	Kiss Me Back	TNT/Tommy Bo	y 29
20	GETO BOYS	Mind Playing.	. Rap-A-Lot	29

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Based on total nat'l & regional rotations

RADIO MOST ADDED

ARTIST TITLE LABEL

2ND TO NONE Be True To Yourself Profile

RADIO STREET PICK

ARTIST TITLE LABEL

MAIN SOURCE Peace Is Not The... Wild Pitch/EMI

RETAIL STREET PICK

ARTIST TITLE LABEL

PUBLIC ENEMY Can't Truss It Def Jam/Col

TOP FIFTEEN ALBUMS

2W LW TW	ARTIST TITLE (LABEL)	COMMENTS
8 1 1	PUBLIC ENEMY Apocalypse '91 (Def	#1 Rap Single Jam/Columbia)
2 2 2	GETO BOYS We Can't Be Stopped	45 On WBLS (Rap-A-Lot/Priority)
1 3 3	NAUGHTY BY NATURE Naughty By Nature (To	New Single Up ommy Boy)
4	SCARFACE Mr. Scarface Is Back (100K 5 Day Rap-A-Lot)
5	2 LIVE CREW Sports Weekend (Luke	Video Hot e/Atlantic)
11 6 6	A TRIBE CALLED QUEST The Low End Theory (
10 9 7	M.C. LYTE Act Like You Know (Fi	R&B radio on 45 rst Priority/Atl)
22 13 8	MARLEY MARL In Control Vol. II (Cold	Down Wit J. Crew Chillin'/WB)
5 4 9	POOR RIGHTEOUS Pure Poverty (Profile)	Single @ Radio
10	YOMO & MAULKIE Are U Xperienced (Atl	Down Wit NWA antic)
7 10 11	HEAVY D & THE BOYZ Peaceful Journey (Up	On @ BET town /MCA)
9 11 12	DJ J JEFF & F PRINCE Homebase (Jive)	Single Crossing
18 15 13	SHABBA RANKS As Raw As Ever (Epic	Reggae Rap
4 7 14	QUEEN LATIFAH Nature Of A Sista (To	<i>In Houseparty II</i> mmy Boy)
- 18 15	M.C. BREED &The DFC M.C. Breed & The DF	Maintaining C (Ichiban)

Based on retail album sales

DOWN WIT'..



ON THE HYPE TIP: This seven marks the introduction of **Down Wit'**, our fat new section dedicated to exposin' you to various kingpins of hip-hop, and lettin' 'em kick the ballistics on the state of the industry. The first one to get vicked by appearing in this slime is former microphone

wiz and Rhyme Syndicate posse member Mickey Bentson, who presides over Pay Up! Promotions ("I called it that so the record companies didn't think they could play me," Mickey explains.) He feels indies are essential in the rap world because, "We have a direct line to rap radio, and we actually use it. You can't just mail records and have an 800 line these days. You need contact! Also, all of a label's releases can't be priorities, so acts have a better shot at hittin' if the label's down wit' us." Audi 5000.













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WHEELS & DEALS

BY NEIL HARRIS

TEN GREAT MYSTERIES OF THE MODERN WORLD: 1.) Why anyone not looking for money would enter a room that only contained Arista particle physicist Ken Friedman. 2.) Mike Corbett's tailor. 3.) Michael Goldstone's assertiveness trainer. 4.) Duff Marlowe's pharmacist. 5.) Mickey Mouse. 6.) Tim Devine. 7.) Why Andrew Brightman's penis hasn't fallen off yet. 8.) Why Eric Filkorn is the last man many women ever date. 9.) Dave Allen's liver. 10.) The fact that this issue marks the one-year anniversary of me banging out this utterly riveting prose. To celebrate, I'm gonna bore you to tears.... NEED A GIG?: There are still a number of openings in the publishing world for bright

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Ken Friedman: My best friend!

young things who've got the golden ears. Polygram Music still needs a high-level creative honcho, but the consensus is that pickings are slim amongst the experienced, brilavailable. and Meanwhile, Geffen Music is still looking for a West Coast plugger, and EMI Music is looking for an experienced acquisition type to work the land West of the Mississippi, as well as someone to fill the shoes of R&B ace Darryl Sutton, who exits to Virgin Music.... On the record side, look for Chrysalis and E.M.I. to bring on board street ter-

rors in their money-makin' Manhattan offices, and London to draft the best player available, regardless of geography....Ex-Atco A&R staffer Al Smith has slid over to Atlantic, and has been upped to a full-time rep.... What West Coast creative genius wants his name in this rag so he can extract a "well-deserved" raise from his bosses?... Living Colour guitarist Vernon Reid is eager to get behind the board with Southern eclectic terrors No Walls.... Two performances at ASCAP's last Smogtown Hardest Kept Secrets showcase, put together by street demon Mike Badami, look like they will generate record deals, with local eclectic rockers Stikkitty pullin' down two firm offers, and Minneapolis aggrorockers and personal faves Coup De Grace set to head to a Right Coast New Jack.... Zomba and Polygram Music look ready to loosen the purse strings to get their own piece of Life, Sex & Death's trunkful of teenage anthems, which are fetching a very pretty penny.... A&M has been gettin' busy in La La Land, doin' demos with hard industrial terrors Yesterday's Tear and aggro-rockers Dumpster. Will the latter sessions turn until a full-fledged deal?... BAND NAME OF THE WEEK: La La Land's subtly monikered Dick Tit STRANGE BUT TRUE: The old saving "there's someone for everyone" has stretched to new lengths, as ASCAP's West Coast Creative honcho Ron Sobel has finally found someone gullible enough to tie the knot with him. Of course, he had to go to Alaska to find her INCREASE THE PEACE (PLEASE!): Finally, I wish I could find something to say that would ease the pain of the folks at this mag over the loss of our own Keith Marso, who was senselessly taken from the planet this past weekend, way before his time, but I'm at an utter loss for words. Take care dude.

NEW ARTISTS



The Candy Skins

Title
"The Candy Skins"

Label DGC

English quartet from university town of Oxford fronted by singer/acoustic guitarist Nick Cope combines '60s melodicism with crash-and-burn '90s post-punk — equal parts Beatles and Sex Pistols. Band was formed by Cope, his brother, rhythm guitarist Mark. lead guitarist Nick Burton and drummer John Halliday, who all went to primary school together. They took their name from a song by the Scottish new wave group, the Fire Engines. Songs range from the psychedelic pop "Submarine Song" to the '60s California sun of "Freedom Bus." Their cover of Buffalo Springfield's "For What's It's Worth" incorporates a sample of the Stones' "Sympathy For The Devil" to darken the peace-and-love paean.

