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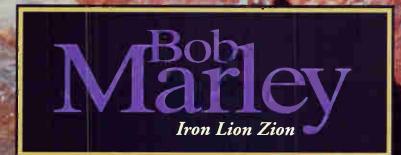
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SINGLES

The Heights reaches The Heights of the chart, although more people are buying the record than watching the show.

DIALOGUE

MCA Sr. Promotion VP Bruce Tenenbaum's enjoying his hot streak but would rather be a stand-up comic, as he explains to HITS' own resident joke Roy "L. Pain" Trakin.

JAMS

Capitol's Portrait sigh, "Here We Go Again," exasperated at having to share the same "Contents" entry with JAMS' Generalissimo "What The Heck Does" J.J. "Stand For Anyway?"

METAL

Seattle's still running 1-2, with Alice In Chains and Pearl Jam, while metal riot grrrrls Thelma & Louise bring up the rear.

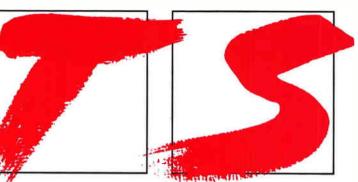
POST MODERN

Sundays debut high in the PoMo charts, but don't tell Ivana because that's her day of rest.

ALBUMS

The Bunny claims #'s 1, 2, 3 & 4 as Madonna soars by labelmates R.E.M., Clapton & Prince to win it all. But watch for Bolton, sitting at five and with major television momentum.

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Material Guy



Madonna manager and Maverick label head, Freddy is DeMann of the moment - with "Erotica" hitting the #1 spot on the HITS Top 50 Albums chart and her controversial book "Sex" topping the best-seller lists. Too bad no one in the music community's received their promo copy yet and those who've shelled out \$50 are wondering why the book's falling apart. You won't catch us complaining, though. The tome has done wonders for our sex life. Who knew a riding crop and a golden retriever could be so stimulating?

On The Cover

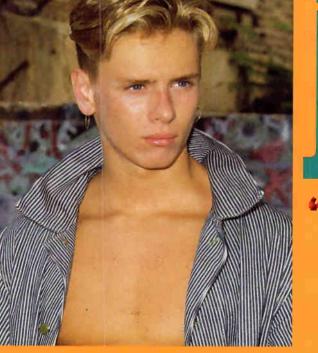
Peter Gabriel had the choice of being buried alive or appearing on this HITS cover for his new album, "Us." He chose being buried alive. Tough.

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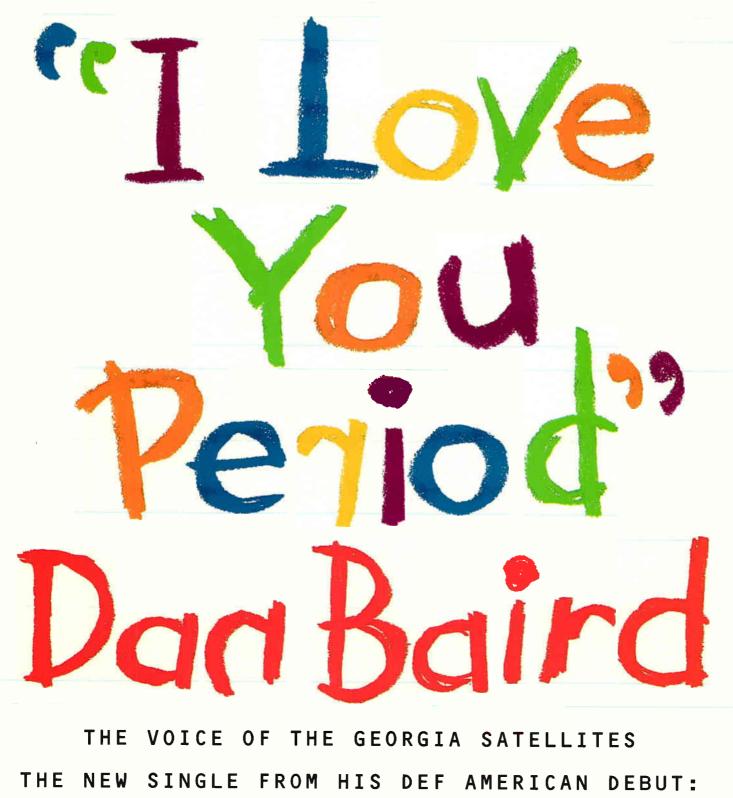
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HITS TOP FIFTY STNGLES

The Heights move to #1 not only boosting sales, but convincing television executives who were going to cancel the show to extend its run. Snap goes #13-8 with hot phones and singles sells. Shai is a monster in requests and #3 in single

sales. Wreckx-N-Effect leaps #27-19 and comes up as the #1 selling single in the country. Bon Jovi skyrockets from #42 to #27 with a hot new video on MTV. Mad Cobra comes on the chart at #38 with Top Twenty single sales. .

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E	E	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	COMMENTS
к 5	к 1	THE HEIGHTS	HOW DO YOU TALK	Capitol 44890	TV show smash
	2	PM DAWN	I'D DIE WITHOUT YOU	G St/LaF/Ari 24034	From "Boomerang"
	3	BOYZIIMEN	END OF THE ROAD	Motown 2178	Peaking
	4	MADONNA	EROTICA	Mav/Sire/WB 18782	
	5	PATTY SMYTH	SOMETIMES LOVE	MCA 54403	Lp debuts at #1
	6				Peaking
	7	ARRESTED DEVELOPMENT	PEOPLE EVERYDAY	Chry/ERG 50397	Still selling tons
		EN VOGUE	FREE YOUR MIND	Atco/EW/Atl G 98487	Steady
	8	SNAP	RHYTHM IS A DANCER	Arista 12437	Selling singles
	9	TLC	WHAT ABOUT YOUR	LaFace/Ari 24025	Smash
	10	CHARLES & EDDIE	WOULD I LIE	Capitol 44809	Steady increases
	11	MARY J BLIGE	REAL LOVE	Uptown/MCA 54455	From smash Lp
] 7	12	HOUSE OF PAIN	JUMP AROUND	T. Boy 526	Falling
23	13	SHAI	IF I EVER FALL IN	G AI/MCA 54518	Huge sales
17	14	SAIGON KICK	LOVE IS ON THE WAY	3rd/Atl/Atl G 98530	Solid increases
18	15	ANNIE LENNOX	WALKING ON BROKEN	Arista 12452	Big airplay
19	16	BOBBY BROWN	GOOD ENOUGH	MCA 54517	Solid developments
20	17	ERIC CLAPTON	LAYLA	Reprise 18787	From #3 Lp
21	18	TREY LORENZ	SOMEONE TO HOLD	Epic 74482	Selling singles now
27	19	WRECKX-N-EFFECT	RUMP SHAKER	MCA 54388	#1 in single sales
9	20	COLOR ME BADD	FOREVER LOVE	Giant/Per/A&M 18727	Falling now
14	21	FIREHOUSE	WHEN I LOOK	Epic 74440	Falling now
16	22	BOBBY BROWN	HUMPIN' AROUND	MCA 54342	Peaked
15	23	HI-FIVE	SHE'S PLAYING	Jive 42067	Peaked
29	24	MICHAEL BOLTON	TO LOVE SOMEBODY	Columbia 74733	Hot remake
22	25	CATHY DENNIS	YOU LIED TO ME	Polydor/PLG 863-452	Falling now



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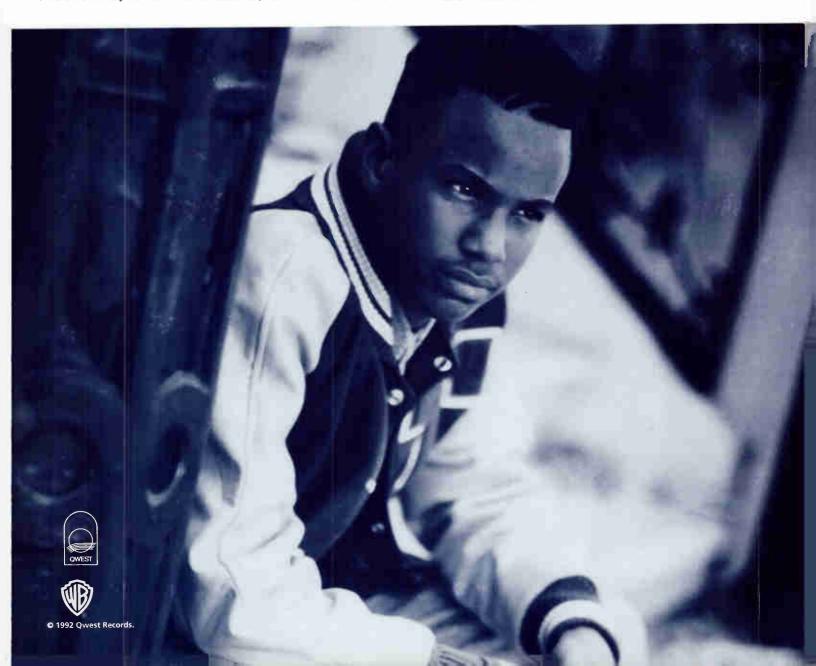
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HITS TOP FIFTY STNGLES

AGO	ШШK	E E K	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	COMMENTS
26	26	26	N2DEEP	BACK TO THE HOTEL	Profile 5367	From hot Lp
	42	27	BON JOVI	KEEP THE FAITH	Jambco/Mer 864-432	Top 40 and MTV
34	31	28	JON SECADA	DO YOU BELIEVE	SBK/ERG 50408	Big play
32	30	29	MICHAEL W SMITH	I'LL BE HERE	Reun/Geffen 19139	Big play
39	32	30	DAMN YANKEES	WHERE YOU GOIN'	Warner Bros 18728	From Gold Lp
18	28	31	DEF LEPPARD	HAVE YOU EVER	Mercury 864-136	Falling now
29	24	32	PRINCE	MY NAME IS PRINCE	P Park/WB 18707	From #4 Lp
47	39	33	R.E.M.	DRIVE	Warner Bros 18729	Big increases
25	25	34	DEL AMITRI	ALWAYS THE LAST	A&M 1604	Falling
	46	35	SPIN DOCTORS	LITTLE MISS CAN'T	Epic 34473	Radio and MTV
	48	36	RICHARD MARX	CHAINS AROUND MY	Capitol 44848	Breaking Top 40
17	33	37	K.W.S.	PLEASE DON'T GO	Next P/Lon/PLG 339	Falling now
		38	MAD COBRA	FLEX	Columbia 74373	Smash
49	44	39	PETER GABRIEL	DIGGING IN THE DIRT	Geffen 19136	From #6 Lp
45	40	40	VANESSA WILLIAMS	WORK TO DO	Wing/Mercury 863540	Steady
		41	SHANICE WILSON	SAVING FOREVER	Giant 18719	From B H 90210
19	34	42	JADE	I WANNA LOVE	Giant/Rep 4-18950	Falling
		43	ELTON JOHN	THE LAST SONG	MCA 54510	Charity
36	36	44	SWING OUT SISTER	AM I THE SAME GIRL	Fon/Mercury 864-170	Over
		45	SHABBA RANKS	SLOW & SEXY	Epic 74741	With Johnny Gill
23	37	46	SHAKESPEAR'S SISTER	STAY	London/PLG 869-730	New single starting
33	35	47	MARKY MARK	YOU GOTTA BELIEVE	Int/Atl G 98492	Peaked
	-	48	EXPOSE	I WISH THE PHONE	Arista 12466	Sales
28	38	49	k d lang	CONSTANT	Sire/WB 18942	Falling now
48	47	50	SOFIA SHINAS	THE MESSAGE	Warner Bros 18807	Peaked
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Madonna Debuts At #1, Giving WB The Top Four Albums In The Country

SEX SELLS!!

FCC Gets Stern

November 2, 1992

In a move that proves the FCC has their heads so far up their butts, their ribs tickle when they breathe, the Federal Communications Commission has fined Greater Media's L.A. station **KLSX** a record \$105,000 for "indecent" material broadcast over 12 days between October 31 and Dec. 6, 1991.

"We believe the egregious nature of the material as well as the substantial number of days on which such indecent material was broadcast aggravates the violations," said the FCC commissioners just before adjourning to solicit sexual favors from young boys.

Stern had no comment at presstime, but planned to discuss the matter during his show on Thursday.

Greater Media has 30 days to respond to the FCC or pay the fine.



MTV adds Shakespear's Sister (London/PLG), Soup Dragons (Big Life/Mercury), Me Phi Me (RCA), Skid Row (Atlantic) and Stone Temple Pilots (Atlantic). A rotation increase goes to The Heights (Capitol).

Does Dita Eat Pita?



Madonna: Whipping the competition.

Rap Sheet

They may say, "F*** The Police," but rappers just can't seem to stay away from the men in blue. Ex-N.W.A. member **Dr. Dre** was convicted of two counts of misdemeanor assault and battery and plead guilty to another last month in New Orleans District Court. Last May, Dre and four associates were involved in a fracas at the Sheraton Hotel in which two teens were stabbed and four policemen injured. Dre faces up to 18 months in the hoosegow when he's sentenced next January.

Fellow Compton hiphopster **DJ Quik** was acquitted last month on charges of throwing a 40 oz. beer bottle into the audience, which slashed the cheek of a fan during an October '91 performance in Denver. Officials found not only that the bottle weighed 36.5 oz., but that someone else threw it. Surprise, surprise!!! Madonna's "Erotica" garnered enough first-week sales to debut at #1 on the HITS Top 50 Albums chart. The Maverick/ Sire/WB project blew the pack away — so to speak.

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WB executives celebrated by stripping down to their leather undies and violently whipping each other into a joyous frenzy.

If Madonna wasn't reason enough for smiles at Bunny HQ in Burbank, WB scores the next three spots with #2 **R.E.M.**, #3 **Eric Clapton** and #4 **Prince**. In case you forgot, Prince's album is called "§." Or is that "¥"? Hmmm, maybe it's "`∂."

And to celebrate the massive success of Madonna's new album and book, we're proud to run our own little touch of "Erotica." Move over Madonna, here's HITS Editor-In-Chief Lenny Beer. Nice week, WB.



Now THAT's erotica.





Oy Vey!!!

"He was such a nice boy. How could he have grown up to be such a schlemiel?," asked the incredibly unfortunate mother of MCA Sr. VP of Promotion Bruce Tenenbaum (left). Bruce is shown at a tender young age. making up for the fact that he never was circumcised - the Rabbi couldn't find instruments that small. It goes without saying that the entire Jewish faith wishes Bruce were Catholic. To prove Bruce is a lot less intelligent than he looks, turn to his interview on page 38.

Single Sales!

The Top Ten biggest selling singles this week are #1 Wreckx-N-Effect (Uptown/ MCA), #2 Heights (Capitol), #3 Shai (Gas A/MCA), #4 Boyz II Men (Motown), #5 House Of Pain (Tommy Boy), #6 Arrested Development (Chrysalis/ERG), #7 N2Deep (Profile), #8 PM Dawn (G St/LaFace/Arista), #9 Madonna (Sire/WB) and #10 Patty Smyth (MCA).



She's back!!!!! That's right fans, the newly crowned Mrs. Bobby Brown comes thundering back with a whisper and a bang with the theme song from the new film "Bodyguard", in which she co-stars with Kevin Costner. It's a great version of Dolly Parton's "I Will Always Love You" which begins a cappella, crescendos big time and ends up at #1 in the nation. Ricky will have a field day here!

Does The Pope Poop In The Woods?



Seen trying to answer the above age-old philosophical question during a trip to the Z-100 "Morning Zoo" shortly before ripping up a photo of **Scott Shannon** on-air is Chrysalis/EMIRG recording artist and rabblerouser **Sinead O'Connor** (second from r) and three people who obviously aren't afraid of roasting in hell for eternity (l-r): Zoo Keeper **Gary Bryan**, Sinead publicist **Elaine Shock** and Z-100 Morning Zoo man **Ross Brittain**. After this pic was shot, Bryan and Brittain confessed to having sexual fantasies about their Sunday School nuns and wished they could be spanked. Don't you wish someone would sentence us to eternal damnation?

QuickHits

The Most Added singles of the week at Top 40 radio are #1 Restless Heart (RCA), #2 Go West (Chrysalis/ERG), #3 INXS (Atlantic), #4 Shakespear's Sister (London/PLG) and #5 Expose (Arista). Also, Sonia Dada (Chameleon/Elektra) comes out of the box with a strong first week.

Road King Passes

Folksy, country singersongwriter **Roger Miller**, whose playful hit singles "King of the Road" and "Dang Me" earned him 11 Grammys in two years, died last Sunday (25) in Los Angeles at 56 of lung cancer.

The Fort Worth, Texas native was raised in poverty and picked cotton to earn the \$8 to buy his first guitar. Miller eventually mastered drums, banjo, fiddle and piano, dropping out of high school to work his way across Texas and Oklahoma, playing with bands and doing odd jobs like dehorning cattle.

After serving in the Army in Korea, he moved to Nashville, where his songs were recorded by the likes of **Ernest Tubb** and **Andy Williams**. In 1964, he had a Top 10 country hit in "Chug-A-Lug," but his 1965 hobo anthem, "King of the Road," sold 2.5 singles and was recorded by some 300 artists within the next ten years.



Crowe Grounded

Black Crowe lead singer **Chris Robinson** is not a man to be trifled with. When the bartender at the Beverly Hills hotel at which the group was staying refused to serve him any more drinks because he was intoxicated, Robinson checked out with his entire entourage. The next day, his publicist issued a press statement in which Robinson blasted the establishment's guests and employees for "ostracizing [the band] for their appearance and demeanor."

Peninsula Hotel PR head **Peggy Griffin**, who claimed she received 60 calls from the media in response to the release, said it was hotel policy to cut off anyone who has had too much to drink. Robinson was passed out in a shower at the Motel 6 and unavailable for comment.

This Photo IS Fresno



B95 in Fresno threw its 21st birthday party, which means a bunch of losers get to stand around an unhappy recording artist who was dragged kicking and screaming to lip-synch a track for a bunch of listeners who will spend the rest of the day back on the farm seducing sheep and shaving their backs. Aaah, Fresno. Pictured (l-r): Person of very questionable dating habits Rachael Randolph, HITS Broadcast Editor and sheep lover Todd Hensley, B95 PD Trevor Carey, RCA goddess Tyler Collins, RCA Promo loser Kim Hughes, KEDG Las Vegas PD Don Parker and B95 Morning weenie Jerry Hart. Rachael needs therapy. Lots of therapy.

Skorpio Rising

Florida performer **Skorpio** has attracted the interest of anti-porn crusader **Jack Thompson** by including a condom with cassette singles of their song "Looking For Love." Thompson calls the packaging "another example of the music industry's anarchy."

"It's reprehensible that an 11-year-old child can go into a record store and purchase a cassette which contains a condom and instructions on how to put it on an erect penis," says Thompson, claiming it's unfair for people like him, who only have limp penises.

