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SINGLES

TLC's still the one, holding off the charge from Madonna and the explosive Boyz II Men.

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Columbia Sr. Promotion VP Burt Baumgartner heads a crack team that specializes in breaking records from both new and established artists, as he explains to HITS' Roy "Taken With" Trakin, who is merely

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Clive's Alive



Arista General Clive Davis has almost as much heavy artillery as the U.S. Olympic Basketball squad. His "Dream Team" boasts three albums in the Top 20, topped by the #2 "Boomerang" soundtrack. Throw in Annie Lennox and TLC. who have the #1 single for the third week in a row, and you've got more gold than there is in Barcelona, His deal with sizzling LaFace Records proves the maestro hasn't lost his touch. while former medal winners Kenny G., Whitney Houston and Taylor Dayne wait on-deck, Let's just hope he doesn't get tested for steroids after this HITS Contents mention.

On The Cover

Controversy sells, folks, Ice-T's "Cop Killer" may be off the market, but that doesn't mean he can dodge this HITS cover nod.

is committed to the Soup





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"Very hip! Soup Dragons not only fit in great with the trademark sound of KHFI, but they can work for anybody." Tracy Austin - APD - KHFI

Dragons!

SOUP DRAGONS

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#16 Tower/Las Vegas

#20 Impact/Phoenix

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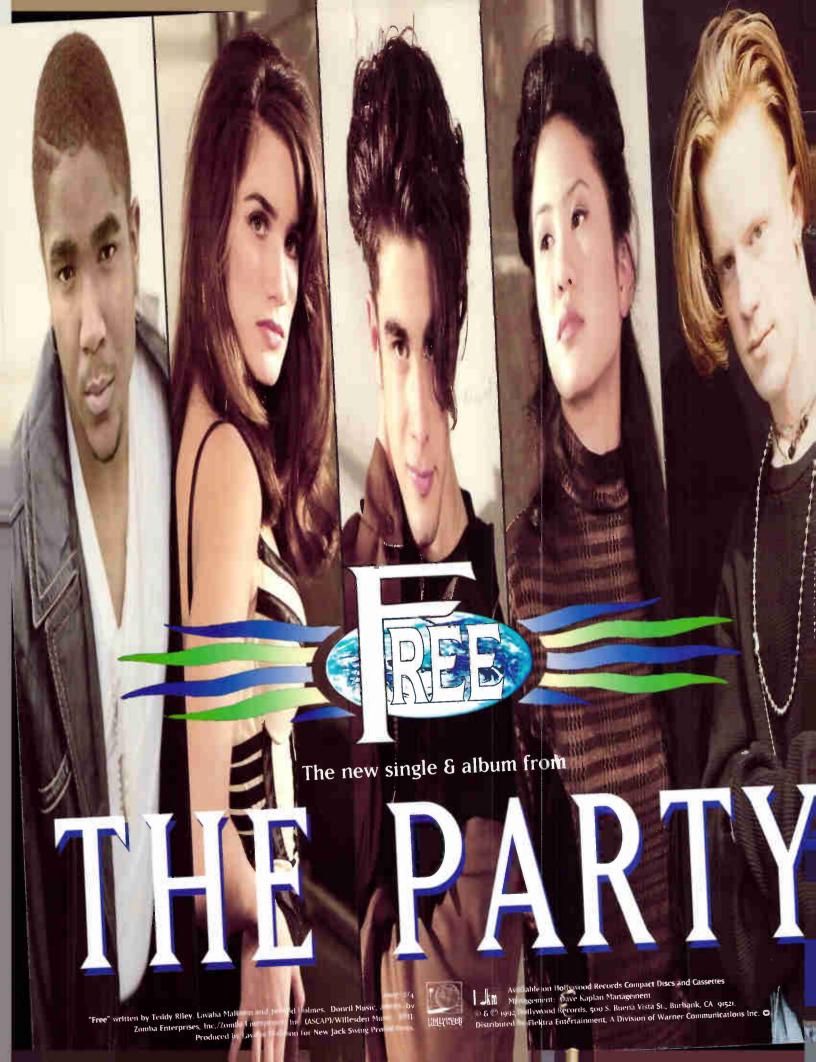
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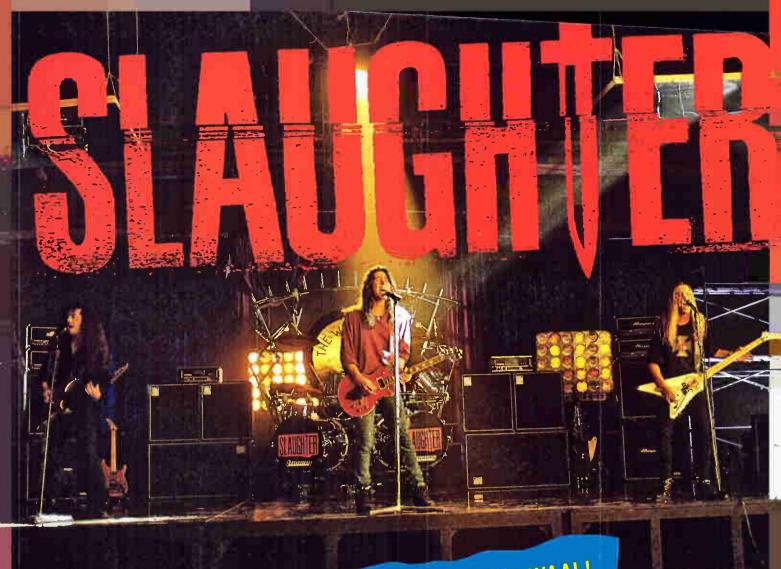
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HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES

BABY! TLC holds the number one spot again holding off sales and airplay monsters Madonna and Boyz II Men. Shakespear's Sister is breaking big at Top 40 with single sales following suit while the highest debut of the week is

Bobby Brown, the Most Added at Top 40 & JAMS. The new single from **Bryan Adams** debuts at #40 with **Hi-Five** right behind at #44 with multi format play. **Babyface** comes on this week at #50 fueled by big soundtrack sales.

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A E E G E E	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	COMMENTS		
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1 1 1	TLC	BABY-BABY-BABY	La Face/Ari 24028	Won't go away		
8 3 2	MADONNA	THIS USED TO BE	Sire/WB 18822	Hot at Top 40 and selling		
39 11 3	BOYZ II MEN	END OF THE ROAD	Motown 2178	Smash - from "Boomerang"		
12 5 4	EN VOGUE	GIVING HIM SOMETHING	Atco/EW 98560	Huge seller & hot video		
2 2 5	SIR MIX-A-LOT	BABY GOT BACK	Def Amer/Rep 18947	Continues selling		
7 7 6	TOM COCHRANE	LIFE IS A HIGHWAY	Capitol 44815	Smash		
9 9 7	GUNS N' ROSES	NOVEMBER RAIN	Geffen 19067	Lp Top 15 again		
4 4 8	BILLY RAY CYRUS	ACHY BREAKY HEART	Mercury 866522	Peaking		
6 6 9	KRIS KROSS	WARM IT UP	Ruffhouse/Col 74376	Peaking		
15 12 10	THE CURE	FRIDAY, I'M IN LOVE	Fict/Elektra 64742	Building each week		
5 8 11	JON SECADA	JUST ANOTHER DAY	SBK/ERG 7383	Peaked		
14 13 12	CECE PENISTON	KEEP ON WALKIN'	A&M 1598	Solid seller		
17 14 13	TECHNOTRONIC	MOVE THIS	SBK/ERG 50400	TV and radio		
10 10 14	GEORGE MICHAEL	TOO FUNKY	Columbia 74353	From hot compilation Lp		
16 16 15	JODECI	COME & TALK	Uptown/MCA 54175	Solid sell e r		
11 15 16	COVER GIRLS	WISHING ON A STAR	Epic 74343	Peaking now		
27 22 17	ELTON JOHN	THE ONE	MCA 54423	From #12 Lp		
3 17 18	MARIAH CAREY	I'LL BE THERE	Columbia 74330	Peaked		
13 18 19	CELINE DION	IF YOU ASKED ME TO	Epic 74277	F al ling		
24 21 20	RICHARD MARX	TAKE THIS HEART	Capitol 44782	Radio		
28 23 21	MICHAEL JACKSON	JAM	Epic 74333	Hot video, Top 40 radio		
36 28 22	SHAKESPEAR'S SISTER	STAY	London/PLG 869-730	Smash		
19 19 23	VANESSA WILLIAMS	JUST FOR TONIGHT	Wing/Mercury 865-888	Peaked		
20 20 24	DAS EFX	THEY WANT EFX	Atco/EW 98600	Falling now		
29 27 25	TOAD THE WET	ALL I WANT	Columbia 74355	Performing at Top 40		

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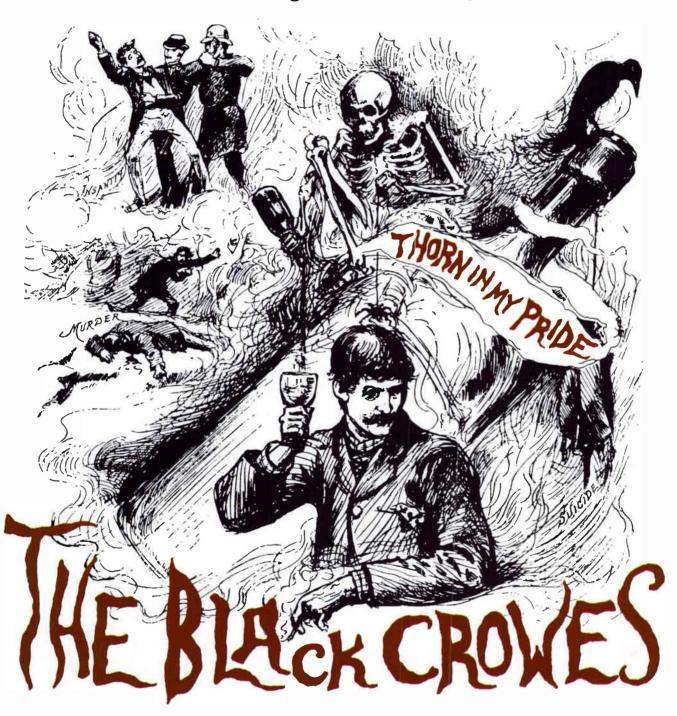
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HITS TOP FIFTY

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PATTY SMYTH (MCA) **CELINE DION** (Epic) kd lang (Sire/WB)

SOUP DRAGONS (BL/Mer) W PHILLIPS (SBK/ERG) RHCP (WB)

DJ QUIK (Profile) HOUSE OF PAIN (Tommy Boy) EPMD (R.A.L./Chaos)

ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	COMMENTS
A. DEVELOPMENT	TENNESSEE	Chrysalis/ERG 23829	Falling now
RED HOT CHILIS	UNDER THE BRIDGE	WB 18978	Peaked
B-52'S	GOOD STUFF	Reprise 18893	Peaked
KRIS KROSS	JUMP	Ruffhouse/Col 74197	Still selling
ROZALLA	EVERYBODY'S FREE	Epic 74388	Sales
VANDROSS & JACKSON	THE BEST THINGS	Pers/A&M 0010	Peaked
COLOR ME BADD	SLOW MOTION	Giant 18908	Peaked
K.W.S.	PLEASE DON'T GO	NP/Lon/PLG 339	Early sales
MARY J. BLIGE	YOU REMIND ME	Uptown/MCA 54327	Sales
BOBBY BROWN	HUMPIN' AROUND	MCA 2135	From upcoming Lp
DEF LEPPARD	MAKE LOVE LIKE A	Mercury 864 038	Falling now
JADE	I WANNA LOVE	Giant 4-18950	From "Class Act"
U2	EVEN BETTER THAN	IsI/PLG 866-977	Developing Top 40
SHABBA RANKS	MR LOVERMAN	Epic 34T-74257	Sales
BRYAN ADAMS	DO I HAVE TO SAY	A&M 7384	Going on the radio
PETE ROCK	THEY REMINISCE	Elektra 64773	Rap
RALPH TRESVANT	MONEY CAN'T BUY	Pers/A&M 0011	From "Mo' Money"
A.L.T.	TEQUILA	Atco/EW 96161	Hot club record
HI-FIVE	SHE'S PLAYING HARD	Jive 42066	Breaking in two formats
R. KELLY	HONEY LOVE	Jive 42031	Peaked
GENESIS	JESUS, HE KNOWS ME	Atlantic 87454	From Top 30 Lp
JOE PUBLIC	I MISS YOU	Columbia 74321	Follow up to smash
ANNIE LENNOX	WHY	Arista 12419	On the way out
2 UNLIMITED	TWILIGHT ZONE	Critique 15486	Falling
BABYFACE	GIVE U MY HEART	LaFace/Arista 4026	From "Boomerang"

(Based on a combination of sales and airplay)

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WHEN POWER MEETS PASSION, THE RESULTS CAN BE EXPLOSIVE.

"SO SAVAGE THE HEART"

the first single and video from their new album Nothing Sacred



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Both "Boomerang" And "Mo' Money" Hit The Top Ten

FLICKS CLICK!!!

Man In The Mirror

Michael Jackson, currently in the midst of a European tour, is bringing a libel suit against the London Daily Mirror for a series of articles which labeled the superstar "Scarface," stating his skin is actually a mask covering a hideously disfigured face.

The paper went on to state that Jackson is a scarred phantom whose face is covered with scar tissue, that he has a hole in his nose, one cheek higher than the other and an oddly sagging chin, all claims that are denied by the entertainer. In a separate action, Jackson's company has sued a Mirror photographer for breach of contract for publishing pictures taken during Michael's performance in London.

According to a Michael spokesman, the performer is hurt by what he calls the paper's false accusations, while his lawyer, **Bertram Fields**, adds, "I've been with Michael dozens of times in the past year, close up in brightly lit rooms without makeup. I can tell you flatly he is not scarred, there is no hole in his nose and he is not disfigured in any way."

Being an attorney, few believed Fields, but everyone agrees the story is false.

Platinum Brown



Bobby Brown: Single soars.... Just wait 'til the album hits.

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Are you suffering from "Lack Of Projects In The Top Ten-itis"? No problem, take two incredibly hot producerduos, give them each their own label, allow them to create soundtracks to two popular summer films and call us in the morning.

This week, LA Reid & Babyface's "Boomerang" on LaFace/Arista and Jimmy Jam & Terry Lewis' "Mo' Money" on Perspective/A&M score at #2 and 9 respectively on the HITS Top 50 Album chart.

Jam & Lewis' "Mo' Money" has already spawned one Top 5 single with Luther Vandross and Janet Jackson's "The Best Things In Life Are Free," while the second single, Ralph Tresvant's "Money Can't Buy You Love" continues to power at Top 40. Oh yeah, in its first week, the Damon Wayans-starrer went #1 at the box office.

Meanwhile, with Eddie Murphy and co. breaking the \$50 million mark at the box office, "Boomerang" continues to hold court in the #2 spot of the Album chart. With TWO singles drowning in alphabet soup at Top 40—Babyface & Toni Braxton's "Give U My Heart" and Boyz II Men's "End Of The Road"—this project looks like it will have a lengthy tenure in the Top Ten.





Zipper Dee Doo Daa

Over the past six years we've received a lot of sick photos that suggest that our readership, as miniscule as it is, has as much class and dignity as a local NRA meeting. In perhaps our sickest photo to date, Columbia PoMo Promo geek Todd Bisson displays the remnants of his knee surgery, which he conveniently used to publicize some of the records he's working. With any luck, Todd's next set of stiches will be the result of a lobotomy.

QuickHits

MTV adds Bobby Brown (MCA), INXS (Atlantic), Wilson Phillips (SBK/ERG), CeCe Peniston (A&M),Body Count (Sire/WB), Paul Spin Westerberg (Epic), Doctors (Epic), Sonic Youth (DGC), Suicidal Tendencies (Epic) and Thrill Kill Kult (Interscope). There are no rotation changes, and the Westerberg video will split a Singles soundtrack **Buzz** position with Alice In Chains.

WILDCARD

ATLANTIC

Similar to the U2 campaign where a set-up image cut was used for MTV and Album Radio and then a switch was made to the smash single, INXS now returns to Top 40-land with one of their catchiest and most interesting efforts to date. Many PDs are already comparing this one to "Under The Bridge," and we're predicting it to do as well. Ms. Ganis and co. will be scoring big, GET IN NOW!

Abbey's A Maverick Man

Abbey Konowitch "Way Did He Go, Boss?" has been named Vice President of Maverick Recording Company, Madonna's new Time-Warner joint venture, by the CEO Freddy company's "DeMyth, DeMann Legend," who made several other announcements, including label and publishing signings and the restructuring of his own DeMann Entertainment company.

Konowitch comes Maverick from MTV, where he was the Senior Vice President of Music & Talent for four years and one of the most powerful schlemiels in He the industry. was previously VP of Artist Development and Video for Arista Records, where he learned how to say, "Yes, Clive." He began his industry career as a concert agent in ICM's Music Department, where he booked bar mitzvah bands on the Catskills circuit. He has been circumcised.

Said DeMann: "Abbey's

vision and energy are perfectly suited to Maverick's own. His impact has been felt in television, music and the exciting new entertainment medium that's a blend of both. Abbey and Maverick are another perfect combination. Madonna and I are thrilled to welcome him aboard and can't wait to see what he looks like in one of her



Abbey Konowitch: Still a schlemiel.

bustiers."

DeMann also announced the label signing of ninemember, L.A.-based rock/theatrical band Proper Grounds, brought to the label by A&R Manager Guy Oseary. In addition, Maverick Music President Lionel Conway announced the signing of a publishing deal with Andre Betts, who co-wrote "Justify My Love." He has penned three tracks for Madonna's new album, "Erotica," which will be released on Maverick through Sire and will come out in conjunction with her first book, "Sex," to be published by Warner Books.

Finally, DeMann Entertainment has dropped both the Divinyls and the Smithereens as management clients, with Bert Stein and Sherry Marsh also leaving the company. Announcements concerning Maverick forays into film and TV will be forthcoming, according to DeMann.



"Cop Killer" Killed

clowns they won?

Immediately after saying he was tired of having the people who work for him as well as his record label "get attacked and harrassed," and withdrawing the controversial song "Cop Killer" from all future pressings of the **Body** Count album, Ice-T and Time Warner still came under attack by the self-appointed keepers of this country's moral fiber.

"It's too little, too late," said legendary violator of the American constitution, Oliver **North** in an interview with The Los Angeles Times. "This is like Charles Manson promising to never go back to the La Bianca home again to commit a murder.... We are going to pursue Time Warner to the full extent of the law." This man has obviously said

Will someone tell these one too many Pledges Of Allegiance.

> Combined Law Enforcement Assn. Of Texas President Ron DeLord told the Times, "We're not finished with them yet.... We're not going to be happy until Time Warner admits they made a mistake."

> Will someone please tell this Bozo to go back to fight

ing real bad guys?

Ice-T began the Tuesday press conference by showing commercially available video entitled "FBI: The War Against Blacks," detailing the repression of blacks by the agency through the years. In addition, he screened a clip of he and the band performing "Cop Killer" at last year's Lollapalooza festival, which

shows Ice-T with a stageful of white fans. "See the problem?," he asked the crowd. "I'm the only black man in the picture."

The rap/metal star then offered a free copy of "Cop Killer" to anyone who requested one, saying it proved he wasn't interested in just money.

Warner Bros. released a statement saying the com-"understands respects Ice-T's decision to withdraw the Body Count song 'Cop Killer' from distribution."

The company has requested all retailers to immediately return all unsold "Body Count" CDs and cassettes for full credit. A new version with amended artwork will be available in the next three weeks.



Ice T: Tired of the harrassment.

Singles Sales!

The Top Ten biggest selling singles this week are #1 Sir Mix-A-Lot (Def American/Reprise), #2 Boyz II Men (Motown), #3 TLC (La-Face/Arista), #4 Madonna (Sire/WB), #5 Billy Ray Cyrus (Mercury), #6 Guns N' Roses (Geffen), #7 Kris Kross (Ruffhouse/Columbia). #8 Jon Secada (Chrysalis-/ERG), #9 En Vogue (Atco/East-West) and #10 Tom Cochrane (Capitol).

Making Tim Nauseous



Mercury Records President Ed Eckstine and Poly U.K. kingpin David Bates are reminded they should never interact with people while they're trying to digest food, as evidenced by the look on the face of young Tim Booth of hot band James. The meeting in London proved conclusively Ed's uncanny ability to make people sick on BOTH sides of the Atlantic. Alain Levy must be proud of both of his key executives.

Plaque Build-Up



Motown President/CEO Jheryl Busby presents the incredibly successful Boyz II Men with their 5,436th plaque commemorating some major sales accomplishment. Mayor Tom Bradley woke up long enough to proclaim "Boyz II Men Weekend" in L.A., which sent a slew of confused young males scurrying to obey the Mayor by defrocking their first sheep. Whatta town.

QuickHits

The Most Added singles of the week at Top 40 radio are #1 Bobby Brown (MCA), #2 Wilson Phillips (SBK/ERG), #3 Del Amitri (A&M), #4 Firehouse (Epic) and #5 Patty Smyth (MCA). Sophie Hawkins (Columbia) comes out of the box with a strong first week.





RCA Walks With Kane Tour Curtisy

into a production agreement with attorney Joel Katz's Kane Productions, a full service music production and publishing company based in Atlanta, Georgia, it was announced by the label's Sr. VP Urban Operations Ron "Contemporary" and the production company's President Don "Juan" Perry.

Perry and his company will now serve as the only A&R appendage to a major label in the Southeast region. Kane Productions will oversee artists signed through the company while developing creative strategies for those acts. It will also give Galante an excuse to take a couple of all-

RCA Records has entered expenses-paid trips to Atlanta a year.

> Perry was previously President of Gold Dust Records, an MCA associated label and served as President of his own North Carolinabased production company.

Said Urban: "With the organization Kane Productions has in place, we're looking forward to a long, fulfilling auite successful and (Translation: relationship. How many times have I used that stupid line in a generic press release?)."

First two artists from the new venture will be male duo Five XI and female foursome NKRU.



RCA's Skip Miller; Kane's Joel Katz and Don Perry; and RCA's Ron Urban and Joe Galante plan on being the music industry's answer to Atlanta's Coca-Cola, CNN and Ted & Jane.

Wells Passes

Motown star Mary Wells, whose hits for the label included "My Guy" and "You Beat Me To the Punch," died at the age of 49 after an operation for throat cancer in an L.A. hospital.

Wells first began singing when she was 10 years old at churches in her hometown of Detroit, the daughter of a single-family household her mother supported by working as a maid. She originally approached Motown founder Berry Gordy to sell a song she'd written called "Bye, Bye Baby." Instead, he signed her as a singer and she had an immediate hit with the

track.

Wells left Motown in a contract dispute and signed with 20th Century Fox in 1964. She later recorded for Atlantic-Atco, Reprise and Jubilee, never duplicating her early success. When it was discovered the singer had cancer several years ago, the Washington-based Rhythm & Foundation raised Blues more than \$50,000 to help pay for her medical bills. Among those who also contributed were stars like Diana Ross, Rod Stewart, Bruce Springsteen and Temptations.



Eric Clapton and Elton John hand-pick Arista's Curtis Stigers to open their U.S. tour because he's a skilled musician, wonderful performer, and "never puts too much starch in our laundry." Incidentally, Stigers recently signed a lucrative contract to mudwrestle Kenny G. live on pay-per-view Sept. 13. Talk about a career taking off!

Megadeth Still Mega!

Capitol recording artists Megadeth hold their position at the top of the Hits Top 50 Albums list for the second week. Most heavy metal bands that open with big sales fall back quickly in their second week after the fanatic audience make their immediate buys. However, MTV's tremendous support has enabled the hot rock outfit to hold off the Boomerang soundtrack (LaFace/Arista), even with its gigantic Boyz II Men single helping to explode the project.

King Solomon Minds



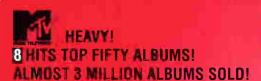
WB harpist extraordinaire Loreena McKennitt is greeted by Tower Record's hierarchy Russ Solomon and son Michael Solomon up at Sacramento HQ. Naturally, Russ and Michael didn't know who the hell Loreena was, and Loreena had no idea who the hell Russ and Michael were, but they all smiled for this photo because that's what nauseating trade photos are all about. Doncha just love this business?

BOX Talk

The big action at The Box centers around MC Ren (Priority), which scores in at #3 and Arrested Development (Chrysalis/ERG), which comes in at #9 with their second video, "People Everyday." Also doing big early business are Mr. Scar-

(Rap-A-Lot), East face Coast Family (Motown), Ralph Tresvant from "Mo" Money" (A&M) and Jacci McGee (MCA). On the rock side, Thrill Kill Kult (Interscope) and Danzig (Def American/Reprise) are pulling big calls.

Red Hot Chili Peppers



"GIVE IT AWAY"



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WJMO	add	KZFM ad	d	
KOY	add	999KHI ad	d KMEL	deb 35
KS104	add	BOSS97 ad	d	





Mary Moves To Zoo

"Marvelous" Marvin Robinson has been appointed Vice President Black Music Division at Zoo Entertainment by label President "Skip to My" Lou Maglia, making one less thing Bud Scoppa has to do.

Robinson will oversee the national and regional promotion staff, as well as the marketing and development of Zoo's Black Music Division roster while reporting directly to Maglia. He'll also try to spiff up George Gerrity's wardrobe.

The veteran broadcast executive joined Zoo Feburary of 1991 after a 13year career as PD for KSOL-FM in San Francisco, the #1 urban radio station in its market.

Said Maglia: "I have tremendous respect for Marvin's creative and executive abilities, as well as the way he coordinates his pocket handkerchiefs with his socks.

I look forward to his involvement with Zoo long into the '90s. (Translation: He better be here with what I'm paying him.) Black music is a very important aspect of Zoo's future and I couldn't be more pleased to have Marvin running our Black Music Division (Translation: Hope he likes Scoppa's office.)."

Added Marvin: "I welcome the challenge of developing the R&B roster and being competitive in the (Translation: marketplace I've been having recurring sexual fantasies about Phyllis Hyman and Tung Twista).