Suggested Cuts

"For What It's Worth" is a PoMo retelling of the classic **Stephen Stills** anthem which could score with boomers and busters alike.

Comments:

Guest analyst is Contra arms trafficker Oliver North, who said, "There's something happening here. What it is ain't exactly clear."



Jodeci

Title "Forever My Lady"

Label Uptown/MCA

This gospel/soul/new jack outfit consists of two pairs of brothers in their late teens and early 20s who met up in Charlotte, N.C. Jodeci is an amalgam of their names: lead singers JoJo and K-Ci along with Mr. Dalvin and DeVante Swing, all of whom previously appeared on albums by the likes of Father MC, Jeff Redd, Al B. Sure! and Tevin Campbell. The foursome started out in gospel choirs before branching out into R&B. With a four-track tape and \$300 between them, they hopped in an '88 Ford Escort for New York, making MCA Records' Manhattan offices their first stop because "we looked on the back of our favorite albums and saw all of these artists were on the same label." After a 45-minute audition, they were signed and began recording their debut album for Uptown/MCA.

Suggested Cuts

The title track, a romantic, vocal-oriented throwback to the classic soul ballad, is already making the cross to Top 40.

Comments:

Commented **North**: "This puppy is better than a paper-shredder, right Fawn?"



RERAP

By Mitch Perliss

Last Sunday was the first Sherman Oaks Street Fair, held on Ventura Blvd. just four blocks away from our lovely digs here at HITS. Spotted among the 15,000 sweaty folks wandering through more than 160 booths and carnival rides were former I.R.S. regional Bob Goldstone. Warner Bros.' Elaine Geller and PPI's Cindy Paul, polishing off what may have been the world's largest Louisiana hot link. Also there was WB's regional Mark Goldstein, making sure all was well for the Williams Brothers. who peformed and then signed autographs across the street at Tower Records... Results of my admittedly unscientific survey point to the new Hammer becoming an out-of-the-box smash. How do I know? The student body at my son Josh's elementary school have made him the most popular kid in school because he has an advance cassette (Thanks George!). Instead of playing ball, recess time has become Hammer Time. Retailers — be prepared for kids bringing their parents to your stores next weekend, and don't forget to take advantage of the three ex-Hammer Decisions, decisions. Now that been approved

Wishing 2B Hale



Hale Milgrim: The Real (Angle) Diehl.

received my unsolicited Columbia House Compact Disc Club membership card. I can't decide whether to join them and get 10 CDs for \$6.95 and have to "buy six more at regular club prices" or the BMG Compact Disc Club. where I can buy eight CDs for the price of one and have "nothing more to buy... ever!" And some label and distribution mavens wonder why retailers get pissed off at these clubs and their discounts... How'd you like to work for a boss who sits in his office and periodically yells into his microphone over the house PA. "I know some of you out there aren't working, so everybody get to work!" and other similarly inspirational messages? Employees for one One-Stop do, and they don't like it. or him, at all... Music Plus Dir. of Advtsg. Angie Diehl-Jacobs suggested we start a survey to determine. "If you could be anybody in this business of the opposite sex, who would you be and why?" Angie opts for "Huggable" Hale Milgrim, "because he is really good and has a ton of money."... Wonder who Sony Distribution WC mgr. Jim Chiado would wanna be?... Note to former colleague and Torrance-based Jim D: After five years, we finally gotcha. Look for yourself in these soon... Attention Playboy's Julie Murakami and other Donald Fagen fans: the "New York Rock & Soul Revue" arrives October 29, featuring Fagen. Michael Mc-Donald. Boz Scaggs and Phoebe Snow. This can be a great Xmas seller to the over-25 crowd if you give it strong in-store play and merchandising. Also look for Steely Dan's "Gold — Expanded Edition." complete with previously un-

available tracks.

MINI MUGS



PIECE OF CAKE: Zoo Records recording artist Webb Wilder (1) battles with label President Lou Maglia (r) over the final slice of cake at the listening party for his latest record. "Doo Dad" and its current single, "Tough It Out." Maglia then kicked Wilder in the groin, grabbed the plate and was last seen rolling down the highway, shouting, "I can have my cake and eat it, too, because I am the head of the label Zoo." (With apologies to the late Dr. Seuss).



WOLFING DOWN THE WOLFMAN'S EATS: Point Blank/Charisma Records artist and blues guitar whiz Walter "Wolfman" Washington (c) wonders what the following label jibronies are doing in his dressing room at Tramp's pilfering all his Miller Lites and Ritz bits (1-r): Phil Quartararo, Charisma President; Audrey Strahl, Charisma VP Press & Artist Development: "Wolfman"; Bob Catania, Charisma VP Promotion: and Tom Bobak, Charisma National Promotion. (Photo coursey: Cy Sperling)



HOT DAM: This is NOT a shot of the Senate Judiciary Committee, but VH-1 joining with Concerts for the Environment to halt New York's participation in Hydro-Quebec's Great Whate Project, which would endanger thousands of Cree Indians, devastate an ecosystem the size of France and completely spoil VII-1 Prez Ed Bennett's yearly Canadian fishing trips. Kicking off the week-long "Ban the Dam Jam for James Bay" concerts at the Beacon are (I-r): Cree Grand Chief Matthew Coon. Indigo Girl Amy Ray, Bruce Cockburn, Greenpeace Board member/President Women's Indigenous Network Winona Duke, Jackson Browne, Bennett and Concerts for the Environment Chairman Tom Sellars.

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WRVQ	add		KWIN	15-8 (H)	WZOU	26-20
Y107	add		PWR106	14-9 (H)	KPLZ	26-20
FM100	add		KTFM	15-9		
WAPE	add		K96.7	15-9		
			WCKZ	12-9 (H)		7.4
Q105	deb	24	KXXR	22-10 (H)		
HOT94.7	deb	25	WKSS	19-11	7100	26-21
B96	deb	27			Z100	
		28	KC101	19-11	WXKS	27-21
WKSE	deb	20	HOT97	13-12(H)	KUBE	27-22
KMEL	6-1	(H)	WMXP	19-14 (H)	PWR96	31-22

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29-26

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KKRZ

WEGX

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7-2 (H)

TOP | TOP | REQUESTS | 45 SALES AVERAGE | AGGRESSIVES (1 to 10) MOVE (4 or more) 4.96

Set Adrift On **Memory Bliss**



Turtles-Peachtree Battle Ctr/Atlanta Record Bar-Lenox Sq/Atlanta Tower-Lenox/Atlanta Record Bar-Towne Center/Atlanta Music Drome/Atlanta Wax 'N Facts-Moreland/Atlanta Bill's Records-Spring Valley/Dallas RPM Records-Garland/Dallas VVV Records-Cedar Springs/Dallas