Citing Center For Disease Control statistics which say that one million Americans are HIV positive, one million teenagers have abortions each year and nearly 1,000 teens have AIDS, Skorpio insists, though his music promotes the joys of sex, he wants to help people be responsible sex partners. Unfortunately, his message was a little late for Thompson's parents.

Where's Ron's Mask?



Wondering why Capitol Records recording artist Bonnie Raitt (c) and Gold Mountaineer Ron Stone (r) are the only ones not wearing masks and why they're all leaning to the right are the following jokers, who are hoping their next trade shot can include whoopee cushions and plastic poo-poo (l-r): Capitol A&R VP & author of the best-selling book "How To Pick Up Chicks At Rock Clubs," Tim Devine, Capitol President & Secretary of Full Body Contact Hale Milgrim and Capitol Sr. Dir. Artist & Product Development Paul Bishow.

Box Talk!

The top played currents this week at **The Box** are #1 **Madonna** (Sire/WB), #2 **Wreckx-N-Effect** (Uptown/ MCA), #3 **Boyz II Men** (Motown), #4 **Chaka Demus** (Mango/Isl/PLG), #5 **Toni** Braxton (LaFace/Arista), #6 TLC (LaFace/Arista), #7 House Of Pain (Tommy Boy), #8 Mary J. Blige (Uptown/MCA), #9 Luke (Luke) and #10 Da Lench Mob (Atco/EW/Atl G).



wide cry in the wake of Madonna's heralded book release. The Material Girl's "bind" didn't affect her overall rating as her Midas touch continues full steam. Meanwhile, Sir McClusky is good for baseball.

The Madon na , Book	Is anyone's copy not falling apart?
Madonna	Money-making, multi-media magnate masterfully marches.
Steve Fargnoli ,	Is Sinead O'Connor's manager secretly guiding Bush's career too?
MCA & Arista	Cooking. Not even Julia Child can bring ice to a boil this fast.
Elektra Restructuring	Innovative marketing approach will quickly face the music in '93.
Jeff McClusky 4	Bought more tickets to the World Series than the entire city of Atlanta.



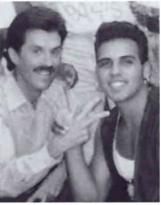


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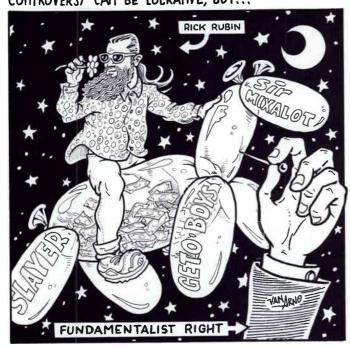
Hey, it finally dawned on the guy. Almost a year after splitting (or being split upon, depending on your point-ofview) from **Mötley Crüe**, **Vince Neil** wants back. The band's former lead singer filed a \$5 million lawsuit last week in L.A. County Superior Court seeking to be reinstated in the metal group, which signed a big-bucks contract with Elektra shortly before the break-up. The suit also alleges group members **Mick Mars, Nikki Sixx** and **Tommy Lee** libeled him by announcing he had quit the band, when in reality, he was fired last February. Who's giving this guy career advice? **George Bush**? The remaining Crües are working on their next album with new lead singer **John Corabi** and had no comment.

St. John To The Rescue

When incredibly hunky studmuffin and Barrio Boyz member Angel Ramirez Jr. (right) wanted to know what it would look like if he could put his butt next to his face, HITS' always-obliging Sr. Broadcast Editor Michael St. John (left) rushed to the rescue and provided the answer. When St. John was born, his "He's mother said, a treasure!" His father said, "Yeah, let's bury him!"



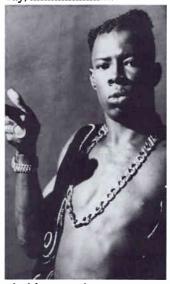
CONTROVERSY CAN BE LUCRATIVE, BUT...



THAT'S THE WAY THE DICE FALLS...



Post Modern, Metal, Rap and now Dancehall... things are changing out there! Yes, it's true what you've heard about Post Modern music and Top 40 radio. It seems as if more and more programmers every week are (finally) discovering that this music not only sells, but appeals big-time to the audience. With the sensational ratings success of Kevin Weatherly's KROQ Los Angeles (up to #4 in the market) marking the way, many other stations now feel this music is necessary. PWR99 in Atlanta changes this week to 99X as a Top 40/PoMo hybrid, while others are adding more PoMo music to their mix. We may be witnessing the end of "dance" programming at night and the beginning of "PoMo shows." Don't look for this to be an instant "revolution," but a continuous "evolution."... Metal marketing continues to be a key factor in breaking new acts, especially when combined with the Post Modern market. Bands like Pearl Jam (Epic), Soundgarden (A&M), Alice In Chains (Columbia) and now Helmet (Interscope/Atl **G**) have grabbed both marketplaces and a large piece of the pie. This concept builds real acts that sell tickets, sell records, have fans and a future... It's getting tougher and tougher for rap singles to reach massappeal levels, with only Arrested Development (Chrysalis/ERG) scoring any kind of consistent Top 40 success in recent memory. Records like House Of Pain (Tommy Boy) and N2Deep (Profile) are selling lots of singles and albums (yeah, we still say "albums"), but are achieving only minimal success in garnering Top 40 airplay. MTV is limiting their fulltime programming to only the biggest and best of the genre, so the key to success and any depth of programming is coming from The Box ... The dancehall sound is best described as a modern and sexier version of reggae. Interestingly enough, it is a reggae hybrid that is becoming very successful at Black radio, where its predecessors have always had difficulty. marketplace break-The through is coming from Sony, with Epic's Shabba Ranks leading the way as the reigning superstar in the field, and now Columbia's Mad Cobra joining the charge. These records are really selling and scoring at Top 40 as well, and you'll be hearing a lot more to come. The recent Sunsplash festival was attended by tons of execs with checkbooks in hand. They were wining, dining and signing. This music is happening. It has real faces and real depth. Dance music with artist sensibility. It makes us say, hmmmmmmm!



Shabba Ranks: Dancehall superstar.

DON'T JUST LISTEN The latest single from

off their near platinum album WELCOME TO WHEREVER YOU ARE
Produced by Mark Optiz and INXS

INXS

MOST ADDED WITH OVER 50 MARKETS!

Houston Cleveland Sacramento	WENZ	add @37 add @37 add
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WKDD	add	KWNZ	add
KSND	add	KZIO	add
KZZU	add	OK95	add
WPST	add	Q101	add
KF95	add	WAAL	add
KFBQ	add	WBIZ	add
KKYK	add	WBNQ	add
WFLY	add	WCGQ	add
WRCK	add	103CIR	add
KAKS	add	WHTO	add
KYRK	add	WIFC	add
999KHI	add	WJMX	add
K106	add	WLAN	add
KAY107	add	WMME	add
КСНХ	add	WOMP	add
КМСК	add	WPRR	add
KMGZ	add	WRQK	add
KNIN	add	WSTO	add
KNOE	add	WYYS	add
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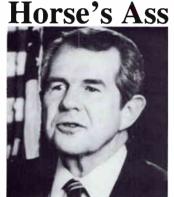






The Dems are hot again, so we can all inhale again. And what better way to celebrate than by rolling a long tall one and hunkering down with "Marijuana's Greatest Hits Revisited," cleverly packaged in a plastic baggie from Nashville-based Re-Hash Records? Subtitled "Smokin' New Versions of Cannabis

Classics," the disc includes such hemp hits as New Riders' "Panama Red," Neil Young's "Roll Another Number," Black Sabbath's Sweet Leaf," Bob Marley's "Kaya" and Hein Hans and the Hopheads' immortal "Let's Get Stoned And Go Eat Sushi."



Pat Robertson: The only choice he wants women to make is which dish to wash first.

Elton's On Hard

Elton John is suing "Hard Copy" for \$5 million, claiming slander, invasion of privacy and reckless endangerment. The show claimed the singer had moved to Atlanta to be closer to the Center For Disease Control because he has AIDS. Last week, one of the tabloid TV show's reporters, Deborah Scranton, rented a helicopter to hover outside Elton's highrise apartment when the program was denied an interview.

MOVIE SCORES

Γ	TITLE	WEEKEND GROSS	PER SCREEN AVERAGE	TOTAL GROSS	SOUND TRACK
1	UNDER SIEGE	9.0m	4014	42.6	_
2	LAST OF THE MOHICANS	5.0m	2412	49.8	M Creek
3	CANDYMAN	4.2m	2850	112	—
4	THE MIGHTY DUCKS	4.2m	2271	26.7	
5	CONSENTING ADULTS	4.0m	2408	10.3	-
6	PURE COUNTRY	3.0m	2759	2.7	MCA
7	DR. GIGGLES	3.0m	1615	2.7	_
8	NIGHT & THE CITY	3.0m	2324	2.6	H'Wood
9	A RIVER RUNS	2.0m	12203	2.6	Milan
10	MR. BASEBALL	2.0m	1035	15.0	-

Burke Cherry "Ouite Mary Contrary" hired as Sr. Director A&R Burke lays down the law as West Coast for RCA Records. MCA Music Entertainment it was announced by the Group's new Vice President Planning, it was announced

by the label's Sr. VP Finance **Dan** "Druff" **McGill**. Mary is currently "planning" her Christmas vacation... Joel A. Cherry "Jubilee" has been appointed Vice President Business Affairs for EMI Records Group North America by the label's Executive VP/GM Theresa "The Great" Santisi. It takes a strong person to deal with Cherry's pits.... Tommy "Every Day At Noon He Likes to Take a Little One-Hour" Nappy has been named National Manager, Dance/Crossover Promotion at Mercury Records by the company's Sr. VP Promotion David "In The Old Days, Barbers Used To Cure Ailments With A Blood-Sucking" Leoch. Nappy is happy... Kathi "A Big Fan of Andrea True's 'More, More" Moore has been named National Director Black Music Promotion for RCA Records by VP Black Music Promotion "Just Keep Those Doggies" Roland "Rawhide" Edison. Among Moore's responsibilities will be following Nipper with a pooper-Alison scooper... Ball-"Breaker" Gabriel has been





a rundown of executives on the move

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label's Sr. VP Black Music Skip "E. Peanut Butter" Miller. Ball-Gabriel was previously Director A&R West Coast for EMI Records. where she couldn't understand a damn thing said by John Sutton-Smith... Lesley Pitts "And The Pendulum" has been hired as Director of Media Relations for LaFace Records by the label's VP/GM Lamont "Eats Lots of Roughage For A Healthy" "Movement." Pitts' Boles first job will be to make sure no LaFace artists are ever mentioned in this magazine... Andrew "In Living" Collor has been appointed Black Music Marketing Manager, West Coast, Sony Music, it was announced by the label's VP Black Music Sales Jimi Starks "Raving Mad." Collor's last job was pasting pictures of Ross Perot's daughter's head on other people's bodies for the Republican Party... Karen "Launching" Padgett has been rocketed to Director Administration for Sony

Moore



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One of these people may win an *incredibly sucky prize* in the incredibly lame...

GUESS OUR NEXT PRESIDENT CONTEST

WINNER:
NUMBER OF STATES:
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STATE GUARANTEED TO LOSE:
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Deadline: Monday, November 2nd!





10/27 Was A Great Day For Gerardo!

GREAT AD	DS:	GREAT MOVES:	
WHYT KBEQ	add add	WHHH deb 28 KKFR deb 30	
PWR102	add	HOT97.7 deb 31 WKSS deb 32	
BOSS97 KF95	add add	a tel agi	
KAKS K106	add add		
KCHX KKMG	add add	KKXX 17-12 PWER106 23-14	
KLYV KWIN	add add	FM102 28-23 KSOL 27-24	
WFHN WPFM	add add	B95 29-27	

GREAT ROTATIONS:

POWER 106 10/27	KBOS 10/27
6: 15am	8:53am
9:47am	3:10pm
12:31am	6:13pm
3:39pm	10:52pm
6:36pm	12:39am
9:47pm	4:02am
1:26am	Total Plays = 6
<u>3:55am</u>	
Total Plays = 8	
	KKFR 10/27
WHHH 10/27	6:59am
1:21pm	10:50am
7:49pm	3:24pm
11:12pm	7:20pm
2:58am	_1:33am
Total Plays = 4	Total Plays = 5
WHYT 10/27	KSOL 10/27
10:24am	4:15pm
1:54pm	8:01pm
3:15pm	11:34pm
Total Plays = 3	Total Plays = 3



NEAR TRUTHS By I. B. Bad, Los Angeles

The latest development in the Charlie Minor/Giant saga has the industry vet returning to the label after a two-month hiatus — though in what capacity depends on which spin you're catching. Stay tuned.... Earth-shattering sales week for the Bunny despite being denied its #1-2-3-4 slam on the grand Handleman/Soundscan album chart. Meanwhile, the company is rush-releasing Prince's single "Seven" amidst major buzzing that this one's a smash. First cut only got a lukewarm reaction from radio despite being handpicked by the Purple One himself over the objections of the Bunny braintrust. Other royal news has Prince hiring former Manager and ex-litigation target Bob Cavallo as a consultant.... After negotiating a new deal for Terence Trent D'Arby with Sony UK and helping with the new record, Tony Dimitriades has parted ways with the performer. What's the real deal with this one?..... Is the Doc McGhee/Bee Gees relationship over before it started?.... Is one East Coast major that's going through a massive restructuring about to hire two key executives from outside the conventional talent pool?

Hunting



Brad Hunt: Slipped a Mickey?

This one'll get 'em chattering Why has Guns N' Roses fired its **Business** Manager?... Brad Hunt's having serious discussions about a future in the House That Walt & Mickey Built. Is there another possible home looking to put its two cents in?.... And what recently departed senior promo executive's gag order is not being adhered to? Will this affect the payout of his settlement?.... Are the Doug Morris/Walter Yetnikoff powwows more than just friendly get togethers?..... Amidst the much-heralded galvanizing success of Pearl Jam, Epic's breaking of the Spin Doctors has been understated, to say the least And one major label, which spent a fortune without a return on a recent project, is quickly getting out of the disposable pop business for good Warner Books is obviously unprepared for the demand for Madonna books as many outlets report stock shortages.... Have the recent Spy and N.Y. Times stories on BMG added impetus to Michael Dornemann's search for a BMG North American CEO? No. this is not Joe Galante's position.... John Mellencomp is searching for new representation. Is this one of those flat fee/no percentage situations?.... Look for Poly worldwide Ruler Alain Levy to be named City Of Hope's Man of The Year Bon Jovi on the verge of signing a massive merchandising deal..... Is Elton John and Bernie Toupin's publishing deal about to land at Worner/Chappell for elephant bucks?.... Names in the Rumor Mill this week: Jim Henke, Ellen Darst, Benny Medina, Dr. Dre, Alex Hodges and Ken Berry.

STED VIDEO

GUNS N' ROSES YESTERDAYS

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CK105

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MOST ADDED AT TOP 40! ON OVER 80 TOP 40s! AOR TOP TEN IN JUST 3 WEEKS!

WWKX add KAY107 add WRVQ add KG95 KJ103 add **KLYV** WBBQ **KNOE** add KC101 KQIX add KZZU KSMB add WABB add **KWNZ** WRCK add **WKFR**

WPFM

ALBUM SALES OVER 19,000,000 UNITS WORLDWIDE!

AVERAGE MOVE 3.12!

PETER GABRIE DIGGING IN THE

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6 HITS TOP 50 ALBUMS! **#1 ALTERNATIVE!** #1 ROCK 34-29* R&R TOP 40! NOW EXPLODING ON OVER 120 TOP 40s! MASSIVE SALES!!!

Wherehouse/National 4-3 Music Plus National #7 Sound Warehouse/National #7 National Record Mart/National #8 Tower/Chicago #3 Musicland/National #12

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Streetside/St. Louis-KC #4 Peaches/Florida #10



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29 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES! 151 R&R TOP 40!

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WZOU add Q102 5-4 HOT 102 add **KFBQ** 9-4 WHOT add 6-4 KKXX WPRR #1 7-5 WZPL **MIX96** #2 **WNCI** 8-5 (H) **KISN** 4-3 KKHT #5 **KDWB** 3-3

WKBQ	9-7	Q105	14-13	
PW R92	8-7	KHFI	28-16	
Q101	12-9	WPLJ	18-17	
PRO-FM	11-10	Y107	26-19	
STR94	#11	WEGX	20-19	
WOWF	22-12			



VBI



add

HOT97.7 deb

XL106

KQMQ

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HOT97

WHHH

KLUC

WIOQ

WWHT

WAPE

Y95

deb

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"GROOVIN' IN THE MIDNIGHT"

OVER 85 STATIONS PLAYING!

DEBUT 45 HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS!

"it's the hottest song we're playing!" Rick Upton - PD - KHTK 27-13

"Smoothest record of the year. Hip, adult-appeal; working great for us."

BJ Harris - PD - PWRPIG 20-16





ALREADY TOP TEN KGGI #3 KBXX #7

KMEL #9 **OVER THIRTY STATIONS ALREADY PLAYING!**

ON AT:

WZOU

KBEQ

KS104

KTFM

NEW ADDS THIS WEEK INCLUDE:

HOT97	add	
WWHT	' add	
B95	add	
KCAQ	add	
KAKS	add	
BOSS97	add	
KKXX	add	
KMGZ	add	
KPSI	add	
103CIR	add	
WFHN	add	
кнтк	deb	14
Z90	deb	22
WHHH	deb	30



KSOL	#12
WPGC	23-18
WIOQ	#21
FM102	27-22
KKFR	#23
PWR102	31-24
WCKZ	27-24
H0T97.7	31-27
KTFM	#29

Virgin

AVG. MOVE 3.121





Wheel Alignment

Dear Steve:

Re: Your item about Def American's Marc Geiger "stealing" S.F.'s Swell right from under the noses of Polydor.

It's nice to see you're out and making trouble again. My number is (212) 603-3924. Feel free to call and check your facts any time.

> Yours truly, Davitt Sigerson Polydor Records New York, N.Y.

Editors reply: Guess we won't be seeing Polydor hiring Pross as an A&R weasel in the nearfuture, which leaves him just 87 more labels to alienate.

Hope & Prayers

Dear Anita:

If you could get the enclosed blurb into "Wheels and Deals" next week, it would be most appreciated.

Mary My Hope's first album came out on Silvertone in 1989 and was a Top Ten alternative record. The band then spent 18 months getting off Silvertone, which pretty well split the group up. Two went off to form Needle, while the lead guitarist joined the Swans for an album and tour. The band has been back together since March and are now the hottest unsigned group in Atlanta.

> Best regards, Richard Bishop 3 Artist Mgmt. Hollywood, CA

Letters Editor replies: Hey, Rich, why not bypass "Wheels & Deals" altogether and write directly to me? The "Letters" section will broker all deals for backend merchanding rights and a reasonable .05% royalty rate. Why muddy the waters with middlemen when you can go straight to the source?

Pross, eh?

Hey Steve!:

Congratulations on your "Wheels & Deals" gig. I'll be in touch... Me? I'm in Leaf Heaven!