Marvin Robinson: His tie is a clip-on.

a rundown of executives on the move









Murray

Bibbs

Winding

Taylor

"Nancy" Drew Murray has been named VP Rock Promotion at Mercury Records by the label's Sr. VP Promotion David "Eat A" Leach. Mr. Murray will now be in charge of the rock promotion where department, answers to the moniker "Ugly Kid Drew" ... "When" Dwight "Eats Ribs, He Has To Wear Several" Bibbs has been upped to West Coast Co-Nat'l. Dir. for R&B Atlantic Promotion at Records by the label's Sr. VP Music Division Richard Nash "Your Teeth." Prior to his appointment, Bibbs asked for some Wet-Naps so he wouldn't get grease all over his contract... Sony's new family entertainment unit, Sony Wonder, has named Becky Mancuso-"The Long And" Winding "Road" to the post of VP and Ops. Mgr. for the company. Mancuso-Winding had to sign the pact in crayons and finger paint... Tess "If You Need To Take A Little In At The Hem, I Know An Excellent" Taylor has been appointed Associate Dir. Product Svcs. for MCA Records by the label's Dir. of Administration Vinnie Freda "Kahlo." Tess previously in the company's Legal department... Carmen

"Chicken" Cacciatore has been named E.C. Mgr. Dance Crossover at RCA Records by the label's Sr. VP Promotion Butch "Evelyn" Waugh. Carmen got the gig when his uncle Vito put a horse's head in Butch's bed... Allison "Arm And" Hamamura has joined Triad Artists' Contemporary Music Dept., it was announced by agency partner Peter "Turn On Your" Grosslight. Hamamura was most recently a VP at Variety Artists International... "This Beach Is Awfully" Sandy Jones has been appointed Dir. of Prod. Mgmt. at Motown Records by the label's Sr. VP of Sales & Dis-Oscar "Meyer tribution Weiner" Fields. The 18-year industry veteran uses HITS to line her parakeet cage... "Prince" **Andrew** Rauhauser has been named Dir. of Planning, Sales and Marketing for PGD by the company's VP Sales Administration, Research, Planning and Information Svcs. David Blaine "As The Nose On His Face." Rauhauser will work very closely with Market Research and the labels to identify future opportunities for PGD and its labels or until they learn how to pronounce his name correctly.

MOVIE SCORES

1	TITLE MO'MONEY	WEEKEND GROSS 12.4	PER SCREEN AVERAGE 7333	TOTAL GROSS 12.4m	SOUND TRACK A&M
2	HONEY, I BLEW UPTHE	8.6m	3625	27.0m	_
3	A LEAGUE OF THEIR OWN	7.3m	3509	66.7m	Columbia
4	SISTER ACT	4.5m	2308	105.1m	H'wood
5	BOOMERANG	3.8m	2096	55.0m	LaFace
6	UNIVERSAL SOLDIER	3.4m	1753	26.2m	-
7	UNLAWFUL ENTRY	3.3m	2288	43.0m	
8	BATMAN RETURNS	2.8m	1567	151.0m	WB
9	PRELUDE TO A KISS	2.2m	1924	15.0m	WB
10	A STRANGER AMONG US	2.1m	3131	6.4m	-



Cacciatore



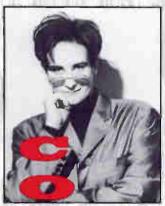




Hamamura **Jones**

Rauhauser

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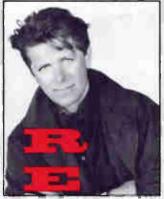
14*-12* R&R A/C! AVG. MOVE 3.11!

HEAVY!

NOW ON THE AIR AT KIIS/LA!

WQXA add B94.7 add KYYY add add PWR92





ADD! 4*-3* R&R A/C! 34*-29* R&R! ON OVER 110 TOP 40s!

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KFFM

WABB 39 deb **KAY107** 22-17 WBIZ 4-2 KTXY 20-17 WQUT 6-3 Y94 21-18 WIOG 4-3 FM100 25-19 6-4 STR94 23-19 6-5 WILN MIX96 **WBBQ** 24-19 **KCHX** 11-6 WNNK 22-19 WAEB 11-6 24-20 11-7 WNVZ WHTO 25-20 KISN 9-8 **KWTX** WIXX 24-20 WLRW 13-9 **KTMT** 23-20 KRNQ 12-9 Y102 23-20 11-9 KKHT **KMCK** 24-21 FM104 15-10 25-22 Q995 14-11 **WBNQ KCHH** 29-23 WNCI 15-12 **KFQX** 29-23 WKRZ 17-12 **WSTO** 19-13 **KZIO** 27-23

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"get with u"

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HOT97 #17 B96 #27

"Nu Nu' has been on B96 24 weeks and is still huge - 'Get With U' is already Top 10 phones and we are seeing early sales from the club play."

Todd Cavanah, B96

14-10* BB dance chart!





NEAR TRUTHS

By I. B. Bad, Los Angeles

Much chatter about Luke Lewis' replacement at Uni Distribution. The name being chattered the most is Geffen sales honcho Eddie reath's..... Rick Rubin's very interested in producing Sire's the Cult. Hang-up could be Rubin's desire to release the project on his own WB-distributed Def American label.... In the wake of their deal with BMG, all Fox projects will be going through Arista, which will handle sales, promotion and marketing.... Old Epic promo rulers don't die, they just go to Savage, as evidenced by the reunion of Frank Dileo, Gordon Anderson and Walter Winnick... More chatter over Bon Jovi, who are currently in Vancouver working on their new project. Despite a new agent, CAA, the band remains managerless with tonguewaggers wagging of even more changes to come. Do said changes involve Jambco and Steve Pritchitt?.... Harry Palmer's resignation from the Atco-East West Presidency has some speculating about a Palmer/ Derek Shulman reunion. If said pairing does go down, will this spell the end to Shulman's much-speculatedabout talent gig at Sony? Does it open the door wider for a

New Qwest Begins



Quincy: New look for an old label.

BMG deal?.... Then there's the tale of two members of nowdefunct L.A. Guns getting into a fist-fight in their manager's office..... Most-faxed paragraph of the week honors goes to Herbie Herbert's quotes from a Music Connection article on the EMI Records Group.... AC/DC and Atco-East West have successfully renegotiations. concluded forthcoming Look for a double-live package.... And producer/publisher/ manager has been recruited to oversee a chanteuse's very important project under a new elephant bucks deal? Who did the recruiting?.... Attorney Allan Mintz is leaving the law firm of Ziffren, Brittenham & Branca. Is he taking down his shingle all together?.... Industry watchers busy watching the cross-promotion between Time Warner, Coca-Cola and the Olympics. Will nightly exposure of artist videos help sell the "Barcelona Gold" bum?.... Look for Elektra's Jon Leshay to nail stripes.... What superstar and current management team appear headed down separate paths in the midst of a disappointing tour and record?... Look for the new Qwest to be structured closely to the Def American model, with heavy some national A&R and promo slots.... Peter Lubin has exited his A&R spot at Elektra..... Mike Greene leaving his ERG sales post for a distribution gig with CEMA.... Look for BGP's Tracy Buie to nail the Avalon gig vacated by Moss Jacobs..... And then there are the tales of one imprint where malcontent, unrest defections seem to dominate the atmosphere.... Names in the Rumor Mill this week: Paul Marshall, Doc McGhee, Jorge Hinojosa and Nancy Jeffries.



From the album
WELCOME TO WHEREVER YOU ARE

Produced by Mark Opitz and INXS



APRIL 29th, THE SKIES ABOVE LOS ANGELES WERE FILLED WITH FIRE.

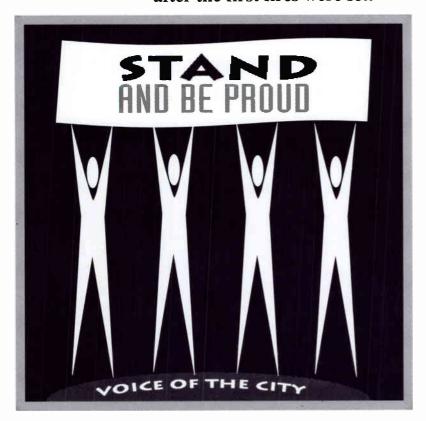
Within days, clean-up started.

JUNE 6th, THE SKIES ABOVE LOS ANGELES WERE FILLED WITH SONG...

as 25 choirs from South Central Los Angeles joined forces with the Hollywood Bowl Orchestra to become VOICE OF THE CITY and record "Stand And Be Proud."

JULY 29th, THE WORLD HEARD "STAND AND BE PROUD"...

as it was simultaneously broadcast exactly three months after the first fires were set.



The same burning, passionate conviction that sparked that urban disturbance has been redirected into a stirring, evocative proclamation of inner-city pride and self-worth.

This song is not just about Los Angeles. It's the Voice Of The City...any city... your city.

"STAND AND BE PROUD"



(All artist and publishing royalties as well as record company profits will be donated to REBUILD LA.)



PRODUCED BY BOB EZRIN
VIDEO DIRECTED BY NIGEL DICK
FOR PROPAGANDA FILMS

LETTERS

Les Is More

Dear Roy:

I can't believe I turned down R&R, Billboard, Gavin, Hitmakers and Hustler to be interviewed in HITS.

I'm Audi 5000... Gotta meet Perot at a N.A.A.Y.P. dinner followed by cocktails with Tipper and Luke.

> Warm Regards, Les Garland The Box Miami, FL

HITS replies: Hey, it's gotta be better than hanging with Gilbert Gottfried, Morton Downey Jr. and Bob Pittman at a Quantum Board of Directors meeting.

For Pete's Sake

Hi Roy:

Hope all is well. Nice yakkin' with you at the Capitol 50th anniversary party over between the gourmet pizzas and the dessert table (don't think I'd forget that, did ya?).

Here's the latest ICE, chock full of the goodies you hopefully like to read. Dave and I have a subscription trade-out agreement, but he's only getting one or two ICE's in exchange for HITS, and I think that's generous to a fault. So I'm "putting you on" (in more ways than one?) and who knows, maybe you'll find an occasion to mention us in "Beat's Me" once every 45 years or so.

Enjoy the rag, Roy, and let me know if you're ever over on the west side and free for lunch.

> Best wishes, Pete Howard ICE Santa Monica, CA

Roy replies: Hey Pete, about once every 45 years is how frequently they let me run "Beat's Me." Maybe ICE is interested in the column. You know I'm always interested in lunch, especially the free ones.

Karp Goes Fishing

Lenny:

Pursuant to your request, please find the latest Atlantic/Rhino re-issues:

•"Finest Skiffle Bands of the Sixties"

•"Compliments of Compton, Bitch": The finest misogynistic gangsta rap

•"Dig That Krazy Reaper": Tom Jones sings the works of Slayer, Deicide, Obituary, Carcass and Celtic Frost

•"Industrialbert": Engleberg Humperdinck sings the songs of Ministry, Nine Inch Nails, Godflesh and Skin Chamber

I'm sure these will stand tall and proud in your CD case.

Andy Karp/Andrea Ganis Atlantic Records New York, N.Y.

Lenny replies: But you forgot my own personal fave, "Gibby & Gabby," a collection of cowboy duets featuring Gibby Haynes of the Butthole Surfers and Gabby Hayes.

Ugly No More

HITS:

Even with my short stay in Ugly Kid Joe, I would like to express my personal thanks to all of the supportive fans and magazines that helped make the tour and EP a huge success. I invite fans to write me and my new band at: Roger Lahr/P.O. Box 910583/San Diego, CA 92191-0583.

Thanks, Roger Lahr San Diego, CA

HITS replies: Now that you're not ugly anymore, Rog, did anyone tell you of your remarkable resemblance to current Democratic Presidential candidate Bill Clinton?



FAR TRUTHS

By Danny Fields, New York

Though the ticket-topper himself was a no-show at the Clinton for President Committee's post-convention bash at the Palladium (no list, laminated credentials only, cash bar), VP candidate Albert Gore, his wife Tipper (now politically correct to support, considering the alternative), and daughters made a 3 a.m. entrance just after Buster Poindexter's set, while onstage, MCA's legendary Bo Diddley (who has done as much as any living person to invent rock & roll... one hopes the irony here is evident) and Uptown Horns Crispin Cioe and Arno Hecht improvised a chorus of "Push Bush, Push Bush, Push Bush Out The Door" to Bo's "This Should Not Be." Surrounded by Secret Service agents, the Gores danced to the music... Atlantic unrolled the red carpet for Clannad's Maire and Ciaran Brennan, here from Ireland to promote their latest, "Anam." Ahmet Ertegun hosted a dinner at Gallagher's Steakhouse for the Brennans, mgr. David Kavanagh and Atlanticians Patti Conte, Jason Flom and Diane Gilmour. Yet another dinner for the bril bro and sis duo at Cafe Luxembourg was hosted by Bob Kaus and attended by Messrs. Kavanagh and Flom, plus label colleagues Karen Colamussi, Brodsky and Maria Malta; atty. Michael Guido; and Maire's husband Tim Jarvis daughter Aisling. A Yankees game climaxed the Clannad visit... The recently opened Rooftop Cafe at fab B. Smith's on glowing Eighth Ave. was the setting for RCA's brunch celebrating the launch of the three-CD compilation, "The RCA Records Label: The First Note In Black Music." Dining on stuffed chicken breast, roasted salmon, garlic red skin potatoes and sweetpotato pecan squares were

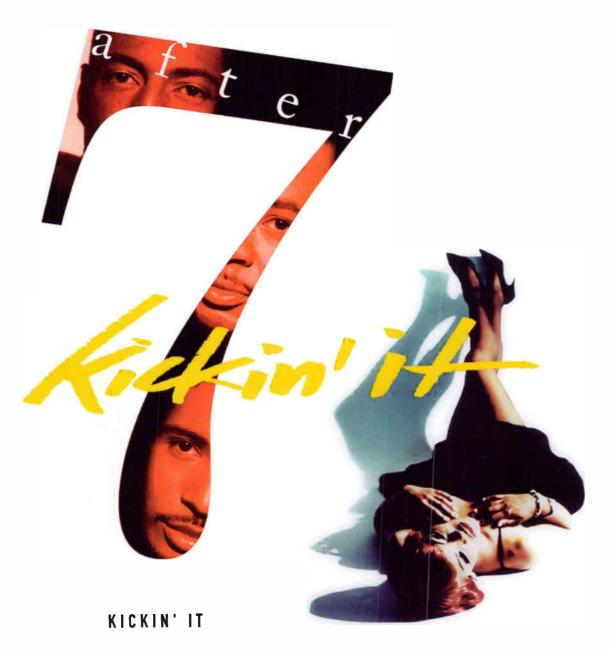
producers Orrin Keepnews,

Inventor of Rock!



Bo Diddley — Bo knows while Al & Tipper dance.

Billy Altman and Chick Crum-Sylvia Robinson: WBLS' Flo Anthony and Lisa Lopez: KISS FM's Ken Webb; Nipperbas Joe Galante, Skip Miller, Randy Goodman, Steve Backer, Ron Howie, David Gales. Bob Anderson. Michelle Taylor, Charlotte Hunter and Marilyn Lipsius; and BMG whizzes Crystal Gaynor, Lisa Jackson, Trudi Long and Pam Robinson... Terry Ellis led the Imago contingent at Tilt in the Village, packed to the rafters for the last of four consecutive Wednesday night performances by label artiste Rhatigan. Cheering on songs from her debut LP, "To Hell With Love," were label lofties Kate Hyman, Ann Munday, Jim Kelly, Sandy Sawotka, Jim Leavitt, Ron Baldwin and Elise Margolis... Atlanta-based Chrysalis quintet Arrested Development and EMI organized a mini-concert at the St. Catherine's Family Respite Center, donating money and time to the worthy organization. Afterwards, AD members, EMI's Frances Pennington, husband Curt Smith and BMI's Charlie Feldman, Cat Jackson and Eric Coles, dined together at Soho's Red Stripe, where the BMI guys presented the Atlanta rappers with an engraved African drinking cup bearing the famed lyric, "I am still thirsty."



the jammin' first single from their forthcoming album TAKIN' MY TIME. takes AFTER 7 to new heights.

And they started at the top.

Their platinum debut sent a series of No. 1 and Top Ten hits like CAN'T STOP. READY OR NOT and HEAT OF THE MOMENT soaring up the R&B and Pop charts.

So Watch for Kevon, Melvin and Keith – AFTER 7 – to be KICKIN' IT up the charts again.

Executive producers: Gemma Corfield and After 7. Produced by DeRock aka Darryl Simmens. Kevin "Kayo" Roberson. Dollas Austin, and Randy Ran. Representation: Craig Fruin / HK Management. © 1992 Virgin Records America. Inc.

Vige





Last week's Wildcard **Bobby Brown** celebrates a radio honeymoon with Most Added honors at Top 40 and JAMS. **Wilson Phillips** grabs MTV, VH1 and lots of stations with

their new single. **Del Amitri** comes out running. **Megadeth** gets it's 2nd week at #1 Albums and **TLC** doesn't budge from the #1 Singles spot. New Wildcard **INXS** is ready to roll!

ONS = Total stations reporting airplay
ADDS = Total stations reporting new play

DEBUTS = Records moving from Add or Extra to a number

AGGRESSIVES = Playlist moves of 4 or more

MTV = Total plays for the week / Total plays since first aired

AVG. MOVE = Total playlist moves divided by (Ons minus Adds)

ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	ONS	ADDS	DEBS	AGGR	MTV	AVG MOVE
#2 Singles, #2 Requests, a horn	THIS USED ne run for Z100 and WHYT,	SIRE/WB , moves 12-3 KPLZ	206 , 10-6 92 Q .	0	1	106	38/133	4.52
THE CURE #10 Singles, #12 Requests, mo	FRIDAY, I'M ves 25-17 B96, 19-15 WH	ELEK YT, #2 WEGX, #1 V	186 VENZ.	1	0	20	25/210	1.52
BOYZ II MEN #2 Albums, #3 Singles, #5 Requ	END OF THE uests, jumps 23-9 P106, #2	MOTOWN WIOQ, #1 WPGC	182	14	22	116	0/0	6.66
EN VOGUE #11 Albums, #4 Singles, #19 Re	GIVING HIM equests, shoots 12-5 KIIS,	ATCO/EW 7-3 WHHH, 10-7 K	180 PLZ.	5	7	65	19/80	3.39
TLC #1 Singles (third week!), #14 Alb	BABY BABY burns, #3 Requests, Massiv	LAF/ARISTA ve Hit.	179	2	3	71	20/73	3.32
TOAD THE WET #25 Singles, closing with adds fi	ALL I WANT rom HOT102, FM100, KJ1	COL 03. Moves 20-16 a	174 <i>t WXKS</i> .	3	7	67	11/56	3.31
MICHAEL JACKSON #21 Singles, #18 Requests, mo	JAM ves at KPLZ 19-16, KKFR	EPIC 10-8, KBEQ 20-15.	171	0	1	70	19/92	3.28
GUNS N° ROSES #1 Requests, #7 Singles, #15 at	NOVEMBER nd #37 Albums, closing with	GEF h new play from Wi	169 HYT & KUBE.	3	2	82	42/269	3.8
ELTON JOHN #17 Singles, #12 Albums, jumps	THE ONE s for Z100 18-14, PROFM	MCA 12-9, WEGX 15-10	169	0	0	52	8/32	3.04
RICHARD MARX #20 Singles, movement at KPL2	TAKE THIS Z 7-5, WEGX 16-13, PWR	CAP 99 #5.	167	0	0	17	2/93	1.15
TOM COCHRANE #6 Singles, #9 Requests, Albee	LIFE IS A 's mix on B96, #1 at Q105,	CAP , WZPL, WKBQ an	166 d more.	1	2	13	41/204	-1.58
EDBEY BROWN #1 Most Added Top 40 and JAM	HUMPIN' AS! Debut 35 Singles, Add	MCA ed everywhere inclu	165 uding MTV.	164	1	1	0/0	4.0
SHAKESPEAR'S SISTER #22 Singles, #6 Requests, new		LON/PLG Moves 6-5 Q105.	165	14	11	71	19/115	3.62
BRYAN ADAMS Debut 40 Singles, closing with n	DO I HAVE najor market support at Z10	A&M 00, WEGX, Q102, I	162 <i>NZP</i> L.	24	67	82	0/0	5.14
GENESIS Debut 46 Singles, #28 Albums,	JESUS HE new airplay includes KDW	ATL B, Y107, MIX96, K	159 ZFM, WABB.	9	31	101	10/16	5.4
#38 Singles, #43 Albums, remix	REAL THING helping with play KHTK, V	ISL/PLG VJMO.	155	3	3	63	24/168	3.35
CECE PENISTON #12 Singles, new at HOT977, C	KEEP ON 2102, 194, moves 20-14 WN	A&M NCI, 30-26 WZPL.	149 MTV add!	3	7	43	2/11	2.27
PATTY SMYTH More Top 40 play includes KRB	LOVE AIN'T *	MCA	147	34	60	60	0/0	4.53

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GELINE DION Ballad spreads with reports from	NOTHING m KBEQ, HOT102, PWRF	EPIC PIG, WHHH.	138	19	34	37	0/0	2.62
TECHNOTRONIC #13 Singles, #20 Requests, ma	MOVE THIS oving 3-1 HOT102, 5-4 WE	SBK/ERG EGX, 15-12 Z100.	135	3	5	48	6/11	2.78
JODECI #15 Singles, #46 Albums, keep	COME & TALK os growing with play at PW	UPT/MCA /R96, KLUC, WAZY,	133 KPXR.	4	2	31	7/29	2.05
BABYFACE #2 Albums, #50 Singles, new p	GIVE U	LAF/ARISTA	120	17	19	36	0/1	2.75
KRIS KROSS #9 Singles, #6 Albums, #7 Red	WARM IT UP quests, Deb 15 B94, 19-14	RUFF/COL KBXX, 17-14 KPLZ.	117	1	1	37	15/135	2.3
HI-FIVE Debuts 44 Singles, close out a	SHE'S PLAYING adds at KIIS, PWR106, Q 1	JIVE 06, WEGX, PWR99,	113 <i>B94</i> .	31	36	34	0/0	3.62
TAG Still growing with new play at h	THE WAY I PWR99, #5 HOT977, 9-7 M	SCOTTI	112	2	4	12	0/0	0.62
HTCH MALLOY Picks up more radio at WKQB	NOBODY WINS , wksf, wdjx, kchh, k	RCA 'QIZ. Moves 23-18 K	111 DWB.	5	15	43	0/0	3.15
WILSON PHILLIPS First official week adds include	GIVE IT UP MTV, VH1, WZPL, KDW	SBK/ERG B, Q995, Q105, KKR	106 Z.	89	7	9	0/0	4.94
PETER CETERA Top 5 Adult with new Top 40	RESTLESS olay from 95XXX. Moves	WB 1 5 -12 WNCl, VH1 ad	103	1	4	31	0/0	2.81
A.L.T #43 Singles, #13 Requests, rr	TEQUILA nore reports this week at P	ATCO/EW WR96, KZHT, WRCH	101	6	12	35	0/0	2.82
FIREHOUSE Strong second week with add	WHEN I LOOK	EPIC	96	41	25	16	0/0	3.3
SOUP DRAGONS New Top 40 play includes Q1	DIVINE 05, KQKQ, WRVQ, WRQI	BL/MERC K, WMXF, KC101, K2	85 ZFM.	20	11	18	19/108	2.3
JOE PUBLIC #47 Singles, new at WABB, re	I MISS YOU noves for PWR106 18-14,	COL 92Q 28-23.	84	1	14	24	0/2	2.4
FIAL SH TRESVANT #9 Albums, #42 Singles, mov	MONEY CAN'T	PERSP/A&M	80 -14, PWRPI	1 G 24-21.	10	23	1/1	2.6
RED HOT CHILIS #8 Albums, new play KZHT,	GIVE IT AWAY WGTZ, KPRR, moves 28-	WB 15 B97, 28-20 KHTK.	79	5	5	29	23/324	3.07
GIANT New airplay this week from K	STAY	EPIC	77	1	4	23	0/0	2.32
JADE #37 Singles, new airplay at H	I WANNA	GIANT	76 IG, 29-18 KI	10 MEL.	9	22	0/0	2.78
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TORI AMOS Strong video with Top 40 spins	CRUCIFY at Y102, WSTW, WFHN,	ATL KCHH, moves 21-1	75 8 WAPE, 27-2	4 22 WEGX	7	19	5/47	2.16
CAUSE & EFFECT Spreads with more Top 40 airpl	ANOTHER lay at KKSS, KFBQ, WAA	SRC/ZOO AL, B96 moves 6-5, V	73 VENZ 17-11.	3	2	9	0/0	1.75
KATHY TROCCOLI Picks up more supporters at K9	YOU'VE GOT 92, WDBR, chart action at	REUN/GEFF WOVV Deb 24, KKI	71 HT 10 -8 .	2	9	4	0/0	1.51
DEL AMITRI Strong out of the box including	ALWAYS THE Q102, KDWB, KWOD, Q	A&M 995, WRVQ, WAPE,	70 WQXA.	60	5	2	0/0	3.22
OUTFIELD Picks up new airplay this week	WINNING IT from PWR99, WKDD, W	MCA KRZ, 93Q, WAAL, K	65 SMB.	8	9	15	0/0	2.11
ROZALLA #30 Singles, new action at Z10	EVERYBODY'S 0, KDWB, KBEQ, #1 PW	EPIC R106, 9-7 KIIS, 17-7	60 PWR99.	6	3	15	0/0	2.38
k.d. lang Picks up support with B94.7, K	CONSTANT YYY, WQXA, #5 STR94,	SIRE/WB 27-24 WAPE, 23-17	59 WENZ, 35-31	4 WRVQ.	7	26	0/0	3.11
RODNEY CROWELL Spreads with more believers at	WHAT KIND t FM100, WOMP, 95XIL,	COL KGGG, WYYS, WQ	52 GN, KROC.	7	6	7	0/0	1.14
SLAUGHTER More Top 40 support this week	REAL LOVE at KEGL, Q995, B94, KY	CHRY/ERG YRK, WAPE, Y102, V	51 VWFX, KYYY	18	8	4	5/22	1.18
KWS #33 Singles, new at HOT977, E	PLEASE DON'T B97, WWKX, jumps 7-5 Z	NP/LON/PLG 2100 10-5 HOT97, De	43 eb 22 KIIS.	15	6	14	0/0	3.26
DAVID SANBORN Majors leading with support at a	BANG BANG KRBE, STR94, HOT102,	ELEK debuts 29 Q106, 30	42 -25 KTFM.	12	8	8	0/0	2.28
A B LOGIC Builds with more airplay at WM	HITMAN IXP, moves for KHFI 18-1	INT/ATL 15, KWOD 26-23, KZ	42 HT 30-26.	2	7	6	0/0	2.36
THRILL KILL KULT MTV add! New Top 40 action	SEX ON WHEELZ includes WHHH, WJMO,		42 KFR, FM102,	14 <i>Y95.</i>	1	2	0/5	0.7
CHARLES & EDDIE Goes on the radio first week at	WOULD I	CAP	38	33	3	3	0/0	5.4
FAITH NO MORE #23 Albums, Former #1 PoMo	MIDLIFE	SLASH/REP	36	1	3	6	20/166	1.83
SOPHIE B. HAWKINS Out of the box believers at PW	CALIFORNIA /R99, WAPE, KKYK, WC	COL GQ, KXKT, WKDD, I	34 KZZU.	32	0	0	0/0	0.5
WAILING SOULS Starting with new play from KE	ALL OVER BXX, WIXX, KXKT, WGTZ	CHAOS Z, Debut 30 KWOD, d	32 on KMEL.	7	5	2	0/0	0.65
C&C MUSIC FACTORY Picks up more with PWR106, I	KEEP IT	COL	32 KKFR	5	8	3	0/2	1.54

PAULOAKENFOLD REMIX HELPS

WJMO

KWO WENZ 13-10 WKBO

#17

WNVZ



"Even Better Than The Real Thing"

43 HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS! 44 38 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLESI

Q105 20.17 0995 KPLZ 22 119 #20 KISN WEGX #20 G102 G105 25-22 26-23 KRBL #25 KIIS



K.W.S.