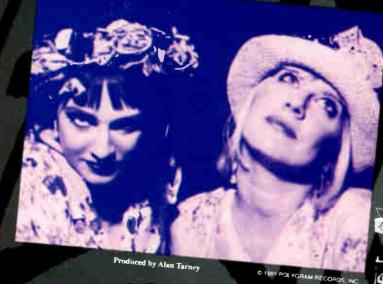
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Voice of the Beehive "MONSTERS & ANGELS"

From the album "HONEY LINGERS"

KISN	ad	d	KWOD	13-10 (H)
KZZU	add		WILN	19-10 (H)
WERZ	add		WJAD	12-10 (H)
KTUX	add		WAPE	26-23
WBNQ	add		KTMT	34-26
WSTO	add		WPST	34-28
WSTW	add		KLYV	39-30 (H)
			KYYY	39-30
WRQN	deb	28	KISR	34-30
KBEQ	deb	33	99KG	39-32
KZZB	deb	34	KFTZ	40-35
KROC	deb	35	WJMX	39-36
WZOK	deb	35	WVBS	40-37
WDJX	deb	35		
WZYP	deb	36	1	
PW/RQ2	deh	30		

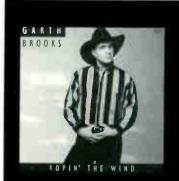


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TOP TENS

Based on sales of albums, tapes and CD'S from the nation's leading record merchandisers



WINNERS

OST #1'S

- **GARTH BROOKS**
- 2. **GUNS N' ROSES II**
- **PUBLIC ENEMY**

MOST TOP 5's

- 1. GUNS N' ROSES II
- 2. PUBLIC ENEMY
- 3. PRINCE

MOST TOP 10

- 1. PRINCE
- 2. PUBLIC ENEMY
- 2. GUNS N' ROSES II



BETH STEWART 402 Retail Stores (Atlanta)

SUPER CLUB MUSIC

- 1. GARTH BROOKS/ROPIN'
- 2. GUNS N' ROSES II
- 3. PRINCE
- **MOTLEY CRUE** 4.
- 5. PUBLIC ENEMY
- 6. GUNS N'ROSES I 7. TRAVIS TRITT
- 8. G.BROOKS/NO FENCES
- 9. MARIAH CAREY
- 10. BOYZ II MEN



DOUG SMITH 115 Retail Stores (Pittsburgh)

STEVE CHALFANT

87 Retail Stores

(Philadelphia)

NAT'L RECORD MART

- 1. GUNS N' ROSES II 2. GUNS N' ROSES I
- 3. MOTLEY CRUE
- 4. PRINCE
- 5. METALLICA
- 6. PUBLIC ENEMY
- **BRYAN ADAMS**
- 8. GARTH BROOKS/ROPIN'
- 9. MARIAH CAREY 10. OZZY OSBOURNE

WallaWall

ROUND & VIDEOR

WALL TO WALL

- 1. PUBLIC ENEMY
 2. GUNS N' ROSES II
 3. MOTLEY CRUE
 4. GUNS N' ROSES I

- PRINCE
- **METALLICA**
- 7. NAUGHTY BY NATURE 8. MARIAH CAREY
- **OZZY OSBOURNE**
- 10. GARTH BROOKS/ROPIN'



(Los Angeles)

WHEREHOUSE

- 1. GARTH BROOKS/ROPIN'
- 2. GUNS N' ROSES II
- PRINCE
- 4. **PUBLIC ENEMY**
- 5. MARIAH CAREY
- 6. METALLICA
- 7. MOTLEY CRUE 8. COLOR ME BADD
- 9. MICHAEL BOLTON
- 10. GUNS N' ROSES I



HOWARD APPELBAUM 34 Retail Stores (Wash D.C.)

KEMP MILL

- **PUBLIC ENEMY**
- 2. PRINCE

- 3. COMMITMENTS (ST)
 4. MARIAH CAREY
 5. GUNS N' ROSES II
 6. RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS
- **PATTI LABELLE**
- 8. GUNS N' ROSES I
- 9. JOHN MELLENCAMP
- 10. TRIBE CALLED QUEST

TOWER RECORDS | VIDEO

STAN GOMAN 61 Retail Stores (Sacramento)

- **TOWER NATIONAL** 1. PRINCE
 - 2. PUBLIC ENEMY
 - 3. MARIAH CAREY 4. GUNS N' ROSES II 5. GUNS N' ROSES I

 - 6. COMMITMENTS (ST) **NATALIE COLE**
 - 8. RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS
 - 9. MOTLEY CRUE
 - 10. BRYAN ADAMS



DEBBO **HOUGHTON** 2800 Accounts (Philadelphia)

UNIVERSAL ONE-STOP

- 1. PUBLIC ENEMY 2. MOTLEY CRUE
- 3. GARTH BROOKS/ROPIN'
- 4. JOHN MELLENCAMP 5. PRINCE
- 6. GUNS N' ROSES II
- MARIAH CAREY 7.
- 8. BRYAN ADAMS
- 9. METALLICA
- 10. GUNS N' ROSES I



(Atlanta)

JUSTIN ENTERTAINMENT

- GARTH BROOKS/ROPIN' GUNS N' ROSES II
- 3. PUBLIC ENEMY
- 4. GETO BOYS
- 5. **SCARFACE**
- 6. 2 LIVE CREW 7.
- METALLICA PRINCE 8.
- 9. NAUGHTY BY NATURE
- 10. JODECI



DAVE CARROLL 3000 Accounts (Connecticut)

CD ONE STOP

- 1. JOHN MELLENCAMP 2. NIRVANA
- 3. BRYAN ADAMS
- 4. ROBBIE ROBERTSON
 5. DIGITAL UNDERGROUND
- **URBAN DANCE SQUAD**
- 7. COMMITMENTS (ST) 8. NAUGHTY BY NATURE
- **ERASURE**
- 10. PUBLIC ENEMY



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MARK MICHEL 21 Retail Stores (Miami)

PEACHES/MIAMI

- 1. PRINCE
- 2 LIVE CREW
- 3. GARTH BROOKS/ROPIN'
- **GUNS N' ROSES II**
- MARIAH CAREY PUBLIC ENEMY
- 6.
- **BONNIE RAITT**
- 8. JAMES TAYLOR 9. GUNS N' ROSES I
- 10. MOTLEY CRUE



DON JENSEN 98 Rack Accounts (Seattle)

ROUND UP

- **GARTH BROOKS/ROPIN'**
- GUNS N' ROSES II BONNIE RAITT
- 4. METALLICA
- GUNS N' ROSES I MOTLEY CRUE
- **BRYAN ADAMS**
- REBA MCENTIRE/FOR MY
- PRINCE
- 10. G.BROOKS/NO FENCES



JAY ROSENBERG 32 Retail Stores (New York)

WIZ

- MARIAH CAREY
- NATALIE COLE
- **PUBLIC ENEMY**
- PRINCE
- TRIBE CALLED QUEST GUNS N' ROSES II
- COMMITMENTS (ST)
- PATTI LABELLE
- **LUTHER VANDROSS**
- 10. MICHAEL BOLTON



LARRY WEBB 16 Retail Stores, 500 One-stop accts (Nashville)

MUSIC CITY RECORD DIST.