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Best, Michael McCarty EMI Music Pub. Canada Toronto, Ontario, Canada

Editor replies: See Steve, once you've finished getting all the stateside record company executives to hate your stinkin' guts, you can move north of the border and start taking advantage of the Canada-U.S. Free Trade Agreement, which allows you to piss off people up there, too.

Whine & Grouses

Dear Steve:

Please give these tapes a listen and maybe give us some advice. We've been busting our asses for a long time now and can't understand how A&R people say, if you have a buzz, we'll find you. That's totally absurd. We have the biggest following for an unsigned band in Florida and no A&R has yet flown down because they say we don't have enough money in our budget. But 27 A&R people show up to see some band from the other side of the planet which probably won't do shit for the label, like 3/4 of the other stuff getting signed today. Thanks for your time.

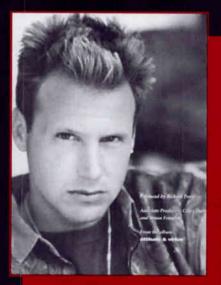
and for your
Eric Knight
Vandal
Hialeah, FL

Steve replies: Dude, we've given your tape to our expert committee of one and come up with the response below, but if anyone else out there's interested, give ole Eric a call at (305) 884-5438.



COREY HART "ALWAYS"

from the album ATTITUDE & VIRTUE



OUT OF THE BOX:

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ON OVER 35 TOP 40s INCLUDING:

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KWOD	deb.	30
WRQK	deb	28
WAAL	dep	30
WERZ	deb	30
WOMP	deb	35
WQUT	/dep	36
KMGZ	deb	40
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KTUX	30-21	6
KEGL	32-30)
KISR	39.3	5

"Getting male requests, a pleasant surprise! Also female & younger demo requests." — Joey Gates & Wally McCarthy, WYYS

"A very sexy song. Don't let the title scare you off." Allen Pettit & Dean Frederix, WOMP

Management: Alan Seffert UK/Ray Antierson - Mel Del litre UP







A hit's a hit and programmers know it, making **Restless Heart** Most Added. Meanwhile, last week's Wildcard, **Go West**, continues to score, followed by **Inxs**. Newcomer **Sonia DADA**

and Shakespear's Sister take off. Boyz II Men spreads like wildfire. Madonna debuts #1 Albums, The Heights go #1 Singles. This week's Wildcard, Whitney Houston.

ONS = Total stations reporting airplay ADDS = Total stations reporting new play		Records moving from Ad SIVES = Playlist moves o					ek / Total plays s st moves divided	ince first aired by (Ons minus Adds)
ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	ONS	ADDS	DEBS	AGGR	мту	AVG MOVE
THE HEIGHTS 5-1 Singles, #1 Requests, closed	HOW DO YOU with adds at KSOL, KS	CAP 104, KRBE, KHTK.	195	5	5	76	0/0	3.33
MADONNA Album Debuts #1, #4 Singles, #4	EROTICA Requests, #1 at The Bo	MAV/SIRE/WB	189	2	7	104	22/25	4.5
BOBBY BROWN #16 Singles, Debuts 20 Request	GOOD ENOUGH s, #21 Albums, adds at B	MCA 896, KXXR, WOWF.	187	7	14	107	0/0	4.44
TREY LORENZ #18 Singles, new at WZPL, move	SOMEONE TO es 24-21 KRQ, 27-23 KR	EPIC IBE.	187	3	5	55	1/1	2.89
JON SECADA #28 Singles, adds at WNCI, WHI	DO YOU BELIEVE HH, WSSX, KWIN, WHC		183	5	3	52	0/0	2.84
ANNIE LENNOX #18 Singles, #31 Alburns, closing	WALKING ON with Z100, KBEQ, KRB	ARISTA E, KRQ.	183	5	1	25	13/43	1.55
EN VOGUE #7 Singles, #7 Requests, #18 Alt	FREE YOUR oums, 4-2 KBEQ, 8-7 KD	ATCO/EW/ATL (WB, 11-7 WNCI.	G 181	2	2	38	21/236	2.02
MICHAEL BOLTON #5 Albums, #24 Singles, new pla	TO LOVE y at KPLZ, WOWF, good	COL I moves!	168	11	18	100	0/0	5.22
ERIC CLAPTON #3 Albums, #13 Requests, #17 S	LAYLA ingles, added at Q106, V	REPRISE WKSI.	165	2	4	68	22/166	3.46
SAIGON KICK #5 Requests, #14 Singles, new a	LOVE IS ON t WZOU, WTIC, jumps fo	3 ST/ATL/ATL G or WEGX 26-23.	158	3	1	36	19/72	2.2
DAMN YANKEES #18 Requests, #30 Singles, new	WHERE YOU play at WZPL, KHMX, W	WB /KSI, Z104.	156	5	5	75	16/45	3.86
BON JOVI 42-27 Singles, Debuts 17 Reques	KEEP THE FAITH sts, MTV Exclusive; albut	JAMB/MERC	155	1	17	104	32/66	5.09
MICHAEL W SMITH #29 Singles, added at WZOU, ma	I WILL BE oves 28-16 KHFI, 6-4 KK	REUN/GEF XX, 8-5 WNCI.	155	2	3	33	0/0	2.22
RICHARD MARX 48-36 Singles, more airplay at Wi	CHAINS AROUND PLJ, KHFI, WRVQ, WRC		153	9	10	70	0/0	3.8
TLC #9 Singles, #10 Requests, #32 A	WHAT ABOUT burns, new at Q105, jurn	LAF/ARISTA nps 10-6 Q106, 5-2 k	153 TUBE.	6	12	58	14/40	3.16
MARY J BLIGE #11 Singles, Albums, & Requests	REAL LOVE New at B97, WOWF, n	UPT/MCA noves 12-8 Z100, 9-0	149 5 WHHH.	14	16	55	7/40	3.25
SPIN DOCTORS #16 Requests; new support from	LITTLE MISS Q106, WEGX, 29-23 WH	EPIC KBQ, 26-23 Z100.	149	10	16	73	20/151	4.1



HITSBOUND

ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	ONS	ADDS	DEBS	AGGR	ΜΤΥ	AVG MOVE
ELTON JOHN Debut 42 Singles, #22 Albums,	LAST SONG more majors including KE	MCA DWB, WOWF, PRO-F	138 M.	21	20	57	7/7	4.17
SNAP 13-8 Singles, #18 Requests, or	RHYTHM IS this week at Q995, WRV	ARISTA IQ, WPXR.	138	7	12	42	0/0	2.72
EXPOSE Debuts 48 Singles, second wee	I WISH THE ek support from WEGX, Pl	ARISTA RO-FM, WKBQ, B96,	132 <i>WJMO</i> .	44	44	26	0/0	2.39
GO WEST Most Added again. Majors incl	FAITHFUL ude KRBE, KKRZ, B97, W	CHRY/ERG VPLJ, WXKS.	126	53	21	21	0/0	2.14
U2 Added at MTV! New at XL106,	WHO'S GONNA WMEE, PWR102, WQGI	ISL/PLG N, moves 7-4 KROQ.	125	14	22	43	4/4	3.26
GENESIS Second week adds include at H	NEVER A TIME (PLZ, KDWB, B97, jumps	ATL/ATL G 32-26 WEGX, 26-22	123 WPLJ.	30	50	38	0/0	3.57
REMBRANDTS VH1 play helping with new play	JOHNNY at WMEE, KYYA, KFBQ,	ATCO/EW/ATL G	a 117	5	12	35	4/4	2.94
R.E.M. #2 Alburns, 39-33 Singles, majo	DRIVE or adds at Z100, WEGX, V	WB <i>NZOU, KDWB, Q995.</i>	116	20	23	52	21/123	3.9
PETER GABRIEL #2 Post Modern, #6 Alburns, #3	DIGGING IN 39 Singles, #1 KROQ!	GEF	116	3	6	35	16/163	2.79
TOM COCHRANE Gains with new adds from WKI	WASHED AWAY BQ, WOKI, WNNK, WBPF	CAP R, KZII, WVBS.	107	8	15	31	0/0	2.3
RESTLESS HEART #1 Most Added including PWR	WHEN SHE PIG, KXXR, Q105, WKBC	RCA D, KISN.	102	98	1	2	0/0	6.0
GLORIA ESTEFAN Picks up more support from Wi	ALWA Y S EGX, WZOU, KFRX, WGT	EPIC TZ, WAEB, moves 31-	102 -26 PWR96.	9	14	27	0/0	2.01
SHANICE WILSON Debuts 41 Singles, adds at KR	SAVING BE, WXKS, KKRZ, WJMC	GIANT D, WIOQ, PROFM, KH	98 ІТК.	20	15	30	0/0	3.58
TOAD THE WET More radio play from Q105, KF	WALK ON PLZ, KROQ, KRBE, KK RZ	COL	96	28	30	18	4/13	1.85
TAG Picks up new reports this week	DON'T PLAY at WAZY, Q101, moves a	SCOTTI at PWRPIG 17-14.	85	2	6	16	0/0	1.9
MAXI PRIEST Album Debuts 45, new play at I	GROOVIN' B97, WSTW, KWIN, KBFI	CHAR/VIR M, KWNZ, moves 20-1	82 16 PWRPIG.	12	17	16	0/0	2.25
NONA GAYE Continues to build with new pla	I'M OVERJOYED y at WVKS, moves 8-6 W	3 ST/ATL/ATL G KBQ, 20-17 KBEQ	81	1	7	20	0/1	1.86

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MOST ADDED NEW ARTIST INCLUDING:

KTFM	add	WABB	a
KHTK	add	KGOT	a
MIX96	add	WYAV	a
WBBQ	add	999KHI	a
K92	add	KFFM	a
WERZ	add	KGGG	a
KTUX	add	KISR	a
KZEM	add		



KNOE	add	WMMZ	add
KQIX	add	WOMP	add
KYYY	add	W∀KS	add
WCGQ	add	WYYS	add
WFHN	add	WZKX	add
WKHQ	add	WZYQ	add
WLAN	add	WYCR	add
WMGV	add		

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HITSBOUND

ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	ONS	ADDS	DEBS	AGGR	MTV	AVG MOVE
SHAI #3 Single sales, 23-13 Singles	IF I EVER s, #14 Requests, new at K	GAS A/MCA AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AND	81	19	16	33	13/13	4.16
10,000 MANIACS #3 Post Modern, #37 Albums,	THESE ARE new at Q995, WOVV, W	ELEK FLY, 30-23 KWOD.	79	14	18	11	8/9	1.61
MICHAEL PENN Gains more support this week	SEEN THE with KDWB, FM104, KTU	RCA JX, KNOE, KISR, KKI	69 HT.	7	10	10	6/40	1.74
GUNS N' ROSES #44 Albums, MTV play helping	YESTERDAYS	GEF RVQ, KJ103, WBBQ.	68	18	18	23	28/67	3.12
INXS One of the Most Added includ	TASTE IT	ATL/ATL G z, wpst, wrqk.	48	48	0	0	0/0	0.0
SHAKESPEAR'S SISTE Follow up goes right on at MT		LON/PLG , wwkx, wenz, kht	47 rĸ.	46	0	0	0/0	0.0
CLASSIC EXAMPLE Soundtrack hit new at Q106, V	IT'S ALRIGHT VXKS, PWRPIG, KPLZ, F	HWD FM102, moves 24-1 8	44 KTFM.	17	4	8	0/0	2.0
MELISSA ETHERIDGE Continues to pick up play with	DANCE WITHOUT		39	2	3	5	0/0	1.27
GERARDO New believers include WHYT,	LOVE KBEQ, PWR102, BOSSS	INT/ATL/ATL G 97, 28-23 FM102, 27-2	38 24 KSOL.	13	6	4	0/0	1.44
DONNA DELORY Picks up more adds at Y95, W	PRAYING FOR KSE, WQXA, KZFM, KY	MCA YA, WIFC.	37	10	5	4	0/ 0	1.11
BOYZ II MEN More early majors include HO	IN THE STILL 197, WXKS, 92Q, WEGX	MOTOWN , WHYT, B97, KPLZ.	37	20	4	9	0/0	6.88
UTAH SAINTS MTV Buzz Bin! New believers	SOMETHING at HOT97, B95, KWTX, 1	LON/PLG 0-8 KS104, 23-20 Wł	36 HYT.	5	2	6	14/23	1.86
WRECKX-N-EFFECT #1 single sales, #19 Singles, a	RUMP SHAKER dds: 290, KTFM, KUBE, I	МСА НОТ977, КВЕQ, КНТ	<mark>33</mark> к	11	4	12	0/0	5.05
SUZANNE RHATIGAN Gains more support and debut	TO HELL s 30 KEGL, Deb 30 KWC	IMAGO DD, Deb 28 WRQK.	32	2	10	4	0/0	1.1
SOUP DRAGONS First week adds include MTV,	PLEASURE Q995, KWOD, KHTK, K9	BL/MERC 2, moves 16-8 KROQ	30	28	0	1	0/2	4.0
KRUSH "Mo Money" track picks up sup	LET'S GET	PERS/A&M 07977, moves 34-29 V	30 VCKZ.	9	2	4	0/0	1.7
SONIA DADA New group gets support out of	YOU AIN'T the box at WMMZ, KTFM	CHAM/ELEK 1, KHTK, MIX96 and n	29 nore.	29	0	0	0/0	0.0
AFTER 7	BABY I'M	VIRGIN	29	11	4	6	0/0	3.12

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#1 ALBUM SALES IN: ATLANTA, NASHVILLE, BOSTON, ST. LOUIS, SEATTLE, NEW ORLEANS, MINNEAPOLIS, PHOENIX, NEW YORK and CLEVELAND!

2 HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS! 39-33 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES! 1 POST MODERN! ON AT 116 TOP 40s!

20 NEW ADDS INCLUDING:

Z100	add	I 95	22-11
WZOU	add	KEGL	16-12
WEGX	add	WAPE	21-14
KDWB	add	WYYS	27-15
Q995	add	KAKS	23-16
		WNVZ	#17
Q105	deb 24	FM104	25-18
KC101	deb 25	PWR99	#19
KPLZ	deb 26	WZYQ	27-19
KKRZ	deb 29	КМСК	25-20
		WRVQ	28-22
KROQ	#2	999KHI	31-22
WENZ	12-7	KXXR	29-23
KWOD	21-8	WPRR	33-23
KKYK	19-10	KISR	28-23

"DRIVE"

from the album Automatic For The People

THE PREMIERE SINGLE FROM <u>AUTOMATIC FOR THE PEOPLE</u> PRODUCED BY SCOTT LITT & R.E.M.





AVERAGE MOVE 3.90!

WRQK	28-23		
KNIN	27-23	WIFC	35-29
WBNQ	27-23	KAY107	38-30
KZIO	33-25	KFFM	36-30
WFHT	30-25	KMGZ	35-30
KQIX	29-25	WCGQ	35-30
KTUX	29-25	KTRS	39-32
WQUT	32-26	OK 95	37-32
WPST	30-26	WKFR	37-32
WXKS	29-27	KZFM	40-32
WHTO	30-27	KGOT	36-32
WBPR	35-27	CK105	40-34
K106	32-28	WZYP	39-35







ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	ONS	ADDS	DEBS	AGGR	MTV	AVG MOVE
	CIETY PEACE & LOVE om WJMO, BOS97, KBFM, KF	T BOY/REP 95, WBBO, deb #2	28 1 WHYT, #28 K	7 KFR.	5	8	0/0	2.95
MC SERCH Comes on at WHHH, KY	HERE IT /RK, moves 26-23 HOT97, 22-	RAL/CHAOS 19 HOT977, #10 V	26 VHYT.	2	0	3	1/52	0.61
N2DEEP #26 Singles, 50-36 Albui	BACK TO THE ms, new at WABB, 11-9 92Q, #	PROFILE 5 FM102, 5-3 KBE	25 Q.	1	1	4	0/14	1.0
AROUND THE WAY More support this week t	REALLY INTO from KMGZ, WBBO, moves 28	ATL/ATL G -8 HOT97, 27-24 W	23 /WHT.	2	4	8	0/0	3.81
MAD COBRA Debuts 38 Singles, Adds	FLEX at PWR96, Z90, 92Q, WTIC, 1	COL NAPE, B95, HOT9	22 7 25-11.	8	2	5	1/3	3.57
SHABBA RANKS Debuts 45 Singles, #35	SLOW & SEXY Albums, adds include WHYT, K	EPIC TFM, KBXX, PPIG	21 , WHHH, WWH	17 IT.	0	1	0/0	2.75
OZZY OSBOURNE Top 40s out of the box a	TIME AFTER t KEGL, WRQK, WOMP, KKYF	EPIC ASSOC K, OK95, KISR, WV	2.2	17	0	0	14/29	0.0
CAUSE & EFFECT First week adds include	WHAT DO YOU Q105, KWOD, KXXR, WENZ, I	SRC/ZOO WWHT, KHTK.	16	15	0	0	0/0	0.0
TEVIN CAMPBELL New at WWHT, Moves 6	ALONE WITH 5-4 WPGC, Top 15 at KBXX, W	QWEST/WB	15	1	2	3	0/0	1.5
TRIXTER First week adds include	ROAD OF A KEGL, WPST, Y107, KTRS, W	MECH/MCA	15 GN.	15	0	0	0/0	0.0
MIKI HOWARD Out of the box at PWRP	NOBODY IG, KSOL, HOT977, WGTZ, KA	GIANT AKS, KMGZ, WCGI	13 Q, KCAQ.	10	1	0	0/0	0.67
LONESOME ROME Picks up new support at	OS SWEET JANIE 999KHI, WRQK, Debuts 40 KI	CURB SR, Deb 40 WOMP	12	2	2	0	0/0	0.2
ME PHI ME MTV add!!! Radio suppo	BLACK SUNSHIN ort at WHHH, PWR102, moves		12 3-24 KHTK.	4	1	2	1/1	1.71
AC/DC (LIVE) Live version of classic or	HIGHWAY TO at WOMP, OK95, KKYK, KM0	ATCO/EW/AT		10	0	0	9/44	2.0
COREY HART New single goes right on	ALWAYS KISN, KXXR, CK105, WGTZ,	WB WHTO, KTMT, WA	10 NEB.	10	0	0	0/0	0.0

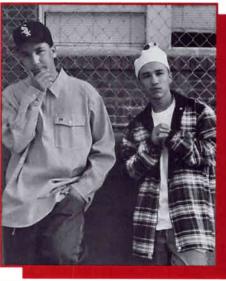
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HOT97.7	add	
FMI02	add	
PWRI02	add	
Z90	deb	21

Executive Producer Clif Richey Jr.

KGGI	II-8 (H)
B95	30-26
Breaking	g at: PWR106
GOING F	OR ADDS NOW!







To Our Triends At Radio Our Mats Are Off To You!



Restless Heart

"When She Gries"

#1 Most Added







Ross Perot's daughter calls in for "Pictures Of You".