"Please Don't Go"

40 33 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGUES!

RITEM KZEM KKEB 25-20 KPRH KHTR KSMB KKMG WEGX 3 -26 **66-3**1



LORENZO

"Real Love"

KKER KTFM WQXA

WELY

710

110

191 deb HOT97.7 den KBEM

KDON PWR102 36-31 KMEL 35-32 BOSS97 40-36

KBEQ B95 PWRPIG KOAO WHHH WEHT WNVZ



SALT-N-PEPA

PWRFIG #24 WIOQ

WTIC

"Start Me Up"

BREAKING AT:

LOOK FOR BEN LETBRAND REMIXES!





ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	ONS	ADDS	DEBS	AGGR	MTV	AVG MOVE
BILLY JOEL From Honeymoon in Vegas;	ALL SHOOK reported at WPLJ, PROFI	EPIC STRX M, KEGL, Q995.	29	29	0	0	0/0	0.0
SAIGON KICK Picks up adds this week at V	LOVE IS ON VAPE, WOKI, WQUT, WVE	ATL SS, WFHT. Jumps 2	28 6-14 KEGL.	8	3	5	0/0	2.35
MARY J. BLIGE #34 Singles, new play at KK	YOU REMIND XX, Debuts 30 HOT977, 32	UPT/MCA HOT97, 7-4 KBXX.	23	1	2	5	1/2	2.19
ME PHI ME Gaining new support with pla	SAD NEW ay at WHYT, moves 40-37 N	RCA NTIC, 26-23 FM102.	20	1	7	0	14/36	1.06
LORENZO Picks up new Top 40 at KKF	REAL LOVE FR, KTFM, WQXA. Moves 3	ALPHA/PLG 15-32 KMEL, 29-25 K	20 (DON.	3	3	5	0/0	1.59
SNAP First week adds at KMEL, B.	RHYTHM 96, KHTK, WHHH, moves 2	ARISTA 23-20 for KS104.	19	17	0	0	0/0	2.0
TEVIN CAMPBELL Ballad picks up first week ac	ONE SONG dos at WXKS, KKFR, KHTK	QWEST/WB KRBE, PWRPIG, D	19 leb 35 KMEL.	18	1	0	0/0	1.0
HOUSE OF PAIN New for KUBE, WCKZ. Jun	JUMP AROUND nps 16-14 HOT977, 20-10 F	T BOY PWR96, 12-9 WHYT.	17	2	3	3	3/13	1.4
PETE ROCK #41 Singles, new report at V	T.R.O.Y. VOXA, jumps 9-5 KMEL, 19	ELEK -11 92Q, 22-14 WCF	17 KZ, 12-10 WIC	1	0	4	1/23	1.81
LISA VALE First week action from WHH	LOVE PLUS	ATCO/EW	16	16	0	0	0/0	0.0
LIONEL RICHIE New single goes on the air a	MY DESTINY at WRVQ, WKDD, WCIR, B	MOTOWN OSS97, KISR, WST	13 W, KZII.	13	0	0	0/0	0.0
OPUS III New play at KXKT, KTUX, E	IT'S A FINE	ATCO/EW	12	2	1	1	0/0	0.7
METALLICA Big MTV play and tour helpii	WHEREVER I	ELEK	12		0	1	38/325	1.36
MEN Picks up more support at W	CHURCH OF	PLG WENZ moves 26-21	11	4	1	1	5/11	2.14
COLOR ME BADD More early reports at HOT9:	FOREVER	GIANT	10	2	4	6	0/0	7.25

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HISTORY IN BREAKING

BOBBY BROWN

"Humpin' Around"

EARPICKS WINNER!

#1 MOST ADDED!
DEBUT 35 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES!
OVER 1700 BDS DETECTIONS
IN LESS THAN FIVE DAYS!



MCA

From The Long - Awaited New Album Bobby
On The Streets August 25
Single Produced By L.A. Reid, Babyface
And Daryl Simmons For LaFace Inc.
Executive Producers: Louil Silas, Jr., Bobby Brown and Tommy Brown

PATTY SMYTH & DON HENLEY

"Sometimes Love Just Ain't Enough"

ON OVER 150 STATIONS!

EARPICKS WINNER!

OVER 1200 BDS DETECTIONS IN ONE WEEK!



#5 MOST ADDED! 25-15* A/C CHART!

MCA

Proving That Sometimes A Song Is All You Need.
From Her Self - Titled Album
Produced By Roy Bittan

ELTON JOHN

"The One"

A/C: 1-1*
R&R:14-11*
BDS 2500 DETECTIONS!
22-17 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES!
15-12 HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS!



MCA.



JODECI 🖫



15 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES!
46 HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS!
R&R: 19-18*
8-6* P-1 CHART!
28-25* P-2 CHART!
BDS 2405 DETECTIONS!
TOP THREE REQUESTS!





MCA.

THE OUTFIELD

"Winning It All"

ON OVER 70 STATIONS!

THE FOLLOW-UP

TO THE SMASH HIT

"CLOSER TO ME."

MCA.





REQUESTS

Bobby Brown calls in for Constant Craving.

LW	ти	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	нотѕ	INCL	UDING	G	%
1	1	GUNS N' ROSES	NOVEMBER RAIN	GEFFEN	119	Z100 PRO-FM	KIIS Q105	WZPL Q99.5	58
3	2	MADONNA	THIS USED	SIRE/WB	96	Q106 KSOL	STAR94 KPLZ	HOT102 WPLJ	47
5	3	T.L.C.	BABY-BABY-BABY	LAF/ARISTA	87	WMXP HOT102	KBXX HOT977	B94 FM102	42
2	4	SIR MIX-A-LOT	BABY GOT BACK	DEF AM/REP	76	Z100 WHHH	PWR106 KXXR	WHYT Y95	37
10	5	BOYZ II MEN	END OF THE ROAD	MOTOWN	66	92Q KRBE	WPGC KS104	WKBQ KHTK	32
9	6	SHAKESPEAR'S	STAY	LONDON/PLG	63	KIIS WNVZ	WENZ KPLZ	KWOD WAPE	31
8	7	KRIS KROSS	WARM IT UP	RUFF/COL	61	Z100 WTIC	Y107 KZHT	WKSE KHFI	30
7	8	BILLY RAY CYRUS	ACHY BREAKY	MERCURY	59	WDFX KQKQ	KISN MIX96	KC101 WGTZ	29
4	9	TOM COCHRANE	LIFE IS A	CAPITOL	53	WEGX KJ103	WPLJ WOVV	WPST KFFM	26
6	10	MARIAH CAREY	I'LL BE THERE	COLUMBIA	37	B96 KZFM	KTFM KCHH	PWRPIG KKSS	18
12	11	RED HOT CHILI	UNDER THE	WB	36	Q106 K X KT	KRBE KZZU	WEGX KGOT	17
11	12	THE CURE	FRIDAY, I'M	FICT/ELEKTR/	A 35	KWOD WPLJ	WRVQ WQGN	WNVZ KLUC	17
16	13	A.L.T.	TEQUILA	ATCO/EW	34	PWRPIG KWIN	WHHH WKSS	PWR106 KIXY	16
14	14	A. DEVELOPMENT	TENNESSEE	CHRYS/ERG	33	WZPL WKBQ	KXXR WFMF	WEGX KZII	16
13	15	GEORGE MICHAEL	TOO FUNKY	COLUMBIA	30	KIIS KROC	KZZU KNOE	999KHI KTXY	14
15	16	JON SECADA	JUST	SBK/ERG	21	KHMX KISN	KJ103 WKFR	K92 KCHH	10
17	17	B-52'S	GOOD STUFF	REPRISE	20	KWOD K107	WZPL KYYY	WPST WHHY	9
20	18	M. JACKSON	JAM	EPIC	19	HOT977 KF95	WKSE WKEE	WVKS WOKI	9
	19	EN VOGUE	GIVING HIM	ATCO/EW	16	Y95 KKXX	KS104 WAPE	KBXX WILN	7
18	20	TECHNOTRONIC	MOVE THIS	SBK/ERG	13	HOT102 XL106	WKBQ WAZY	KRQ WLAN	6

Total stations reporting this week: 203

BOYZ II NEND OF THE ROAD"





2 HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS! #2 NATIONAL SINGLE SALES! 12-3 SOUNDSCAN!

KMEL	2-1	WWHT	11-4
Y95	2-1	Q106	13-6
WPGC	1-1	KRBE	22-7
KBXX	3-2	Q995	32-7
WHYT	5-2	KKRZ	19-7
WIOQ	2-2	KS104	12-7
KGGI	5-2	WMXP	24-8
KUBE	3-3	PWR106	23-9
Z90	5-4	WXKS	13-9
FM102	11-4	PWRPIG	14-9



11-3 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES! AVG. MOVE 6.66! MONDAY MORNING REPLAY 6-4! #2 DAY, #1 NIGHT AND MAJOR!

KHTK	25-9	WHHH	23-12	KBEQ	17-14	KISN	22-18
92Q	21-9	WNVZ	26-12	WKBQ	28-16	KTFM	21-18
KXXR	20-10	B94	25-13	HOT97.7	19-16	195	39-19
HOT102	14-10	B96	17-14	WJMO	25-17	KIIS	28-20
WEGX	17-12	Q105	21-14	KPLZ	27-18	PWR99	30-20
				Q102	25-18	Z100	25-21
						KDWB	30-23

Produced by L.A. Reid and Babyface Co-Produced by Daryl Simmons Executive Producers: Antonio M. Reid and Kenneth B. Edmonds

LIONEL RICHIE

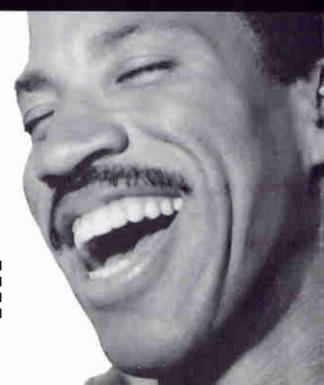
"My Destiny"

FROM HIS PLATINUM MOTOWN ALBUM "BACK TO FRONT"

MOST ADDED TOP 40 AND JAMS! OUT OF THE BOX AT:

WKDD	add	KBFM	add	KZII	add	WHHY	add
WRVQ	add	KISR	add	WBIZ	add	WHTO	add
BOSS97	add	KWNZ	add	103CIR	add	WSTW	add
						WVRS	add





MOW



FIREHOUSE
"When I Look
Into Your Eyes"

ALBUM ALREADY GOLD! NATIONAL MOST ADDED! 41 NEW ADDS INCLUDING:

WPLJ add WWKX add KEGL add Y107 add PRO-FM add 93Q add Q105 add WAPE deb 29 WKBQ add

ON TOUR WITH TESLA!



BILLY JOEL "All Shook Up"

ON "HONEYMOON IN VEGAS" SOUNDTRACK!

MOVIE OPENS AUGUST 25TH! 30 ADDS OUT OF THE BOX! EARPICKS WINNER!

WPLJ add @27 Q995 add KEGL add KJ103 add PRO-FM add K92 add



ROZALLA "Everybody's Free (To Feel Good)"

33-30 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES!
36-24 SOUNDSCAN NEW ARTISTS CHART!
73-53 SOUNDSCAN SINGLES CHART!

WKBQ PWR106 4-1 Z100 add add **KBEQ** KIIS 9-7 add KNOE add PWR99 17-7 **KDWB** add WOVV add





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)
COLOR ME BADD	7.25	6	0	0	6	1	1
GENESIS	5.40	101	4	0	4	8	-
BRYAN ADAMS	5.14	82	3	1	2	1	1
WILSON PHILLIPS	4.94	9	0	0	1	6	11_
PATTY SMYTH	4.53	60	3	0	5	-	-
HI-FIVE	3.62	34	0	0	3	-	6
SHAKESPEAR'S SISTER	3.62	71	39	23	9	2	9
U2	3.35	63	19	4	2	6	3
TOAD THE WET SPROCKE	3.31	67	47	9	5	2	2
FIREHOUSE	3.30	16	0	0	7	5	11
MICHAEL JACKSON	3.28	70	20	2	7	3	8
KWS	3.26	14	6	4	8	-	7
MITCH MALLOY	3.15	43	0	0	2	1	1
K.D. LANG	3.11	26	4	1	6	3	1
RED HOT CHILI PEPPER	3.07	29	0	0	5	10	_1
ELTON JOHN	3.04	52	84	29	6	9	8
N 2 DEEP	2.92	4	5	2	8	2	7
SHABBA RANKS	2.90	5	1	0	2	6	9
A.L.T.	2.82	35	5	1	8	1	2
PETER CETERA	2.81	31	13	5	2	1	1
JADE	2.78	22	8	2	3	1	6
TECHNOTRONIC	2.78	48	37	22	6	1	9
BABYFACE	2.75	36	0	0	2	10	4
CELINE DION	2.62	37	0	0	2	5	1
RALPH TRESVANT	2.60	23	2	0	2	10	2
JOE PUBLIC	2.40	24	5	3	1	1	1
ROZALLA	2.38	15	7	2	5	2	5
A B LOGIC	2.36	6	2	0	3	-	1
SAIGON KICK	2.35	5	0	0	4	1	-
GIANT	2.32	23	1	0	2	1	-
SOUP DRAGONS	2.30	18	3	0	3	2	1
DAVID SANBORN	2.28	8	0	0	4	1	1
CECE PENISTON	2.27	43	43	18	2	3	9
MARY J. BLIGE	2.19	5	3	2	1	1	9
TORI AMOS	2.16	19	1	0	4	1	1
OUTFIELD	2.110	15	0	0	2	1	1
JODECI	2.05	31	42	18	. 5	6	9

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.

HIS ECLECTIC BROADCAST VET HAS d stints in production at ABC Sports d as host of the short-lived MTV magine show, "Like We Care!," though he eps one foot firmly planted in the orld of radio, with no small thanks to s benefactor and frequent employer, .M. John O'Rourke, with whom Trey s worked at both WRQN in Toledo, hio, and WDJB (B106) in Fort Wayne, diana. Alexander got his start at HFD in Archbold, Ohio, an hour uthwest of Toledo, while still in colge. He returned to B106 as APD/MD, ming back after a stint at MTV when e video channel canceled his show. ey Trey, like we care!! Anyway, with a ree-year contract locked away in a New ork City bank vault, Alexander joined his pal O'Rourke to "Free the e." He was just named PD of the stan, enabling O'Rourke to focus on prootion and sales, continuing to work ward his goal of GM. Alexander is static, but he had no idea of the eights he was about to reach with

at happened to the first station you er worked at?

e Hive herself, Connie "B" Reeze.

TS' resident honey pot and Queen of

's changed calls and gone gold. As a atter of fact, it's the first "All DAT" station the country.

you were in a small town like rchbold, how did you manage to score gig with ABC Sports?

started out as a production intern, and en they hired me for the summers full me. I went on all the golf tours... the I.S. Open, the PGA, the U.S. Seniors tour.

'RQN was a great station when you nd John O'Rourke were there.

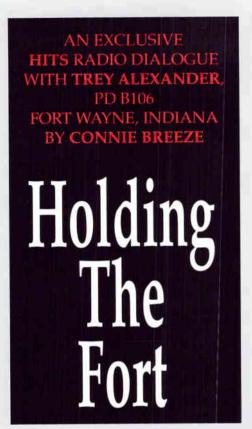
really was! Unfortunately, it really tarted slipping after John left. It wasn't en [Benson]'s fault, either. It was upper anagement. People just started leaving ne after another and how can you keep a tation together then?

Then you went to WDJB, you jumped ight into programming, didn't you? 'es, John knew he would be busy with erations and promotions and hired me s APD. He's recently given me the golden portunity to be PD!

_nd the battle with WMEE is getting

retty heated.

'es, it is! Inevitably, something very cometitive happens at every promotion It can uncomfortable, but it's a battle for adversers, and our ratings are very, very close. hat's one thing you're doing differenty to help put the station over the top? 'e've just expanded our alternative show. t started out as 10 p.m. - 12 a.m. Sundays. le had it on after "Open House Party"



Right! Our slogan is "Gotta Hear It." The TV spots are really over the top. We did our own version of the one that opens with John Tesh, but we have a newscaster from Toledo instead and we put several artists in - even the Mayor of Fort Wayne is in our spots! You know the one where the fat guy is dancing in front of the brick wall? We put a fat guy in front of a brick wall and a big bee dances into the picture. And the guy dances out of the frame with the killer bee. The spots are the talk of the town! How did you score the MTV gig? Jeff Pollack recommended me. They had hired all of their full-time talent, but I sent them a tape and they called back for more. Then Matt Farber flew me out and I did an absolutely awful audition. I got on the plane, said to myself, "Well, that was fun. I'll never hear from them again!" Two weeks later, they hired me! I moved to New York and did my afternoon show from there, and we built a promotion around it. The show was shortlived, and when it ended, I came back to Fort Wayne.

What happens if you become a radio statistic? Thank God I have a television tape to fall

RIGHT NOW, I'M JUST A GUY CURSED WITH THE 'ALEX B. KEATON' CIAL HAIR' LOOK, SO I LOOK FORWARD T



NUDGING NUGENT: Rock star and big game hunter Ted Nugent calls for his bowand-arrow before taking aim on the following road kill, B106 PD Trey Alexander (r) and O.M. John O'Rourke (1).

and we saw the response triple when the alternative show came on. It's now on from 11 p.m. - 12 a.m. every night, and we feel very good about what the book will show at the end of the month.

What's the "Free the Bee" promotion all about? There's a law here that forbids the use of those huge inflatable mascots, one of which we have. Every time we do a promotion, we use our inflatable Bee. We've been fined, but we still use it, so the city wants to destroy our Bee. We've started this big campaign to "Free the Bee!" And you've recently done a tie-in with Pepsi.

back on. At least I can pursue that. I still feel like I have a lot to do, though. John O'Rourke, [WMMS APD] Brad Hansen and I all work closely on the phone, and someday, we'd like to get together in a Top 20 market and see what happens when we're all programming in the same building. John and I just make a great team. We have our times that we bitch at each other, but there's a ton of respect between us, and Brad is a part of that as well. Right now, I'm just a guy cursed with the "Alex B. Keaton I Have No Facial Hair" look, so I look forward to shaving!

"SAD NEW DA



BUZZ CLIP! STRESS ROTATION!

WHYT	add		FM102	26-23
KBXX	deb	24	WTIC	40-37
KHTK	deb	29	BREAKIN	IG AT
92Q	deb	29	WZOU	io Ai.
KPRR	deb	29	KMEL	
PWR102	deb	35	PWRPIG	
BOSS97	deb	39	WHHH	
KBFM	deb	40	B95	

"Great guitar lick to kick off the song and it never slows down! It's a jam!" - Chuck Field, APD/MD, FM102



"NOBODY WINS IN THIS WAR"

ON OVER 116 TOP 40s!

WDJX	add		KJ103	deb	34	KAY107	26-21	WLAN	34-27
KCHH	add		WMMZ	deb	35	WHTO	25-22	WCGQ	33-27
KQIZ	add		WSPK	deb	37	WBBQ	30-22	KWTX	31-27
WKQB	add					Y102	32-23	KZZU	31-27
WKSF	add		WAAL	15-1	1	KNIN	29-23	KGOT	31-27
			WRQK	1 <i>7-</i> 1:	2	103CIR	27-23	WJAD	35-28
95XIL	deb	24	WPRR	22-1	5	93Q	26-23	K106	33-28
KKHT	deb	27	KTXY	19-1	5	WSTW	26-23	KFQX	33-28
KQKQ	deb	28	KKRD	19-1	6	WKRZ	29-23	KQIX	33-28
Z104	deb	28	KDWB	23-1	8	KZIO	31-24	KMCK	32-28
B94	deb	29	WLRW	21-1	8	WIXX	30-24	WRCK	33-29
95XXX	deb	29	WPST	22-1	8	KG95	28-24	WWFX	35-30
KQHT	deb	29	WBNQ	25-1	9	WBIZ	27-24	WVSR	34-30
Q101	deb	29	FM104	22-1	9	KYYY	30-25		
KXKT	deb	29	KRNQ	23-2	0	WFLY	28-25	BREAKI	NG AT:
KZ93	deb	30	WHHY	28-2	1	KTMT	33-26	KEGL	WWKX
WERZ	deb	30	Y94	27-2	1	B106	31-26	Q102	WNVZ
\A/A 7\/	حا د اد	22	KDOC	24.2	1	VTI IV	21-24	VVVD	



Street Fighting Man

An exclusive HITS interview with Burt Baumgartner, Senior VP Promotion, Columbia Records by Roy Trakin

his Sacramento native and son of an automobile dealer ("There's not a lot of difference between a promotion man and a car salesman," he laughs) got his start in the business as an intern at local station KNDE under the late Rick Carroll. He then helped put crosstown FM102 on the air with PD Don Wright when he was 19 years old. He was the jack-of-all-trades at the station, performing the duties of Music Director, Promotions Director and salesman, as well as midday and weekend jock. Burt took the Top 40 background he got at KNDE and applied it to Album Rock at FM102 by developing a format he dubbed "Earth Rock," a superstars rotation which competed against the more free-form KZAP. He was then hired away to take his "Earth Rock" format to KSJO in San Jose.



Always wanting to buy his own station, Baumgartner soon realized he'd never be able to afford to be an owner on his paltry programming salary, so he turned to the record industry in hopes of one day running his own label. He did local promotion for RCA a year and a half before he was hired away by Columbia, where he's been for the last 16 years, the first ten as a regional in San Francisco, then to New York as Director of Album Promotion, Director of Singles, VP of Singles, VP of Promotion and, for the past two years, Senior VP Promotion. At the moment, he's breaking new acts like Kris Kross, Sophie B. Hawkins, Toad the Wet Sprocket, Joe Public and Rodney Crowell, while maintaining the success for established acts like Mariah Carey, George Michael, Michael Bolton and Bruce Springsteen. If Burt thought he had paid his dues, he had another guess coming, as he subjected himself to the ultimate test of witlessness, a session with HITS' resident Senior Citizen Roy "Achy Breaky" Trakin.

"We use our gut alot at Columbia Records.

We don't go by book one page one of 'How To Break Records.'"

How do you balance breaking new acts with maintaining established artists?

A lot of it is timing. We have to plan and time the new acts. The whole thing is not trying to break too many new artists at one time; that's why they call them priorities. Nobody was waiting for a Todd the Wet Sprocket, nobody was waiting for Kris Kross, Joe Public or Sophie B. What we do is spend time setting up artists. We do this at conventions and by putting out CD and cassette samplers several times a year. We're constantly playing music for people. It's very simple. I teach my local guys the ABCs. When they go into a radio station, they talk about the records we have on the charts so we have an indication of how they're performing, how they're researching, how they're doing in requests and sales. We constantly receive input every week from radio on our artists. At the same time, we're constantly setting up and playing radio new music. There's nothing easier to do than just play music for programmers without the pressure of having them to

get an add. The worst thing in the world is to be going out for adds on a record, and the Music Director hasn't even heard it.

You really created a pre-release buzz for Sophie B. Hawkins.

In some cases, we take the artists on promotional tours so people can meet them and experience their personalities. Sophie B. has a personality which makes Madonna look like a girl scout. So you'll understand where she's coming from and why her music is so different. It's one of the freshest sounds on the radio today. And that's because of the personality behind it. Don Ienner, David Kahne and our A&R department are signing real artists that make and produce and write their own music.

They're going to have big careers. They're not just one-hit wonders.

It seemed a big gamble to go so quickly to Top 40 with Sophie.

We actually went Alternative first about six weeks before we went to Top 40. We use our gut alot at Columbia Records. We don't go by book one page one of "How To

Break Records." And our gut told us it was a Top 40 record with an alternative sound to it. When you have Top 40 success so quickly, it just looks like there was nothing there. I have people telling me what an overnight success Michael Bolton was. Here's a guy who spent 15 years to become an overnight success. People have that perception because there's nothing bigger than a Top 40 artist. I have friends I call civilians because they're not in the business who think that the Red Hot Chili Peppers are a brand-new band. It's just perception!

On the other hand, it took almost a year to break through with Toad the Wet Sprocket.