- GARTH BROOKS/ROPIN'
- SCARFACE 2 LIVE CREW
- **GEORGE JONES**
- **DOLLY PARTON**
- G.BROOKS/NO FENCES
- **MOTLEY CRUE**
- DIGITAL UNDERGROUND 8.
- JODECI
- 10. PUBLIC ENEMY



MITCHELL ASCH Mid-Size One-Stop (Baltimore)

JEK ENTERTAINMENT

- 1. DIGITAL UNDERGROUND
- 2. NAUGHTY BY NATURE
- QUEEN LATIFAH
- **GERALD LEVERT**
- **DAVID PEASTON** 5
- JODECI
- **PUBLIC ENEMY**
- **GETO BOYS**
- 9. DE LA SOUL
- 10. HEAVY D & THE BOYZ



JIM COLLIER 1500 Accounts (Woodland)

VALLEY RECORD DIST.

- **DIGITAL UNDERGROUND**
- GARTH BROOKS/ROPIN'
- **ERASURE**
- **PUBLIC ENEMY**
- **NIRVANA**
- **2 LIVE CREW** 6.
- SOUNDGARDEN
- PM DAWN
- **URBAN DANCE SQUAD**
- 10. METALLICA



KATHY STAMM 600 Accounts (Milwaukee)

SOUNDS & VIDEO INC

- 1. NAUGHTY BY NATURE
- **NIRVANA**
- 3. PUBLIC ENEMY
- SCARFACE
- **MOTLEY CRUE**
- METALLICA
- **OZZY OSBOURNE**
- **JODECI**
- 9. GUNS N' ROSES II 10. BOYZ II MEN

Wilmi Sales Corp.

MICHAEL SMITH 250 Accounts (Carle

WILMI SALES

- DIGITAL UNDERGROUND JOHN MELLENCAMP
- 2 LIVE CREW
- GUNS N' ROSES II MOTLEY CRUE
- **PUBLIC ENEMY**
- PRINCE
- MARIAH CAREY
- **ERIC CLAPTON**
- 10. VAN MORRISON



MIKE PFAFFL 12 Retail Stores (Milwaukee)

MAINSTREAM RECORDS

- 1. GUNS N' ROSES II
- **PUBLIC ENEMY**
- **METALLICA**
- 2 LIVE CREW
- **NAUGHTY BY NATURE**
- 6.
- GUNS N' ROSES I MOTLEY CRUE
- 8. PRINCE
- 9. JODECI
- 10. TESLA



TOM SCHLAPAK (New York)

MUSIC MERCHANTS

- MOTLEY CRUE GUNS N' ROSES II
- **GUNS N' ROSES I**
- COMMITMENTS (ST) OZZY OSBOURNE
- METALLICA
- **BRYAN ADAMS** 8. RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS
- 9. BONNIE RAITT
- 10. JOHN MELLENCAMP



RICK ANDRADE 6 Retail Stores (Tucson)

ZIPS

- **GUNS N' ROSES II**
- **PUBLIC ENEMY**
- **PRINCE**
- GUNS N' ROSES I RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS
- **COLOR ME BADD**
- CULT
- GARTH BROOKS/ROPIN'
- 9. COMMITMENTS (ST) 10. BRYAN ADAMS



BOB SAY 6 Stores (Los

MOBY DISC

- **NIRVANA**
- **ERASURE**
- 3. RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS
- **PIXIES**
- 5. METALLICA
- **GUNS N' ROSES II**
- MOTLEY CRUE OZZY OSBOURNE
- 9. ROBBIE ROBERTSON 10. SOUNDGARDEN



"GROOVY TRAIN"

the single from SPARTACUS

ON TOUR NOW!

43-39 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES! **DEBUT 37* R&R!**

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Z104	add		KWOD	8-7	KISR
KBOZ	add		WDFX	14-9	WNYP
WBXX	add		KCHX	14-10	WJMX
WHHY	add		WRQK	22-11	WOKI
WMXF	add		OK95	16-13	WILN
WVSR	add		WPXR	18-14	99KG
Y102	add		G105	21-15	Y94
			PWR95	23-16	WNNK
KEGL	deb	31	WSTW	21-16	KDWB
WIKZ	deb	32	WPST	22-16	Y107
KXXR	deb	33	KF95	19-16	WBPR
95XIL	deb	33	KTUX	22-17	WAEB
95XXX	deb	33	WHTO	25-19	HOT102
WAZY	deb	35	KZZU	23-20	KYYY
WRCK	deb	37	K96.7	25-21	WIFC
ZFUN	deb	39	KFMW	26-21	WWFX
WSTO	deb	40	WBBO	26-21	KMCK
WDJX	deb	40			



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WNVZ	33-29
KFQX	32-29
KYRK	32-29
WRHT	40-30
PWR92	35-30
KNIN	35-32
KFBQ	39-36
KCAQ	39-36
WKRZ	39-36



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KKRZ
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KWOD
KTFM
KS104
HOT94.9





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"Chorus (Fishes In The Sea)"

BREAKOUTS WINNER! DEBUT 23 HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS!

KUBE	add	PWR99	16-13	BREAKING AT:
KPLZ	add	896	19-15	WHYT
H0T94.9	add	CK105	32-26	KEGL
WRHT	add			WMXP
ZEHM	-metal			

OVER 100,000 12" SOLD! HOT SALES AT:

- #1 J&R/N.Y.
- #1 Tower/Atlanta
- #1 Michigan Wherehouse/Detroit
- #1 Tower/Austin
- #1 Tower/Tempe
- #1 Tower/Northridge
- #1 Tower/Long Island
- #3 Valley Record Dist/L.A.
- #3 Sound Warehouse/Dallas
- #3 Galaxy One Stop/Pitts
- #4 Tower/Newbury
- #6 Harmony House/Detroit
- #9 CD One Stop/Conn
- #11 Hastings/Dallas
- #11 RTI One Stop/Omaha
- #12 Tower-Sunset/L.A.
- #18 Wherehouse/L.A.