LW	тw	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	HOTS	INCL	UDIN	G	%
1	1	HEIGHTS	HOW DO YOU TALK	CAPITOL	114	HOT102 WXKB	KLYV WPLJ	Q102 Q106	59
2	2	PM DAWN	I'D DIE WITHOUT U	G ST/LAF/ARIS	90	Z100 FLY94	WOVV KBEQ	KHFI B95	46
3	3	BOYZ II MEN	END OF THE ROAD	BIV 10/MOT	81	B96 92Q	G105 WHHH	WSNX WHYT	41
4	4	MADONNA	EROTICA	MAV/SIRE/WB	72	KIIS KJ103	WWHT WOMP	KKRD Z90	37
9	5	SAIGON KICK	LOVE IS ON THE WAY	3 ST/ATL G	46	XL106 KQID	WKDD WKBQ	FM104 JETFM	23
5	6	FIREHOUSE	WHENILOOK	EPIC	42	HOT102 KHFI	KDWB WNVZ	KISK WFLY	21
8	7	EN VOGUE	FREE YOUR MIND	ATCO/EW/ATL	G 41	WHYT WTIC	WAPE WSKX	KDWB K92	21
7	8	DEF LEPPARD	HAVE YOU	MERC	40	B94 KCHX	195 WKHQ	WMGV WZPL	20
6	9	COLOR ME BADD	FOREVER LOVE	GIA/PER/A&M	39	B96 KOKZ	CK105 WJMO	KTFM WEGX	20
13	10	TLC	WHAT ABOUT YOUR	LAF/ARISTA	34	KUBE 92Q	KKSS HT977	WHHH WEGX	17
11	11	MARY J BLIGE	REAL LOVE	UPTOWN/MCA	28	PWRPIG WKSS	B95 WIOQ	KSOL KKRZ	14
14	12	HOUSE OF PAIN	JUMP AROUND	TOMMY BOY	27	Z100 194	WKDD Q106	KRQ WRVQ	13
12	13	ERIC CLAPTON	LAYLA	REPRISE	25	STR94 WCIR	MIX96 WVSR	HOT101 Z100	12
17	14	SHAI	IF I EVER FALL	G ALLEY/MCA	24	KBXX Z90	WQXA KMGZ	WXKB PWRPIG	12
15	15	CHARLES & EDDIE	WOULD I LIE TO YOU	CAPITOL	22	KRBE WSSX	JETFM KHMX	KISX HT102	11
16	16	SPIN DOCTORS	LITTLE MISS CAN'T	EPIC	21	KWOD WAPE	WBNQ WENZ	WAAL WRHT	10
	17	BON JOVI	KEEP THE FAITH	JAM/MERC	20	WZPL WKSE	CKOI WCGQ	K107 Z100	10
20	18	SNAP	RHYTHM IS A DANCER	ARISTA	19	Z100 XL106	WFHN KPXR	WRCK G105	9
18	19	DAMN YANKEES	WHERE YOU GOIN'	WB	16	93Q WIOG	WKSI WZPL	WDBR 99KG	8
••	20	BOBBY BROWN	GOOD ENOUGH	MCA	13	PWRPIG WKEE		WYYS KMGZ	6
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Total stations reporting this week: 193

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CLASSIC

"IT'S ALRIGHT"

THE SMASH SINGLE FROM THE <u>South central</u> movie soundtrack!

THESE MAJORS LEAD THE WAY Z90 **WXKS** (21 - 17)(ADD) **KTFM** (24 - 18)**KPLZ** (ADD) (#19)Q106 **POWER 106** (ADD) (23-19)**PWR PIG** (ADD) **KSOL KBXX** (#22)FM102 (ADD) (27 - 23)**KBEQ** (DEB 25) WHHH (31-27)KGGI (#15)**KMEL** (19-15)(#27)92Q WPGC

THESE GREAT STATIONS "GET IT" TOO!

KJ103	(ADD)	KZII	(ADD)
KPRR	(ADD)	WQGN	(ADD)
194	(ADD)	WZYQ	(ADD)
KYRK	(ADD)	WGTZ	(DEB 29)
WBPR	(ADD)	Y97	(DEB 29)
CK105	(ADD)	KDON	(DEB 32)
KFFM	(ADD)	KKXX	(29-23)
KKSS	(ADD)	WCKZ	(32-27)
KOKZ	(ADD)	PWR 102	(32-29)



"After just a few plays, CLASSIC EXAMPLE is getting instant phones. Sounds great on the air and feels like a home run!" Michael Martin MD/KSOL







ARTIST	AVERAGE MOVE	AGGRESSIVES (4 or more)	ТОР 10	TOP 5	REQUESTS (1 to 10)	Lp SALES (1 to 10)	45 SALES (1 to 10)
BOYZ II MEN	6.88	9	2	1	8	-	-
M.BOLTON/TIMELESS	5.23	99	10	3	5	10	5
BON JOVI	5.10	103	3	0	8	-	6
WRECKX-N-EFFECT	5.05	12	6	4	8	1	10
BOBBY BROWN	4.44	106	18	3	6	8	7
ELTON JOHN	4.18	56	2	0	4	8	2
SHAI	4.16	33	19	9	8	-	10
SPIN DOCTORS	4.11	73	22	4	7	8	3
R.E.M./AUTOMATIC FOR	3.90	51	5	1	6	10	5
DAMN YANKEES	3.86	74	25	4	7	2	2
RICHARD MARX	3.80	70	6	0	2	1	2
SHANICE/90210	3.62	30	2	0	4	4	2
GENESIS	3.57	38	0	0	1	3	-
MAD COBRA	3.57	5	3	1	6	2	9
ERIC CLAPTON/UNPLUGG	3.46	68	64	29	8	10	8
MARY J BLIGE	3.27	55	39	19	8	9	9
U2	3.25	42	1	1	1	6	6
AFTER 7	3.12	6	3	1	1	2	2
GUNS N' ROSES	3.12	23	0	0	3	6	7
INFORMATION SOCIETY	2.95	8	1	0	7	1	2
REMBRANDTS	2.93	35	4	0	2	1	1
TREY LORENZ	2.89	55	52	10	4	2	7
JON SECADA	2.84	52	55	14	3	5	3
PETER GABRIEL	2.79	35	18	6	4	10	2
SHABBA RANKS	2.75	1	1	1	3	7	9
SNAP	2.71	41	45	18	8	2	9
EXPOSE	2.42	26	0	0	2	-	5
TOM COCHRANE	2.33	31	0	0	2	1	1
MAXI PRIEST	2.25	16	0	0	3	6	2
MICHAEL W SMITH	2.21	33	73	37	2	2	2
SAIGON KICK	2.21	36	102	5 9	9	2	9
GO WEST	2.14	21	0	0	2	-	-
CLASSIC EXAMPLE	2.00	8	0	0	2	•	1

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

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

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

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

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

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

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47 HIT	S TO	PEIET	Y ALBU	MSI	WVSR	29-25	KPLZ	WKBQ	
ON OV				5	195 WHTO	33-25 29-26	Y95 B97	Q995	0
XL106	add	1015 I	KROQ	7-4	KLUC	29-26			ISLAND
KSND	add	38381 3	KWOD	22-11	WFHT	31-27	1000		-
WERZ	add	+ 85 TT	KRBE	17-16	WOKI	30-27			
Z102	add		WMME	28-16	KXXR	32-28			
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WAZY	add		KISR	22-18	WPST	33-29			
WHHY	add		WRQK	26-20	WZYP	38-31			
WMEE	add		WENZ	28-22	KWNZ	34-31			
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OVER 5	50 TOP 40s	OUT OF	THE BOX	INCLUD	ING
HOT102	add	KJ103	add	кснх	add
KXXR	add	WBBQ	add	КТМТ	add
WENZ	add	KZZU	add	KYYY	add
WWKX	add	WPST	add	WHTO	add
WKBQ	add	FM104	add	WMMZ	add

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10-8 **KHFI** 15-9 **KWOD** 16-12 KHTK 17-15 WHYT 23-20 KRBE 30-22 XL106 deb 29 34 **KMEL** deb BREAKING AT: **KBEQ KPRR** KTFM KLUC

KAY107 31-22 WPST 26-22 Q995 #24

add

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WHHH #29 33-30 KISR 35-31 KYRK



Broocoocell An exclusive HITS interview with

BRUCE TENENBAUM, Sr. VP Promotion, MCA Records

BY ROY TRAKIN



his 36-year-old promotion vet grew up in the Bronx, where his high school classmate was David "Son of Sam" Berkowitz and his father was a window dresser ("I hated that because all the other kids' parents had normal jobs like plumbers or sanitation workers," he admits. "And we used to have mannequins in the basement, which would scare the shit out of me."). As a kid, Bruce wanted to make movies. Attending college at Stony Brook on Long Island, he took part in a host of entertainment-related extracurricular activities, including sports editor of the college newspaper, concert promoter, film club member and campus radio station MD, where he got to know such then-college promo reps as Phil Quartararo, Harvey Leeds and Judy Libow. It was the latter who helped him snare a gig doing college promotion at Atlantic Records in '77, while he was working at Album Rock station WRCN-FM in Riverhead, L.I.

Tenenbaum stayed at Atlantic for 13 years, doing local and regional promotion before moving over to Atco as National Promotion Director. There, he worked alongside his current MCA VP Promotion Mark Gorlick and Sr. VP Promotion Craig Lambert. In September '90, Allen Kovac offered him the VP Promotion gig at Impact. "I didn't even know who he was, but I certainly admired him for finding me," he laughs. While at Impact, he earned airplay on acts as diverse as Rythm Syndicate and the Fixx, garnering the attention of parent company MCA, who tapped him as their Sr. VP of Promotion in January '92, combining the promotion field staffs of the two labels under his leadership. The hustling Tenenbaum has delivered in spades, scoring Top 40 successes with Bobby Brown, Elton John, Patty Smyth, Jodeci, Shai and Mary J. Blige. In fact, the only mistake Tenenbaum has made in his nine-month tenure was agreeing to open up his office to HITS' Enquiring No-Mind and resident mud-slinger Roy "Boy" Trakin.

This is one tough gig.

I used to be a stand-up comic and people thought that was scary. I told them, it's not like jumping out of an airplane. If your chute doesn't open, you're dead. The worst that can happen in comedy is the audience doesn't laugh; you just come back the next day. In promotion, you don't need to be a genius; you just need to work hard and you have to want to win more than the next person. I find that, if you want to win more than the next person, more often than not, you'll win more than the next person.

You moved from New York. Any regrets?

People in L.A. have to keep earlier hours to get up and deal with the East Coast. Coming from the East, I'm still doing the New York nights and the L.A. mornings. The trouble is, I come in at 6:30 in the morning and don't leave until 7:30, 8:00, 8:30 at night, so by the time I get home, I'll watch some TV, eat something, go to bed, get up and go back to work again. As for New York, I miss it very much. It's the greatest city in the world.

Do you enjoy the pressure of being judged week to week?

I don't know that anybody enjoys pressure. I try to think about the job to be done rather than the pressure of getting it done. It's like playing a basketball game and knowing, to win, you have to put the ball in the basket. You have to concentrate on doing what it takes to win rather than on the win itself. There's so much work for a guy like me to do here besides just calling radio stations. I believe that, if people worked their asses off, they wouldn't have to spend so much time covering them. The people I admire are the ones that work the hardest, who are tireless. There's nothing that can't be cured with hard work. Many people just want to slide through by working less. The people who are the most successful are the ones that work the hardest.

What kind of boss are you?

I've always thought I was a good manager of people. To me, this job encompasses two basic tasks. One, you have to be a good promotion person. You have to get records played. And two, you need to be able to lead a staff. I've always had the ability to find good people. Even as far back as Atlantic, when I was Regional Promotion Director for the Northeast, I was types, and there are the more quiet strategists. You also have to possess a knowledge of radio. One of the biggest problems in promotion is the executives' refusal to train their staff properly. Everyone wants to find a ready-made star; everybody wants to steal the other labels' successful promotion executives. **How important is it for a promotion executive to have had street-level experience?** I think it's important for a national promotion VP to have done local promotion. As head of the department, I have to go out on a daily basis, find promotion people, train and motivate them. If I never

"People only know [about promotion guys from] what they've read in 'Hit Men' and I'm offended by that image."

responsible for seeking out good local promotion executives. When I went to do national promotion at Atco, I was involved in hiring a staff for the relaunch of the label.

The most important thing is to recognize when you have a good employee. You should support that person in every way possible. Hire strong people and give them the tools and opportunity to do the job. Reward them as much as possible. There's so much short-sightedness in this business. If you want to build a strong, long-lasting company, you need dedicated, long-term employees.

What kind of people do you look for? You need somebody who loves music and has a certain type of personality. And I don't mean they all have to have the same personality. There are outgoing promotion people, the loud cheerleader did it myself, how much understanding would I have for what they do?

Have you hired many radio people for local promotion positions and what do you look for? When I look for a promotion person at radio, I'm not just looking for someone who's added my records, but someone who has communicated to me what they were thinking when they didn't add the record, and what I had to do to get it on. I need someone who is not afraid of telling me the truth, of articulating exactly how they feel about the music, so they can turn around and tell the radio stations the same thing. What's the first step in promoting a record? When I am working with a particular piece of music, the first thing that becomes obvious is where to start that record. The important thing is to get it going somewhere so as to derive a success story; from

there, you can take it to other radio stations. There are certain records that sound so pop, Top 40 is a natural place to start. For example, we went straight to pop radio with Rythm Syndicate's "P.A.S.S.I.O.N." because it had that sound. With Mary J. Blige, we took the first single to Urban and crossover radio and sold over a half million records before launching her at pop radio with "Real Love." That's now a home run and she has enormous hits ahead. The Patty Smyth record was started at stations in Tampa, New York and Houston that some people ignore because they don't report to R&R. If you get your record on the right stations, you can sell a ton of records before the bulk of the country even knows it exists.

How important is set-up for a record?

There's so much competition out there, if you don't spend a lot of time on set-up, you're lost. You have to get that music out there into people's hands ahead of time. The only way to really get a record played is to convince the radio person that it will do some good for their station if it goes on the air. A lot of promotion people have gotten away from building success stories once they get their record on the air. For a record to get even bigger, you have to keep reinforcing that story until the song gets to #1. You have to constantly look for increased rotation. Just because Elton John is exploding around the country, does that mean I should sit back and rest? Absolutely not. I just keep feeding information about sales, requests, call-out research, etc., we have on the record. Sometimes people will look at you like you're a pain-in-the-ass. But I feel confident they'll also respect you for doing your job, for having that desire to see your artists do the best they can.

When I was at Atlantic, and first walked into Top 40 radio with Phil Collins' solo music, it took them awhile to get it. That second single, "In The Air Tonight," was a battle to end all battles. Now, it's the best-testing record in about three formats. How has the increasing fragmentation of Top 40 affected your job?

You have to be aware of the particular lean of a station. I don't think it changes at all what a promotion person does for a living. We're always looking for what the programmer is looking for... and trying to provide that. If it's Hot 97, WPLJ or Z100 in New York, I know what kind of record each would tend to gravitate towards. There are stations for all the records you have. You just have to figure out where they are. You have to know what a station is playing. You have to familiarize yourself with their format. A lot of promotion people aren't prepared when they go to a station and ask them to play a particular record. We're prepared to try to get certain stations to push the boundaries of their playlists. We don't want to sit back and just accept their description of what records fit their radio station. At a certain point in the life of a successful record, you have to go to a station that might not normally play, for instance, a pop-rock record, and say to them, "Y'know what? The Patty Smyth record is big

enough and crossed enough boundaries that maybe it's crossed over into the consciousness of the people that listen to your station."

Do you see the classic, melting pot Top 40 format, playing the best of all music genres,

being a thing of the past?

My biggest problem is cities with one Top 40 station that lean in a single musical direction. I find it hard to believe in this day and age of satellite and TV broadcasts when a Top 40 programmer will tell me a record is "too urban." That's completely crazy, naive and maybe even a little racist. I think too many programmers underestimate their audience. When it comes to music, color is not an issue. There are so many examples of urban-leaning records which have crossed over into the mainstream. If a record's a hit - whether it's an urban or rock record - it should have a place on the radio. Whenever a station starts to dip in the ratings, it either pulls all the rock records or all the urban records. Why not just pull the stiffs and play the hits?

about the biggest artist out there. This record's loaded with #1 records. You have to plan for a second, third, fourth single, to be released over the next year and a half, two years, which will take us through the end of next year.

How important was it to play to Bobby Brown's black radio base on this record? You always have to keep in mind where an artist is coming from. MCA has the best urban promotion department in the business. Bobby Brown was originally established by them at black radio, so the last thing you want to do is ignore his roots. We all

thought "Humpin' Around" was a more streetoriented record with mass appeal. We didn't want to lead with a ballad, but I don't think we could have come up with a bad choice.

"The people who are the most successful are the ones that work the hardest."

How did you go about breaking the first Bobby Brown single, "Humpin' Around," an automatic if ever there was one? This is a big company. I'm just the head of promotion. With all of our records, everybody, from Al Teller and Richard Palmese on down, are intimately involved. With an artist like Bobby Brown, you have one of the biggest superstars in black and pop music. You have to plan all aspects of his release - marketing, imaging, promotion, touring, etc. This "Bobby" album has 14 tracks on it, with at least eight singles. We didn't want to overhype ourselves, but I personally think, by the time this album is finished, Bobby Brown will be just

How did you re-establish Patty Smyth's career?

This record was five years in the making. When I first got here, someone handed me the album to listen to and I just thought it was incredible. We all flipped out over "Sometimes Love Just Ain't Enough" when we first heard it. We all thought it could be the biggest song of the summer. Until we heard Bobby Brown and Elton John and realized we had three of the biggest songs of the summer. We heard that song as a multi-format smash ... Adult Contemporary, Top 40, etc. You can make all the plans you want, but if you think you've got a great song, you go straight to pop radio and say, "Play the hell out of it!" You had





NOT THE IEWS BROTHERS: It's a little-known fact then-Atlantic promo man Bruce "Oy' Tenenbaum (l) once studied to be a cantor with the famed Irish tenor, Scott "Cheeks" Shannon (r).

BIND: Seen trying to remove one another's wallets at the 25-year reunion of their Hebrew school class are (l-r): Hot 97 PD Joel Salkowitz; MCA Sr. VP Promotion Bruce Tenenboum: WPGC PD Jay Stevens and MCA **VP** Promotion Mark Gorlick

to be deaf not to hear that record. We did a great setup. People like Mason Dixon and Guy Zapoleon picked up on it early on. It was one of those great times when a record comes out and lives up to your expectations for it. When I first met Patty Smyth, I told her I thought she had a #1 record and I usually never say stuff like that ... because then they hold you to it!

You've also done a masterful job with Elton John.

I've been fortunate to work with some of my favorite artists. At college, I was a big Yes and Genesis fan and then I got to work with them at Atlantic Records. Another of my favorite artists was Elton John and now I get to work with him. When I first heard this album, I thought it was the best Elton John record in years. It seemed to go back to his roots. This album has songs that can be played at Top 40 as well as Album Radio and Adult Contemporary.

For someone who's a real hands-on guy, do you get bogged down in the administrative end of things?