Again, every record has its own life. We waited a year to go to Top 40 with Toad the Wet Sprocket because that's how long it took before the timing was right. We nurtured the band. They went out and played. They toured and started to build up a real nice fan base, expanding on what they had on the West Coast. Plus, they matured as musicians. I'd seen them play over the

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year the record was out and they have steadily grown. We had always thought a couple of tracks on this record had Top 40 potential. We had peaked at the Alternative level, so we decided to go, not only to Top 40, but to Album Radio at the same time. Again, there are no rules. We put two months into set-up and building Toad at Top 40 with my national and local staff. And then, we didn't try to - and I hate this saying - "blow the record out" the first week. We wanted to build and continue showing more stations coming in, to give encouragement to those who were on the record early. With Toad, we had no real sales, no massive MTV play, no request base... All we had was a great piece of music and a killer instinct from my promotion staff to get the record. We believed it was a hit from the beginning.

You're now starting to cross Rodney Crowell over.

When I first got the tape from Rodney of his new album, I went home, put it on and freaked out. The music is tremendous. It's some of the best songwriting, production and playing I've heard in awhile. It wasn't country; it was mainstream, wonderful music. I talked to Donnie and he felt the same way about the record. Rodney obviously has the credentials as a songwriter and player. When he came up to my office, he said he didn't want to be pigeonholed as a country artist. He just wants to make great music and get it to the masses. We took the record out and played it for radio and some of the trades and we got great reaction. It's just great music which we want to expose to the public and let them make up their mind to buy the record which, in this economy, is no small feat.

What do you look for in hiring a promotion person?

Very simple. When I interview people, I care first and foremost about their passion for the music. If I played you

Mariah Carey's "Vision of Love" three years ago, if that didn't send goosebumps up your arms, if you didn't realize this was a special talent and this was special music, then you may not be right for me. I can teach someone to promote a record and how the business also works, but you can't instill passion. I also look for experience. Every member of my national staff has done local promotion. They came up through the ranks. I'm a firm believer in that because that's the way I did it and that's the way Don Ienner did it, too. They have to know what it's like to work in the branch system. They have to know what it's like to hang out at Tower Records with the retail people. They have to know the basics of this business from



EARTH TO BURT: Columbia Sr. VP Promotion **Burt Baumgartner** back in his FM102 "Earth Rock" daze. Have you ever seen him in the same room as **Andy Kaufman?** Just asking.

the ground up. And, they're street fighters. It's the local promotion staff who are the

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than add and report it. "

foot-soldiers that carry out the game plan. It's relationships. You have to have people with credibility and honesty who know to promote the right records to the right stations. You have to love radio.

How has your promotional strategy been affected by the increasing fragmentation of Top 40 radio?

"What I need is for radio to expose

my record by giving it a rotation to find

out if it is or isn't a hit."

Top 40 has gone into all sorts of niche programming, but if you know Top 40 radio and understand how the PD programs his individual station, and bring him the correct music, you then build up a credibility. It's the right records on the right radio station. Most of the records we talk about today are not going to be on 100% of the stations. Even our biggest stars can only achieve 90-95% of total radio. I can live with that; I'm here to sell records. I'm not here to see if I can close every radio station in America. We know where to take a Kris Kross record; we know where to take a Toad record. And

there are still some very successful, old-fashioned Top 40 radio stations, like Z-100 in New York and KIIS-FM in Los Angeles, who play a wide assortment of artists. We try to understand radio and be their friend. We try to put the right song on the right station. But trying to put the wrong record on a station will lose you credibility in a hurry. With all the computerization and technology, it still comes down to relationships. Understanding the programmer, the way he thinks, the way he wants his station to sound, his marketplace and giving him the proper records.

How does your promotion department interact with marketing and sales at Columbia?

We talk almost daily and have a couple of large-scale weekly meetings. Marketing gives us the music real early and introduces us to the band so we can get into their heads. On a Toad the Wet Sprocket, where airplay is leading the way, we push marketing and sales to make sure they're right behind us, setting up advertising and tour

schedules and making sure the record is visible in the stores. On the other hand, our sales department let us know right up front we were having a sales explosion with Kris Kross. The re-order

pattern was just tremendous. Paul Smith and Danny Yarbrough have proven they're the best in the world at what they do. They filled the

pipelines, getting the records from manufacturing to retail instantaneously. My hat is off to them.

What is Don Ienner's role in all of this? Does he put a lot of pressure on you to deliver?

He puts pressure on himself and in turn we put pressure on ourselves to deliver for him.

I have to say, personally, he has really blown my mind. His natural genius for the music business is

uncanny. He always has the right answers. He is very music-driven, which shows in

the quality of the records he has given us. When I first took over the promotion department, he worked with me

daily, but now that he has the confidence in us, he gives us the records, we make 'em fly and he's the proud papa. He's the quarter-back and we're the running backs. Luckily, we've scored a few touchdowns.

How do you see MTV's influence?

MTV is the biggest radio station in America. Sometimes we get into a game where they want more radio and we want more video exposure. So you get caught in a Catch-22, which is frustrating. I wish they would step out a few times because I think sometimes they're given videos which would be hits on MTV whether or not they

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are radio-driven. I think they should take more risks. But do you feel them? Absolutely. When they get on a video, we see sales. So I love 'em.

Why was Top 40 so luke-

warm to Bruce Springsteen?

Radio didn't know how Bruce Springsteeen was going to be accepted because it's been so long since he had current product out. Album Radio obviously accepted him with open arms. I was very happy to see Adult Contemporary accept him, too. I mean, these days, there's not much different between Top 40 and a Hot Adult Contemporary. Adult Radio accepted Bruce because much of his audience has grown older and is in that market. Top 40 accepted him with limitations. Obviously, Bruce is not going to get on the Churban and Dance stations. We had nice success with "Human Touch"; we went Top Ten with it. Unfortunately, we didn't have the success we thought we'd have with "57 Channels." Part of Bruce's excitement and charisma will come out on the tour. He just sold out 11 nights at the Meadowlands -220,000 tickets in three-and-ahalf hours. When Bruce hits the States with those great shows, you'll see Top 40 start to regain its confidence in him. Do you feel rock & roll has a future at Top 40 radio? I'll do my best to keep it there. I love rock & roll. It's what got a lot of us into this business. But things are changing. I remember when I was a kid, I loved the Beatles, but my dad said, "I hope they go back to England on a boat and it sinks." If my dad had loved the

Soundgarden. It's a different generation and they want their own bands. In the light of that development, how do you feel about the big-money deals signed recently by Aerosmith and ZZ Top? The reason these deals are worthwhile is

Beatles, I probably wouldn't

have loved them as much.

into the Rolling Stones,

Today, the kids' parents are

Aerosmith and Springsteen,

to Pearl Jam, Nirvana and

so you're seeing the kids turn



CAREY ON, BURT: A good promotion executive always knows how to place the right record with the right radio station. And if that doesn't work, he sets the artist up with the PD, as Burt Baumgartner middles for Mariah Carey and Z-100 God Steve Kingston.



NUT AND BOLTON: Michael Bolton discovers Burt's ticklish spot is right below



DUDE LOOKS LIKE A BURT: Columbia Sr. VP Promotion Burt Baumgartner weasels his way into this photo opportunity with Aerosmith's Steve Tyler and fellow labelites Jerry Bloir and Lisa Wolfe before turning to the rocker and uttering the immortal comment, "I thought the Stones weren't on this label anymore."

because these are international deals. When Sony Music signs Aerosmith for around the world, it's not that hard to recoup their money. Bruce Springsteen just toured the U.K.; eight of the records from his back

catalog are now on the charts there. Bruce Springsteen has sold eight million copies of his latest records world-wide. three in the States and five internationally. The Bruce Springsteen satellite radio broadcast reached 15 different countries live. And those kids in Amsterdam or Italy can run out and buy the record as well as the fans in L.A. and Kansas City can. The world is becoming one big marketplace. What are some of your

other priorities over the next few months?

You're going to hear a new C+C Music Factory, Midi, Maxi & Efti, reggae from Super-Cat and Wailin' Souls on Chaos, a terrific album from Roger Waters of Pink Floyd fame and the new Soul Asylum is just amazing. Where do you see the job of

promotion going over the next decade?

I think mainstream Top 40 radio is finally learning its lesson and staying away from all these crazes and fads. They're balancing their playlists with different kinds of music. I see Adult Contemporary coming on as the baby boom generation continues to get older. Music is something that's part of everybody's lifestyle. The monitoring of radio is going to change our relationship with the stations. As far as I'm concerned, I'd rather radio play the record than add and report it. Airplay is the most important thing. People can't respond and buy a record unless they hear the music. It's not about how many adds you can get. What I need is for radio to expose my record by giving it a rotation to find out if it is or isn't a hit. If it isn't, I can live with that, too. But it's to both our benefits to

size up a record's hit potential as soon as possible.

When and where do you read HITS magazine? I read it weekly. Friday

in my office, I read "Front Pages," "I.B. Bad" and "Wavelength." Then, Sunday nights after "60 Minutes," I re-read all the trades to get my mind ready for work on Monday morning.





12 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES! 43 JAMS SINGLES!



Q102	add		WXKS	3-3				
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			WIOQ	8-6	KMEL	15-10	KPLZ	20-17
HOT97	1-1		KZHT	7-7	WWHT	13-10	Z100	#18
WJMO	2-2		WDFX	8-8	KBXX	#11	KKRZ	28-25
92Q	3-2		KBEQ	11-8	PRO-FM	18-14	WZPL	30-26

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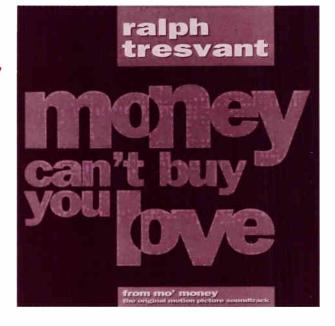
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KKFR	18-14	WEGX 26-21	KBEQ	#27
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Q995	add	KXKT	add	KG95	add	KLUC	deb	28
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This week **Bobby Brown** returns in a big way with strong support at radio and retail while **Wilson Phillips** receives much talk from Top 40 and Adult radio. **Del Amitri** and **Sophie B. Hawkins** score strong their first week out while

DJ Quik is a retail monster. **Charles & Eddie** and **Billy Joel** pick up good first week mentions while major markets are buzzing about the new **Snap** single.

WINNERS

- 1 BOBBY BROWN
- W. PHILLIPS
- 3 DEL AMITRI
- 4 S.B. HAWKINS
- 5 DJ QUIK
- HUMPIN'...
- GIVE IT UP ALWAYS THE...
- CALIFORNIA...
- JUS LYKE...
- (MCA)
- (SBK/ERG)
- (M&A)
- (Columbia)
- (Profile)
- C & EDDIE
- BILLY JOEL
- 8 SNAP
- 9 SMYTH/HENLEY
 - 10 HI-FIVE
- WOULD I LIE... ALL SHOOK UP
- (Capitol) (Epic S'trax)
- RHYTHM IS A...
 - (Arista)
- LOVE AIN'T...
 - (MCA)
- SHE'S PLAYING... (Jive)

B ACKERMAN/KROC/ROCHESTER D Amitri/B Brown/W Phillips/C Dion

T ALEXANDER/B106/FORT WAYNE D Amitri/L Vale/SB Hawkins

DAVE ALLEN/WJMX/FLORENCE W Phillips/B Brown/L Richie

K ALTOMARE/RHINO RECORDS/LA Lemonheads/XTC/Prince

DAVE ARTHUR/KF95/BOISE B Brown/W Phillips/SB Hawkins/Jade

M ASCH/JEK ENT/BALTIMORE B Brown/L Richie/Men/DJ Quik

TRACY AUSTIN/KHFI/AUSTIN S Sister/D Amitri/Hi-Five

DALE BAIRD/KZFM/CORPUS CHRISTI S Dragons/TLC

L BATCHECK/REC & TAPE/COLUM C&C Music/B Brown/L Hallaway/MJ Blige

RICK BELCHER/WIOG/SAGINAW D Amitri/S Kick

M BLAKEMORE/WLRW/CHAMPAIGN B Adams/D Amitri/W Phillips

ERIK BRADLEY/WCKZ/CHARLOTTE C & Eddie/Voices/Eric B/T Campbell

T BRENNER/ARROW DIST/SOLON Chills/D Bowie/CTU Sex Machine GUY BROUILLARD/CKOI/MONTREAL B Brown/SB Hawkins/B Joel/W Phillips

RON BUNCE/PWR95/MILWAUKEE D Leppard/B Brown

TREVOR CAREY/B95/FRESNO B Brown/K Sweat/DJ Quik

DAVE CARROLL/CD ONE-STOP/CONN B II Men/G Parker/EPMD/21 Guns

FELIX THE CAT/TOWER/BERKLEY TTW Sprocket/Hi-Five/Nirvana

BUBBA CHAVEZ/WSKX/SAVANNAH MA Large/R. Kelly/B Brown/Snap

LEE CHESNUT/STAR94/ATLANTA C & Eddie/L Buckingham/W Phillips

DAVE CHRISTOPHER/KWTX/WACO
B Brown/B Joel

PAT CLOUD/KQID/ALEXANDRIA B Joel/S Plunkett/Slaughter/Giant

J COHEN/STRAWBERRIES/BOSTON INXS/SB Hawkins/MA Large/B Brown

TIYA COLEMAN/TOWER/LAS VEGAS DJ Quik/T Campbell/B Brown/Linear

DAVE COOPER/WWFX/BANGOR SB Hawkins/B Brown/Slaughter

ALEX COSPER/KWOD/SACRAMENTO Morrissey/Sighs/MI Motion/M Lemon Drops N CRUISE/KKMG/COLORADO SPRINGS B Brown/Snap/N Steen/T Campbell

TONI CRUISE/KKNB/LINCOLN

B Adams/B Brown/Linear

BILL CSONGRADI/Y94/FARGO W Phillips/Smyth-Henley/Slaughter

DAVE CURTIS/LECHMERE/BOSTON SB Hawkins/D Amitri/B Joel/Smyth-Henley

ALBIE D/WPGC/WASH DC EPMD/MC Brains/PM Dawn

LARRY D/XL106/ORLANDO MI Motion/V Dance/Rozalla

CHRIS DAVIS/KHQ/CHARLEVOIX
B Brown/Hi-Five

J DAWSON/CAMPUS REC/COLUMBUS B Brown/DJ Quik/T Campbell/W Phillips

JOHN DAWSON/WJAD/BAINBRIDGE B Brown/W Phillips/Hi-Five

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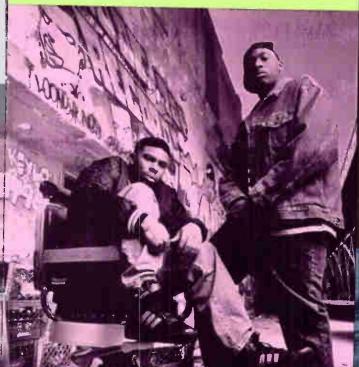
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T DOWNING/SCOTT'S/INDIANAPOLIS B Brown/E John/B Adams/A.L.T.

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B FENTY/ASSOCIATED/PHOENIX
B Brown/B Joel/Snap/W Phillips

LOU GHIRALDI/MCD MUSIC/NY Smyth-Henley/UK Joe/E Lewis/B Brown

TOM GJERDRUM/KQKQ/OMAHA
B Brown/W Phillips/D Amitri/Smyth-Henley

D GOIST/NAT'L REC/PITTSBURGH L Buckingham/Fu 2/A.L.T./AB Logic

SCOTT GORDON/KHTK/ST. LOUIS C&C Music

JIM GRADY/KISR/FT SMITH Cracker/C & Eddie

K HARNETT/COCONUTS/INDY D Bowie/Me Phi Me/A.L.T./HO Pain

B.J. HARRIS/PWRPIG/TAMPA
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G HUNTER/ABBEY ROAD/LA B Brown/DJ Quik/W Phillips/L Richie JEFF HUNTER/I94/HONOLULU B Brown/Jade

TRACY JOHNSON/Q106/SAN DIEGO Goddess/D Sanborn

JACKIE JOHNSON/WBIZ/EAU CLAIRE L Richie/Smyth-Henley/A Lennox

GLENN KALINA/WIOQ/PHILADELPHIA ADOR/EPMD/C & Eddie/R Boys

JOHN KELLY/KYYY/BISMARCK B Brown/W Souls/L Richie/S Kick

DAVE KELLY/WCGQ/COLUMBUS D Amitri/B Brown/D Leppard

BILL KLAPROTH/WTBX/HIBBING B Brown/A.L.T./W Phillips

KANDY KLUCH/WKSS/HARTFORD B Brown/MJ Blige/Babyface/W Souls

ROSS KNIGHT/KTFM/SAN ANTONIO B Brown/EPMD/A Development

K KNIGHT/KTXY/JEFFERSON CITY W Phillips/B Brown/B Crowes/Firehouse

JIM LASPESA/TOWER SUNSET/LA XTC/Stairs/D Bowie

RICKY LEIGH/FM102/SACRAMENTO Me Phi Me/TK Kult/B Brown

DAVID LEVINE/HMV/NYC S Youth/Das EFX/M Curry/SB Hawkins

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GARY MARSHALL/KTRS/CASPER W Phillips/B Brown

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MATT MCCANN/KRNQ/DES MOINES W Phillips/Firehouse/D Amitri/SB Hawkins

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J MCFADDEN/WKEE/HUNTINGTON W Phillips/C Dion/B Brown/T Collins

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M PFAFFL/MAINSTREAM/MILWAUK DJ Quik/Men/B Brown/MJ Blige

J PIRKLE/WOKI/KNOXVILLE TK Kult/Gerardo/SB Hawkins

RAY POLLARD/99KG/SALINA H Jones/I Girls

BILL PRESSLY/KKYK/LITTLE ROCK D Amitri/SB Hawkins

J PRIMERANO/FRANSCONT/BUFF Men/SB Hawkins/B Brown

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T ROSS/CENTRAL SO/NASHVILLE B Brown/W Phillips/SB Hawkins/Snap

BOB SAY/MOBY DISC/LOS ANGELES G Parker/David J/U Saints/C & Eddie

T SBRIGLIA/TRANSCONT/BUFFALO W Phillips/DJ Quik/D Amitri/Men

ROGER SCOTT/KRQ/TUCSON B Brown/Opus III/W Phillips

J SHAHINIAN/RECORD EXCH/CLEVE DJ Quik/Men/SB Hawkins/D Amitri

JAY SHANNON/KFQX/ABILENE R Raider/B Holly/D Amitri

T SHANNON/WILN/PANAMA CITY B Brown/W Phillips/SB Hawkins/D Amitri

G SHAVER/MUSIC PEOPLE/OAKLAND B Brown/Hi-Five/A Development/MC Search

SCOTT SHAW/WNNK/HARRISBURG B Brown/TK Kult/C & Eddie J SHELLEY/SOUND SHOP/MEMPHIS B II Men/BR Cyrus/SM-A-Lot/Madonna

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LW	TW	ARTIST-LABEL	COMMENTS
11	1	SONIC YOUTH - DGC 100%	Next BUZZ BIN?
1	2	FAITH NO MORE - Slash/Reprise Midlife Crisis	MTV BUZZ BIN!
2	3	B-52'S - Reprise Various	We Like It T-I-Is
4	4	SINGLES ST - Epic Soundtrax Dyslexic Heart	MTV BUZZ BIN!
10	5	MINISTRY - Sire/WB N.W,O.	#1 PoMo Sales!
6	6	TEMPLE OF THE DOG - A&M Hunger Strike	MTV BUZZ BIN!
3	7	CURE - Fiction/Elektra Friday I'm In Love	Leshay's a VEEP!
7	8	HELMET - Interscope In The Meantime	Airplay!Sales!
5	9	BEASTIE BOYS - Capitol So What'cha Want	I want platinum
9	10	LEMONHEADS - Atlantic It's A Shame	Can I borrow PJs?
21	11	COOL WORLD ST - WB Disappointed/R.C.W.	Five Cuts Deep!
8	12	L7 - Slash Pretend We're Dead	MTV BUZZ CLIP!
14	13	U2 - Island/PLG Various	club tour w/Cure
12	14	ANNIE LENNOX - Arista Walking On Broken	"glass" next HIT!
13	15	INDIGO GIRLS - Epic Galileo	Add "Joking!"
16	16	PEARL JAM - Epic Jeremy/Even Flow	Amazing video
17	17	SOUP DRAGONS - Big Life/Mercury Divine/Pleasure	MTV BUZZ BIN!
	18	RED HOT CHILI PEPPER - WB Breaking The Girl	Biggest Hit on LP!
18	19	CATHERINE WHEEL - Fontana/Merc Black Metallic	Fontana Tour '92!
19	20	JESUS & MARY CHAIN - Def A/WB Far Gone And Out	Hangin' w/Todd
15	21	XTC - Geffen Dear Madame Barnum	X -96 Add
20	22	LOS LOBOS - Slash/WB Reva's House	#1 KBCO,WXRT
	23	SUICIDAL TENDENCIES - Epic Asleep At The Wheel	MTV ADD!
22	24	CRACKER - Virgin Happy Birthday To Me	Aug. 5th b'day

25 CHARLATANS - B.Banquet/RCA

See The Sight/Weirdo

POST TOASTED By Ivana B. Adored

PHENOBARB BAMBALAM: This week's PoMo Top Ten is the absolute swellest in ages and ages. 'Course it would be even better if L7 were still up top, but look, 'nary a band from Manchester, which is a nice respite 'til the "In The City" Convention in September. It's no secret that I'm way-excited about this UK gathering; let's hope it's half as good as the "Concrete Foundations" Seminar (a.k.a. Lonn's yearly bar

mitzvah). Call or fax if you want an early peek at the schedule and panels for "In The City".....By the way Lonn, if you bothered to comprehend anything that isn't directly related to you, you'd know that I AM NOT a fan of Lollapalooza, where mersh rules art, and despite the pc vibe, the only women are the ones waiting on long lines for the port-a-sans. Incidentally, Dave Mustaine hung out in the HITS PoMo den, where we chatted about politics and Sonic Youth. Guess he's



PoMo's NEXT Vice President!

my good friend now, too. Let's all do lunch.....Jon Leshay, the man who makes Lenny truly appreciate me, has been given his V.P. stripes. And to think, he's never seen the Cure live! Leshay will setting up a sophisticated communication system (two cans and a long string) between his and Backer's office, hoping that some of Backer's massive success at MTV and on the HITS PoMo chart will infiltrate to him. Congrats, congrats, congrats; I'm insanely jealous. Send me a couple of Chris Harford tapes to smooth my ruffled feathers, okay?....The owners of WDRE have bought a Christian station in Philadelphia. Stay tuned....Bye, bye to Tony Powers from KJJO. Is Garth Brooks in their immediate future?....Is there some implicit force that propels all John Silvamanaged bands immediately into the #1 spot on the PoMo chart? Sonic Youth's "Dirty" is flyin' on the air and out of the stores! Hooray!.....I've been hearing "Black Sunshine" by Me Phi Me on KROQ; sounds amazing and totally fits in. This could be as huge as PM Dawn, check it out......Took my able bodied co-hort Nick Bull out for a belated birthday lunch with Mark Chotiner from Mercury, Kyle and Jeff from PLG, Michelle from Morgan Creek, Dave (my love god) from Capitol and (no shit) Jordan Knight from New Kids On The Block. He's really very PoMo at heart. My birthday is on August 5th (hint, hint).....Album Of The Month: Chris Connelly's "Phenobarb Bambalam." Completely and utterly brilliant!......Happy Birthday Jody Denberg!

##TS August 3, 1992

See at Reading!



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- 1. SONIC YOUTH (DGC)
- 2. MINISTRY (WB)
- SINGLES ST (Epic Soundtrax)
- 4. B-52's (Reprise)
- 5. TEMPLE OF THE DOG (A&M)
- 5. COOL WORLD ST (WB)

- 1. MARK CURRY (Single) (Virgin)
- 2. MORRISSEY (LP) (Sire/Reprise)
- 3. BELLY (EP) (4AD)
- 4. CARTER USM (Single) (Chrysalis/ERG)
- 4. BOO RADLEYS (EP) (Columbia)
- 6. KITCHENS OF DISTINCTION (Single) (A&M)

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

WHFS / BOB WAUGH / AN-**NAPOLIS**

B-52's

Charlatans

Cure

Del Amitri

INXS

PLASTIC FANTASTIC / DAVID

CASTLEMAN / ARDMORE, PA.

Sonic Youth

Singles ST

Temple Of The Dog

Ministry

Lemonheads

BOULDER

Joan Armatrading

WHTG / MIKE BUTSCHER / AS-

BURY PARK

Faith No More

Thrill Kill Kult

Temple Of The Dog

Cause & Effect

Shakespear's Sister

ATLANTA CD (PEACHTREE) /

BRAD SYNA / ATLANTA

Sonic Youth

Singles ST

Magnapop

T Bone Burnett

Sonny Landreth

WRAS / MONTERO/LITTRELL /

ATLANTA

Singles ST

Ministry

Cracker

L7

Cool World ST

KNNC / PAUL KRIEGLER /

AUSTIN

Beastie Boys

Singles ST

Faith No More

Ministry

Cool World ST

MODERN MUSIC / CHRIS

CAMPBELL / BALTIMORE Ministry

Sonic Youth

Helmet

Rollins Band

Pitch Shifter

WFNX / KURT ST.THOMAS / BOSTON

Beastie Boys

Catherine Wheel

Faith No More

Sonic Youth

Lemonheads

KBCO / DOUG CLIFTON /

Los Lobos

Lindsey Buckingham

Elton John

Levellers

WBIM / ROGER TIBBETTS /

BRIDGEWATER, MA

Beastie Boys

Helmet Sonic Youth

Singles ST

B-52's

DOG EAR / RICK JOHNSON /

CHICAGO

Suicidal Tendencies

Catherine Wheel Deee-Lite

Erasure

Urge Overkill

DR. WAX / MIKE MANN /

CHICAGO

Sonic Youth

Ministry

Danzig Catherine Wheel

Autoclave

WXRT / PAUL MARSZALEK / **CHICAGO**

Los Lobos

Cure

Black Crowes

Melissa Etheridge

Charlatans

RECORD REVOLUTION / BOB

FULLER / CLEVELAND

Sonic Youth

Ministry

Cool World ST Catherine Wheel

Deee-Lite

MANIFEST / RICK WEINER / 7

COLUMBIA, S.C.