From the athum Chorus Produced by Martyn Phillips. U.S. Propresentation - Second Vascet 10 1901 Sins Records Containly



Breakouts

Hot new or resurging albums as reported by the nation's leading record merchandisers

More hew hot albums in the street doing immediate business, topped this week by Sire/Reprise's Erasure and Tommy Boy's Digital Underground. Both are charting high in the Top 50 this week. DGC's Nirvana continues to be the hot left-fielder, with PLG's PM Dawn close behind. Lots of talk around the Crosby, Stills & Nash box set, while Urban Dance Squad is off to a good start.

WINNERS

- **ERASURE**
- D. UNDERGROUND
- **NIRVANA**
- C,S & N (Box)
- **2 LIVE CREW**
- (Sire/Rep 2668)
- (Tommy Boy 1045) (DGC 24425)
- (Atlantic 82319)
- (Luke/Atl 91720)
- 56%
- 46%
- 32% 30%
- 27%

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- **U. DANCE SQUAD** J. MELLENCAMP
- **PM DAWN**
- 9 **GERALD LEVERT**
- 10 **WARREN ZEVON**
- 26% (Arista 18672)
- 25% (Merc 314 510 151)
- 23% (IsI/G St 314 510 276)
- (Atco-EW 91777) 22%
- (Giant 24431) 20%

APPLE TREE / MIKE SCHNEIDER / ILLINOIS

- 2 Live Crew
- Erasure
- Nirvana Savatage

Naughty By Nature

ARROW DISTRIBUTORS / TONY

BRENNER / SOLON. OHIO

- Prince John Mellencamp
- Motley Crue
- P Of The Mississippi
- Reba McEntire

ASSOCIATED ONE-STOP / AN-

GELA SINGER / PHOENIX

- PM Dawn
- Patti LaBelle
- Scarface
- Karyn White

BELIEVE IN MUSIC / PAULA

TANIS / GRAND RAPIDS

- Gerald Levent
- Erasure
- Belinda Carlisle
- Urban Dance Squad

CD ONE-STOP / DAVE CARROLL / CONN

- Digital Underground
- Frasure
- Belinda Carlisle
- Warren Zevon
- Voivod

CML ONE-STOP / SCOTT FREEMAN / ST. LOUIS

- C.S&N (Box)
- Frasure
- Savatage
- Digital Underground
- Belinda Carlisle
- Scarface

DOWN IN THE VALLEY /

KATHY SHEDD / MPLS

- C.S&N (Box)
- Buddy Guy
- V Of The Beehive
- John Mellencamp

FACE THE MUSIC / KEN

MACIVER / ROCHESTER, MN

- John Mellencamp
- Soundgarden
- Urban Dance Squad
- Voivod
- 2 Live Crew

GALAXY ONE-STOP / KEVIN

JAKIELA/PITTSBURGH

- Digital Underground
- Gerald Leven
- Erasure
- Urban Dance Squad C.S&N (Box)
- Voivad
- Warren Zevon

HARMONY HOUSE / SANDY

BEAN / DETROIT

- Erasure
- George Winston
- John Mellencamp
- 2 Live Crew Eric Clapton
- Nirvana
- PM Dawn

HMV / DAVID LEVINE / NYC

- Another Bad Creation
- C.S&N (Box)
- Johnny Mathis
- Nanci Griffith Texas

JEK ENTERPRISE / MITCHEL

ASCH / BALTIMORE

- Eric Clapton
- 2 Live Crew
- John Mellencamp
- MC 900 Ft Jesus

Barry White

JUSTIN / JOE BRYANT / AT-

LANTA

- C,S&N (Box)
- A Rhythm & Blues X-mas
- George Levent
- George Jones
- Digital Underground
- David Peaston

MAINSTREAM / MIKE PFAFFL /

- MILWAU KEE
 - 2 Live Crew
 - John Mellencamp
 - Fourplay
 - Robbie Robertson MC 900 Ft Jesus
 - Robyn Hitchcock
 - Billy Bragg

MOBY DISC / BOB SAY / LOS

ANGELES

- Erasure
- C.S&N (Box)
- Digital Underground
- George Jones

MUSIC CITY RECORD DIST / LARRY WEBB / NASHVILLE

- Scarface
- Digital Underground
- Erasure
- Gerald Levent
- Urban Dance Squad PM Dawn
- George Jones

MUSIC PEOPLE / GREGG

- SHAVER / OAKLAND
 - Digital Underground
 - Erasure
 - Reba McEntire
 - Gerald Levent
 - Savatage
 - Soundgarden

NATIONAL RECORD MART /

- DOUG SMITH / PITTSBURGH
 - Digital Underground

 - Jodeci PM Dawn
 - C.S&N (Box)
 - Savatage

Gerald Levert NORTHEAST ONE-STOP / MIKE

- FITZGERALD / ALBANY
 - Digital Underground
 - Erasure
 - Warren Zevon Urban Dance Squad
 - Savatage C,S&N (Box)

Nirvana

NORTHERN LIGHTS / KIRK

- MILLER / ST PAUL
 - Digital Underground
 - Primal Scream Nirvana
 - Pixies
 - Soundgarden 2 Live Crew
 - A Tribe Called Ouest



BREAKOUTS

Hot new or resurging albums as reported by the nation's leading record merchandisers

NOVA / JOHN UNDERWOOD / ATLANTA

2 Live Crew

Digital Underground

Prince

Marvin Sease

Barry White

John Mellencamp

Soundgarden

PACIFIC COAST ONE-STOP /

RICH LOCKWOOD / CHATSWORTH

Erasure

Dramarama

Savatage

C.S&N (Box)