That's why I brought in Mark Gorlick from Atco. I know Mark and I know his abilities. Like me, he worked his way up through the ranks from local to regional to national. He coordinates the staff, promotes radio and handles some of the administration. He's my right-hand man. He's got the right temperament, right training and the ability. Plus, I know how he thinks. We're very different types, but I know he can make the kind of decisions I would make. And I value his input. I can go on the road, leave him in charge and know that things will get done. How is the interaction between the different departments at MCA?

Richard Palmese and Al Teller are two of the best leaders in the business. They have brought in some really good, young and enthusiastic executives. Richard's the President and yet, he doesn't hesitate to pick up the phone and call Z-100. We're getting some really good music from our A&R department and we're getting it on the radio. And that's how it

should work. If you don't have good music, you're in a lot of trouble. If you can't get that music played, you're in a lot of trouble.

The rap on MCA has always been its inability to break rock acts.

It's not that MCA can't break a rock act; it's that, for a long time, the label's success was in the areas of urban and dance music. Now, we have some very good rock product which we are breaking. So far this year, we've had Live, who have sold over 350,000 albums and received some incredible reviews. They're gonna be huge. I consider Patty Smyth a rock artist and we've done pretty damn good with her. Steelheart and Trixter also have records about to be released, and they're both coming off gold

radio and MTV. Do you feel promotion executives get bad press?

There's this image of a promotion person as a sleazy guy offering bribes to play records. People only know what they've read in "Hit Men" and I'm offended by that image. I've set out specifically to eliminate any image like that for MCA promotion and instead present a whole different image - of caring about the music. Music is one of the most important elements in people's lives. What we do is get that music to the people. And our vehicle to get it there may be radio, television, in-store play or some other alternative. So when I see a Phil Collins or a U2 or a Patty Smyth or a Sass Jordan break through, I

"Sometimes people will look at you like you're a pain-in-the-ass."

albums. We're doing very well at Album Radio with Hardline, fronted by Neal Schon of Journey. They've had two Top 20 tracks and we're getting ready to launch them at Top 40. We're also excited to have the opportunity to work with the Ramones, one of rock's legendary bands. Sass Jordan has had two straight Top Ten Album Rock tracks. Elton John had his highest-charting Rock hit in a decade and Lyle Lovett, though technically maybe not a rocker, just debuted on the Album chart. That's the kind of artist this label needs to break.

Do you believe college and Album Radio can

remember what it was like trying to get them onto the radio. There was somebody there who had to start these people out. You had to win a battle in the beginning before they became superstars. My satisfaction is knowing I may have been one of those people. Do you manage to maintain any sort of personal life?

[Laughs.] None. I have no personal life. I spend as much time as I possibly can with my girlfriend. But I don't mind the hard work because I don't intend doing this forever. I just plan on doing it as well as I can and as hard as I can while I'm doing it. My

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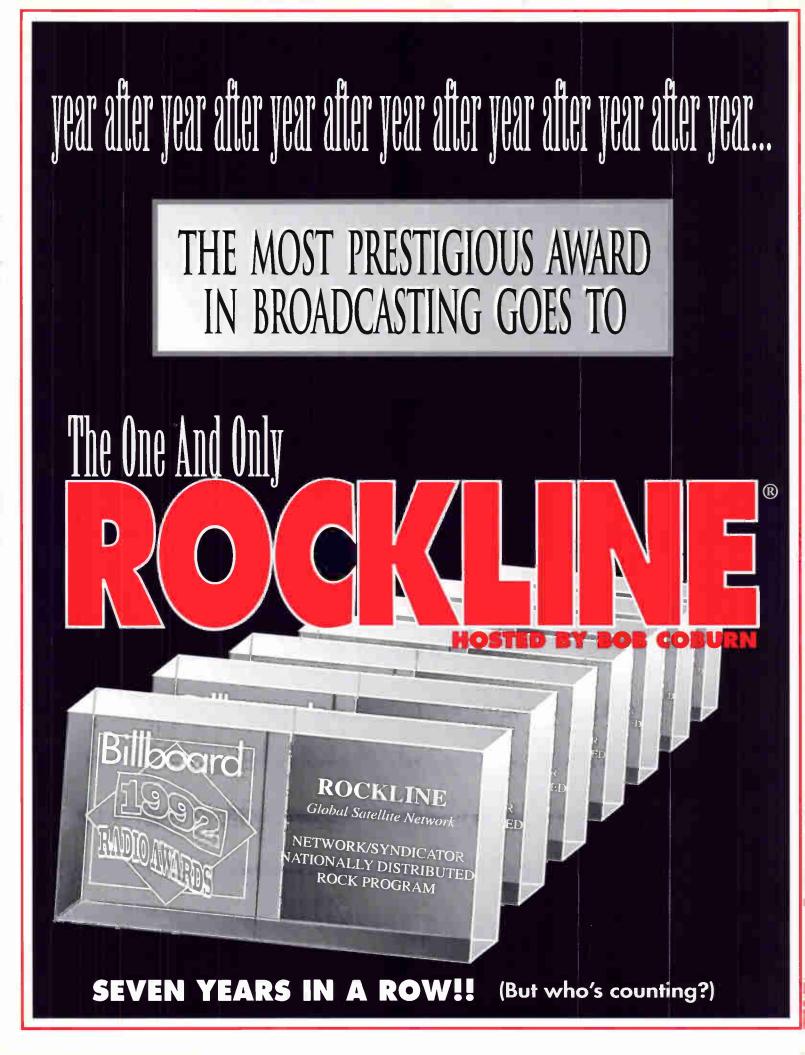
break acts?

The important thing to realize, as a promotion person, is not to overlook any outlet. We do well at Top 40, but we also have many artists on the Album, Adult, alternative and metal charts, etc. We need to continue exploring alternative methods of exposing our music to the public, rather than keep leaning so heavily on

thing is to work my ass off now and accomplish what I want to accomplish — which is helping make MCA the biggest record company in the world. I have a lot of interests. Promotion is not what I am, it's what I do. And a couple of years from now, who knows, maybe I'll retire and go do stand-up comedy somewhere.



GANG'S ALL HAIR: MCA Records Sr. VP Promotion Bruce Tenenbaum (far l) and fellow company executives gather in their finest Sy Sperling creations to honor label artist Elton John and songwriting partner Bernie Taupin (1-r): MCA Records President Richard Palmese, Elton. Bernie, MCA VP Artist Development Glen Lajeski and MCA Records Sr. VP Sales & Field Marketing Jonathan Coffino.





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

Restless Heart wins Earpicks with their first Top 40 smash. This group comes from seven #1 country singles and crosses into the land of pop. INXS and Shakespear's Sister get lots of mentions at radio with both coming from solid

sales backgrounds. The new Boyz II Men is blowing out the phones with an even bigger request story than the last single! Look for more radio support for Toad The Wet Sprocket, After 7, and Sonia DADA.

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- **R. HEART**
- 2 INXS
- 3 S. SISTER
- 4
- **BOYZ II MEN**
- 5 TOAD THE WET... WALK ON...

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DR DAVE ALLEN/Z102/SAVANNAH R Heart/P Cetera/C Khan/Toad The ...

K ALTOMARE/RHINO RECORDS/LA Sundays/P Gabriel/Madonna/Prince

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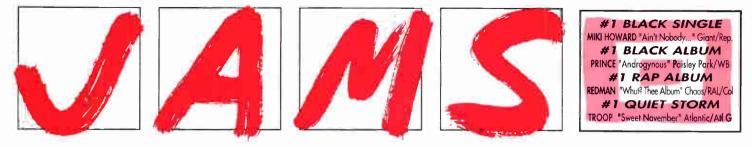


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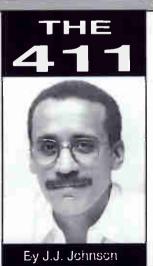
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6 5 4	Right Now TROOP	Atlantic/Atl G	9 10 19	I Got A Thang HI-FIVE	Jive
7 6 5	Sweet November CHUCKII BOOKER	Atlantic/Atl G	25 21 20	She's Playing CHANTE MOORE	Silas/MCA
136	Games MARY J BLIGE	Uptown/MCA	26 24 21	Love's Taken Over	LaFace/Arista
19 13 7	Real Love WRECKX N'EFFECT	MCA	27 23 22	Love Shoulda PRINCE	Paisley Park/WB
23 14 8	Rump Shaker SHABBA RANKS	Epic	23	My Name Is Prince	Gasoline Alley/MCA
16 15 9	Slow And Sexy CECE PENISTON	A&M	- 27 24	If I Ever CHUBB ROCK	Select/Elektra
10 9 10	Inside That I TREY LORENZ	Epic	29 26 25	Lost In The Storm KEITH SWEAT	Elektra
15 12 11	Someone To Hold PM DAWN	G St/LaFace/Ari	- 30 26	I Want To Love PORTRAIT	Capitol
8 8 12	I'd Die Without T.L.C.	LaFace/Arista	- 28 27	Here We Go Again PRINCE MARKIE DEE	Columbia
12 11 13	What About Your VANESSA WILLIAMS	Wing/Mercury	- 29 28	Trippin' Out	RCA
28 25 14	Work To Do RACHELLE FERRELL	Manhattan/Capitol	 29	Right Here	Epic
24 17 15	Til You Come MAD COBRA	Columbia	30	No Ordinary Love SPECIAL GENERATION	Bust It
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STEPHANIE MILLS			DST		AFTER 7 Virgin
SILK Elektra	FULL FORCE Capitol		DED		SHAI Gasoline Alley/MCA

One of the great myths of radio is the perceived existence of copywriters. Unfortunately, the account exec is usually stuck with this task and is rarely schooled in it. So I've come up with a few rules of thumb for you and your account execs. The more you follow the rules, the easier it'll get. 1) Address the individual. "You" is the most important word. Consider that we listen individually, rarely in groups. Therefore, phrases like "Attention all..." don't connect very well. 2) Use "people" talk, not "commercial copy" talk. You're addressing a person. How often in life, for example, do you use the phrase "located at?" Probably not a lot. Find another way, as you do in life. 3) Be clear with the listener. "...14958 Ventura Blvd. near Kester..."



connects better than an address by itself. 4) Provide phonetic breakdowns for unusual words/names. For example, Shai (pronounced "shy"). You want the jock to sound familiar with the product or at least not disconnected. 5) If it sounds cliché, say it another way. Use your imagination. Hey, if I used mine, I wouldn't be toiling at this hell-hole. Overall, bear in mind that this copy is being *heard*, not read. Read it out loud to yourself before you place it in the copy bin. Would this grab you and maybe even make you want to buy the product? Check out the following: Jus' Cauze's "Love Of My Life" (Savage), The Nylons's "Don't Look Any Further" (Scotti Bros.) and watch out for Wendy Moten's "Come In Out Of The Rain" (EMI). Later. JAMS

ALBUMS

THE TOP THIRTY

2W LW TW	ARTIST TITLE	LABEL	2W LW TW	ARTIST TITLE	LABEL
- 1 1	PRINCE Androgynous	Paisley Park/WB	21 18 16	MIKI HOWARD Femme Fatale	Giant/Reprise
122	MARY J. BLIGE What's The 411	Uptown/MCA	20 19 17	C. MOST WANTED Music To Drive	Orpheus/Epic
4 5 3	BOOMERANG Soundtrack	LaFace/Arista	25 21 18	BOYZ II MEN Cooleyhighharmony	Motown
6 4 4	DA LENCH MOB Guerillas In	Atco/EW/Atl G	13 16 19	KRIS KROSS Totally Krossed	Ruffhouse/Col
235	ARRESTED DEVELOPMENT 3 Years	Chrysalis/ERG	16 17 20	WILLIE D I'm Goin' Out	Rap-A-Lot/Pri
3 6 6	BOBBY BROWN Bobby	MCA	24 25 21	LO-KEY? Where Dey At?	Perspective/A&M
5 7 7	EN VOGUE Funky Divas	Atco/EW/Atl G	22 23 22	JODECI Forever My Lady	Uptown/MCA
10 9 8	BUSHWICK BILL Little Big Man	Rap-A-Lot/Pri	26 22 23	MAD COBRA Hard To Wet	Columbia
14 12 9	REDMAN Whut? Thee Album	Chaos/RAL/Col	24	MAXI PRIEST Fe Real	Virgin/Charisma
12 14 10	T.L.C. On The T.L.C. Tip	LaFace/Arista	19 26 25	TOO SHORT Shorty The Pimp	Jive
11 13 11	N2DEEP Back To The	Profile	26	PORTRAIT Portrait	Capitol
12	GRAND PUBA Reel To Reel	Elektra	18 24 27	R. KELLY & PUBLIC Bom Into The 90's	Jive
17 15 13	SHABBA RANKS Extra Naked	Epic	15 20 28	MARIAH CAREY MTV Unplugged Ep	Columbia
9 10 14	AL B. SURE! Sexy Versus	WB	30 28 29	SPICE 1 Spice 1	Jive
8 11 15	PUBLIC ENEMY Greatest Misses	DefJam/Columbia	23 30 30	CHUCKII BOOKER Niice N'Wiild	Atlantic/Atl G
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NEGATIVE PICK UP: Photographic negatives of **Eddie Murphy** from his new **Motown** album "Love's Alright" were stolen from the record company's LA office. Motown is offering a \$10,000 reward for info resulting in the negative's return... **LIKE A ROCK: Eddie Rock**



was padlocked because of IRS problems. Good News: they were back on three days later and remain in operation. Acting PD/MD George Martinez says the dilemma has been resolved... ON THE MOVE: V100/Milwaukee's new morning guy is B.J. Barry. Meanwhile, Earl Stokes

has been named South West Regional Rep for RAL/Def Jam. wh He'll be based in Houston, TX... SPIFFY SPENCER: LA's V-103.9 recently threw a slammin' party for industry friends and others at the Shark Club. Capitol's Tracie Spencer performed to track and a good time was had by all... TROUBLE IN MIND: With Atlantic City, NJ's Stan Brooks moving cross-town to become WTTH's new MD, what will happen to the already hard-hit WUSS? Now they have no PD *and* no MD... Seems all is not well with the planned acquisition of Cleveland, OH's WJMO AM & FM by Lynn Tolliver, Bobby Rush and WZAK GM Lee Zapis. Apparently, not everybody's happy with the plans. Stand by... Bad News: several weeks ago KDKO/Denver

who was temporarily filling in on the morning drive, will be taking over the 10pm - 2am slot... What's going on at Vassar, MI's WOWE? Their former MD, Scott Williams, has moved to the Sales Department. More changes to come?... GOODBYE MR. WHITE: Condolences to the family and friends of long-time Milwaukee radio personality, O.C. White, who recently passed on. WNOV and the community will miss him... WELCOME: Mr. Dylan Alexander Fleming, who weighed in at 8 lb., 10 oz. Our congratulations to Dylan's lucky parents, Perspective Records VP/GM Kevin Fleming and KGFJ's Director of Client Affairs Maria Fleming — we know who did all the *real* work.





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STORM WATCH: Kandace, Our Melodious Mistress of the Seven Seas, dipped into the mighty waters of Pittsburgh, PA's WAMO to make some waves with MD Art Goewy. According to Art, the station is named after three rivers; the A-llegheny, the M-onongahela and the O-

hio. Isn't that romantic? Awash with moonlight and memories, Art recommends cruisin' with Christopher Williams' (pictured) melty-mover "All I See" (Uptown/MCA), "So Alone" from the very happenin' Men At Large (Atco/EW/Atl G) and Tevin Campbell's skin-tingling crooner, "Confused" (Qwest/WB). See ya in seven.

	Sweet November	
2 2 2	AL B. SURE! Right Now	WB
5 4 3	TONI BRAXTON Love Should Have	LaFace/Arista
4 5 4	CECE PENISTON Inside That I	A&M
10 8 5	TREY LORENZ Someone To Hold	Epic
336	TEVIN CAMPBELL	Qwest/WB
8 7 7	Alone	Perspective/A&M
12 11 8	I Got A Thang RACHELLE FERRELL	Capitol
6 6 9	Til You Come BOYZ II MEN	Motown
7 10 10	End Of The Road JOHNNY GILL	LaFace/Arista
15 13 11	There U Go CHUCKII BOOKER	Atlantic/Atl G
17 15 12	Games AFTER 7 Bate IIm For	Virgin
18 14 13	Baby, I'm For KEITH SWEAT I Want To	Elektra
13 12 14	MIKI HOWARD Ain't Nobody	Giant/Reprise
9915	R. KELLY & PUBLIC Slow Dance	Jive
19 18 16	PM DAWN I Would Die	G St/LaFace/Ari
16 16 17	MARY J. BLIGE	Uptown/MCA
18	SHAI If I Ever Fall	Gasoline Alley/MCA
19	SADE No Ordinary Love	Epic
21 20 20	GEORGE DUKE No Rhyme, No	WB
23 21	CHANTE MOORE Love's Taken Over	Silas/MCA
11 17 22	JODECI I'm Still	Uptown/MCA
14 19 23	FREDDIE JACKSON	Capitol
24	LORENZO Make Love To Me	PLG
23 25 25	CHARLIE WILSON	Bon Ami/MCA
	You Turned My	

Atlantic/Atl G

(Based on radio airplay)



THREE MARTONI'S PLEASE: One night, while hangin' out at **Martoni's** (1 - r) JAMS' **J.J.**, Martoni's bartender **Lee Nelson** and "Rhythm and Blues" TV star **Ron Glass** came up with a plan. It was a big, big, very important plan. Something having to do with national security. Then the nice government man came and hoovered out their gray matter. Now they're always happy and smiling. Oh yeah, and they plan to vote for **Bush**, too.



FOUR MEN AND A LADY: Celebrating the dual preems of Silas Records and the label's first album, Chanté Moore's "Precious," MCA honchos and hanger-on-ers were out in force to slurp up sounds and high-priced sandwiches at the Beverly Hills Hotel's Crystal Room. Sharing this quintissential, peak moment that they'll remember for the next minute of their whole lives are (l - r): Aaron Hall; Silas President/CEO Louil Silas, Jr.; Moore; Keith Washington; and Fred Moultrie, Moore's manager:



THREE MEN SLIP IN A MIKI: Giant Records diva Miki Howard forced (1 - r): Giant's Tony Rice, V103.9's Tony Fields and promo man Andre Fuller to listen to her Perot conspiracy theory views. Afterwards, a nice government man came and hoovered out their gray matter. Doesn't Miki look happy? If only she could remember why.



TWO MEN GO GAYE: Lovable "X" star Denzel Washington, "All My Children"'s huggable Richard Lawson and Third Stone's squeezable recording artist Nona Gaye get together for Ebony Magazine's first annual "People's Cutest Choice Awards." Later on in the show, the winsome trio debuted with their heart-felt ballad "Cute People Have Feelings Too." Sob! Don't you just feel for them?



ONE ON ONE: What some people will do during a fund drive. Holding sexy **Denzel Washington**'s underwear — the same underwear he wore during the filming of "Richochet," **OC-104** morning man **Don Duckman** and an un-identified cousin of Washington's auctioned off the satiny briefs to the highest bidder. They were purchased by none other than **George Bush**, who told the press "he only wanted to put the dynamic spirit of Washington back in the White House," And he called **Perot** a loony.