Polvo

Final Cut

Pitch Shifter

Killbilly

Wolfgang Press

WWCD / TOM TEUBER/DIRK

THOMPSON / COLUMBUS

Del Amitri

Tori Amos

Cracker

James McMurtry Sarah McLachlin

WUXTRY / MARK METHE /

DECATUR,GA

Sonic Youth

Annie Lennox B-52's

Ministry

Polvo

CIMX / GREG ST. JAMES /

DETROIT

Pearl Jam Temple Of The Dog

B-52's

U2 Faith No More

STARSHIP RECORDS / JAY / EN-

TERPRISE, AL

Ministry

Danzig

Megadeth

Too Short Boomerang ST

KTCL / JOHN HAYES / FT. COL-

LINS

Cure

XTC

Sonic Youth

Faith No More B-52's

HYDE PARK CORNER / AARON

ABLER / IRVINE

Carter USM

Ministry

Sonic Youth Cool World ST

Shakespear's Sister

Sentridoh Wedding Present Grenadine

Sonic Youth

KEDG / DON PARKER / LAS

Polvo

VEGAS

Morrissey Beautiful South

L7

Something Happens Sonic Youth

KFJC / LES SCURRY / LOS ALTOS

KUCI / CHRIS CAREY / IRVINE

HILLS, C

Sonic Youth Urge Overkill

Mono Men

Lida Husik Lung

KCRW / CHRIS D/DAVE BASSIN /

LOS ANGELES

Morphine Singles ST

Wolfgang Press

Baby Ford Dr. John

KROO / LEWIS LARGENT / LOS **ANGELES**

Shakespear's Sister Toad The Wet Sprocket

Temple Of The Dog

KSDB / JIM JOHNSON / MAN-

HATTAN, KS Ministry

Lemonheads

Sonic Youth Singles ST Drop Nineteen

WFIT / JOHN HAMMERLAND /

MELBOURNE, FL Ministry Singles ST

Helmet

Sonic Youth Danzig

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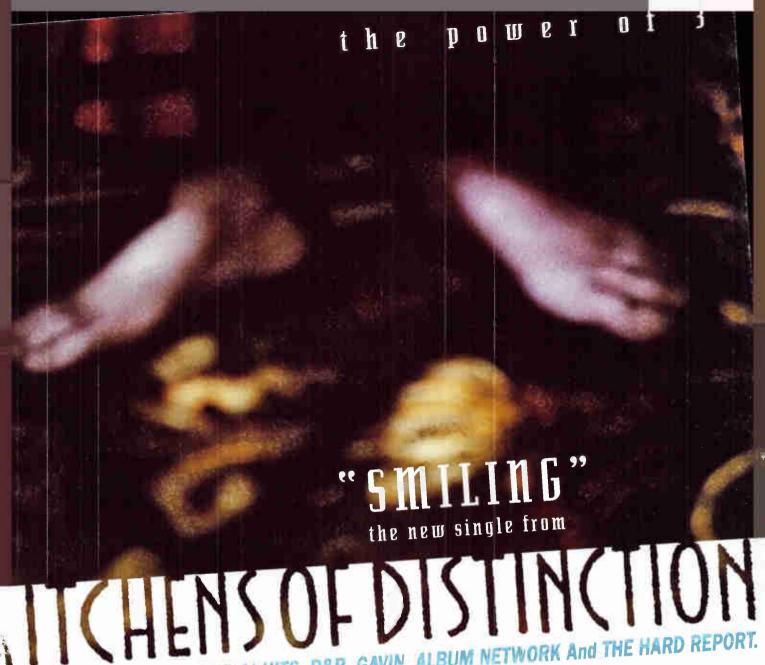
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OPEN BOOKS & RECORDS /

LESLIE WIMMER / MIAMI, FL

Megadeth

Motorhead

B-52's

Rein Sanction

Reverend Horton Heat

KJJO / LLOYD COLE / MIN-

NEAPOLIS

B-52's

Singles ST

Catherine Wheel

Lemonheads

Del Amitri

MUSIC IN A DIFFERENT KITCHEN / JUDY MALLEN /

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Ministry

Cool World ST

Sonic Youth

Sister Machine Gun

25th Of May

WDRE / TOM CALDERONE /

NEW YORK CITY

Cure

U2

B-52's

Soup Dragons

Temple Of The Dog

MUSIC DROME / JIM VINING / NORCROSS

Live

Arrested Development

Cool World ST

MC Ren

Toad The Wet Sprocket

WPRK / SANDY BITMAN / OR-

LANDO

Walt Mink

Snatches Of Pink

Swirlies

Engine Alley

Morgan Fields

WBER / ANDREW CHINNICI /

PENFIELD

Sisters Of Mercy Bootsauce

Morrissey

Praga Khan

Sonic Youth

WXPN / MIKE MORRISON /

PHILADELPHIA

T Bone Burnett

B-52's

Singles ST

Morrissey

X15 / ALEX LINDSAY / PIT-

TSBURGH

Thrill Kill Kult

Suicidal Tendencies

Rollins Band

Peter Case

INXS

WMPG / FRED KENNEDY /

PORTLAND, MAINE

Ministry

Chris Connelly

Skrew

Wolfgang Press

Morrissey

BAD HABITS / BOB ANTISDEL /

PROTLAND, ME

Sonic Youth

Singles ST

Helmet

B-52's

Walt Mink

WBRU / FRANK HUANG /

PROVIDENCE

Ministry

Shakespear's Sister

Temple Of The Dog

Beastie Boys

Helmet

X96 / MIKE SUMMERS / PROVO,

Cool World ST

Daisy Chainsaw

Ministry

Sonic Youth **Utah Saints**

GO BOY / ALAN OSTROFF /

REDONDO BEACH, CA Sonic Youth

Ministry

Danzig

PJ Harvey

Suicidal Tendencies

OFF THE RECORD / LEE

ROSENBLOOM / ROYAL OAK, MI

Goober And The Peas

Catherine Wheel

Tear Garden

KJO / KERRY JACKSON/TATTOO

/ SALT LAKE CITY

Suicidal Tendencies

PJ Harvey

Daisy Chainsaw

Temple Of The Dog Cool World ST

91X / MIKE HALLORAN / SAN

DIEGO

Morrissey

Cool World ST

INXS

U2

Cure

KITS / STEVE MASTERS / SAN

FRANCISCO

Toad The Wet Sprocket

Annie Lennox

Wailing Souls

Morrissey

RECKLESS RECORDS / JEFF

PARKER / SAN FRANCISCO

Sonic Youth

Ministry Muslim Gauze

Spiritualized

Batman Returns ST

KSJS / PALLE / SAN JOSE

Ministry Faith No More

Pain Teens

Helmet

PJ Harvey K-OTTER / DREW ROSS / SAN

LUIS OBISPO

Nils Lofgren James McMurtry

T Bone Burnett Clan Dyken

U2

KCMU / KATHY FENNESSY

SEATTLE

Ministry

Chills

Flop

Helmet Public Enemy

KNDD / MARCO COLLINS /

SEATTLE

Temple Of The Dog Beastie Boys

Red Hot Chili Pepper

Morrissey Lemonheads

WVFS / CHRIS WHITE / TAL-

LAHASSEE

Sonic Youth Polvo

Michael Brook

PJ Harvey Alice Donut

WMNF / THERESA MILAN /

TAMPA

Out Out In The Nursery

Diatribe

Cyberflesh Conspiracy

Sowhound WTSR / ALLISON REED /

TRENTON

Molls

Polvo

Finger

Too Pure Peel Sessions

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ME FOR A CUP OF JOE AND A DOUGHNUT with CATHERINE WHEEL by TOM LANHAM

o look at him and hear him talk, you'd never suspect that the strapping, 6-fts Rob Dickinson was even motely related to the minutive, soft-spoken tleman with the same rname who fronts Iron Liden. But Rob and Bruce

ckinson are cousins, and share a e-minded passion for brassy, booming

itars. But the big guy's strike force, the Catherine Wheel, puts surreal, Edwardian swirl on its decorative frou-frou furniture eces. As in the new PoMo noggin-knocker "Black Metallic" ulled from the "Ferment" album on Mercury), which lets ckinson gasp out his landscaped visuals like some steamwered machine from the cyberpunk future.

Like the Iron Maiden, the Catherine Wheel is also a grisly

torture device. Dickinson, whose big, caterpillar eyebrows meet in the middle — a trademark of

witches and warlocks plunks down on his hotel room divan and guffaws over the coincidence. And when he laughs, in his big bass voice, the room seems to shake.

"We quite like the connotation," he says, peering doe-eyed from beneath that pon-

derous brow. "Even though it wasn't planned that way - we always thought that Catherine Wheels were only fireworks, but someone came up to us after one of our first shows and said 'Hey, it's great you're named after an instrument of torture." Speaking of torture, Dickinson had no idea of the excruciating pain he was in for while talking to HITS' own executioner of the English language, Bay Area buffoon Tom "Do-Re-Mi-Fa-So-" Lanham.

AGO WAS LIKE, 'ARE YOU SERIOUS?'" THE IDEA OF ME SINGING TWO YEARS

hen I first heard "Black Metallic," I thought it might have en inspired by the UK horror --movie, "The Reflecting Skin." t wasn't written as a result of the ilm, but it came from the title itself, which we got first. The song just sort of evolved. I wrote the lyrics to go with the title, and I wasn't quite sure what it meant. It just sounded emoive. I suppose it's a twisted love cong, but I wouldn't want to get any more specific than that. This one seems to inspire a lot of people, but we didn't set out to write one of those anthemic, inspirational songs — I'm not sure what happened exactly.

You seem to think very cinematically.

I think in images and pictures. It's a good way of imagining things and then writing them down. Like, the first record I ever bought was great spaghetti-western themes by Ennio Morricone.

How'd you wind up singing? You started out as the drummer.

[Guitarist] Brian [Futter] and I had a pretty good idea of what we wanted to do, but finding someone to sing

- actually convincing someone else what it was we were doing was extremely difficult. We were looking to write some songs, but it didn't really enter my mind that I would end up doing the singing. But for the sake of the demos and our songwriting procedure, I sang. And as it developed, it started sounding better, and all our friends said it sounded great. Then we put the band together, and began playing places where we felt comfortable, and I became more relaxed with the idea of singing. At first, we were going to be a loud guitar band, with the importance laying less on the vocals, but - as I became more confident --- we wrote better songs in which the vocals took as important a part as the guitars. But the idea of me singing two years ago was like, "Are you serious?" Didn't you guys grow up in a really tiny English town?

The band was based in a small town on the east coast, but about 20 miles inland there's the main city called Norwich, and the small label which did our first two singles is based

there. So we say we're from there, because more people have heard of it than our town, Great Yarmouth. But the local scene was so bad, people told us, "You can't write songs. You're just struggling musicians." So, just to show them we could, we went off for a couple of months and did it, then left them all behind. Which was good, because we didn't have to compete with anybody or look up to anybody - it was just us doing it. And once we had these demos, within two months, we had a record out. And within a year, you'd accumu-

lated a stack of great press. The British music press is very good about helping new bands if they're any good, and I think we deserved what we got. But you can't ignore the fact that they put too much pressure on new bands. Like, a couple of months ago there was a group on the cover of Melody Maker, and the headline was "Best new band in Britain." And they hadn't even released their first record yet. Bands are picked up so quickly, because it's such a small

country and there are three major papers that control the music press. A lot of these bands can't live up to it, because they're under the microscope from day one.

Our first two records were very well-received, and our third one had "Black Metallic" on it - which everyone says is one of our best songs - but it was less well-received. And we got the idea that the press was more interested in having a go at the band than supporting it. They are pretty fickle, and there are a lot of flavors-of-the-month. But if you learn to treat them with the right mental attitude, I think the two can co-habitate quite safely. I think the bands that survive are the ones that stay true to themselves.

What does your cousin Bruce think of you guys?

He came to see us and he loved it. He likes something with some punch to it, something with some tunes and guitars. And, obviously, there's a vast chasm between us and Iron Maiden, but there were some similarities he seemed to appreciate.

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the heart soars."

-Melody Maker

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TIME FOR A CUP OF JOE AND A DOUGHNUT WITH SKINNY PUPPY BY SEAN O'NEILL

"How much is that doggie in the window? The one with the waggly tail."

— PATTI PAGE —

"Bow wow wow yippee yay!"

- GEORGE CLINTON

"Pain shoots smack down any hole/Creeps in subsides pushed back water waves."

— SKINNY PUPPY



How sick is Skinny Puppy?
It survived "Vivisection" in '88, "Rabies" in '89 and an extended stay in "Too Dark Park" in '90. But Skinny Puppy is not well, as its most recent release, "Last Rights" is one of the most profoundly disturbing works in the history of industrial thrash. Lyricist and vocalist Nivek Ogre calls "Last Rites," "a document of delusion... a version of Rimbaud's 'Season In Hell.'" Mood music for a sanitarium is an equally apt description. The subtext of such harrowing songs as "Love In Vein" and "Killing Game" is Ogre's battle with a debilitating drug addiction, and when we caught up with him (drinking scotch in Hollywood's Frolic Room), Ogre was in an expansive and confessional mood, willing, even eager, to discuss his past problems. While Ogre has certainly faced his share of personal demons, even he was plainly ill-prepared for the derangement he would face in a "mano a mano" with HITS' resident canine rights activist and card-carrying carnivore, Sean "Bow Wow Wow" O'Neill.

So you really have cleaned up completely?

Yeah, except for marijuana, but uh... you gotta have a little foreplay. I haven't gotten to the point where I feel secure about it yet, but it's been six months, which is the longest ever for me in the last ten years, so it's a totally different

What does heroin feel like?

It's happiness on a stick. It's the most wonderful, euphoric experience you could ever have. It's too wonderful. But everything else is inconsequential to that experience. It comes to a point where everything is totally painless to such a degree that when you have to deal with something that would be so small without the drug, it becomes just mind-boggling. Little problems become very big problems. So after you quit heroin, you started shooting cocaine? Really hardcore. When I first tried it, I didn't like it but somehow I got into it and I think at that point I just kinda lost control. I have a needle fixation and that's kind of what threw me over the edge. After shooting coke for awhile, you get used to the rollercoaster ride that it takes your system on and you start just getting the highs, and that's fine for a while, but then I entered a stage of extreme paranoia where I was literally seeing things come out of the walls. What did you see?

There were very intricate shadows moving all the time. I was looking around and going, "Where is this being projected from?" I tried to be really intellectual about it — "I know what's causing this! You can't fuck with me!" Terrible, awful days. But I've gotten away from it. I still have serious fantasies about it and dreams and needs, but all I have to do is think about the feeling I got after I was done with a quarter ounce of cocaine and the craving goes away.

Are there actual songs in your music?

"[Heroin]'s the most wonderful, euphoric experience you could ever have. It's too wonderful."

[Laughs.] It's getting to the point where we call them songs. Usually we call what we do audio sculpture. We take a different approach. We use anti-songwriting techniques to build up rhythms, but it all comes out in the end to being a song of some structure. You're dealing with the same mathematics of songwriting that have been used for all time. We've just kind of utilized that structure in a different way.

One that doesn't really include melody or verses and choruses in the traditional sense.

There are, actually. There are bridges, choruses and verses in all of the songs. Well, most of them. You should listen to it a little more. If you're into that type of music. You have to saturate yourself in it, but I think you'll eventually hear a structure. There are some very talented songwriters at work making Skinny Puppy what it is.

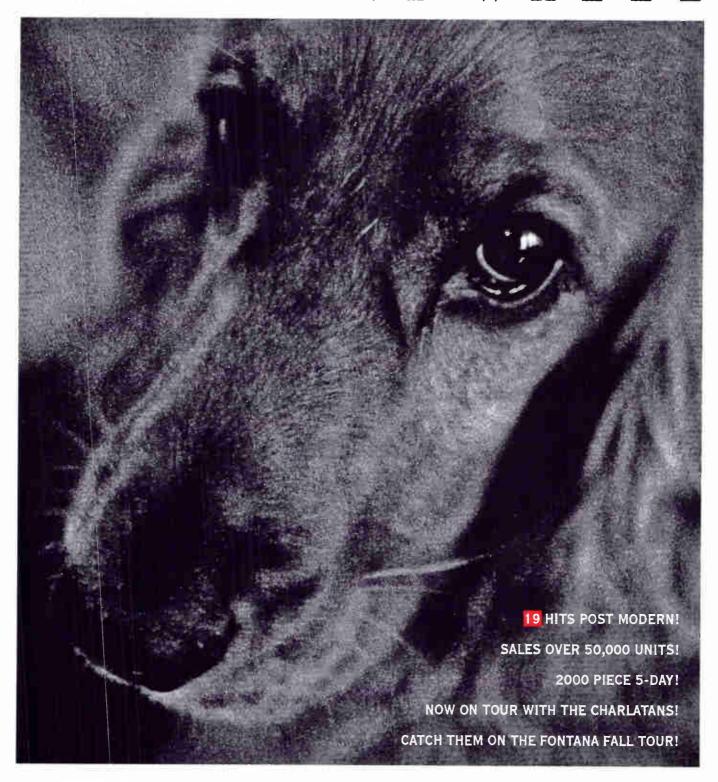
Your records certainly have more depth than most pop albums.

Skinny Puppy acts as a portal for young kids to go back and listen to the real industrial music of the late '70s and early '80s, stuff like Throbbing Gristle. It certainly is a transition from more normal music. We tore away from the older forms and started making music for noise.

How do you feel about how 9 Inch Nails have made industrial music for a more commercial audience?

It standardizes what we've done. Their songwriting is more accessible, but to me, equating music with different styles as opposed to different feelings gets you nowhere. There's the same amount of songwriting in a Skinny Puppy track that there is in a Madonna tune. It's just the techniques used to layer it and create dissonant sounds are different.

CATHERINE WHEEL



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little over a year ago, the Afghan Whigs seemed to become history. Their sixweek European tour, which started in the shadow of the Gulf War, ended after just a fortnight. Singer Greg Dulli had taken ill, and the bandmembers got so sick of one another that they stayed apart for half a year. But come the summer of '92, industry insiders have been eagerly ogling 'em as strong contenders for the Next Big PoMo thing. The Whig saga began when Cincinnati native, drummer Steven Earle, met up with transplants John Curley (bass), Rick McCollum (guitar) and Dulli in a local bar in 1986. By '87, they were ripping up the Cincy scene; a year later, they independently released their critically lauded "Big Top Halloween" longplayer, and by '90, they'd graduated to the famed Seattle-based indie Sub Pop with the even more widely acclaimed "Up In It." This year's "Congregation" reveals them continuing to grow, grungy and powerful, yet surprisingly subtle and multi-leveled. Currently blanketing the country with almost 80 tour dates, the Afghans allowed Greg Dulli a long enough leash to spill all to HITS' own yellow journalist



TIME FOR A CUP OF JOE AND A DOUGHNUT WITH AFGHAN WHIGS BY JIM GREEN

How does "Congregation" differ from "Up In It"?

We had more time to do it, so it doesn't sound as rushed or low-fi. I had a little more freedom. I think last time I felt a little pressure to fit in with the whole Sub Pop thing, and this time I didn't feel that, so the songs came off a little more... tricky.

You mean like having a woman who's not in the group sing lead on the opening track, "Her Against Me"?

Well, Ruby just sang it better than me! But also, the time signatures on the new album are pretty way out; there's only a couple of songs in regular, traditional, 4/4 time.

And then, there's that twelfth song — it's one of the best tracks on "Congregation," but it's not listed anywhere!

That's not a trick. I came up with the song after the artwork had already been done, and we really wanted the song on the record, so we just stuck it on anyway. It's called "Miles Iz Ded." The song itself has nothing to do with Miles Davis, but at the time I wrote it we'd finished recording the album and I was living with my girlfriend in L.A., and the day after Miles died, I was driving to work at Rhino Records in Westwood and, y'know those construction things that people put posters and crap all over? Somebody had spray-painted in really big letters, "Miles Iz Ded," spelled that way, and I said, "Man, that's really cool" and

called the song that.

But what's it about?

I don't know yet!

Do you often write lyrics and not really know what they mean?

All the time. People will tell me what they think "Retarded" is all about and I say, "Sure, it could be that, I don't know!" Some songs I know exactly, some I don't, but some songs a year or two goes by and they sneak up on me, I listen to 'em and go, "Wow, now I know what I was talkin' about!"

"Turn on the Water" seems like it could be set in the ocean or in a bathtub — or both at once!

I tend to think of it as in a bathtub, 'cause that's where I came up with the chorus, but I prefer to look at it as a warped nursery rhyme, a very child-like song. The little kid that was in the video just ran around singin' it, and to hear a little kid singin' that song was a gas, man!

How does the rest of the group relate to all your lyrical weirdness?

I'll tell ya, man, two of the guys are more twisted than I'll ever be — actually all three of 'em are! Never once have they said, "That's too weird for me to get behind." They like some more than others, but they've given me complete freedom to write whatever I want.

You seem like such a genial guy, but your songs have a lot of rage in them, especially regarding lies and duplicity.

Most people, including myself, are

liars. They're either lying to someone or lying to themselves, which to me is the most heinous lie of all. I know tons of people that do live lies, whether it's some guy cheatin' on his wife, or some guy who beats on his wife and convinces himself that it's OK, or someone who fucks around on his girlfriend or works at a job he hates... I try not to be super-cynical about it; I definitely got a sense of humor about it, but I see it all the time. I catch myself in little fucking fibs, and I catch other people in 'em, too. They're not always big ones, but sometimes they are. That's just the way I see things.

You use a lot of blood imagery, too.

Blood has historically been a big attention-getter. I'm not afraid to grandstand once in a while. AC/DC or Ice-T, I don't care who you are, mention blood and people will notice. Blood's a great word, it's a great thing, y'know... it keeps you goin'!

Can you tell me about the heavy

Can you tell me about the heavy major label interest focused on you?

I can confirm that we have been the target of a lot of that, 12 or 14 labels, but I don't know what we'll do. See, I'm the manager, but right now we're on tour, so most of the time I'm in no position to talk about anything except what I'm gonna eat, where I'm gonna sleep and what songs I'm gonna play that night. I will say that Sub Pop has been very good to us, and we'd have to speak to them before we talk to anybody else.

"I'm not afraid to grandstand once in a while."

dog Jim "Gang" Green.

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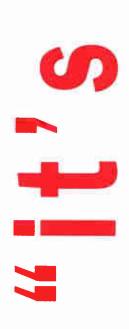
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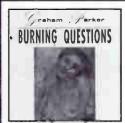
Mark Curry, "It's Only Time" (Virgin): From the languid acoustic beginnings of "All Over Me" to the indefatigable speed-demon verbiage of "Blow Me Down," this is amazing! Repeated listens will reveal exactly what little sweet tales are being laid upon you. Imagine a younger, less vague, but equally impas-

sioned Chris Whitley. For an extra dose of mind blowing "HUH?" Curry is also the spitting image of Chet Baker circa '62. Upon being told of this resemblance, his reply was, "Is that good?" Yes Mark, just like your record. (Keith Chagnon)

Mighty Lemon Drops, "Ricochet" (Sire/Reprise): Just when the ho-hum, hum-drum boredom of summer kicks in, the purveyors of jingle-jangley guitar rock come 'round to have a concert in your head. "Ricochet," recorded live-inthe-studio with few overdubs is a comforting splash of bittersweetness in this



hot-tempered season. The fifth time around for these unsung indie icons has seen them perfect their neo-psychedelic flavor against the status-quo of grunge. "Nothing," "Into The Sun," and "Reach Out" are all yummy! (Meredith Chinn)



Graham Parker, "Burning Questions" (Capitol): Too smart, too recalcitrant, too feisty, too opinionated for the lowest-common-denominator approach to marketing "pop stars," fame and fortune has thus far eluded Graham Parker, despite longterm critical and cult appreciation for his unparalleled talent as

a wordsmith. Every new record label with whom he's signed has spawned hope that, yes, this will be the label that breaks him!. Considering his new label's enormous strides with Richard Thompson at Post Modern and beyond, (continued...)

Graham Parker (...continued): there is no reason why they can't replicate that success with "Burning Questions"! Featuring a Rumour and an Attraction as his rhythm section, Graham Parker has delivered his first true "milestone" album since 1985's "Steady Nerves." "Release Me" screams for airplay,



"Long Stem Rose" is a gorgeous ode to impermanence, and "Mr. Tender," and "Love Is A Burning Question" are full of wit, wordplay and sarcasm: "I've seen the future of rock and it sucks." If this album is indicative of Graham's future, "Mercury Poisoning" will never lead to "Capitol Punishment."

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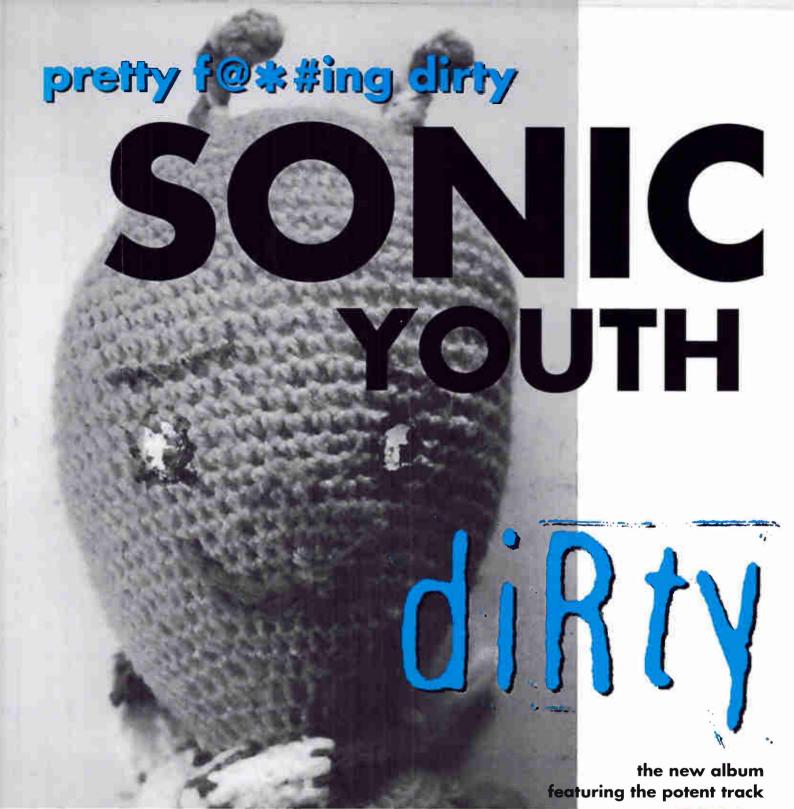
WHICH WAY TO MELROSE PLACE?: So maybe it isn't everyday that a band as cool as the Red Hot Chili Peppers go double platinum-is that any excuse to force us to print yet another photo of them with the PoMo geeks from Warner Bros? Seen here accepting the metal on behalf of MTV's Karen Bryant is the tag team of Paul V. and Jimmy D., who (along with Ms. Bryant) are truly responsible for the success of the biggest artist development story since Kris Kross. All we can say is "Groovy Marcia!"