Belinda Carlisle

Urban Dance Squad

Warren Zevon

PRO ONE-STOP / PAUL

JOHNSON / TEMPE

Public Enemy

Nirvana

Bryan Adams

Pixies

Dramarama

2 Live Crew

Q RECORDS & VIDEO /

GERALD BAIN / MIAMI

Erasure

Warren Zevon

Earl Klugh

Urban Dance Squad

RECORD & TAPE OUTLET / LYNN BATCHECK / COLUMBUS

Gerald Levert

Erasure

Nirvana

George Jones

Belinda Carlisle

RECORD & TAPE TRADER / ROSS HEWSON / BALTIMORE

Pixies

Soundgarden

Eric Clapton

Urban Dance Squad

Erasure

RECORD EXCHANGE / JOHN

SHAHINIAN / CLEVELAND

Shabba Ranks

A Tribe Called Quest

Nirvana

Digital Underground

Jodeci

SEA-PORT ONE-STOP / VICKI OLIVEIRA / PORTLAND

Digital Underground

Erasure

Urban Dance Squad

Savatage

Gerald Leven

Voivod

SOUND SHOP / JANICE SHEL-

LEY / MEMPHIS

Garth Brooks

Public Enemy

Bryan Adams

Motley Crue

SOUND WAREHOUSE / TRACY DONIHOO / DALLAS

Erasure

Nirvana

Digital Underground

Gerald Leven

PM Dawn

SOUNDS & VIDEO / KATHY

STAMM / MILWAUKEE

Digital Underground

Erasure

Scarface

PM Dawn

STRAWBERRIES / JEFF COHEN /

Digital Underground

Erasure

Urban Dance Squad

Savatage

Warren Zevon

Gerald Levent

SUPER CLUB MUSIC / BETH

STEWART / ATLANTA

John Mellencamp

Eric Clapton

2 Live Crew Van Morrison

Soundgarden

George Winston

TOWER / MARTHA STUBER /

LAS VEGAS

Erasure Urban Dance Squad

Belinda Carlisle

C.S&N (Box)

Patti LaBelle

Earl Klugh

PM Dawn

TOWER / LOUIS HIGGENS /

NASHVILLE

George Winston Nirvana

C.S&N (Box)

George Jones

Reba McEntire

TOWER / MARIE STROHLEIN /

SAN DEIGO

Harry Connick Jr

Pixies

Soft Cell

Basia

PM Dawn Soundgarden

TOWER / JEFF SKOIEN /

STOCKTON

Erasure PM Dawn

Digital Underground

Nirvana

2 Live Crew

TOWER RECORDS / JULIE

BARELA/PHOENIX

Karyn White

Erasure John Mellencamp

Nirvana

John Lee Hooker

2 Live Crew

TOWER SUNSET / SKIP CLARY /

LOS ANGELES

Robbie Robertson

Nirvana

John Mellencamp

Soundgarden Kenny Kirkland

Dave Alvin

TRACKS / DONNA AGRESTO /

NORFOLK

A Tribe Called Quest

Soundgarden

Jodeci

Geto Boys

Patti LaBelle

TRANSCONTINENT RECORD THEATER / JIM PRIMERANO /

BUFFALO

Scarface

Digital Underground

Gerald Levent John Mellencamp

Power Rule Eric Clapton

TRANSWORLD / DAVE ROY /

ALBANY

2 Live Crew

Scarface

Jodeci Nirvana

PM Dawn M About The Mouse

Nice & Smooth

UNIQUE RECORD DIS-

TRIBUTORS / IRV CHAFFERDET

/ NEW HYDE PARK

C.S&N (Box)

Erasure

Warren Zevon 2 Rooms

UNIVERSAL ONE-STOP/

DEBBO HOUGHTON /

PHILADELPHIA

C,S&N (Box)

Warren Zevon Robbie Nevil Simply Red

VINYL VENDORS / VALERIE EL-

LIOTT / KALAMAZOO

Digital Underground

Erasure Urban Dance Squad

Levent

Belinda Carlisle Voivod Warren Zevon

WALL TO WALL / MICHELLE

TRAYNHAN / PHILADELPHIA Erasure

C.S&N (Box) Digital Underground

Eric Clapton PM Dawn

WESTERN MERCHANDISERS / JOHN ROSE / AMARILLO

Nirvana

Scarface Kid N'Play

Digital Underground Erasure

George Winston

WHEREHOUSE / BOB BELL / LA Erasure

Gerald Levert Belinda Carlisle

C.S&N (Box) Dramarama

Digital Underground

WIN RECORDS INC / ANDREW KLEIN / ELMHURST

Nirvana

Jodeci

A Tribe Called Quest Geto Boys Public Enemy

ZIPS / RICK ANDRADE / TUCSON

John Mellencamp

2 Live Crew

Warren Zevon

Digital Underground

Simply Red





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HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS

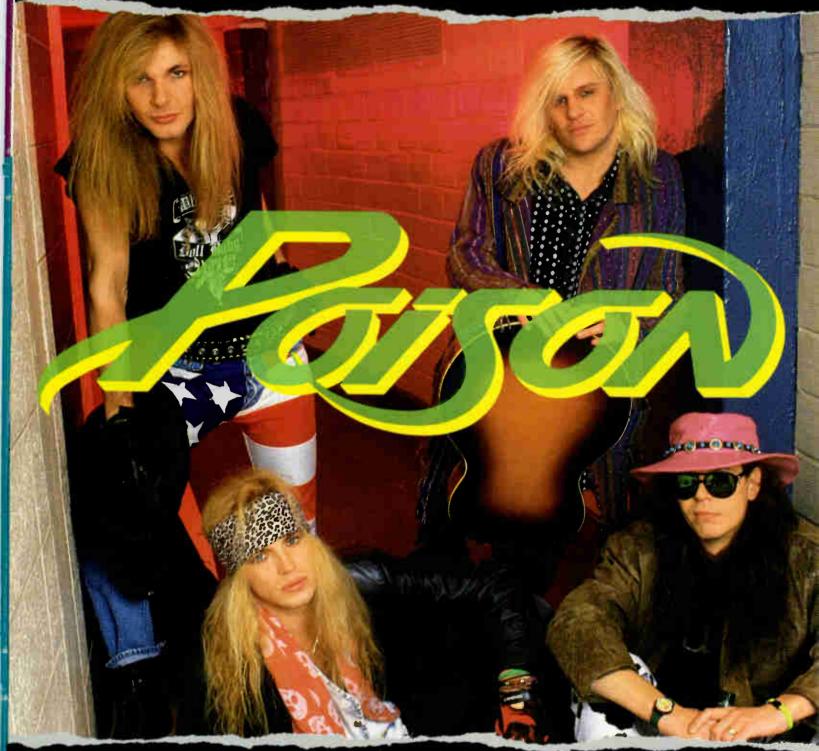
Chalk one more week up for **Guns N' Roses II**, as they hold the #1 position once again. There's not much movement in the Top Ten this week, except for **Mariah Carey** moving to #5 from #7. **Michael Bolton** jumps up four points to #15 and crossing

from PoMo is **Nirvana**, who leap from #30 to #23. Hot video out supporting the new **Digital Underground**, which debuts at #30, a solo project from **Scarface** comes in at #39, and all new material from **George Winston** brings him on at #43.