RAP

RAP RADIO TOP FORTY

2W	LW	TW	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	2₩	LW	T₩	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL
4	3	1	REDMAN	Blow Your Mind	Chaos/RAL/Col	19	20	21	ROXANNE SHANTE	Deadly Rhymes	Livin' Large
2	1	2	DIAMOND D	Best Kept	Chemistry			22	BRAND NUBIAN	Punks Run	Elektra
8	5	3	PUBLIC ENEMY	Hazy Shade	Def Jam/Col	33	31	<mark>2</mark> 3	K-SOLO	Letterman	Atlantic/Alt G
3	4	4	P ROCK/CL SMOOTH	Straighten It	Elektra	11	12	24	MC REN	Final Frontier	Ruthless/Priority
13	7	5	DA LENCH MOB	Guerillas In	Atco/EW/Atl G	21	21	25	CYPRESS HILL	Latin Lingo	Ruffhouse/Col
1	2	6	GRAND PUBA	360 (What)	Elektra	23	22	26	FIST MOVEMENT	You Can Get	Mercury
9	8	7	COMMON SENSE	Take It EZ	Relativity			27	POSITIVE K	I Got A	PLG
16	11	8	WRECKX-N-EFFECT	Rump Shaker	Future/MCA	38	36	28	PHARCYDE	Ya Mama	D Vinyl/Atl G
5	6	9	LORDS OF THE	Psycho	Pendulum/Elektra	40	37	29	SUPERCAT	Dem No	Columbia
22	17	10	DOUBLE XX POSSE	Not Gonna	Big Beat/Atl G	31	29	30	BRAND NEW HEAVIES	H.R.E. Theme	D Vinyl/Atl G
14	13	11	BUSHWICK BILL	Ever So Clear	Rap-A-Lot/Pri	26	26	31	INSANE POETRY	How Ya Gonna	.NastyMix
17	15	12	CHUBB ROCK	Lost In	Select/Elektra	20	24	32	A TRIBE CALLED	Hot Sex	Jive
18	16	13	ICE CUBE	Be True To	Priority	37	33	33	C. MOST WANTED	Hood Took	Orpheus/Epic
6	9	14	GANG STARR	Ex Girl To	Chrysalis/ERG		38	34	TOO SHORT	In The Trunk	Jive
	30	15	SHOWBIZ & AG	Fat Pockets	PLG	34	34	35	WILLIE D	Clean Up Man	Rap-A-Lot/Pri
7	10	16	EPMD	Crossover	D Jam/RAL/Chaos	36	35	36	DADDY FREDDY	Haul & Pull	Chyrsalis/ERG
10	14	17	DAS EFX	Mic Checka	Atco/EW/Atl G	32	32	37	MAD COBRA	Flex	Columbia
12	18	18	HOUSE OF PAIN	Jump Around	Tommy Boy			38	HOMETEAM	Pick It Up	Luke
15	19	19	YZ	Return Of	Livin' Large			39	DIGABLE PLANETS	Rebirth	Pendulum/Elektra
25	23	20	ERIC B & RAKIM	Casualities	MCA			40	ROMY DEE	Paug, Paug	Priority

Based on college radio and commercial mix show airplay

WORD!

PIRATE RADIO: Could it be possible that someone will hijack a local LA station's signal and play tracks off the forthcoming **Ice Cube** LP, "The Predator"? Why is this person risking being caught by the FCC? Which station will be the target of this risky venture? Stay tuned. If

this is pulled off, it would certainly upset LA Radio and cause another controversy this Halloween weekend... ZULU NATION: The 18th annual anniversary of the Zulu Nation tribe is happening November 13 - 15th at the Muse & Marquee Club in Manahattan. For more info, dial (212) 589-7593... MARCH ON ATLANTA: What indie label that's presently trying to untangle its involvement with another indie may be involved in another sticky situation centered around racial problems? And will other distributed labels soon break away because of the tensions?... HOT 97: Rumors are spreadin' that Eddie B. Swift and Funk Master Flex will be spinning at WQHT in New York. Are they looking for an MC?... PHILADELPHIA FREEDOM: Insiders say that Q102's Zulu is "literally" tied up in legal matters. Hmmm. But look for him to break out real soon. Zulu's hitpick oldschool rapjam of the week: Fatboys' "In Jail With No Bail" (Tin Pan Alley)... BUZZ BIN: A.S.A.P.'s "Wrek The Art" picking up adds at KWUR in St.

Louis, Mo, KXLU in LA, WXIN in Providence, RI, WCCM in Randolph, NJ and WRHU in "Strong" Island.... Props go out to Sony Music's Tyesh Harris for this week's #1 single, Redman's "Blow Your Mind" from his #1 album, "Whut? Thee Album"... Over at Immortal/Epic Adrian Miller is looking to blow up Funkdoobiest with his track "The Funkiest"; production credits go to DJ Lethal and Muggs... FADE AWAY: Industry vets came to Fade's going away party at Rifkind's joint. Joining the gathering were: Ern Llamado, Eric Brooks, Evan Forrestor, Adrian Miller, LT Clay, Lisa Sessions, Matt & Darryl Jones, Steve Henderson, E-Swift, Alkoholics, Shena Lester , Jesus Garber and May May, among the many. Peace.



3	A TRIBE CALLED	Hot Sex	Jive	45
4	A. DEVELOPMENT	People	Chrysalis/ERG	42
5	KRIS KROSS	I Missed	Ruffhouse/Columbia	a 42
6	MC SERCH	Here It Cornes	D Jam/Chaos	41
7	CHUBB ROCK	Lost In The	Select/Elektra	40
8	DA LENCH MOB	Guerillas	Atco/EW/Atl G	39
9	GRAND PUBA	360 (What)	Elektra	37
10	REDMAN	Blow Your	RAL/Columbia	37
11	MAD COBRA	Flex	Columbia	36
12	EPMD	Crossover	D Jam/RAL/Chaos	32
13	PRINCE MARKIE DEE	Trippin' Out	Columbia	32
14	WILLIE D	Clean Up Man	Rap-A-Lot/Priority	31
15	BUSHWICK BILL	Ever So Clear	Rap-A-Lot/Priority	31
16	CYPRESS HILL	Latin Lingo	Ruffhouse	30
17	ERIC B & RAKIM	Casualities Of	.MCA	30
18	ICE CUBE	Be True	Priority	30
19	HOUSE OF PAIN	Jump Around	Tommy Boy	28
20	SOUTH CEN. CARTEL	Papa	Quality	28

RAP Video Reporters:

9-2-5, African Alert, Al Dente, American Hot Video, American Rapmaker, Another Funky Sit., Beat Goes on, Beats & Rhymes, Birmingham Jammin', Bring The Noise, Check It Out, Club Beat, Dallas Music Videos, Dance Beat, Dance Vision, Dope Rap, Drop The Beat, Fresh Groove, Funke V's, H.P.I. Television, Jazz Video Mix, Kickin' It Live, Killer Diller, Lorna's Corner, Music Entity, Music Inner City, Music Video 50, Music Video 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, Soundwave Street Tracks, T.V. 23, Video Control, Video House Party, Video Music Box, Video Request, Video Soul, Video Traxx, Video Vision, Video Zone, Visual Rhythms, Wolfram, Yo' MTV Raps

Based on total nat'l & regional rotations

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ICE CUBE	Wicked	Priority				
RADIO STREET PICK						
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REDMAN	Whut? Thee Album	RAL/Chaos/Col				

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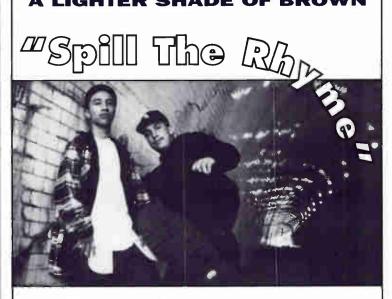
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VIDEO ON: Rap City The Box

from the smash debut album SOUTH CENTRAL MADNESS (15189)

A LIGHTER SHADE OF BROWN



A Hipper Shade of Hip Hop.

EARLY ADDS AT: THE BOX



RAP CITY VIDEO REQUEST from the much anticipated second album HIP HOP LOCOS (19114)

PEDDLE METAL

On this election eve, I make but one pseudo-political observation; whoever wins on November 3rd, there oughta be a cabinet seat for **Tom Freston**. **MTV**'s "Choose or Lose/Rock The Vote" programming has been phenomenal... Jeff Naumann, you were right! Young Turk's "Saddest Song" is terrific. Album PDs who embraced Ugly Kid Joe's "Neighbor" should jump on this one... Speaking of radio, when are ya getting on Soul Kitchen's "Rosie Jones"? If this Rod Stewart-esque ballad doesn't smash, Rod may have to record it himself. Either way, the song's a monster

waiting to hatch... rooArt's Sean Coakley has a new batch of Screaming Jets tunes that absolutely smoke. I loved this band's debut. They're getting shopped now. Whatcha waiting for?... To digress for a moment, shouldn't Kate Bush be credited on the Utah Saints' current rotation MTV clip?... I'm likin' Cell Mates, Kyuss, Dan Baird and the Ramones more with each listen... A fellow journalist offered the following quote on Robert Hillburn's blasting of the Black Crowes Greek

Theatre show in last week's *L.A. Times*: "Hillburn must've been the only one in the crowd who had a shitty time that night. The place was insane." What up, Bob? Speaking of the Crowes, humble thanks to "Dirt," **Suzan Crane** and **Pete Angelus** for making my radio interview with **Chris** and **Rich** finally happen... Just when you thought the hairy pop metal power ballad was dead and buried, along soars **Firehouse** into the Top 10. Amazing job, **Epic**. Truly amazing... Regards UKJ, a **Mercury** bird tells me after "So Damn Cool," the **Harry Chapin** classic cover, "Cats In The Cradle," is going to radio. Right on!... The same day I got the press release announcing **Vince Neil**'s new band, studio schedule and on-sale date for the LP (February 10th), I receive faxes of the *Hollywood Reporter* and *Variety* items on Vince's new lawsuit against the **Crüe**. According to the trades, Neil is suing exbandmates to be re-admitted to the group as lead singer, as well as \$5 million in damages and 25% of touring proceeds. (*Personal comment: Vince will sing with the Crüe again when* **Lennon** rejoins **the Beatles**). Apparently, some strange wording in Neil's contract inspired the litigation, and it's bound to get ugly. God, what did **Shakespeare** say about lawyers?...



By LONN M. FRIEND

RIEND

Thanks to **Bob Rock** and the cool cats at **Capitol** for letting me world debut **Rockhead**. I'll be watchin' this one closely. Friend out...

UKJ & Miss USA — Beauty and the Beast.

RETAIL METAL TOP THIRTY

2W LW TW	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	2W	LW	TW	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL
111	ALICE IN CHAINS	Dirt	Columbia		21	16	FLOTSAM & JETSAM	Cuatro	MCA
222	PEARL JAM	Ten	Еріс	15	17	17	RED HOT CHILI	Blood Sugar	Warner Bros.
4 4 3	HELMET	Meantime	Interscope/Alt G	19	19	18	JACKYL	Jackyl	Geffen
3 3 4	NINE INCH NAILS	Broken	Nthng/TVT/Int/Atl G	22	23	19	SAIGON KICK	The Lizard	Third Stone
885	MEGADETH	Countdown To.	Capitol	17	14	20	CANNIBAL CORPSE	Tomb Of The	Metal Blade
18 6	IZZY STRADLIN	Izzy Stradlin	Geffen	14	15	21	SKID ROW	B-Sides	Atlantic/Alt G
6 6 7	VARIOUS ARTISTS	Singles	Еріс	24	22	22	GUNS N'ROSES	Illusion I	Geffen
5 7 8	EXTREME	III Sides To	A&M	18	20	23	SCREAMING TREES	Sweet Oblivion	Epic
10 9 9	MOTHER LOVE BONE	Mother Love	Stardog/Mercury	23	28	24	PANTERA	Vulgar Display	Atco/EW/Atl G
12 10	MUDHONEY	Piece Of Cake	Reprise			25	TRIXTER	Hear	MCA
9 10 11	TEMPLE OF THE DOG	Temple Of	A&M			26	D.R.I.	Definition	Rotten
13 16 12	METALLICA	Metallica	Elektra		29	27	MANOWAR	The Triumph	Atlantic/Atl G
7 5 13	MINISTRY	Psalm 69	WB/Sire		27	28	WARRIOR SOUL	Salutations	DGC
12 11 14	RED HOT CHILI	What Hits!?	EMI/ERG	16	25	29	FAITH NO MORE	Angel Dust	Slash/Reprise
11 13 15	UGLY KID JOE	America's	Stardog/Mercury	21	24	30	DANZIG	How The Gods.	Def American

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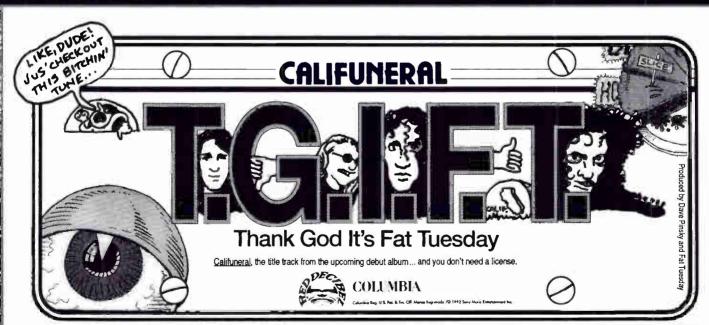
REPORTING STATIONS THIS WEEK

CFOX Vancouver, BC CIBL Montreal, Quebec CJSB Ottowa, Canada KBHU Spearfish, SD KBPI Denver, CO Kansas City, MO KBZR KCLB Palm Springs, CA KCOU Columbia, MO KCPR San Luis Obispo, CA **KDJK** Oakdale, CA **KEPC** Colorado Springs, CO **KEYJ** Abilene, TX KIOZ San Diego, CA KISW Seattle, WA **KLBJ** Austin, TX KLPI Ruston, LA **KMSA** Grand Junction, CO KNDL Honolulu, HI KNGX Claremore, OK KNON Dallas, TX KPFT Houston, TX KQAL Winona, MN Los Angeles, CA KOI 7 KROK Deridder, LA KRVS Lafavette, LA KSDB Manhattan, KS KSFX Roswell, NM KSJS San Jose, CA **KTEQ** Rapid City, SD KTOO Juneau, AK **KTUH** Honolulu, HI

Fayetteville, AR KUAF KUCI Irvine, CA KUGS Bellingham, WA Las Vegas, NV KUNV KUPD Tempe, AZ **KVHS** Concord, CA **KWCW** Walla Walla, WA KWUR St. Louis, MO Reno, NV KZAK **KZOK** Seattle, WA K7RX Phoenix, AZ WARC Meadville, PA WASU Boone, NC Babylon, NY WBAB WBAU Garden City, NY WBCN Boston, MA WBER Penfield NY WBGU Bowling Green, OH WBIM Bridgewater, MA WBIV Boston, MA WBNY Buffalo, NY WCWP Brookville, NY Fairfax, VA WDCT Cedar Knolls, NJ **WDHA** WDNR Chester, PA WEOS Geneva, NY WEVL Memphis, TN WFAL Bowling Green, OH WFBG Altoona, PA Melbourne, FL WEIT WFSE Edinboro, PA

WGIR Manchester NH WGLS Glassboro, NJ WHJY East Providence, RI WHMH St. Cloud, MN Fzn WHVY Annapolis, MD Bloominaton, IN WIUS WIYY Baltimore, MD WJUL Lowell, MA Philadelphia, PA WKDU WKLL Utica, NY WKNC Raleigh, NC **WKNH** Keene, NH Middletown, NY WKO.I **WKPX** Sunrise, FL WLFR Pomona, NJ WI RN Miami, FL WMBR Cambridge, MA WMEB Orono, ME **WMHW** Mt. Pleasant, MI WMNE Tampa, FL WMPG Portland, ME Huntington, WV WMUL New York, NY WNEW WNHU West Haven, CT WNYU New York, NY WPCR Plymouth, NH Champaign, IL WPGU WPHD Elmira, NY WPSC Wayne, NJ WPSH University Pk, PA

WONY Ithaca, NY WQSU Selinsgrove, PA WREK Atlanta, GA WRIU Kingston, RI WRLC Williamsport, PA WRRG Rivergrove, IL WSFW Seneca Falls, NY WSGR Port Huron, MI WSMU North Dartmouth, MA WSOU South Orange, NJ WST7 Jackson, MS WSUP Platteville, WI Harrisburg, PA WTPA WUVT Blacksbury, VA **WVBR** Ithaca, NY **WVFS** Tallahasee, FL WVKR Poughkeepsie, NY WVVX Highland Park, IL WVXU Cincinnati, OH WWGC Carrollton, GA WWSP Stevens Point, WI wwvu Morgantown, WV WXCI Danbury, CT Newark, DE WXDR **WXMJ** Mt. Union, PA WXPL Fitchburg, MA WZIP Akron, OH WZMB Greenville, NC WZRC New York, NY 7-BOCK National



For more information on Fat Tuesday contact: Bridget Roy- Columbia Rock/Metal Marketing (212) 445-4249, E.J. Johantgen - Columbia Rock/Metal Radio (212) 445-1988 or Sean Sulfivan - Columbia Rock/Metal Relai (212) 445-4289.

WAPI, our commercial concubine in Birmingham, AL. has removed their metal show. This comes hand-inhand with a mailing done by



the American Family Association, who made selective, edited tapes of API's programming and sent them to station advertisers threatening boycotts and to church groups with protests of child corruption. Other shows removed include the syndicated American Top 40, Casey Kasem, Future Hits and On the Radio. However, API states the reason for programming changes is due to "the station going in one certain direction" and nothing to do with the AFA Biohazard tore 'em up at Foundations and Psycho anticipates big numbers add-wise. Please do so or we'll be forced to clean Scott Givens' apartment for the next year. The lead track, "Punishment," will be supported by video play ... Call John at Fifth Column (202-638-3508) and ask for Thud. While we don't see these D.C. bad boys being invited to the White House for dinner, we do recommend selecting "Ventilator" as an appetizer for your metal menu. Like the rest of "Life & Death," it's a sludge-rock-metal-retro-punkgrunge-grind-thrash-fest... Screaming Trees (a Thelma & Louise fave who'll be on tour with Alice in Chains and Gruntruck) is releasing a new cassette single that contains a non-LP bonus track especially for metal radio, "Tomorrow's Dream" (a cover from "Black Sabbath Vol. IV"). We love this, especially since the Trees weren't originally a band for metal because, if metal played it, alternative wouldn't. Whatabout Pearl Jam, Helmet, Nine Inch Nails, etc.?... A&M's Jill Glass is smiling. Nine years at the label overseeing bands like Soundgarden, who'll be celebrating a platinum Xmas with "Badmotorfinger," almost 800,000 units MORE than their A&M debut, "Louder Than Love." YEOW!