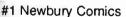


IVANA HAS A BAD HAIR DAY: While Robert Smith wishes for Friday everlasting, the rest of the Elektra and Fiction crew (along with a couple of radio freaks) mingle about mindlessly after a recent Cure show in San Diego. Whe we here at HITS think about the fact that we are on the verge of the Persian Gulf War, Round 2-our hair stands on end, too! Now, if only our hipfactors were as high as Smith's hair, we wouldn't go looking for sliced bread whenever we hear Ministry!



I ALWAYS KNEW YOU'D COME TO ME: After months spent wondering who this Ivana person is, the dashing young men in Uncle Green finally had a face-to-face with the dizzy chick who so idolizes them. Bolstered by the support of Chris from KUCl and Kris from Atlantic, Ivana revealed to singer Matt Brown that she in fact was his mother, Jocasta, prompting him to gouge out his eye with a fork. (Aren't references from Greek literature wonderful? Aren't we clever? Oh yeah, and what were YOUR S.A.T. scores?)





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#1 Abbey Road

#1 Moby Disc

#1 Beehive

#1 Pacific Coast One-Stop

#1 Waterloo

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- #1 Bad Habits
- #1 Bow Wow
- #1 Dr. Wax
- #1 Go Boy
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- #1 Let It Be
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- #1 Rocks In Your Head
- #1 3rd St. Jazz
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- #3 Wax Trax
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"I'm going to paint, make some cakes or wash some dishes," says former Eurythmic lead singer Annie Lennox, nearing the end of a press and TV blitz for her first solo record, "Diva." Lately, with a two-year-old daughter to think about, life has become a little more, well, domestic for Lennox. Through the '80s, with partner Dave Stewart, Lennox sold several million records and became one of the most familiar voices and visions in pop music. Today, as she sang with Aretha Franklin, this sister is doin' for herself, which is more than can be said for HITS' very white soul brother "Sam &" Dave Konjoyan.

"LHAD TO-FIND OUT IF I WAS CAPABLE OF WRITING ON MY OWN."

IT MUST HAVE BEEN GRATIFYING TO HAVE YOUR SOLO DEBUT ENTER THE BRITISH CHARTS AT #1.

Oh yeah, that was very nice. Essentially you make records for yourself and when you put it out in the wide world, you can never tell how people will respond to it. It is gratifying if people like what you do and buy your records in huge quantities.

THAT HAS TO BE SATISFYING.

Of course it is because, actually, I don't look at this as something I do by myself. There's a small team of people I work with — like the producer and video production people and so on — and it makes everyone feel that what they've done is worthwhile and has been given some sort of appreciation.

WERE YOU WORRIED ABOUT BEING ACCEPTED AS A SOLO ARTIST?

No. I wasn't worried about that. I was more concerned about getting my music right and writing good songs.

SPEAKING OF WRITING GOOD SONGS, HOW WAS IT DIFFERENT WRITING PRIMARILY BY YOURSELF AS OPPOSED TO WORKING WITH DAVE STEWART?

Well, it was rather like playing tennis with just one person. The strength of a good collaborative partnership is that one person serves the first boll and the other sends it back with a new slant. The art of songwriting is a mystery to me still — it's allusive, and it's only through perseverance and encouragement from other people that I manage to stand my ground, 'cause I give up so easily. I very much liked writing with Dave. He was a great motivator and never seemed to run out of ideas. But I knew I had to find out if I was capable of writing on my own.

WHAT DID MAKING A SOLO RECORD ALLOW YOU TO DO THAT YOU COULDN'T DO IN EURYTHMICS?

Nothing really. I mean, I was never oppressed in Eurythmics. It was just discovering some of my strengths and weaknesses.

WHAT WERE THEY?

I work a lot on instinct; I think my experience is standing me in a very good stead because when I actually go into the studio, I discover that it's very much my environment... it's very creative and I'm connected to it. I think those two things — instinct and experience — have really developed in me.

A NUMBER OF THE SONGS ON THE ALBUM SEEM TO REVOLVE AROUND REBIRTH AND ESCAPE.

Well, I didn't set out with any theme in mind. I guess I troll something of my

subliminal self in my writing and something comes out that is essentially me. It's not fiction. I'm trying to articulate something that is perhaps inexpressable. **DO YOU THINK IN THAT PROCESS A SPECIFIC THEME DEVELOPED?**

Well, the theme is my perception of things; a sort of essence of the person that I am. I could analyze, but I'd rather leave that to people whose job it is to do that. YOU'VE SAID IN INTERVIEWS THAT YOUR DAUGHTER HAS CHANGED YOUR LIFE IN ALL THE CORNY WAYS.

I always find it surprising that people ask me about that, as if it was some sort of novelty. There are so many men who do what I do and nobody ever asks them if their children have changed their lives.

HOW DO YOU BALANCE YOUR CĂREER WITH YOUR PERSONAL LIFE AS A WIFE AND A MOTHER?

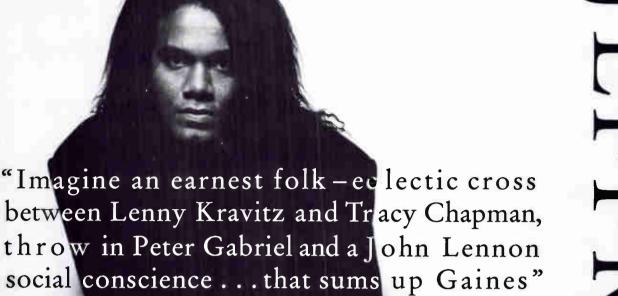
It's tricky. Ask any woman who works. I have many benefits — I'm financially sound, I can afford to pay for help, I'm not a single woman on welfare... I'm privileged in that sense. On the other hand, it's hard for me to leave her for work. I am torn between the two things and yet it's hard for me to give up music making. YOU'VE SUNG WITH A LOT OF SUPERSTARS IN YOUR CAREER: ARETHA FRANKLIN, AL GREEN AND, MOST RECENTLY, DAVID BOWIE AT THE FREDDIE MERCURY TRIBUTE. WERE THOSE SPECIAL EXPERIENCES?

I'm not a person who socializes in the music scene, so I'm always very grateful to meet anyone who's involved in music, particularly those who've achieved some sort of greatness, although I never court that. It's been a rare experience in a way. It's rather like being a fly on the wall except you really were there.

OVER THE YEARS, SOME CRITICS HAVE FOUND YOUR SINGING COLD AND OTHERS INCREDIBLY SOULFUL. HOW DO YOU REACT TO THAT DICHOTOMY?
I know personally that it's totally soulful, but that, as a person, I feel sort of a severe alienation and there is that detachment, so there must be both things. Perhaps they should take the reviews that say I'm cold and the reviews that say I'm hot, put them next to each other and you'd have more of an amalgam of what I really am. They're both right except they've missed the other side.

WOULD YOU SAY YOU'RE MORE HAPPY OR CONTENT NOW THAN YOU HAVE BEEN IN THE PAST?

Oh God, I wish I could say that. Sometimes I feel more fraught than I've ever been, and sometimes everything's fine. I think I've got more perspective on life than I had before, and perhaps more of a sense of humor. I think I rather took myself too seriously.



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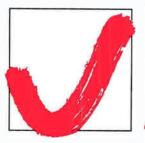
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This is the summer that cool Jive artists Hi-Five will break loose from the pack and burn the beat in the summer heat! "She's Playin' Hard to Get" is one of those songs that will instantly go from medium cool to ultra-hot - as the momentum builds on this strong song with a solid, soulful sound.

There's lots of phones on this one, with reports of top requests at stations nationwide! Maestro, PD at WDZZ in Flint, MI, confirms that the second time around is the charm: "Last year, they were overlooked - but this year, they're back big with a H-I-T!" Greg Sampson, MD at WQMG in Greensboro, NC. testifies: "Hi-Five is the quintessential group of groups. These young gentlemen have the potential to take it to the mountain top."

Retail is feelin' the impact of this smash, with Josie Beals of Shantiniques tellin' it like it is: "It's a nice song. It appeals to the teen audience. People were waiting for it!" Another believer is Lee Jones from Sound of Market II in Philly, who offers this opinion: "A cool drink, a warm breeze, and Hi-Five's 'She's Playin' Hard to Get' equals a perfect breeze! Grab this cool, uptempo, harmonized groove cuz soon it will be hard to get."

J.J.'s bud Varnell Johnson. VP of R&B Promotion at Jive knows the score: "This is today's music from tomorrow's legends." Get it or regret

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Congrats to MCA — they've set the JAMS All-time Adds Record with 92 (count 'em) for Bobby Brown this week!.... Jay Michaels is settling in at XHRM in San Diego. The management is an all-new crew ready to kick ass and take names. Jay is apparently very pleased. The only Urban outlet in town still must contend with other formats heavily into urban music. I've known Jay since he was an intern and, believe me, he can hang.... Meanwhile, up the road in L.A., Tony Fields has arrived at **KACE**. I could *hear* him smiling through the phone! Sounds to me like changes are about to go down technically and programatically.... At Atlanta's V-103, morning co-host Carol Blackmon and Sports Director Daron Fears have taken off for Spain. At this writing, they're in Barcelona to do daily

BOBBY BROWN MCA

TEVIN CAMPBELL Qwest/WB

DAS EFX Atco/EW

LIONEL RICHIE Motown

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broadcasts with Olympic stars for three days.... In the executive derby, Epic's own Mr. Clean, Clifford Russell, is running hard and lookin' good! (I wanna dress like him when I grow up). Atlantic has officially announced the ascension of Dwight Bibbs to West Coast Co-National. Joan Scott has been appointed National Director of R&B Promotion for Zoo Entertainment.... James Brown West, Inc. is presenting a series of seminars entitled "How To Have a Successful Career in the Music Industry." For more information, please, please, please call (213) 871-2237.... "Down but not out!" was Hammer's message to 1,000 inmates at the U.S. Penitentiary in Terre Haute, IN. FYI, Hammer has given employment to numerous people previously imprisoned. Can't touch that. Later.

HI-FIVE Jive

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7 5 4	MO' MONEY Soundtrack	Perspective/A&M	19 16 19	SPICE-1	Jive
3 4 5	EN VOGUE Funky Divas	Atco/EastWest	14 17 20	BEASTIE BOYS Check Your	Capitol
10 6 6	MC REN Kizz My Black	Ruthless/Priority	18 18 21	P ROCK & CL SMOOTH Mecca And	Elektra
8 7 7	T.L.COn The T.L.C. Tip	LaFace/Arista	17 20 22	MICHAEL JACKSON Dangerous	Epic
<u>-</u> 15 8	TOO SHORT Shorty The Pimp	Jive	21 21 23	CECE PENISTON Finally	A&M
4 8 9	DAS EFX Dead Serious	Atco/EastWest	- 25 24	RUDE BOYS Rude House	Atlantic
12 10 10	JODECI Forever My Lady	Uptown/MCA	23 29 25	MILES DAVIS Doo Bop	WB
15 12 11	ARRESTED DEVELOPMENT 3 Nights	Chrysalis/ERG	28 26 26	RON C Back On The	Profile
11 9 12	LIONEL RICHIE Greatest Hits	Motown	16 24 27	SISTER ACT Soundtrack	Hollywood
20 19 13	NAJEE Just An Illusion	ERG	24 27 28	VANESSA WILLIAMS The Comfort Zone	Wing/Mercury
14	DJ QUIK Way 2 Fonky	Profile	22 28 29	COLOR ME BADD C.M.B.	Giant/Reprise
5 11 15	ERIC B. & RAKIM Don't Sweat	MCA (Based on r	25 23 30	DJ MAGIC MIKE & Twenty Degrees	Cheetah

(Based on retail sales)

OLSON ON THE LOW: Jammin' Jimmy Olson is still hidin' out after his recent on-air suspension from KMJQ. The jam-man knows not the plan for his future — that's up to the station. Could he reappear like "magic" — or will he end up transferred to an entirely dif-

ferent market? We don't know, but we hear that Jimmy has pulled a few rabbits from his hat in the past! Also at KMJQ, there is speculation involving Tony Richards and an offer from a major Philly station. Word is that there is even a counteroffer to keep Tony put.... EARL & ED'S EXCELLENT ADVENTURE: Another man known to pull a disappearing act or two is "Magician" Earl Sellers, who has reappeared as the new VP of Promotion at Rap-A-Lot. Meanwhile, consultant Ed Strickland is now advising the overall setup at Gene Griffin's new label, GEG (G Entertainment Group) after doing similar duties for Rap-A-Lot and artist 2 Pac.... JOAN JETS TO ZOO: Movin' from Motown to Zoo Entertainment is



Joan Scott, who assumes National Director of R&B Promotion duties. There is speculation that the West Coast Regional position vacated by Scott might be filled by Cynthia Ware, who is currently doing Southwest Regional Promotion for Motown. Could there be another major

player from another label ready and waiting to make the jump for Ware's (or Eric Thrasher's old co-national) duties if she decides to leave?.... C.C. BECOMES A VIRGIN LADY: C.C. McClendon exits her job at Mercury to enter Virgin territory. C.C. assumes Co-National Promotion duties.... Thomas Lyttle has been upped from his Mid-Atlantic Regional gig at Def Jam/RAL to National Promotion Director duties.... J.C. Floyd is now consulting PD at V100 in Milwaukee, as Tony Fields has exited to L.A. There's no new word on who will be permanent PD.... WFXE in Columbus, GA is seeking a new morning man. Interested parties should contact Art Thomas at (404) 576-3565.

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2W LW TW	ARTIST TITLE	LABEL
1 1 1	MARIAH CAREY MTV Unplugged EP	Columbia
5 2 2	BOOMERANG Soundtrack	LaFace/Arista
10 4 3	MO' MONEY Soundtrack	Perspective/A&M
2 3 4	EN VOGUE Funky Divas	Atco/EastWest
3 5 5	T.L.COn The TLC Tip	LaFace/Arista
14 6	NAJEE Just An Illusion	ERG
6 6 7	R. KELLY & PUBLIC Born Into The	Jive
9 7 8	VANESSA WILLIAMS The Comfort Zone	Wing/Mercury
14 9 9	AL JARREAU heaven and earth	Reprise
8 10 10	TROOP Deepa	Atlantic
11	ISLEY BROS Tracks Of Life	WB
11 11 12	GLENN JONES Glenn Jones	Atlantic
- 15 13	JODECI Forever My Lady	Uptown/MCA
15 13 14	M.C. BRAINS Lovers Lane	Motown
15	LISA STANSFIELD	Arista

Real Love (Based on retail sales)



STORM WATCH: The storm is rising high this week as our Mistress of Melody Kandace becomes a proud Memphis Belle. Let's eavesdrop on her visit with Andre "Cash" Monie at KJMS in Memphis, TN. Andre describes to Kandace his "live on video" encounter at a recent celebrity bas-

ketball game. Seems like an overly-competitive Ice-T pulled down Andre's shorts and underalls in a desperate attempt to prevent a winning shot! When he's not busy mooning or generally making an "ass" of himself, Andre can be found listening to these very vital tunes: Art of Noise's classic "Moments in Love" on Island, Tevin Campbell's smash, "Confused," on Qwest/WB, Glenn Jones' soulful "In You" on Atlantic and Johnny Gill's swoon jam "There U Go" on LaFace/Arista. See ya in seven.

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2W LW TW	ARTIST TITLE	LABEL
3 3 1	EN VOGUE Giving Him	Atco/EastWest
2 1 2	MARIAH CAREY I'll Be There	Columbia
1 2 3	GLENN JONES I've Been	Atlantic
16 6 4	BOYZ II MEN End Of The Road	Motown
4 4 5	SHANICE Silent Prayer	Motown
5 5 6	MINT CONDITION Forever In	Perspective/A&M
10 8 7	KARYN WHITE Do Unto Me	WB
13 10 8	T.L.C. Baby, Baby	LaFace/Arista
20 12 9	R. KELLY & PUBLIC Slow Dance	J ive
12 9 10	VANESSA WILLIAMS Just For Tonight	Wing/Mercury
6 7 11	PATTI LABELLE When You've	MCA
14 13 12	ALYSON WILLIAMS Just My Luck	OBR/Columbia
7 11 13	R. KELLY & PUBLIC Honey Love	J ive
21 17 14	BRIAN MCKNIGHT The Way Love	Mercury
18 20 15	M.C. BRAINS Brainstorming	Motown
15 19 16	JODECI Come & Talk	Uptown/MCA
19 18 17	JOE PUBLIC I Miss You	Columbia
8 15 18	LIONEL RICHIE Do It To Me	Motown
11 14 19	CHRIS WALKER No Place Like	Pendulum/Elektra
9 16 20	GERALD LEVERT School Me	Atco/EastWest
17 24 21	AL JARREAU It's Not Hard	Reprise
- 22 22	MILIRA One Man One	Motown
23	FREDDIE JACKSON I Could Use	Capitol
25 25 24	COVER GIRLS Wishing On A	Epic
22 21 25	DAVID BLACK	Bust It

(Based on radio airplay)

Nobody But You



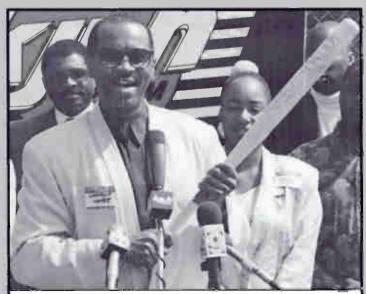
SPIKE LEE GOES JAIL **FOR** TO LIFE: "Button-fly" hawkin' Spike Lee takes a break from shooting his "Malcolm X" film at the Rahway State Prison to hang with Maxwell Melvins (inmate #66064) of the Lifers Group. Royalties from the sale of the Lifers' EP go to the Juvenile Awareness Program, which benefits troubled youth - not excluding the entire cast of

TV's "Diffr'nt Strokes."





GANGSTA GALS AND **GUYS INVADE THE HOL-**LYWOOD **ATHLETIC** CLUB: It wuz a meetin' of the JAMS clan and the PPC posse. The confrontation was deadly as our own Kerry D'Oyen and Carlin Armstrong flashed killer smiles. The gangsta jam was a gathering to celebrate the release of Priority act Penthouse Players Clique, with the disc hittin' hard wherever played. There's no truth to the rumor that Priority hypsters Ern Llamado and Lillian Matulic spiked the



MOORE BATS FOR MORE UNITY: In announcing details for the upcoming "America's Game," a unity softball benefit in Simi Valley, KJLH kingpin George Moore gets in the spirit by bringing a baseball but and glove. Patricia Moore was enthused, too — as evidenced by her amazing ability to balance a baseball on top of her head! She's truly in a league of her own.



THE TRUE FU'S SCHMOOZE THE SCHMOOVES: Take three Fu's (Chip, Moc and Poc) and three Jive hypsters (L.T., Barry and Larry) and the result is, well, this doo doo dope flick. Looks like this recent celebration over the Fu Schnickens success is about to explode, as the guys drop their newest single, "True Fu Schnick."

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RAP

RAP RADIO TOP FORTY

2W LW TW	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	2W L	w Tw	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL
2 1 1	ERIC B & RAKIM	Don't Sweat	MCA	15 1	9 21	ULTRAMAGNETIC	Papa Large	Mercury
1 2 2	P ROCK/CL SMOOTH	They Reminisco	e Elektra	32 2	22	ZHIGGIE	Toss It Up	PLG
3 3 3	X-CLAN	Xodus	PLG	17 2	0 23	A TRIBE CALLED	Scenerio	Jive
24 15 4	EPMD	Crossover	R.A.L./Columbia	20 2	3 24	LITTLE SHAWN	I Made Love	Capitol
7 5 5	HOUSE OF PAIN	Jump Around	Tommy Boy	18 2	2 25	P.P. CLIQUE	Explanation	Priority
4 4 6	GANG STARR	Take It Persona	a/Chrysalis/ERG	38 3	1 26	DA YOUNGSTA'S	Pass The	Atco/EastWest
8 7 7	K-SOLO	Can't	Atlantic		27	MONIE LOVE	Full Term	Giant/Reprise
10 8 8	YOYO	Homegirl	Atco/EastWest	28 2	7 28	KWAME	Nastee	Atlantic
19 17 9	DAS EFX	Mic Checka	Atco/EastWest	36 3	29	NUBIAN CRACKERS	2 For The	Big Beat
11 10 10	CHI-ALI	Roadrunner	Relativity	34 3	30	UMC'S	Never, Never	Wild Pitch/ERG
5 6 11	BLACK SHEEP	Strobelight	Mercury	40 3	8 31	SPICE 1	Welcome	Jive
21 16 12	A.D.O.R.	Let It All	Atlantic	26 2	6 32	SHOWBIZ & AG	Soul Clap	London/PLG
25 24 13	TOO SHORT	I Wanna	Jive	35 3	33	MILES DAVIS	Doo Bop	WB
16 14 14	KRIS KROSS	Warm It	Ruffhouse/Col		- 34	GRAND PUBA	360 Full	Elektra
6 9 15	DR. DRE	Deep Cover	Solar/Epic	<u></u>	- 35	NICE & SMOOTH	Cake & Eat	R.A.L./Columbia
22 21 16	ALMIGHTY RSO	One In The	Tommy Boy	37 3	6 36	DOUBLE XX POSSE	Head Crakers	Big Beat
9 11 17	ROXANNE SHANTE	Big Mama	Livin' Large	<u>-</u>	- 37	DJ QUIK	Jus Lyke	Profile
12 12 18	FU-SCHNICKENS	La Smoove	Jive	3	38	CRIMINAL NATION	Excuse Me	NastyMix
14 18 19	HEAVY D & THE BOYZ	You/Don't Curs	eUptown/MCA	<u>-</u>	- 39	WC MAAD CIRCLE	Ghetto	Priority
13 13 20	DAS EFX	They Want EF	x Atco/EastWest	- 4	40	TIME ZONE	40 oz Crew	Planet Rock

Based on college radio and commercial mix show airplay

LARGE PROFESSOR QUITS MAIN SOURCE:

One of the main men of Main Source has just gone solo. Large Professor has left the group to complete work on an upcoming solo project. Meanwhile, the band is wrapping up its next release and livin' large without Large.... What

up with Houston rap radio? Word on the streets is that a prominent college radio rap show homey is seekin' out the MD slot at KMJQ. Not only that, but a former K-104 mixer now making Houston his home is one of many seeking to be host of that station's mix show. Either they just dream big in Texas or a serious storm of change is brewin'.... New Haven, CT station WYBC is goin' through total reorganization, as much of the staff resigns amidst a controversy involving a change of format. Rap is out and light urban is in. The new format relies on "The Touch" — a syndicated satellite broadcast from Dallas that includes NO RAP. Seems like some former staffers have formed a protest group called "The Spectrum Movement" to



call attention to the change.... Over at Hampton University's WHOV station in Virginia, the word is that the wattage is now at 10,000 — which enables the signal to travel twice as far as before. Lots of people are hearing the programming on this station for the first time, so

take note.... NEW CHEMISTRY KILLS PWL: Get ready to update your Rolodex file cuz, as of September 1, PWL American Records changes it name to Chemistry Records. There's already some significant buzz on the first release, Diamond and the Psychotic Neurotics.... NEW MUSIC ALERT: A couple of records to keep an ear and eye out for are: Scotti Bros.' May May, who releases "When I Entered His Mind" in some slammin' street mixes. Also, EPMD has a potential crossover hit in "Crossover," which lyrically disses those rappers who sell out and crossover — "Going, going, gone/ Another rapper sold" — It's doin' well at WCKZ, KMEL, Z90, 92Q and WPGC. I'm out like Guiness Stout. Peace.