S	s W	Top Ten this week, except for Mariah Carey moving to #5 from #30, a solo project from Scarface comes in at #39, and all new #7. Michael Bolton jumps up four points to #15 and crossing material from George Winston brings him on at #43.									
G E	E K	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	COMMENTS						
1 1	1	GUNS N' ROSES	USE YOUR ILL, II	Geffen 24420	New video on MTV						
5 2	2	GARTH BROOKS	ROPIN' THE WIND	Capitol 96330	Heating up						
3 3	3	PUBLIC ENEMY	APOCALYPSE '91	Def Jam/Col 47374	Solid						
4 4	4	PRINCE	DIAMONDS AND PEARLS	P. Park/W Bros 25379	Over a million						
6 7	5	MARIAH CAREY	EMOTIONS	Columbia 47980	#1 single, hot video						
7 6	6	MOTLEY CRUE	DECADE OF DECADENCE	Elektra 61204	Contains 4 new tracks						
2 5	7	GUNS N' ROSES	USE YOUR ILL, I	Geffen 24415	Contains Top 20 single						
9 8	8	METALLICA	METALLICA	Elektra 61113	Contains Top 20 single						
8 9	9	BRYAN ADAMS	WAKING UP THE	A&M 5367	Second 45 Top 5						
10 10	10	NATALIE COLE	UNFORGETTABLE	Elektra 61049	Holding solid Top 10						
11 11	11	BONNIE RAITT	LUCK OF THE DRAW	Capitol 96111	Closing in on 2 million						
14	12	JOHN MELLENCAMP	WHENEVER WE WANTED	Mercury 314510	Almost a million						
12 12	13	THE COMMITMENTS	SOUNDTRACK	MCA 10286	Over 700,000						
15 17	14	NAUGHTY BY NATURE	NAUGHTY BY NATURE	Tommy Boy 1044	Top 10 single leads						
22 19	15	MICHAEL BOLTON	TIME, LOVE AND	Columbia 46771	New single exploding						
13 13	16	RED HOT CHILI	BLOOD, SUGAR, SEX	W.B. 26681	Buzz Bin						
14 15	17	OZZY OSBOURNE	NO MORE TEARS	Epic 46795	Rock sales						
17 18	18	BOYZ II MEN	COOLEYHIGHHARMONY	Motown 6320	New add on MTV						
16 16	19	DIRE STRAITS	ON EVERY STREET	Warner Bros 26680	Steady sales						
20 22	20	HARRY CONNICK JR.	BLUE LIGHT, RED	Columbia 4868 5	Big adult sales						
23 20	21	GARTH BROOKS	NO FENCES	Capitol 93866	Solid						
18 21	22	COLOR ME BADD	C.M.B.	Giant 24429	New single breaking						
40 30	23	NIRVANA	NEVER MIND	DGC 24425	PoMo smash crossing						
25	24	2 LIVE CREW	SPORTS WEEKEND	Luke/Atl 91720	Nasty rap						
21 24	25	R.E.M.	OUT OF TIME	Warner Bros 26496	New single starting						

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NEXT UP

G BROOKS (1ST) (Capitol)
P LABELLE (MCA)

SIMPLY RED (Atco/EW) B.A.D. II (Columbia) G LEVERT (Atco/EW) BARRY WHITE (A&M)

ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	COMMENTS
			Calid sounts calca
REBA MCENTIRE	FOR MY BROKEN HEART	MCA 40400	Solid country sales
JODECI	FOREVER MY LADY	Uptown/MCA 10198	Huge smash
ERIC CLAPTON	24 NIGHTS	Reprise 26420	Live Package
GETO BOYS	WE CAN'T BE STOPPED	Rap Priority 57161	RAP album
DIGITAL UNDERGROUND	SONS OF THE P	Tommy Boy 1045	Smash video happening
BOB SEGER	THE FIRE INSIDE	Capitol 91134	New single shipping
ERASURE	CHORUS	Sire Reprise 26668	Hot first week
TRIBE CALLED QUEST	LOW END THEORY	Jive 1418	Off slightly this week
JAMES TAYLOR	NEW MOON SHINE	Columbia 46038	Action from Pop adult
BELL BIV DEVOE	WBDD-BOOT CITY	MCA 10345	Re-Mix Lp
EXTREME	PORNOGRAFFITTI II	A&M 5313	Top 5 single leads
VAN HALEN	FOR UNLAWFUL	Warner Bros 26594	New 45 developing
TOM PETTY	INTO THE GREAT	MCA 10317	On tour
SCARFACE	MR. SCARFACE	Priority 57167	A Geto Boy
AMY GRANT	HEART IN MOTION	A&M 5321	Contains multiple smashes
LUTHER VANDROSS	POWER OF LOVE	Epic 46789	Top 15 single leads
MARKY MARK	MUSIC FOR THE PEOPLE	Interscope 91737	New single a smash
GEORGE WINSTON	SUMMER	Windham Hill 11107	New material
THE CULT	CEREMONY	Sire/Reprise 26673	Album rock and MTV
C & C MUSIC FACTORY	GONNA MAKE YOU	Columbia 47093	New single shipping
SHABBA RANKS	AS RAW AS EVER	Epic 47310	Single crossing Top 40
ROBBIE ROBERTSON	STORYVILLE	Geffen 24303	On MTV
SOUNDGARDEN	BAD MOTORFINGER	A&M 5374	Hot rock
PM DAWN	OF THE HEART	GS/IsI/PLG 341-511 276	Smash
PIXIES	TROMPE LE MONDE	Elektra 61118	Huge Post Modern

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KF95	add		WSTO	deb	38	K96.7	31-28
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KFRX	add		KMCK	deb	39	KISR	32-28
KQHT	add		WQGN	deb	39	WHTO	32-29
KTRS	add		KYRK	deb	39	KPXR	35-31
WENE	add		WCGQ	deb	40	KWNZ	35-32
WLAN	add		KGOT	deb	40	WNOK	35-32
WOMP	add					WSTW	38-34
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KNIN	deb	34	95XIL	30-25	5	KRXY	
KROC	deb	34	WRHT	28-25	5	HOT94.9)
KTMT	deb	34	KISN	29-26	6	KJ103	
WBPR	deb	35	WNYP	31-26	5	WAPE	
WJMX	deb	35	KCHX	31-27	7	WBBQ	

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"Do You Feel Like I Feel"

TOM PETTY THE HEARTBREAKERS

WBIZ

G105

30-27

32-27

Y97

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KKHT	15-7		KG95	30-27	MIX96	
WRQK	13-8		WFLY	30-27	STR94	
WRVQ	15-11		WTIC	31-28	WNVZ	
Y107	20-15		WQGN	33-28	KISN	
WERZ	24-17		KJ103	32-29	KHTK	
WFHT	30-19		KZZU	33-30	WAPE	
KISR	24-20		99KG	40-31	WBBQ	
WLAN	23-20		KYYY	38-31		
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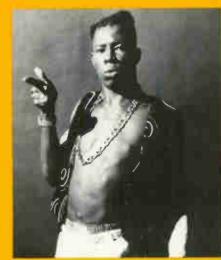