By THELMA and LOUISE

RADIO KNOB O' THE WEEK



CHRIS YEARLEY, WZMB, Greenville NC Chris "My Beach, My Wave" Yearly split from his life in the Northeast to explore the tubular action in North Carolina and soak up some knowledge in the hallowed halls of E. Carolina U. When he's not pumping his endorphins in the ocean

blue, he's jamming "Music to Annoy the Narrow Minded" on Friday and Saturday evenings, playing the finest in family programming. A connoisseur of beautimous babeolas, Mr. Surfpunk also lives by his motto — "Free Beer, I'm There," and all the more reason why... we love ya.

TOP FIVE PHONES						
ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL				
ALICE IN CHAINS	Dirt	Columbia				
MEGADETH	Countdown To Extinction	Capitol				
FLOTSAM AND JETSAM	Cuatro	MCA				
EXODUS	Force Of Habit	Capitol				
UGLY KID JOE	America's Least Wanted	Star Dog/Mercury				

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6	7	HELMET	Meantime	Interscope/Atl G
11	8	GRUNTRUCK	Push	Roadrunner
13	9	WARRIOR SOUL	Salutations	Geffen
8	10	MINISTRY	Psalm 69	WB/Sire
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10	12	S.O.D.	Live At	Megaforce
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POST TOASTED By Ivana B. Adored

REVOLUTION EARTH: So the "Most Added" song at PoMo radio this week is about sex education. Yep, that's the gist of "Trout," the mind-bogglingly genius **Neneh Cherry/Michael Stipe** duet. Why am I so fucking *adamant* that you hip your audience to Neneh Cherry? Why do I keep badgering you week after week after week? Maybe I'm onto something. Maybe I remember what it was like to see **Patti Smith** on the

"Mike Douglas Show" and have it change my life. Maybe I think Neneh Cherry could be the same kind of way-positive role model Don't waste your student loan money on the Madonna book. The photos Paul V. took of Mr. Lifto lifting two irons with his penis during Lollapalooza are far more provocative and not nearly as repellant as shots of Madonna with Vanilla Ice. Not one bit of exposed flesh looks the least bit aroused, and the text of Madonna's accompanying

SEZ MADONNA:



"My Pussy Is The Temple Of Learning."

"fantasies" is equally flaccid. "Boring" and "laughable" is the Post Modern verdict. (Actually, you don't need me to rip the book to shreds; the binding and cover tears apart upon impact.) Buy a copy of Anais Nin's "Delta Of Venus" (or even "The Godfather" (page 84) or any book by Judy Blume ...), put on a Chris Whitley or Catherine Wheel album and get back to me, ok?.....It's always a blast to see the Violent Femmes (who are currently label-less) or the B-52's (especially with Julee Cruise), but together it's a double "whammy-kiss!" After all those years of finishing school and private study with Martha Graham, I still dance like Fred Schneider. "Thanks" to Neil Jacobsen for allowing me to remind him that he used to be a total dick to me when he lived in Boston. Now, can I have passes for those Ministry/Helmet/Sepultura shows, huh?.....Have you met Joel from Savage Records? Almost as much of a babe as Bob Waugh. I know it's not very Mark Arm-ish of me to admit, but I've always liked Gene Loves Jezebel and the new single, "Josephina," is no exception. If I were you, I'd also play EMF's version of "Low Spark Of High-Heeled Boys," but I always thought Traffic sucked.....Are the rumors about Wax Trax Records' demise true?.....Don't miss seeing Freedy Johnston, Mark Eitzel, Stereolab, Celibate Rifles, and Chris Knox at the CMJ Confab. Tell them I adore them..... Don't even think of calling or faxing your playlist in on Tuesday unless you've already voted. I mean it. Meow.



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

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"...Get into the bliss,

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Daniel Ash

<u>Get Out Of Control</u> from the album "Foolish Thing Desire."



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elmet helmsman Page Hamilton figures that if he had stayed in his hometown of Eugene, Oregon, he would probably be playing new age music or still doing weird Clash covers with an unknown rock combo. But, as destiny would have it, the guitarist sold all his rock records and moved to New York, where he worked towards a masters degree in jazz at the Manhattan School of Music. With academics out of the way, Hamilton found himself in the feedback of N.Y.C.'s Band Of Susans, part of the city's '80s experimental distortion-laden rock scene, and he performed in some of influential downtown composer Glenn Branca's electric ensembles.

ELMET AND BACK

B ut the noise Hamilton was making with his instrument was nothing compared to the ruckus that erupted when major labels fell over each other last year trying to sign his band Helmet. Formed in 1989, Helmet released some singles and a 1990 album, "Strap It On," on the Minneapolis indie Amphetamine Reptile. Their aggressive metal-edged rhythm juggernaut eventually landed at Interscope, who put out Helmet's major-label debut, "Meantime," earlier this year. A few weeks before the band (aside from Hamilton, it includes guitarist Peter Mengede, drummer John Stanier and bassist Henry Bogdan) embarked on the first of several tours supporting the album, Page traveled to Spain to perform Branca's latest other-worldly electric guitar symphony. Upon his return, he found himself face-to-face with HITS' own Girl From the North Country, this year's Molson Beer spokesmodel Jenny "Time To Drop Back And" Punter, eh?

Time for some amphetamines and a beer with HELMET by JENNIE PUNTER

Has playing Glenn's music affected your writing with Helmet?

Helmet was sort of born in that atmosphere. We did our first demo in between two Glenn gigs the same week. So there's a harmonic influence. Rhythmically, he uses a lot of overlaps and that comes across in our music. Certainly he's been an influence on my ears.

How much improvisation is used on "Meantime"?

Actually, the stuff is pretty much written and arranged. Sometimes, we'll improvise sections over a bass vamp, then I'll play a guitar solo. I supposed I have the most freedom, but we're not there jamming away. Helmet functions as one giant rhythm section... the bass, drums and rhythm guitars are all playing something that is fairly in unison, and when the parts stray from each other, it's very deliberate. For the most part, we're all trying to push the same air through the speakers. And that, to me, is a very satisfying feeling.

You guys didn't get together in the typical, four-guys-meet-at-high-school-and-jam-inthe-garage mode. What was the audition process like?

It was just a matter of knowing what we wanted and what we didn't want. Pete, John and I felt the chemistry when we played, but we couldn't find the right bass. Three years ago, we had very few songs, but there was one called "Born Annoying" that was our very first single on Amphetamine Reptile. The verse was in 7/8 with a grindy riff and we just had bass players try to play that... and nine out of ten couldn't.

When you were in Oregon, you studied jazz. When did you become interested in rock? While I was studying, I played in a rock band for a while, then formed my own band. We were just doing weird Clash covers or strange funky jazz shit. It was fun, but very limited. I knew I had to get out of Oregon. I wanted to get to New York real bad. I was drawn to it. I'd come here a few times and felt something I'd never felt anywhere else. It's undeniable that it affected the kind of sound we arrived at.

Do you think listeners will be able to sense your background in jazz and the work you've done with Glenn in your music?

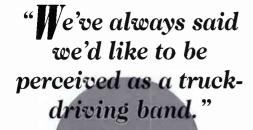
You don't have to be a trained musician to get into Helmet. It's something that definitely will hit you on a visceral level. The first thing most people get into is the groove, the funk, the way it moves. That's as valid as someone who wants to dissect the harmony. You get into it on whatever level hits you. It should be emotional. We've always said we'd like to be perceived as a truck-driving band.

Much has been made of the bidding war that eventually led to your signing with Interscope.

Yeah, but we never had a goal to get signed or to be a hot property. We just wanted to do the music that we were into. We never had any other goals than to get to play live, record, write music and progress. And when this all started happening, it was a big surprise. We found that there were intelligent people with enthusiasm for our music at major labels, and that things had changed over the last few years.

What is the relationship with your former label, Amphetamine Reptile?

The company came up with the idea of releasing the vinyl version of "Meantime." They were a little leery at first about dealing with a major, but they worked it out. We didn't see a need to sever the ties, and just say that we're on to bigger and better things. ■



"We never had any other goals than to get to play live, record, write music and progress." you made a choice.

the most added song at post modern radio this week is about sex education.

the artist is **neneh cherry**



the album is "homebrew"

these stations get the message.

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POMO PICKS Edited by Karen Glauber



Neneh Cherry, "Homebrew" (Virgin): Considering the genealogy, Neneh, of the multifaceted Cherry clan, has rip, rigged, and panicked through her aheadof-its-time lineage, straight to this *hardly half-baked* follow-up to "Raw Like Sushi." With husband/co-producer Booga Bear, Neneh has our jaws agape

on Stipe duet "Trout", 'ol Beethoven rolling over to the nuevo scratch and sampled touches to the Pathetique sonata-based track "Somedays," and reminds us that she's still as "Sassy" as ever. We need a role-model like Neneh. (Meredith Chinn)

Neil Young, "Harvest Moon" (Reprise): For someone whose discography touches about every area of music, 'ol faithful comes back 'round this time with the sequel to his 1972 classic "Harvest." Complete with the original cast, "Harvest Moon" will evoke every possible feeling, memory



and emotion you ever experienced weeding through "Harvest" while planting new classics for the next twenty years. Every song, from "From Hank To Hendrix" to "One Of These Days" is typical Neil, wearing his heart on his sleeve with no remorse.



Th' Faith Healers, "Lido" (Too Pure/Elektra): Th' Faith Healers offer more than their name suggests for the musical *gourmand* who knows that a little grit and dirt enhances any recipe. Originally starting out as a fun pastime, this UK foursome found themselves with a sizeable, identifiable audience in

no time, landing them a spot on the roster of UK indie fave Too Pure. "Lido" is a clever collage of blues, rock, grunge and intelligence. Shatter your Easy Bake Oven-fired clay idols, clear away the refrigerator mold, and find true salvation. (MC/KG)

Tommy Keene, "Sleeping On A Rollercoaster" (Matador): His plaid windbreaker was spotted in L.A. And Memphis. And D.C. Was Gerard going to sign him to Columbia? Was that Tommy on stage with Adam Schmitt? Where are the new songs? Finally, your pop sensibilities can be reawakened be-



cause Tommy Keene's back again (try...) with an ep's worth of tunes. One of the few true members of the intelligent-guitarpop elite, "Waiting To Fly" is a broad hint that Tommy's own "Pet Sounds" or "Odyssey And Oracle" could be well within our reach. Keep your shirt buttoned to the collar.

POMO MUGS



BUSH WACKERS: Can you believe that George Bush was planning to sabotage Ross Perot's daughter's wedding? These people do. And to prove it, they exhibited their free speech by recording the song "I Was A Government Spy In The House Of Love." Pictured (top, 1 - r): Chameleon's Mark Cohen; musicians/close personal friends of Jody Denberg Dan Mansfield, Gurf Morlix, Lucinda Williams; Radioactive's Jerry Rubino; WXRK's Vin Scelsa; and (bottom, 1 - r): Ramone's men Joey and Marky. Afterwards, the government exercised its rights by subjecting the malcontents to an in-depth income tax audit. Can't, can't we all just get along?



READ HIS LIPS: We think what **Theolonious Monster's Bob For**rest really meant to say in his shy, subtle way was "Surrender George Bush." Did we happen to mention that Forrest is also a member of the local Democratic chapter of "Scanners." Do you feel your brain beginning to throb, an unrelenting pain that leads to a swelling of the frontal lobe, that could end in cataclysmic cranial explosion? No? Good, you must be making the right choice.



POLITICAL ASYLUM: Bemoaning the lack of choice the American public faces in the upcoming election. **Soul Asylum** frontman/object of Ivana worship **Dave Pirner** and singer/songwriter/John S. Hall pal **Brenda Kahn** performed their song "Sixty Second Critic" for a group of **Sony** execs in Toronto. Okay they were playing for a bunch of rich suits in a neutral territory, but the sentiment was there.



Now that Greta has signed with Mercury and Rocket From The Crypt are no longer taking meetings with record labels while they decide where to go, let's gaze into our crystal ball, throw the I Ching, and draw the tarot cards to see if we can predict the next band that the A&R lemmings will be wining and dining. How about L.A.'s Stikkitty? Their show at Blak & Bloo last week was well-attended, with guest appearances by Barry Squire, Kevin Moran, Joe Wissert, Carole Childs, Mitch Brody and Bobby Carlton. Unfortunately, the crystal ball is hazy on this one. We'll have to wait for their next show to make a prediction. Minneapolis'

So Sue Me



Sue Drew: Accidents will happen.

Mile One are up next as we caught Pierre Vuprag, Emily Kaye, Tom Storms, Lewis, Matthew Leslie Aberle, Susan Collins and Nigel Harrison at their shows in L.A. The I Ching reads, "Better luck next time, boys." Thanks to SBK, we'll all be able to see Seattle's Candlebox perform at Club Lingerie this weekend. The buzz on this band is building. They haven't outgrown their influences yet, but the songwriting is outstanding. The Magic 8-Ball comes up, "Lemmingfest!!!"... Is

Buckethead the first signing to Bill Laswell's proposed label deal with Sony?... Redd Kross to ex-Silvertone supremo Andrew Lauder's new label This Way Up?... Is Sub Pop not cooperating with Elektra's attempts to sign the Afghan Whigs?... Will longtime supporter Kurt Cobain be involved in the making of the Al Smith-signed Melvins album?... Sir Huge of Burnham is in Noo Yawk this week to finalize the address of his new court ... Guess who must have rich parents? Those Melvins have been delivering their new demo to A&R types inside of a boombox ... Initial release on Big Beat/Atlantic's brand spanking new indie label, Seed, Craig Kallman-inked Tumbleweed... is the John Guarnieri's Yellow Magic Orchestra techno remix album featuring The Orb, The Shamen and The Human League has finally found a home at London's sub-label Internal... Sony's Jim Dunbar nabs Manhattan-based Gumball... East/West's Wendy Berry completing a deal with New York's Clutch... Warner Chappell's Jim Cardillo is on a roll as he nails Consolidated's publishing... Chameleon's Mark Gartenberg loses his virginity (as an A&R person, that is) with the signing of the ultra-hip UK outfit Ultramarine. In keeping with the new industry practice of multiple label identities, this band's credits read Rough Trade/Dali/Chameleon/Elektra. And by the way, this column is written by Steve Pross/Marcel Proust/Marc Bolan/Alexander the Great Buzz Bin: Yesterday's Tear, Law & Order, Fire Ants, Robbie Romero.

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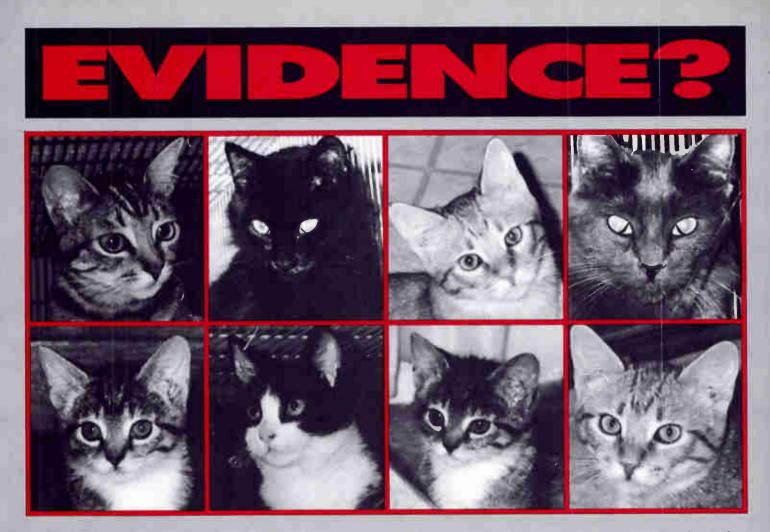
BREAKING GLASGOW: A&M Records recording artists Del Amitri brea the world record for most promotional appearances at radio stations in a single da without taking a potty break. Pictured at WPLJ in New York shortly before their co lective bladders burst are (1-r): A&M Sr. VP Promotion Rick Stone, WPLJ APL Mike Preston, WPLJ Morning Show's Todd Pettingill, the band's Justi Currie, A&M Promotion Mgr. Charley Londono, WPLJ Research Mg Adam Goodman and the band's lain Harvie.



THE LONG AND SHORT OF IT: The New York Steering Committee of ECC (Earth Communications Office) was launched recently with a breakfast at the Har Rock Cafe and the decision that all trees over four feet tall should be cut down, a mo tion put forward by committee member and Virgin President Phil Quartararo (a as ECO Executive Director Bonnie Reiss (1) and Robert Kennedy Jr. (; wonder why they weren't invited to H. Ross Perot's daughter's wedding.



SEALED WITH A KIIS: Members of Atco/EW/AG recording group the Rembrandts visit KIIS in LA., where they learn their record would get played i it had more bass and drum machine. Shown trying to keep the lads away from the playlist are (l-r): Atco/EW's Roger Smith; KIIS' Gwen Roberts and Brian Bridgman; the band's Danny Wilde, Atco/EW's Val Delong, the band? Phil Solem.



- On February 20th a Los Angeles resident was arrested for fraud and animal abuse in the breeding of 35 cats in her custody.
- On February 22nd, AN ANIMAL ALLIANCE contacted the City Attorney, seeking to adopt the animals. They were told the cats were being held as evidence -- to the further physical detriment of the cats.
- ◆ After three months and a legal battle, the cats were finally released into the custody of AN ANIMAL ALLIANCE.
- AN ANIMAL ALLIANCE incurred massive vet bills in the caring for these cats, but they are currently healthy and happy.

THESE CATS AND OTHER ORPHANS NEED LOVING HOMES CONTACT:

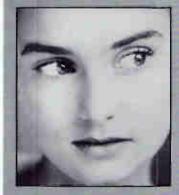
LEETA ANDERSON CHAIRPERSON ELLEN SCHNEIDERMAN EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR





15.633. That's the number of people who registered to vote during the summer-long drive at 63 Spec's Music stores across Florida. Originally scheduled to last one month as part of a "Your Choice Your Voice" promotion, response from the community, store associates and elections officials was so positive that the company decided to continue the program until Oct. 3. Unlike most voter registration drives, the Spec's project involved store employees, who went through training courses to become deputy registrars, and conducted registration proceedings themselves. According to VP Field Ops. Jeff Clifford, "This is probably one of the most successful community projects we've done. It was educational and inspiring for our employees, we offered a public service to our customers, and we registered a great many people."... "Music Is Magic" has been selected as the theme for NARM's 35th Annual Convention, which will take place March 6-9, 1993 at Marriott's Orlando World Center. "In the past few years, our theme has focused on new technologies, building a strong future for the business and maximizing sales," explains Convention

Pope Killer



Sinéad O'Connor: Bald is beautiful.