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RAP

TOP TWENTY VIDEO

	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL WKL	Y PLAY
1	FATHER M.C.	One Night	Uptown/MCA	65
2	EPMD	Crossover	R.A.L/Chaos	59
3	ME PHI ME	Sad New Day	RCA	59
4	ERIC B & RAKIM	Don't Sweat	MCA	57
5	KRIS KROSS	Warm It Up	Ruffhouse/Col	54
6	D.J. QUIK	Jus Lyke	Profile	53
7	NAUGHTY BY NATURE	Uptown	Tommy Boy	52
8	HOUSE OF PAIN	Jump Around	Tommy Boy	48
9	PETE ROCK & C.L.	They	Elektra	48
10	CHI-ALI	Roadrunner	Relativity	48
11	M.C. REN	Final Frontier	Ruthless/Priority	45
12	DR. DRE	Deep Cover	Solar/Epic	43
13	2-PAC	If My Homie	Inter/Atlantic	42
14	2ND II NONE	Let The	Profile	39
15	A. DEVELOPMENT	People	Chrysalis/ERG	39
16	X-CLAN	X ODUS	PLG	37
17	K SOLO	Can't	Atlantic	37
18	MAIN SOURCE	Fakin	Wild Pitch/ERG	36
19	SHABBA RANKS	Mr. Loverman	Epic	35
20	DAS EFX	Mic Checka	Atco/EastWest	33
RAP Video Reporters:				

9-2-5, African Alert, Al Dente, American Hot Vid, American Rapmaker, Another Funky Sit., Beat Goes on, Beats & Rhymes, Birmingham Jammin', The Box, Bring The Noise, Check It Dut, Club Beat, Dallas Music Vid., Dance Beat, Dance Vision, Dope Rap, Funke V's, H.P.I. Television, Hot Traxx, In The House, Jazz Vid. Mix, Kickin' It Live, Killer Diller, Lorna's Corner, Music Entity, Music Inner City, Music Vid. 50, Music Vid. Connection, N.Y. Vibes, Power Play, Pump It Up, Rap Box, Rap's Underground, Rap It Up, The Rythm, Rythm N' Soul, Rythm Vision, Soul Beat, Street Tracks, TLH Vid., Tommorows Youth, T.V. 23, Vid. Control, Vid. House Party, Vid. Music Box, Vid. Music Expression, Vid. Music Gram, Vid. Request, Vid. Soul, Vid. Traxx, Visual Rhythms, Wave Length, Wolfram, Yo' MTV Raps

Based on total nat'l & regional rotations

RADIO MOST ADDED

ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL
MC REN	Final Frontier	Priority

RADIO STREET PICK

FU2	Boomin' In Ya	MCA
ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL

RETAIL STREET PICK

ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL
FRIC B & BAKIM	Don't Sweat	MCA

TOP FIFTEEN ALBUMS

	2W LW TW	ARTIST TITLE (LABEL)	COMMENTS
	2 3 1	ERIC B. & RAKIM Don't Sweat (MCA)	No.1 45 & Lp
	3 2 2	MC REN Kizz My Black (Ruthle:	Most Added Single ss/Priority)
	1 1 3	P ROCK/CL SMOOTH Mecca And (Elektra)	X No. 1
4	10 5 4	SPICE-1 Spice 1 (Jive)	Video Action
	5 4 5	DAS EFX Dead Serious (Atco/Eas	Down Wit EPMD
	6 6 6	KRIS KROSS Totally Krossed (Ruffh	Video Top 5
į	4 8 7	X-CLAN Xodus (PLG)	No. 3 Rap Single
i	13 8	TOO SHORT Shorty The Pimp (Jive)	Big Jump
	7 7 9	K-SOLO Time's Up (Atlantic)	Single Top 10
i	10	DJ QUIK Way 2 Fonky (Profile)	Blowing Out!!!
i	13 10 11	T.L.COn The TLC Tip (LaFa	Hot Re-Mix ace/Arista)
ı	15 12 12	COLLEGE BOYZ Radio Fusion (Virgin)	5 New Key Adds
	13	GANGSTARR Daily Operation (Chrysa	Nu Single Coming
	14	RON C Back On The (Profile)	Debut Lp
	9 9 15	P. PLAYERS CLIQUE Paid The Cost (Priority)	Leveling Out

Based on retail alburn sales

DOWN WIT'...



DAVID PAUL: This Bay Area hip-hop blastmasta is both a deejay at **KCSF** and founder of superhype street sheet *The Bomb*. This publication doesn't look like much — but the noiz it's makin' is loud and clear to both those in suites and in the street, who seek the true last word on what

is wack and wicked. Says Paul, "The response has been great, except for the suit-wearing marketing directors at some major labels. They just glance at it and assume it's a joke because of the gritty Xerox look without reading it. The magazine has been selling out in every market we've put it in, so it's not a joke to the music-buying public! Most of the other rap magazines now starting up are owned by companies, whereas I'm an independent. *The Bomb* is kinda like the underdog of rap publications." On the strength.

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TOLLIVER TALKS TOUGH

AN EXCLUSIVE JAMS RADIO DIALOGUE WITH LYNN TOLLIVER, JR., P.D., WZAK, CLEVELAND, OHIO BY DARRYL LINDSEY



THIS BROADCASTING VETERAN GOT HIS START

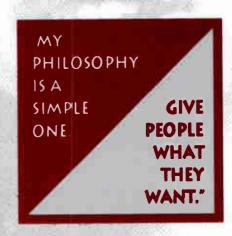
in the radio business back in 1968 at WJMO-AM in Cleveland with the help of Chuck Denson and the late Billy B. (William Blackburn) before seguing on to WGCL (now WNCX) Cleveland, WVKO Columbus, WVON Chicago, WJLB Detroit and a stint at MCA Records. He's consulted several stations and wrote columns for industry trade magazines like "Fred," "Black Radio Exclusive," and "Jack The Rapper" and currently, "Impact."

Not all of Lynn Tolliver Jr.'s experience is in the radio world, though. He was a mailman for five years and worked with his father at a company called Towmotor, now Caterpillar. "I have too many influences to name all of them or to be fair," he says. "But I will say many people outside radio had an impact on me or reinforced my thoughts, which I appled to the radio business. My mother and father, for instance, had a great deal of influence on my life and the way I work." That family approach has worked well for Lynn Tolliver, Jr. over the years, though it was tested to its outer limits by one man no one wants to claim for a brother, JAMS' own hip-hop stepchild, MC Square himself, Darryl "Razzberry" Lindsey.

WHEN IT COMES TO BLACK RADIO, YOU KNOW WHAT ITS LIKE TO GET TO THE TOP. HOW WOULD YOU DESCRIBE YOUR WINNING PHILOSOPHY OVER THE YEARS?

My philosophy is a simple one. Give people what they want. Don't do research and make it work the way you want it to work. Don't come up with an answer of eggs, oranges and grapes, and then give them apples, tangerines and grapes. Something close to what they wanted, but not what they really wanted. Some people will find in their research that a healthy diet of rap records is what the audience wants, yet their decision is not to play it. They should have never wasted their money on research if they weren't going to use it

WHAT ARE YOUR FEELINGS ON CONSULTANTS FROM OUTSIDE THE COMMUNITY PROGRAMMING BLACK STATIONS WHEN THEY DON'T UNDERSTAND RAP OR



THE BLACK LIFESTYLE?

If consultants tap their strengths at the station — the PD, if he's good — and work with him as opposed to dictating what he should do, it wouldn't be a problem. However, one of the most misinterpreted views on consultants is that many of the programmers or music directors do a half-assed job in getting the proper research, or wrongly go about telling the consultant exactly what's going on. And because of resentment on the programmer's part, there is a lack of genuine correspondence. This hurts everybody... I think practical principles can be applied to any format. The only difference in many cases is the type of music that is played. As a consultant doing good business, why wouldn't I want the best for the format I was consulting?

YOU SEEM TO ALWAYS SPEAK YOUR MIND, EVEN IF IT MAKES YOU UNPOPULAR WITH SOME PEOPLE.

To tell you the truth, I have no idea why I am like I am. It probably is a result of confrontations with my mother when I was young. I think I was just born to be different. It makes me feel good that when I go to bed at night, I did something to make people think. I didn't hide behind anyone or anything. I was vocal. I'm not intimidated by people or things, and I have always been very observant. I feel it is my obligation in life to say what is on my mind. When you are in a position where people look to you for leadership and you're not really there, you're a pretender, If something that I said changed a person's life for the better, this is my worth in life. I'm inspired to continue the way that I am, based on your questions to me, questions from others and comments that people make after they've read or listened to me. Everybody reads Lynn Tolliver, Jr. The more people I can reach, the better grasp of life they'll have for themselves.

ARE THERE ANY OTHER BROADCAST MARKETS THAT REMIND YOU OF CLEVELAND?

From a lifestyle standpoint, Detroit, though it seems slightly more violent. I've been in Columbus, Detroit, New York, Atlanta, Los Angeles, Atlantic City, Philadelphia, Washington D.C., Chicago, Pittsburgh, Buffalo, Indianapolis, Cincinnati, Saginaw, Flint, Youngstown, Akron, Rochester, Dayton, Louisville, Fort Wayne, to name the bulk of the ones I'm familiar with, and when it comes to radio, there are no other cities like Cleveland. Cleveland is aggressive. It's a very prejudiced town, but it copes with it. The total radio market may not be as effective as it used to be, but WMMS—the Album, sometimes Top 40, station—used to be the best station in the nation when Kid Leo was at the helm. If he was still here, Cleveland would still be total. We're just a true kick-ass city. If we had a championship sports team, we would stand against the world. But judging on the past basketball series we just played, that may never happen.

WHAT IS IT ABOUT CLEVELAND YOU LOVE SO MUCH?

My immediate family. I'm a family man, as people who know me can tell. I come from a family-family. As long as my mother is alive, in the back of my head, I have a commitment to be near her. It's funny, all the time that I lived out of the city, I visited my mom faithfully and religiously. I called her like a girlfriend. Now that I live here, I think I see her less. I'm no momma's boy by any long shot, but there was this strong security she raised me with. I was shot in 1985, and I feel I need a gun by my side everywhere but in her house. I feel the most comfortable when I'm close to truer friends and genuine family. I remember after losing my job in Detroit, I kept telling myself, "I got to get back to

Cleveland, I know I can get back on my feet." Cleveland has been good to me; however, if I lose my mom, I may get gypsy feet.

WHICH TERM DO YOU PREFER FOR RADIO? -- BLACK RADIO OR URBAN CONTEMPORARY AND WHY?

I prefer Black Radio, or Black Contemporary. People treat the word black like it's a plague. People who are Black — like people who are Jewish or people who are Italian — will be black until the strain of them is dead. What's the big deal? Do Japanese people have a yellow complex? In the music industry, Black people possess, on the whole, the most emotion. Soul was a term used to describe black music. Why, when a great white vocalist comes along, do they say, "They have so much soul"? What do the white singers have who don't have soul? Black is tabooish. There is nothing wrong with black. When you are "in the black" in business, it means you are making money. Nobody wants to be in the red. I am black, through and through. I'm not afraid of it. My parents were black. My two sons are black. Black radio is directed for those of the black lifestyle and others who love black music. What better way to describe what we do, than what it is we are?

BLACK MUSIC WITH WHITE JOCKS AND CALL THEM-SELVES CHURBAN OR CROSSOVER TOP 40?

Stations like that are fence-walkers. Straddlers. Great pretenders. However, if they're showing up in the ratings, it must be something that the audience wants. I'm sure good black radio stations do not feel the true sting of what a station like that can do to you, unless you are not a total, effective black radio station. From past experiences, stations like that do not erupt the true black core listener. But why do we have different kinds of sales people to solicit different accounts? The same reason why we have different radio formats, or blends... Whatever it takes to get the bottom line. I'm not afraid of those kinds of stations and I do not resent them, either, They have a purpose in radio life and I think they do a good job at what they do. It's two-fold. Many advertisers will not spend money where niggers are, and many white listeners would rather not embrace black product, even though they tolerate its effect. Some people would rather dance fast than slow. You don't have to touch someone when you're dancing fast. Churban. Get my drift? But still, I don't feel negative about them. Many of them sound great. What people fail to do, in their attacks on them, is look at the bottom line. You must ask yourself, "Is it working?" If it is, then shut up and live your life the best vou can.



MARCH OR DIE

#1 MOST ADDLD OUT OF THE BOX AT

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FRIEND TO ALL

By LONN M. FRIEND

Contrary to the chatter going around the biz regarding **Bon Jovi**'s forthcoming LP, the release is *not* titled "Achtung, Jonny." While the source of the criticism comes from the fact JBJ has hired **U2**'s photographer, video director and publicist, the music is *not* derivative. The six tracks I heard are big, ballsy, ballady **Bob Rock**-sculpted Bon Jovi songs. They're heavier and more cutting-edge than "New Jersey" and, in this market, that's a blessing. A personal message to my friend, JBJ: There's too many cooks in your kitchen. Lose the "yes men" and trust the people at your label who've got a clue. U know who they

are, dude... Though the promoters are seeing "green" at every stop, there are some disgruntled parties over Lollapalooza II. Who are they and why are they bitching?... Speaking of Lolla II, Pearl Jam, Soundgarden, the Peppers and Ministry own the gig. Their mosh pits are Satanic. Finally, is it true that our own metal maven Karen "Alternative" Glauber — and not Perry Farrell — is the real brains behind this all-alternative, alternative-minded, over-the-top alternative festival of alternative lifestyle and alternative rock?...

Megadeth's "Countdown To Extinction" is a monster, so why is radio asleep at the dial? Album Rock, this is your wake-up call! While we're on the subject, just give me five minutes with Mike Muir and I'll convince him why a Megadeth/Suicidal Tendencies/Body Count package is a David Robinson slam dunk!... Jackyl's "I Stand Alone" video is over-the-top... Life, Sex and Death are going out with Lynch Mob. I like this one. It's different... Trouble's "Memory's Garden" and Rhino Bucket's "Hey There" sound s-o-o-o good on Pirate. How do they crush on yer stations, dudes?... Paul Stanley's bachelor party was a most entertaining affair. But more awesome a sight than the cleavage was Gene Simmons handing people stacks of \$10 bills — and not asking for a receipt! Except for Larry Mazer, I didn't see anyone pocket the bread. But seriously, congrats to P.S. and Miss Pamela; the wedding was stunning. Mazel Tov... Michael Ross, the Jesse Jaymes "College Girls" clip is def. If MTV accepts this one, I'll buy you lunch... I hear Madonna's got a track on her next record called "Eating Out," dedicated to "guess what?" Does this woman rock or what? I'd hate to hear what the feminist conscience of PTTM, Thelma and Louise, have to say about it... Jeff Naumann and Wil Sharpe: your Young Turk and Kik Tracee (respectively) cassettes are at the top

of my list when I return from vacation on August 3rd... Sambora, my friend, it was a blast. Thanks for the private riffs. Friend out...



Karen Glauber — "There's no such thing as Metal."

RETAIL METAL TOP THIRTY

2W	LW	TW	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	2W	LW	TW	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL
	1	1	MEGADETH	Countdown To.	Capitol	11	15	16	SOUNDGARDEN	Badmotorfinger	A&M
-	4	2	DANZIG	How The Gods.	.Def American	15	17	17	THE BLACK CROWES	The Southern	Def American
2	2	3	PEARL JAM	Ten	Epic	18	16	18	PANTERA	Vulgar Display	Atco
-	5	4	MINISTRY	Psalm 69	WB/Sire	23	23	19	L7	Bricks Are	Slash
3	6	5	TEMPLE OF THE DOG	Temple Of	A&M	24	25	20	GUNS N'ROSES	Illusion II	Geffen
1	3	6	FAITH NO MORE	Angel Dust	Slash/Reprise	22	22	21	NIRVANA	Nevermind	DGC
7	8	7	BODY COUNT	Body Count	Sire	12	18	22	IRON MAIDEN	Fear Of The	Epic
		8	JOE SATRIANI	The Extremist	Relativity	17	20	23	DEICIDE	Legion	RC
6	7	9	RED HOT CHILI	Blood Sugar	Warner Bros.	14	19	24	DEF LEPPARD	Adrenalize	Mercury
5	9	10	SUICIDAL TEND	The Art Of	Epic	26	29	25	WHITE ZOMBIE	La Sexorcisto	Geffen
8	11	11	VARIOUS ARTISTS	Singles	Epic	21	27	26	NAPALM DEATH	Utopia	Relativity/Earache
10	14	12	METALLICA	Metallica	Elektra	25	28	27	TESTAMENT	The Ritual	Atlantic
13	13	13	GUNS N'ROSES	Illusion I	Geffen	28	30	28	TROUBLE	Manic	Def American
4	10	14	BLACK SABBATH	Dehumanizer	Reprise			29	ROLLINS BAND	The End	Imago
9	12	15	HELMET	Meantime	Interscope	20	21	30	FIREHOUSE	Hold Your Fire	Epic

PEDDLE METAL

REPORTING STATIONS THIS WEEK

CIBI Montreal, Quebec **KBHU** Spearfish, SD KBPI Denver, Co Kansas City, MO Fzn **KBZR** Palm Springs, CA **KCLB** Columbia, MO **KCOU** San Luis Obispo, CA **KCPR KDJK** Oakdale, CA Colorado Springs, CO **KEPC** KEYJ Abilene, TX KFMQ AM Lincoln, NE KIOZ San Diego, CA **KISW** Seattle, WA **KLBJ** Austin, TX KLPI Ruston, LA **KLSU** Baton Rouge, LA **KMJX** Little Rock, AR Grand Junction, CO **KMSA** KNDI Honolulu, HI **KNEU** Kirksville, MO Claremore, OK KNGX KQAL Winona, MN KRNR Mankato, MN KROK Deridder, LA KRUX Las Cruces, NM **KSAQ** San Antonio, TX **KSFX** Roswell, NM San Jose, CA KSJS

Rapid City, SD

Juneau, AK

KTEQ

KTOO

KTUH Honolulu, HI Fayetteville, AR KUAF KUCI Irvine, CA KUGS Bellingham, WA KUNV Las Vegas, NV **KVHS** Concord, CA Walla Wall, WA **KWCW KWUR** St. Louis, MO Reno, NV Κ7ΔΚ **KZRX** Phoenix, AZ WAPI Birmingham, AL WASU Boone, NC Babylon, NY **WBAB** Garden City, NY **WBAU WBCN** Boston, MA **WBER** Penfield, NY Bowling Green, OH **WBGU** Bridgewater, MA WBIM **WBNY** Buffalo, NY **WBUL** Tampa, FL **WCWP** Brookville, NY WDCR Hanover, NH Cedar Knolls, NJ **WDHA** Chester, PA WDNR **WDWN** Auburn, NY Fzn WECI Richmond, IN **WEOS** Geneva, NY WEVL Memphis, TN Bowling Green, OH WFAL

WFBG Altoona, PA New Britain, CT **WFCS** WFIT Melbourne, FL WFSE Edinboro, PA WGIR Manchester, NH WHJY East Providence, RI WHVY Annapolis, MD WIYY Baltimore, MD Lowell, MA WJUL WKDU Philadelphia, PA **WKNC** Raleigh, NC WKNH Keene, NH WKOJ Middletown, NY **WKPX** Sunrise, FL Fzn WLOC Munfordville, KY **WLRA** Romeoville, IL **WLRN** Miami, FL Fzn **WMBR** Cambridge, MA **WMHW** Mt. Pleasant, MI WMNF Tampa, FL **WMPG** Portland, ME WMUL Huntington, WV **WNEW** New York, NY WNHU West Haven, CT **WPGU** Champaign, IL **WPHD** Elmira, NY WPSC Wayne, NJ **WPSU** University Pk, PA Ithaca, NY WQNY

WQSU Selinsgrove, PA WRFL Lexington, KY WRMC Middlebury, VT WRRG Rivergrove, IL WRZK Tallahasee, FL WSBF Clemson, SC **WSFW** Seneca Falls, NY Fzn Port Huron, MI WSGR WSMU North Dartmouth, MA WSOU South Orange, NJ WSTZ Jackson, MS **WSUP** Platteville, WI WUSB Stony Brook, NY **WVBR** Ithaca, NY WVFS Tallahasee, FL **WVKR** Poughkeepsie, NY **WVUM** Miami, FL Highland Park, IL WVVX **WWGC** Carrollton, GA **WWSP** Stevens Point, WI Fzn WXCI Danbury, CT Newark, DE Fzn WXDR WXMJ Mt. Union, PA **WXUT** Toledo, OH WZIP Akron, OH **WZMB** Greenville, NC **WZRC** New York, NY **WZRZ** Hamilton, OH **Z-ROCK** National

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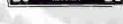
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7	6	6	SUICIDAL TEND	The Art Of	Epic
11	11	7	TROUBLE	Manic	Def American
6	7	8	TESTAMENT	The Ritual	Atlantic
9	8	9	OBITUARY	The End	Roadrunner
-	15	10	MINISTRY	Psalm 69	WB/Sire
14	13	11	VARIOUS	Singles	Epic
8	9	12	PANTERA	Vulgar Display	. Atco
5	10	13	IRON MAIDEN	Fear Of	Epic
12	14	14	SAIGON KICK	The Lizard	Third Stone
16	16	15	WHITE ZOMBIE	La Sexorcisto	Geffen
13	12	16	KISS	Revenge	Mercury
20	18	17	DEAD WHITE & BLUE	Heads	Triple X
	21	18	24-7 SPYZ	Strength In	East/West
17	17	19	DEICIDE	Legion	Roadrunner
18	20	20	AVERSION	Fit To Be Tied	Restless
24	26	21	KYUSS	Blues For The	Dali/Chameleon
30	24	22	DREAM THEATER	Images	Atco
23	23	23	NAPALM DEATH	World Keeps	Relativity/Earache
15	19	24	T-RIDE	T-Ride	Hollywood
21	27	25	CRO-MAGS	Cro-Mags III	Century Media
25	22	26	GWAR	America Must	Metal Blade
		27	JOE SATRIANI	The Extremist	Relativity
	30	28	SKREW	Buming In	Metal Blade/WB
26	25	29	MALEVOLENT CR	Eve Of The	Roadrunner

From our *There's No Such* Thing As A Free Lunch Unless You're Lonn Friend file: What have Henry Rollins and Rick Rubin been

OVER THE EDGE

talking about over grilled tofu? It ain't on the menu... Speaking of free lunch, thanks to Hollywood's Poorboys for the chow last week... Live from Sing Sing, it's Brujeria! Vinyl 6-song EP was sent to the Alternative Tenatacles label via Faith No More bassist Billy Gould. Billy re-mixed the tracks and the band provided artwork (which will never be racked in Wal-Mart). Kicker is Bruieria are all roommates — in jail. States Tentacles' Greg Wercman: "We don't even know who these people are."... Great White - out in September and it sounds pretty wonderful....MC5's Wayne Kramer joined C.O.C. on stage in Nashville. Did a medly of MC5 greatest hits...On Arsenio Tuesday the 4th - Megadeth. What came first. the chicken or the egg?: You would think that those promoting their artists would 1-o-v-e the fact that their music is getting played on more than one format. Instead, some actually whine about the metalternative crossover. Until more stations in this country commit their formats to it, metal will continue to be the poor stepchild - good for the springboard, bad for the overall career... Sabbath/Danzig shows getting great response... Dan says "Don't forget to vot (sic)." We've got a state-by-state breakdown of voter registration deadline dates. Call us for info to pass on to your listeners.... Slamming on the Thelma and Louise car stereo: Suicidal, Megadeth old and new, The Beyond, Singles, Soundgarden, Ministry, Trouble, Dead, White & Blue, Kyuss... Finally, a huge, honking Happy B'day to the person responsible for bringing the love of music into my life... Love ya Pops.

By THELMA and LOUISE

RADIO KNOB O' THE WEEK



BOB MORGANO WBIM, BRIDGEWATER, MA

Boston metal mafia member Mr. Morgano has been programming the hard stuff at WBIM for three years. Bob's life devotion to Metal is due to a religious experience... the Lord Himself once

stage-dived into his arms. Bob demands we all Rock The Vote, claiming, "Quayle is an idiot and Bush is a bonehead," and plans a career in politics. Payola is a definite option, which explains the RIP hat Lonn paid him to wear. What Bob doesn't know is that Lonn paid us even more to print his name... twice. We love ya!

TOP FIVE MOST ADDED

Submit

BANG TANGO

ARTIST
MOTORHEAD
BAD 4 GOOD
MASSACRE
PITCH SHIFTER
JACKYL

29 30

TITLE March Or Die 19 Inhuman Condition

I Stand Alone

Ain't No Jive... MCA

LABEL WTG/Epic Interscope Relativity/Earache Relativity/Earache Geffen

TOP FIVE PHONES

ARTIST
MEGADETH
DANZIG
FAITH NO MORE
BLACK SABBATH Reprise
MINISTRY WB/Sire

TITLE LABEL

Countdown To Extinction Capitol

How The Gods Kill Def American

Angel Dust Slash/Rep

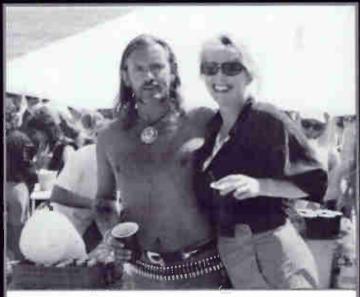
tied with SUICIDAL TENDENCIES Epic

tied with HELMET Interscope

PEDDLE METAL



When Death takes a holiday, it goes shopping at Ace's Records with James Murphy and Mark Van Epp. Both these fine fellows are associated with some of our fave death metal bands and they deserve a night on the town — dontcha think?



Our favorite gal around town, KIOZ's Peg Pollard was recently caught during her honeymoon on the French Riviera with best man Lemmy. Hubby Mike Muir was selling bandanas on the boulevard (as opposed to selling sea shells on the seashore).



Bobby
Carlton asks
how many
musicians does
it take to steal
his motorcycle?
Ugly Kid
Joe says two.
Rob Halford
sez mine's bigger than yours
anyway.

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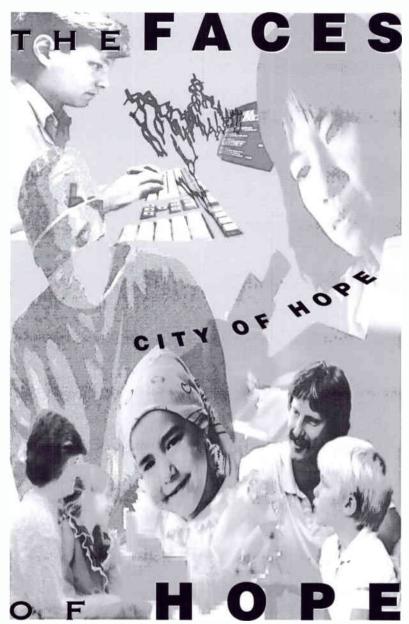
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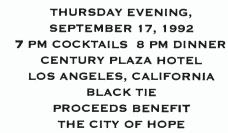
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TOP TEN

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



WINNERS

MOST #1's

- 1 MEGADETH
- TOO SHORT 2
- **BILLY RAY CYRUS** 3.
- BOOMERANG (ST) 3.