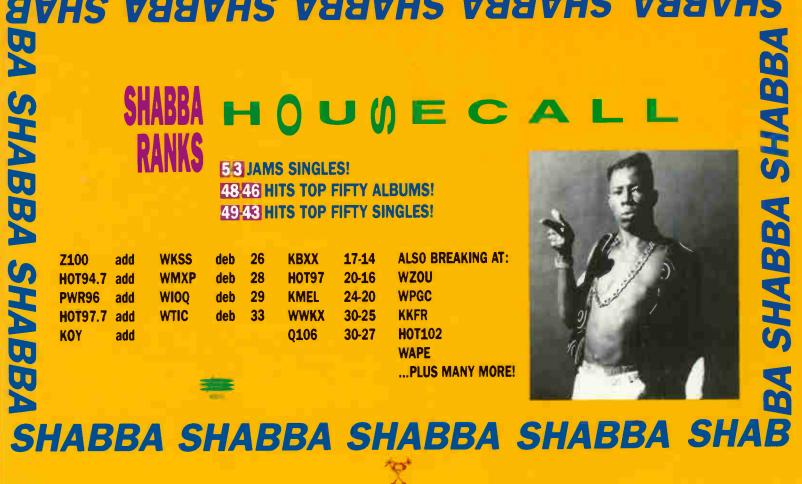
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by Lenny Beer & Mike Murphy

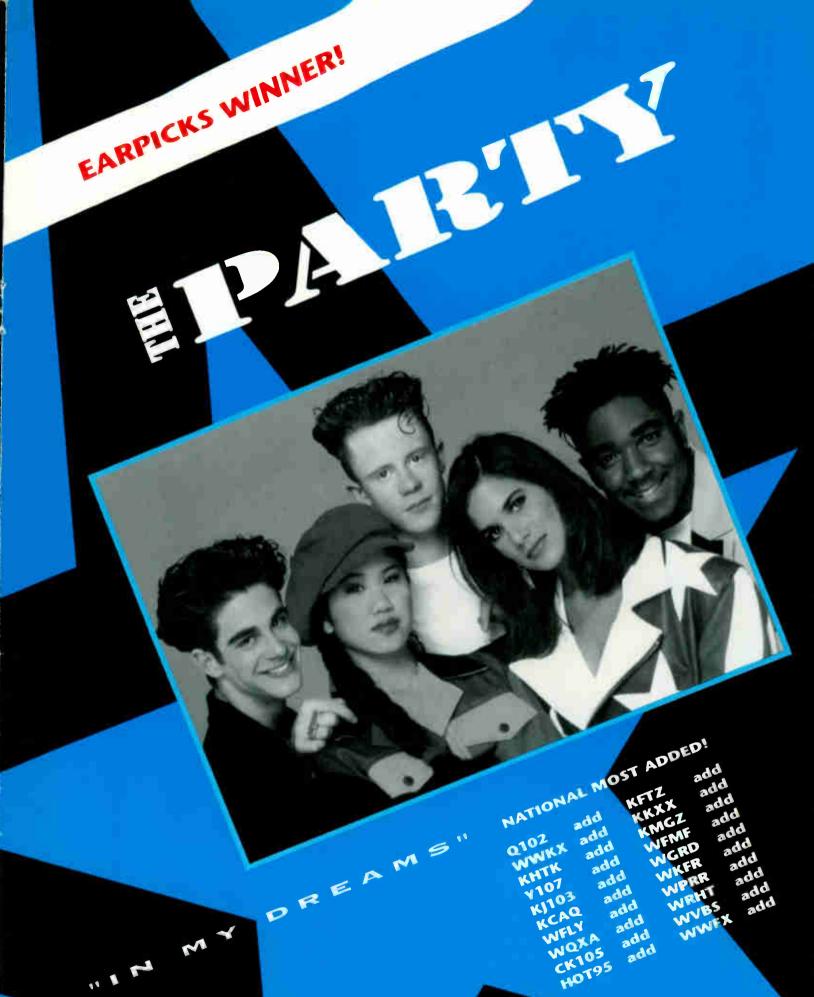
Top comedy of the week came in the form of a press release/ FAX from (or supposedly from) PWR95 Dallas telling us that they are changing format to EZ Country! All we can say is BAAAH! Our sources tell us that the new format will be Oldies, beginning in the next two weeks, with Phil Hall consulting. PD Frank Miniaci, MD Mike Easterlin and morning man Jack Murphy have been relieved of their duties. Easterlin is looking to stay in Big D. possibly as a record rep..... New PD at KISN Salt Lake City is John Dimick from crosstown KBER Kevin Gossett signs on as PD at WGRD Grand Rapids..... Chuck Tisa is the new MD at Philly's WEGX, replacing Jay Beau Jones. Speaking of the Philly power-

house, controversial Danny Bonaduce has joined John Lander in the morning. Office pools have begun regarding the length of Bonaduce's stay..... Brian White segues from his interim position at B93 Austin to the PD chair at WMXB (AC) in Richmond..... Randy Kabrich has exited Z100 Secaucus (sorry Steve, we mean New York) for the sunny climate of Florida. Will he return?..... Alliance Broadcasting has submitted a letter of intent to purchase WDFX Detroit. Alliance has also recently filed to buy KRSR in Dallas from Westinghouse..... New on the air: PWR92 JAMZ (WSKX) cover-Savannah, Hinesville, Brunswick with Stanton Jay as PD. Station is urban leaning Top 40 and needs service.....

New record folk: Zoo adds three new locals to their already impressive promo staff. Laura Shostak for Chicago, Lisa Van Welf for Atlanta and Jim Parsons based in SF..... PWR99 Atlanta deejays Domino and Crash Clark have been suspended after a little World Series stunt that resulted in vandalism..... Second best FAX of the week came from WVSR Charleston claiming they have "possible future openings" (who doesn't?) and "could be" looking for air talent (right, and we could be looking to catch crabs)..... Congrats to WPHR Cleveland PD Cat Thomas and wife Jennifer on the birth of daughter Audrey Lee, 10/9..... Tommy Chaltas exits his RCA Dallas promo post..... Blowin' In The Wind: Barry Foxx, Jeff

Wyatt, entire staff of WAVA Washington, Garry Wall and Jeff Pollack..... And here's a photo of the much requested. but until now elusive, Jackalope. We hope you enjoy this fine, fine photo.





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