MOST TOP 5'S

- 1. MEGADETH
- BOOMERANG (ST) 2.
- PEARL JAM

MOST TOP 10

- MEGADETH
- **PEARL JAM** 2.
- 2. **BOOMERANG (ST)**
- RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS



BETH STEWART 403 Retail Stores (Atlanta)

SUPER CLUB MUSIC

- - 1. BOOMERANG (ST) 2. BILLY RAY CYRUS
 - **MEGADETH**
 - 4. PEARL JAM
 - 5.
 - TOO SHORT KRIS KROSS
 - CLINT BLACK
 - **RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS**
- **SIR MIX-A-LOT**
- 10. MARIAH CAREY/EP



DOUG SMITH 95 Retail Stores (Pittsburgh)

NAT'L RECORD MART

- **MEGADETH**
- **BILLY RAY CYRUS**
- PEARL JAM TEMPLE OF THE DOG
- 5. BOOMERANG (ST)
- 6. TOO SHORT
- ARRESTED DEVELOPMENT 8. RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS
- 9. GUNS N' ROSES I
- 10. JOE SATRIANI



STAN GOMAN 61 Retail Stores (Sacramento)

TOWER NATIONAL

- MEGADETH MARIAH CAREY/EP
- 3. BOOMERANG (ST)
 4. RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS
- **ANNIE LENNOX**
- 6. MINISTRY
- **PEARL JAM**
- 8. TOO SHORT
- 9. GUYS & DOLLS '92
- 10. ELTON JOHN



STEVE CHALFANT 167 Retail Stores (Philadelphia)

WEE THREE

- BILLY RAY CYRUS MEGADETH
- **TEMPLE OF THE DOG**
- MARIAH CAREY/EP GUNS N' ROSES I
- 6. PEARL JAM
- **METALLICA**
- 8. ELTON JOHN
- 9. GUNS N' ROSES II
- 10. BOOMERANG (ST)



CHUCK LEE 290 Retail Stores (Los Angeles)

WHEREHOUSE

- 1. TOO SHORT
- 2. BOOMERANG (ST)
- **DJ QUIK**
- 4. RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS
- 5. PEARL JAM
- 6. MARIAH CAREY/EP
- **MEGADETH**
- 8. MO' MONEY (ST)
- 9. EN VOGUE 10. BILLY RAY CYRUS
- MUSIC

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

KEMP MILL

- **BOOMERANG (ST)**
- **MEGADETH**
- MARY C CARPENTER
- **PEARL JAM**
- MO' MONEY (ST)
- RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS
- **DANZIG**
- SOUP DRAGONS
- 9. MILES DAVIS
- 10. MARIAH CAREY/EP



JEFF COHEN 145 Retail Stores (Boston/Wash D.C.)

STRAWBERRIES/WAXIE MAXIE'S

- 1. MEGADETH
- 2. BOOMERANG (ST)
- JOE SATRIANI PEARL JAM
- 5. MO' MONEY (ST)
- 6. GUNS N' ROSES I
- **RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS**
- 8. METALLICA
- 9. TEMPLE OF THE DOG
- 10. BODY COUNT



TOM TUOMELA 200 Accounts

NAVARRE

- **TOO SHORT**
- **MEGADETH**
- 3. BILLY RAY CYRUS
- **FAITH NO MORE**
- MARIAH CAREY/EP
- ENYA
- TEMPLE OF THE DOG 7.
- SIR MIX-A-LOT
- SPICE 1
- 10. INDIGO GIRLS



LYNN BATCHECK 36 Retail Stores (Columbus)

- REC&TAPE OUTLET
 1. BOOMERANG (ST)

 - 2. DJ QUIK
 - 3. TOO SHORT 4. MO' MONEY (ST)
 - 5. TLC
 - 6. EN VOGUE
 - NAJEE
 - 8. PEARL JAM
 - 9. BILLY RAY CYRUS
 - 10. MEGADETH

TOP TEN

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JOHN GRANDONI 19 Retail Stores (Buffalo)

CAVAGES

- 1. GUNS N' ROSES I
- 2. GUNS N' ROSES II 3. MEGADETH
- 4. PEARL JAM
- 5. METALLICA 6. BILLY RAY CYRUS
- **RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS**
- 9. KRIS KROSS
- 10. GENESIS



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

MUSIC CITY RECORD DIST.

- DJ QUIK
- 2. BILLY RAY CYRUS
- TOO SHORT
- 4. JOE SATRIANI
- **MEGADETH**
- 6. MARTY STUART
- **BODY COUNT**
- SIR MIX-A-LOT
- 9. BOOMERANG (ST)
- 10. SONIC YOUTH

RICH LOCKWOOD 300 Accounts

PACIFIC COAST ONE-STOP

(Chatsworth)

PACIFIC COAST ONE-STOP 1. SONIC YOUTH

- 2. DJ QUIK
- 3. JOE SATRIANI
- 4. MEGADETH
- 5. GUNS N' ROSES II 6. GUNS N' ROSES I
- B-52'S
- 8. BOOMERANG (ST)
- 9. TOO SHORT 10. PEARL JAM



FRANK DAVIS 400 Accounts (Detroit)

ANGOTT ONE-STOP

- 1. DJ QUIK
- 2. BOOMERANG (ST)
- 3. TOO SHORT
- **AL JARREAU**
- 5. SPICE 1
- 6. MC REN
- 7. TEVIN CAMPBELL 8. MO' MONEY (ST) 9. POISON CLAN

- 10. BODY COUNT

JOHN SHAHINIAN 6 Retail Stores THE RECORD EXCHANGE (Cleveland)

- RECORD EXCHANGE 1. BILLY RAY CYRUS
 - 2. BOOMERANG (ST)
 - KRIS KROSS
 - MARIAH CAREY/EP
 - PEARL JAM 5.
 - RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS GARTH BROOKS/ROPIN'

 - **G.BROOKS/NO FENCES**
 - SIR MIX-A-LOT
 - 10. DEF LEPPARD



BRAD SINGER 4 Retail Stores & 150 One-Stop Accts (Phoenix)

IMPACT

- **MEGADETH**
- 2. MINISTRY
- 3. TEMPLE OF THE DOG
- **DANZIG**
- SINGLES (ST) 5.
- 6. **PEARL JAM**
- 7. **FAITH NO MORE**
- 8. HELMET
- 9. SUICIDAL TENDENCIES
- 10. BODY COUNT



AMY BANNING 7 Stores (Grand Rapids)

BELIEVE IN MUSIC

- 1. MEGADETH
- **TOO SHORT**
- SIR MIX-A-LOT
- **BOOMERANG (ST)**
- 5.
- MINISTRY MO' MONEY (ST) 6.
- 7. **DANZIG**
- 8. MEN AT LARGE
- SPICE 1
- 10. R. KELLY

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GERRI KARDOSZ 700 Racked Accounts (Baltimore)

- INTERSTATE GROUP

 1. BILLY RAY CYRUS
 - KRIS KROSS
 - 3. GARTH BROOKS/ROPIN' 4. BOOMERANG (ST) 5. MARIAH CAREY/EP

 - **WILSON PHILLIPS**
 - **DEF LEPPARD**
 - 8. BLACK CROWES
 - 9. RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS
 - 10. MO' MONEY (ST)



SCOTT FREEMAN 16 Music Vision Retail Stores, 100 1-Stop accts (St.

CML ONE-STOP

- 1. JOE SATRIANI
- 2. MEGADETH
- **TOO SHORT**
- RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS BILLY RAY CYRUS SIR MIX-A-LOT

- MINISTRY
- 8. TESLA
- 9. TEMPLE OF THE DOG
- 10. BODY COUNT



MIKE SCHNEIDER 7 Retail stores (Illinios)

APPLE TREE

- 1. JOE SATRIANI 2. SONIC YOUTH
- 3. MINISTRY
- **MEGADETH**
- TEMPLE OF THE DOG
- 6. PEARL JAM
- SINGLES (ST) BODY COUNT
- 9. RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS
- 10. DANZIG



BOB SAY 7 Stores (Los Angeles)

MOBY DISC

- **SONIC YOUTH**
- 2. MINISTRY 3. MEGADETH
- 4. JOE SATRIANI
- 5. TEMPLE OF THE DOG 6. BLACK CROWES
- **RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS** 8. PEARL JAM
- **TORI AMOS** 10. BEASTIE BOYS



LOU GHIRALDI 4 Retail Stores (Long Island)

MCD MUSIC

- **ROXY BLUE**
- 2. JOE SATRIANI
- MEGADETH
- SPIN DOCTORS GUNS N' ROSES I
- BOOMERANG (ST 7. BILLY RAY CYRUS 8. METALLICA
- 9. BLACK CROWES
- 10. MO' MONEY (ST)





AKOUTS

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

Hot new product continues to be the buzzword at retail as new smashes from hard rocker Joe Satriani on Relativity, rap king DJ Quik on Profile and Post Modern monsters Sonic Youth on DGC all hit and hit

big. Last week's "Winners" Too Short, Ministry, Megadeth and Clint Black continue to spread, while Pat Metheny starts to break.

WINNERS

68%

62%

60%

27%

26%

- **JOE SATRIANI**
- DJ QUIK
- **SONIC YOUTH**
- **TOO SHORT**
- **MINISTRY**
- (Relativity 1053) (Profile 1430)
- (DGC 24485)
- (Jive 41467)
- (Sire/WB 26727)
- **COOL WORLD (ST)**
- **CLINT BLACK**
- 8 **MEGADETH** 9
- **PAT METHENY** 10 MC REN
- (WB 45009)
- (RCA 66003) 21% 19%

23%

10%

- (Cap 98531) (Geffen 24468) 11%
- (Ruth/Pri 53802)

ABBEY ROAD / RON SIMMS /

LOS ANGELES

DJ Quik Sonic Youth Joe Satriani

Too Short

APPLE TREE / MIKE SCHNEIDER / ILLINOIS

Joe Satriani DJ Quik

Jesus & Mary Chain Melissa Etheridge Sonic Youth

ARROW DISTRIBUTORS / TONY

BRENNER / SOLON, OHIO

Megadeth Clint Black Barcelona Gold

Singles (ST)

DJ Quik

ASSOCIATED ONE-STOP / PAM

DUNN / PHOENIX

DJ Quik Joe Satriani

Laura Enea

Best Of Techno Vol I

ATLANTA CD / ALISON EVANS /

COBB

Ministry Sonic Youth Clint Black

Danzig

BELIEVE IN MUSIC / PAULA

TANIS / GRAND RAPIDS

Cool World (ST) Clint Black Joe Satriani Suicidal Tendencies

CAMPUS RECORDS / JIM DAW-

SON / COLUMBUS

Sonic Youth

Sonic Youth Cool World (ST) DI Onik Joe Satriani Charlie Wilson

CD ONE-STOP / DAVE CARROLL

/ CONN

Sonic Youth Joe Satriani Too Short Pat Metheny Third World

CENTRAL SOUTH / TONY ROSS

/NASHVILLE

Joe Satriani DJ Quik Ministry

Cool World (ST)

Cracker

CML/DAVE QUILLO/ST. LOUIS

DJ Ouik Joe Satriani Cool World (ST) Barcelona Gold

COCONUTS / KEVIN HARNETT /

INDIANAPOLIS

Too Short Jon Secada MC Ren Megadeth Boomerang (ST)

DOWN IN THE VALLEY / ERIC

NEESE / MPLS

Joe Satriani Sonic Youth Ministry Jon Secada Megadeth

H.L. DIST / NELSON PEREZ /

MIAMI

Sonic Youth DJ Ouik Joe Satriani Cool World (ST)

HMV / JEFF DAVIDSON /

CAMBRIDGE

Sonic Youth Levelers Me Phi Me Singles (ST)

JEK ENTERPRISE / MITCHEL

Too Short MC Ren DJ Ouik

Eric Clapton

ASCH / BALTIMORE

Sonic Youth

JUSTIN/MICHAEL MEYER/AT-

DJ Quik Joe Satriani Cool World (ST) Clint Black Florida Mass Choir

DJ Magic Mike

LECHMERE / DAVE CURTIS /

BOSTON

LANTA

Joe Satriani Pat Metheny Clint Black Joe Cocker George Harrison

MAINSTREAM / MIKE PFAFFL /

MILWAUKEE

DJ Quik Too Short MC Ren **Body Count**

MCD MUSIC / LOU GHIRALDI / **CEDARHURST**

Mo' Money (ST) David Sanborn Roxy Blue Trouble Suicidal Tendencies Cages

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ANGELES

Sonic Youth Joe Satriani DJ Quik



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By Mitch Perliss

Haven't had the opportunity to see the movie, but the next soundtrack album that should be a smash regardless of the box office is "Honeymoon In Vegas," which contains performances of 13 classic Elvis songs. Our faves include Dwight Yoakam's version of "Suspicious Minds," Billy Joel's "All Shook Up," "Love Me Tender" by Amy Grant, Bono's "Can't Help Falling In Love," Travis Tritt's cover of "Burning Love" and Bryan Ferry's take on "Are You Lonesome Tonight?" Other featured artists include Ricky Van Shelton, Willie Nelson, John Mellancamp, Trisha Yearwood and Jeff Beck & Jed Lieber. Merchandised instore properly, "Honeymoon In Vegas" will sell to all old Elvis fans and should create a legion of new ones.... A recent article in the L.A. Daily News discussed the increasing amount of stores now selling used CDs. A copy of Faith No More's "Angel Dust" was shopped around at four different L.A. stores which specialize in selling used CDs. While the price for this disc is as high as \$15.99 at major chain stores in the area, a new copy sold for between \$11.99 and \$12.99 in these stores, with the used copy sell-

Tritt a Treat



Travis Tritt: A hunk of "Burning Love" for "Honeymoon."

ing for \$8.99 at all four locations. The paper was offering between \$4-5 in cash for turning in the CD and between \$5-7 in store credit. Stores selling used product certainly aren't new, but seem to be proliferating across the country. Look in the local arts & entertainment weekly of almost any major city and you'll find lots of ads for used CD stores stating, "We Pay Cash For Your Quality Used Music" or "We Buy, Sell and Trade." Part of the reason for this is the economy, with used prices giving the consumer an opportunity to build their collection at half to two-thirds the price of new CDs. Another reason is the high cost of new CDs where, even at \$13.99, the consumer is hesitant to "try" something new. One of the reasons that small independent stores feel they have to sell used product is because they have such a small profit margin on new releases. Because most indies purchase product from one stops at 10-15% higher than chain stores and then must compete with them with low prices on hit product, they need another source of income to allow them to keep the doors open. "I couldn't survive if all I had to sell was new releases," savs one indie owner. "I get a better profit margin on used product as well as increased traffic because there's new product in the used bins every day and many customers come in two or three times a week to check them out.".. Joe Nardone's Gallery of Sound has started its own monthly inhouse consumer newspaper, with initial distribution in the chain's eight Wilkes-Barrebased stores. The initial issue contains record reviews, gossip columns, a review of the New Music Seminar and an interesting article on the best places in the area to eat "wings."

MINI MUGS



LIFE IS A CARNIVAL: At least it is for recent BMG Music signing Carnival of Souls shortly before the effects of the Coconut Teaszer ribs and fries kicked in, causing the guys to barf on several unfortunate pedestrians walking along Sunset Blvd. Trying to figure out who they owe a favor to for this Mini-Mugs shot are (1-r): band members Andy Kaulkin and Fritz Michuad (1): former Trakin discovery, fellow Wantagh citizen and current BMG Music West Coast rep Margaret Mittleman and the group's Phillip Stevenson, Dicky Ruiz and David Harte.



GAINES AND LOSSES: ERG artist Jeffrey Gaines tolerates retail shlemiels at The Record Exchange in Charlotte, N.C., for a cross-country retail tour during which he learned 1,001 different ways to say, "How did you manage to get that in-store display up just in time for my visit?" Hiding the scotch tape and scissors are (1-r): Record Exchange's Brett Dupree, Curtis Ward, Gaines, owner Don Rosenberg, EMI's Ron Carter, The Exchange's Derek Conner, Bill Richardson and Jason Herring.



PUTTING THEIR FINGERS ON THE PULSE: Geffen Records act White Zombie and former label executives show their appreciation for this Mini-Mug with sign language that, loosely translated, means "We love you" or words to that effect. The group were promoting their new LP, "La Sexorcisto: Devil Music, Vol. 1," which, loosely translated, means, "Satan Craves Marla Maples's Shoes." Pictured (1-r) are Uni's Mitch O'Brien; the band's J, Rob Zombie 666 and Sean: Uni's Russell Aiello and Jeff De Young and Geffen's Rick Sherman.





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HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS

Megadeth holds off the Boomerang soundtrack for the second week as #1 Box Office action lands the Mo' Money soundtrack into the Top 10 at #9. Guns N' Roses jump five points to #15, with the smash single and video leading. Big

debut for **DJ Quik** at #18 with his new single going to Top 40. "Guitarist Extremist" **Joe Satriani**, comes in at #21, **Jon Secada** breaks in at #40, with a Top 10 single leading and **Shabba Ranks** returns at #49.

ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	COMMENTS	POWER INDEX
MEGADETH	COUNT DOWN TO	Capitol 98531	Over 600,000	111.7
BOOMERANG	SOUNDTRACK	LaF/Arista 26006	Contains multiple smashes	110.4
BILLY RAY CYRUS	SOME GAVE ALL	Mercury 510-635	Ready for new single	102.9
MARIAH CAREY	MTV UNPLUGGED	Columbia 52758	Ready for new single	101.9
PEARL JAM	TEN	Epic/Assoc. 47857	Lollapalooza	95.4
KRIS KROSS	TOTALLY KROSSED OUT	Ruff/Col 48710	Ready for new single	88 .3
TOO SHORT	SHORTY THE PIMP	Jive 41467	Rap	83.8
RED HOT CHILI	BLOODSUGARSEX	Wamer Bros 26681	Lollapalooza	77.7
MO' MONEY	SOUNDTRACK	Pers/A&M 1004	#1 Box Office	70.2
TEMPLE OF THE DOG	TEMPLE OF THE DOG	A&M 75021	MTV	63.9
EN VOGUE	FUNKY DIVAS	Atco/EW 92121	Second single Top 5	61.7
ELTON JOHN	THE ONE	MCA 10614	Title cut Top 20	57.6
CLINT BLACK	THE HARD WAY	RCA 66003	Huge at the major accts	56.6
TLC	000000ННН	LaF/Arista 26003	Contains #1 single	55.1
GUNS N' ROSES	USE YOUR ILL, I	Geffen 24415	Smash leads	53.5
SIR MIX-A-LOT	MACK DADDY	Def Am/Rep 26765	Ready for new single	53.4
METALLICA	METALLICA	Elektra 61113	On tour	52.2
DJ QUIK	WAY 2 FONKY	Profile 1430	Sizzling out of the box	51 .9
MINISTRY	PSALM 69	Sire/WB 26727	Lollapalooza	49.3
ANNIE LENNOX	DIVA	Arista 8704	TV exposure	49.1
JOE SATRIANI	EXTREMIST	Relativity 1053	Mega guitarist	45. 3
MC REN	KIZZ MY BLACK AZZ	Priority 53802	Major Rap Ep	45.2
FAITH NO MORE	ANGEL DUST	Slash/Rep 26785	45 developing	43.4
ARRESTED DEVELOPMENT	3 YEARS, 5 MONTHS	Chry/ERG 21929	New video out	42.9
BLACK CROWES	SOUTHERN HARMONY	Def Am/Rep 26916	New single shipping	40.9

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

MEGADETH

1-1 HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS



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SISTER ACT (Hollywood) SONIC YOUTH (DGC) **NEXT UP** R KELLY (Jive)

CELENE DION (Epic) FIREHOUSE (Epic) NAJEE (EMI/ERG)

TOM COCHRANE (Capitol) BARCELONA (WB) PAT METHENY (Geffen)

ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	COMMENTS	POWER INDEX
DANZIG	HOW THE GODS KILL	Def American 26914	Top 5 Metal	40.6
GARTH BROOKS	ROPIN' THE WIND	Capitol 96330	Up and down	37.9
GENESIS	WE CAN'T DANCE	Atlantic 91787	New video out	37.4
M. CHAPIN CARPENTER	COME ON, COME ON	Columbia 48881	Crossing from Country	36.9
B-52'S	GOOD STUFF	Reprise 26943	Ready for new single	35.6
BEASTIE BOYS	CHECK YOUR HEAD	Capitol 7 989382	Over 700,000	33.5
THE CURE	WISH	Fict/Elektra 61309	Top 10 single leads	33.1
SINGLES	SOUNDTRACK	S'trax/Epic 52476	Seattle Scene	33.0
GARTH BROOKS	NO FENCES	Capitol 93866	Up this week	31.5
BODY COUNT	BODY COUNT	Sire/WB 26878	Added to MTV	29.9
DAS EFX	DEAD SERIOUS	Atco/EW 91827	New 45 Top 15 JAMS	29.7
GUNS N' ROSES	USE YOUR ILL II	Geffen 24420	Back up big	29.7
RED HOT AND DANCE	RED HOT AND DANCE	Columbia 52826	Benefit compilation	28.6
INDIGO GIRLS	RITES OF PASSAGE	Epic 4552	New single to Post Modern	27.3
JON SECADA	JON SECADA	SBK/ERG 98843	Drivin' by hit single	27.1
WILSON PHILLIPS	SHADOWS AND LIGHT	SBK/ERG 98924	New single breaking	26.5
ENYA	SHEPHERD MOONS	Reprise 26775	Back up this week	26.5
U2	ACHTUNG BABY	Island/PLG 314-510	New video on MTV	26.4
QUEEN	CLASSIC QUEEN	Hollywood 61311	Up and down	26.3
BROOKS & DUNN	BRAND NEW MAN	Arista 18658	Crossing from Country	25.8
JODECI	FOREVER MY LADY	Uptown/MCA 10198	Top 15 crossover leads	24.8
NIRVANA	NEVERMIND	DGC 24425	Peaked	24.8
DEF LEPPARD	ADRENALIZE	Mercury 512-185	Ready for new single	24.5
SHABBA RANKS	ROUGH & READY, VOL I	Epic 52443	Top 40 single leads	22.8
ERIC B AND RAKIM	DON'T SWEAT THE	MCA 10594	Rap	22.8

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13 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES!

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WEGX 5-4

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WAVELENGTH



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if you haven't seen it yet. He was absolutely great!!!.... Former WTWR Toledo PD Duane Shannon is now PD at KFBQ Cheyenne..... In Phoenix, KOY-FM requests to be referred to as Y95 in all print and stories and PD Jamie Hyatt re-ups for another year KIIS-FM and Bill Richards are yelling smash with big pre-release play on the new Ephraim Lewis 45, now it's out for everyone to play. It sure SOUNDS like a hit on the air.... And what's up with Mc-Vay Media? We're hearing rumblings of some sort of deal.... Late night dj Whitey Whitney and music coordinator Brad Michaels have left KXXR Kansas City.... Pomo radio grows as WIBF Philly heads in that direction and LIVE 105 San Francisco scores a 2.5 to 3.2 12+ Arbitron with sensational male demos..... Our hats are off, way off, to Rick Stone and his promo team for the sensational job on the Del Amitri 45. Post Modern music just gets bigger as it joins Soup Dragons on the way to the top..... Ex-KSMB Lafayette PD Ray Waldon is joining the priesthood. If history a la Richard Palmese repeats itself, he will soon be Prez of a record label.... KDWB Minny has named Bobby Wilde to handle afternoon drive duties..... Ex-Epic promo head Walter Winnick signs on to helm promotion at Savage Records..... PD Charlie Logan is out at WYNF Tampa..... New promo director at KJMZ Dallas is Renie Hale..... KISK Favetteville needs Top 40 service. Contact PD Ken Wall at 501-

442-0102..... All week long KHTK St. Louis gave away tickets to the "Lollapalooza" concert, then at the show handed out match books containing condoms. Current HITS and former **KHTK** employee Michael St. John does not have a penis and has never had a need for these items.... Congrats to WXKB Ft. Myers PD Chris Cue & MD Randy Sherwyn on their Arbitron ratings surge from 3.1 to 6.8..... Happy birthday wishes to KQKQ Omaha PD Tom Gjerdrum, 7/31.... In one of the more interesting developments in the current ratings period, STAR94 Atlanta has passed PWR99 with a 12+ gain of 4.2 to 4.9, while Power fell 6.3 to 4.6. The two stations tied in 18-34 numbers.... Blowin' In The Wind:

Todd Fisher, Brian Bridgman, Steve Wall, Dave Morales, Staci Kelly, Ricky Leigh, Robert Elfman and Cat Thomas..... And here's Elvis: alive, much-wanted and sighted in nearly every city in America.



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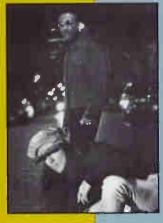
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Keith Naftaly adds another

notch to his already full belt)

and Stef Rybak and KVRY

Phoenix part ways. Add in the

continuing saga of the ubi-

quitous and highly talented El-

vis Duran, who hasn't received

paperwork from KBEQ Kansas

City due to problems at Noble

corporate in San Diego and

could be on the verge of making

a very interesting deal way

down yonder in ????..... So,

now we wonder who will be the

next to challenge the un-chal-

lengeable in SF. Ken Richards'

name is prevalent as are those

of Mark Shands (hmmm!!),

WAVELENGTH



by Lenny Beer & Michael St. John

Joel Folger and even Elvis..... The pace is quickening in the And in Dayton, where WGTZ always interesting game of radio roulette. First, the plot remains open, GM David Macejko expects another week thickens as PD Bob Mitchell exits WILD 107 San Francisco (as KMEL programming god

to pass before he makes a decision. Conversations are continuing with more than two candidates..... Phil Costello exits



The lovely Wilson sisters visit a radio station in Tampa whose phones have stopped working. It seems radio god Mason Dixon has tried and tried to return phone calls but has been thwarted in his efforts. EMI's Harry Schwartz and Laura Kuntz join station MD Rico Blanco in the effort to make Dixon's fingers move.

Virgin for a position at Def American. He likes big butts!..... And what about radio "Pac-Men" Clear Channel? We hear lots of rumblings about changes and format flips. These guys are big action, so stay tuned It's time for more people to pay attention to the Rozalla single. It's #1 at PWR106, jumps 17-7 at PWR99 and picks up key adds at Z100, KDWB, KBEQ and WKBQ. Rave music goes mass appeal and our own Todd "The Bod" Hensley is dancin' up a storm — look out!.... The Howard Stern to KEGL Dallas deal is just about done and now we're hearing talk of him in Birmingham. And, by the way, make sure you get a tape of Howard's Jay Leno appearance

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	KKRZ	deb	24	KHFI	25-18
	KDWB	deb	27	KC101	26-21
				Z100	26-22
	WAPE	1-1		KPLZ	25-22
	KXXR	8-3		KRQ	30-22
	KWOD	3-3	256	Y107	26-23
	PWR99	4-4		WKBQ	29-25
	0105	6-5		KLUC	29-26

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