Chmn. Scott Young of Wherehouse Entertainment. "This year, we decided to emphasize the passion, creativity and the magical effect music has on our lives."... Spent last Sunday wandering around local record stores to check out how well the new Madonna book was doing and couldn't find it anywhere. One record chain advertised "All Madonna On Sale! (except videos and her book)" and had an endcap display of all Madonna titles but no indication that the book was available. Another local chain store had "Erotica" on sale in the regular bin for \$14.99, but no mention of the book's availability. The third chain had giant displays at both entrances with a coupon pad where you could fill out your name and address for info on the book, but no indication it could be purchased. Like me, CBS' Andy Rooney has yet to see the book. His comment: "I hope Madonna looks better nude than Sinead O'Conner does bald."... One retailer swears she had a customer come in last weekend who returned a CD because "it was too loud." Instead of laughing, she took him over to the instore CD player and explained the volume control to the customer, who left with product in hand... Great deals available at Wherehouse stores in their "CD Blowout" bins. Two stores visited this weekend had hundreds of "used" front-line Sony CDs, including current releases by Mariah Carey, Pearl Jam, Luther Vandross and Billy Joel, as well as current soundtracks and classical releases for \$7.99-8.99. The product is merchandised without shrinkwrap in a plastic longbox. Nowhere does it indicate, though, the titles may have been previously played Nothing's more important to do this Tuesday than vote. Do it! ...

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10,000 MANIACS AND SOME CRAZY EXECUTIVES: First prize goes to the lucky HITS reader who can correctly match up the couples in the accompanying **10,000 Maniacs** photo, taken after the band headlined a WDRE-sponsored charity event for AIDS Care, Big Brothers/Sisters and Child Abuse Prevention at Carnegie Hall, as the following label types jockey for position (I-r): Elektra Nat'l. Mgr., Top 40 Promo. Tracy Leshay: SE Reg. Dir. Promo. Erik Olesen: Nat'l. Dir. Vid Promo Linda Ingrisano; VP AC Promo Suzanne Berg; VP Att/Vid Promo. Jon Leshay: hand's Natalie Merchant, Rob Buck and Dennis Drew; mgnt. Justine Chiara; Sr. VP/GM David Bither; hand's Steve Gustafson; VP Alhum Promotion Steve Schnur and mgr. Peter Leak.



POP GOES THE WEASELS: RCA Records artists Pop Will Eat Itself visit the label offices, where they load up on free CDs, make fun of the cleft in Joe Galante's chin and learn that their new record, "The Looks or the Lifestyle," will be worked at alternative by HITS reject Nick Bull and the following (1-r): VP Art. Dev. David Gales; Mgr. Prod. Dev. Tim Leffel; the band's Clint Mansell, Ruzz and Graham Crabb; Dir. Alt. Promo/Mktg. Bruce Flohr; the band's Richard March and Adam Mole and mgr. Craig Jennings.



JES' FOLKS: Nancy Griffith celebrates signing to Elektra Entertainment for her next album, "Other Voices, Other Rooms," slated for January, with this starstudded foursome, who trade hilarious old Bob Krasnow stories (I-r): Indigo Girl Emily Saliers, John Prine, Indigo Girl Amy Ray, Griffith and the legendary Odetta.





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WINNERS

MOST #1's

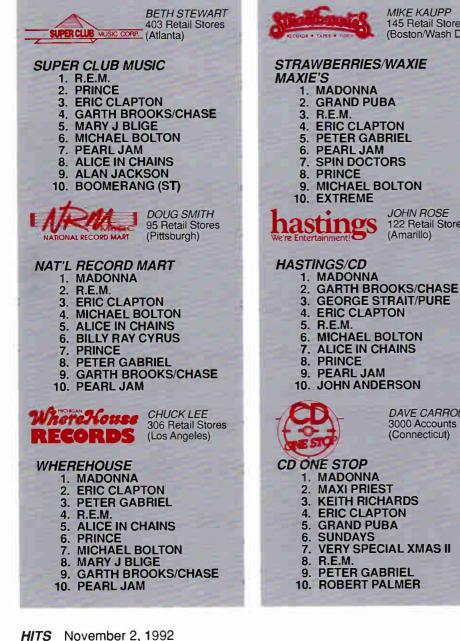
- 1. MADONNA
- 2. R.E.M.
- 3. PET<u>ER GABRIEL</u>
- 3. PRINCE

MOST TOP 5's

- 1. R.E.M.
- 2. MADONNA
- 3. ERIC CLAPTON

MOST TOP 10's

- 1. R.E.M.
- 2. ERIC CLAPTON
- 3. MADONNA
- 3. PETER GABRIEL

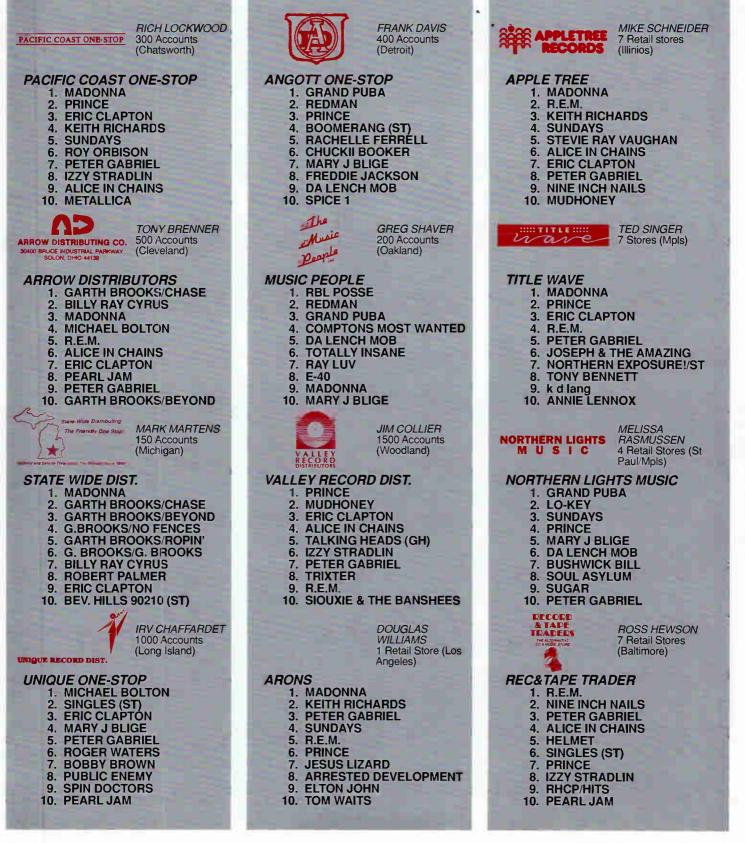








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Hot new or resurging albums as reported by the nation's leading record merchandisers

Madonna, Madonna and Madonna.

WINNERS

1 MADONNA 2 KEITH RICHARDS 3 GRAND PUBA

4 SUNDAYS 5 PRINCE (Mav/Sire/WB 45031) (Virgin 86499) (Elektra 61314) (DGC 24479) (P Pk/WB 45037) 84%6MAXI PRIEST56%7THE HEIGHTS (ST)54%8PORTRAIT38%9MUDHONEY25%10IZZY STRADLIN

g 86500)	24%
30328)	23%
93496)	22%
45090)	15%
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ANGOTT ONE-STOP / FRANK DAVIS / DETROIT

Grand Puba Madonna Gerald Alston Portrait Spice I Rachelle Ferrell

APPLE TREE / MIKE SCHNEIDER / ILLINOIS Madonna Keith Richards Sundays Robert Palmer

ARROW DISTRIBUTORS / TONY BRENNER / SOLON, OHIO

Madonna Prince Alan Jackson Lorrie Morgan 10.000 Maniacs

ASSOCIATED ONE-STOP / PAM DUNN / PHOENIX

Madonna Maxi Priest Portrait Grand Puba True Blue

BAKER & TAYLOR / MIKE

BASHKIN / CHICAGO Madonna Grand Puba Keith Richards Robert Palmer Izzy Stradlin Sundays Trixter

TANIS / GRAND RAPIDS Prince Alice In Chains Garth Brooks Helmet Jackyl

BELIEVE IN MUSIC / PAULA

CAMELOT / LEW GARRET / CANTON Madonna Heights (ST) B Hills 90210 (ST) Izzy Stradlin Maxi Priest

CAMPUS RECORDS / ЛМ DAW-

SON / COLUMBUS Madonna Redman AI B. Sure! Keith Richards LO The Mohicans (ST) Lo-Key? Sugar

CD ONE-STOP / DAVE CARROLL / CONN

Madonna Maxi Priest Keith Richards Grand Puba Sundays

CML / DAVE QUILLO / ST. LOUIS Madonna

Grand Puba Robert Palmer Heights (ST) Roy Orbison

COCONUTS / KEVIN HARNETT / INDIANAPOLIS

Madonna Spin Doctors Prince Mudhoney Izzy Stradlin

DOWN IN THE VALLEY / KATHY SHEDD / MPLS Madonna Sundays Dream Theatre Red Devils Moodswings

HARMONY HOUSE / SANDY

BEAN / DETROIT Madonna Keith Richards Maxi Priest Sade B Hills 90210 (ST) Heights (ST)

HMV / DAVID LEVINE / NYC

Maxi Priest Madonna Prince Keith Richards Grand Puba Roy Orbison Sundays

JEK ENTERPRISE / MITCHEL ASCH / BALTIMORE Madonna Portrait Keith Richards Grand Puba

JUSTIN / MIKE DAVIS / ATLANTA Grand Puba Madonna Gerald Alston Copperhead

Portrait Maxi Priest Special Generation

MCD MUSIC / LOU GHIRALDI / GREAT NECK Heights (ST) Roxy Blue Garardo

Gerardo Jayhawks

MICHELLE'S RECORDS & VIDEO / MICHELLE DIX / PARKERSBURG, WV REM Roxette Peter Gabriel Alice In Chains Alan Jackson

MOBY DISC / BOB SAY / LOS ANGELES Sundays Madonna Keith Richards Grand Puba

MUSIC CITY RECORD DIST / LARRY WEBB / NASHVILLE

Madonna Grand Puba Robert Palmer Keith Richards Maxi Priest Heights (ST) Portrait





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Madonna

Heights (ST)

MUSIC PEOPLE / GREGG SHAVER / OAKLAND Madonna Grand Puba PKO Maxi Priest Keith Richards Sundays

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DOUG SMITH / PITTSBURGH Madonna Grand Puba Heights (ST) Sundays Very Special Xmas II Keith Richards B Hills 90210 (ST)

NAVARRE / ERIC VINCENT / MINNEAPOLIS

Madonna Grand Puba Heights (ST) George Strait Keith Richards Sundays

NORTHEAST ONE-STOP /

GEORGE SMITH / ALBANY Madonna Grand Puba Sundays Keith Richards Heights (ST) Roy Orbison Redman

NORTHERN LIGHTS / MIKE

ELIAS / ST PAUL Grand Puba Sundays Portrait Keith Richards South Central Cartel

NOVA / JOHN UNDERWOOD / ATLANTA Prince Redman Grand Puba Madonna Mudhoney Izzy Stradlin Lo-Key?

PACIFIC COAST ONE-STOP / RICH LOCKWOOD / CHATSWORTH Madonna B Hills 90210 (ST) Grand Puba Robert Palmer Keith Richards Roy Orbison

RECORD & TAPE TRADER / ROSS HEWSON / BALTIMORE Sundays Keith Richards Thelonious Monster Siouxie & Banshees

REPEAT THE BEAT / GREG

BLIND / ROYAL OAK Sundays Prince Talking Heads Madonna Mudhoney Peter Weller

ROUNDUP / LAURA AVERY / SEATTLE Madonna Neil Diamond (Xmas) 10,000 Maniacs Mary J Blige Suzy Bogguss

SEA-PORT ONE-STOP / VICKI

OLIVEIRA / PORTLAND Madonna Grand Puba Lo-Key? Roy Orbison Very Special Xmas II Keith Richards Portrait

SOUND SHOP / JANICE SHEL-LEY / MEMPHIS Madonna Prince REM Michael Bolton

SOUND WAREHOUSE / TRACY DONIHOO / DALLAS

Madonna George Strait Sundays Keith Richards Grand Puba Portrait

SOUNDS & VIDEO / KATHY STAMM / MILWAUKEE Madonna Grand Puba George Strait Sundays Portrait Keith Richards

SOUTHWEST WHOLESALE / PAUL BROCKMAN / HOUSTON Jon Secada Bobby Brown Grand Puba De Lench Mob Redman Portrait

Grand Puba Maxi Priest Keith Richards STATEWIDE / MARK MARTENS / POTTERSVILLE.MI Prince Madonna Mary J Blige Great White Randy Travis (G-Hits) **Travis Tritt** TOWER / RON RIDENOUR / BELLEVUE Jude Cole Elton John Prince Mudhoney TOWER / M BENNETT-STUBER / LAS VEGAS Madonna Grand Puba Maxi Priest **Birthday Party** Thelonious Monster **GE Smith** TOWER SUNSET / SKIP CLARY / LOS ANGELES Madonna Keith Richards REM

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Stevie Ray Vaughan

Izzy Stradlin

Bob Marley

1992 EMI Reco

WEE THREE / MICHELLE TRANHAM / PHILADELPHIA Madonna B Hills 90210 (ST) Heights (ST) Keith Richards Sundays Grand Puba

WESTERN MERCHANDISERS / JOHN ROSE / AMARILLO Madonna Chipmunks LO The Mohicans (ST) Keith Richards Izzy Stradlin

WHEREHOUSE / BOB BELL / LA Madonna Grand Puba Sundays Keith Richards Portrait

B Hills 90210 (ST)

Maxi Priest ZIPS / RICK ANDRADE / TUCSON Madonna Peter Gabriel Grand Puba Izzy Stradlin Keith Richards Mudhoney Maxi Priest

"The Red Hot Chili Peppers are on fire! "What Hits!?' is a smash. We didn't expect it to be charting this high out of the box." - Bob Bell New Release Buyer, Wherehouse Entertainment

"It's been Top 30 since it came out and it shows <u>NO</u> signs of slowing down."

- Doug Smith Senior Buyer, NRM

"What Hits!?"

featuring the undiscovered shiash

"Behind The Sun"

EMI Records Group

Sundays





$\begin{array}{c} \text{HITS TOP FIFTY} \\ \textbf{ALBUMS} \end{array}$

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1	1	2	R.E.M.	AUTOMATIC FOR			Over 1.5 mill		108.5
3	2	3	ERIC CLAPTON	UNPLUGGED	Reprise		Over a million		104.4
	4	4	PRINCE	ANDROGYNOUS			Over a millio		82.2
5	6	5	MICHAEL BOLTON	TIMELESS	Columbi		Classic song		72.6
2	3	6	PETER GABRIEL	US	Geffen 2		Falling some		65.7
4	5	7	GARTH BROOKS	THE CHASE	Liberty 9		Solid seller		64.5
7	7	8	PEARL JAM	TEN	Epic/Ass	oc. 47857			63.5
6	8	9	ALICE IN CHAINS	DIRT	Columbi	a 52475	MTV and tou	Iring	59.1
8	9	10	BILLY RAY CYRUS	SOME GAVE ALL	Mercury	510-635	Steady sales	; ;	58.4
9	10	11	MARY J. BLIGE	WHAT'S THE 411	Uptown/	MCA 10681	Hot crossove	er leads	53.4
14	16	12	BOOMERANG	SOUNDTRACK	LaF/Aris	ta 26006	Back up big		40.6
		13	GRAND PUBA	REEL TO REEL	Elektra 6	1314	Lots of TV ex	posure	39.2
13	13	14	DA LENCH MOB	GUERILLAS IN	Atco/EW	//Atl G 92206	Top Ten on t	he Box	36.6
12	12	15	RED HOT CHILIS	WHAT HITS	EMI/ER0	G 94762	Hits package	•	33.5
47	44	16	GEORGE STRAIT	PURE COUNTRY	MCA 10	616	Hot soundtra	ick	33.0
20	19	17	QUEEN	GREATEST HITS	Hollywoo	od 61265	Hits package	9	32.2
18	17	18	EN VOGUE	FUNKY DIVAS	Atco/EW	/Atl G 92121	Contains mu	Itiple smashe	es 32.0
15	15	19	ARRESTED DEVELOPMEN	T 3 YEARS, 5 MONT	THS Chry/ER	G 21929	Malcolm X si	ingle next	31.7
_	11		SINGLES	SOUNDTRACK	Epic/S'tr	x 52476	Falling some	now	31.0
		21	BOBBY BROWN	BOBBY	MCA 10	417	New single b	reaking	30.8
		22	ELTON JOHN	THE ONE	MCA 10		New 45 brea		28.7
		23	SPIN DOCTORS	POCKETFUL OF			Video, 45 an	d S Nite Live	28.1
		24	REDMAN	WHUT THREE ALI			Rap		27.9
30	29	25	METALLICA	METALLICA	Elektra 6	1113	Up this week		26.7

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HEAVY! 8 HITS REQUESTS! 31 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES!

Def Leppard Have You Ever Needed Someone So Bad from the album ADRENALIZE

B96

B97

PWR99

STR94

Bon Jovi

15-13

27-24

35-27

32-27

#20

#26

WRPIG	#1	WZPL	#2
102	3-1	WNVZ	#2
WR92	#1	WGTZ	3-2
PLZ	#2	KLUC	#2
XXR	3-2	WZOU	4-3
EGL	#2	WEGX	4-3

PWRPIG #1

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KKSS 12-4 **KDWB** #5 **WXKS** 11-9 WNCI 19-12

Q102

KDWB

10-3

KRQ

AVERAGE MOVE 5.09! EXCLUSIVE! 7 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES! DEBUT 17 HITS REQUESTS!

PWRPIG add WAPE 24 deb WPFM deb 25 WWKX 12-7 PWR99 #9

KEGL **WVBS KTMT**

ADD

OUT OF THE BOX!

Z100 18-12 **KXXR** 20-13 WAAL 20-14 22-16 25-16 28-17

WQGN 28-17 WZPL 23-19 **WNVZ** #19 WGTZ 25-19 WCGQ 30-19 Q995 26-20

Keep The Faith from the album KEEP THE FAITH PWR92 29-20 KRQ 26-23 KROC 28-20 WZOU 28-24 Q101 25-20 PRO-FM 26-24 26-22 KIIS KKRZ 30-26 Q105 25-22 WEGX 29-27

Soup Dragons Pleasure

29-22

27-23

from the album HOTWIRED

KTRS

KKHT

KHTK	add	KAKS	add	KMGZ	add	OK95	add	WENZ	#6
Q995	add	WBPR	add	KNIN	add	PWR92	add	KROQ	16-8
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KJ103	add	KAY107	add	KPAT	add	WLAN	add		
K92	add	KFFM	add	KQIX	add	WPFM	add		
KF95	add	KISR	add	KTMT	add	WZYP	add		BIG
Z104	add	KMCK	add	KWNZ	add	WZYQ	add		LIFE

KBXX

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		PWRPIG	#9
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WIN	#5	Y97	17-1
NGTZ	12-7	WHHH	16-1
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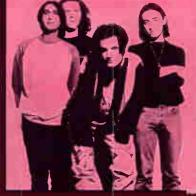
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HITS TOP FIFTY BUMS

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AGO	ШШК	E E K	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	COMMENTS	POWER INDEX
25	24	26	WYNONNA	WYNONNA	Curb/MCA 10529	Up and down	25.7
		27	LAST OF THE MOHICANS	SOUNDTRACK	Morgan Creek 20015	Hot soundtrack	23 .6
11	14	28	NINE INCH NAILS	BROKEN	TVT/Int/Atl G 92213	Falling this week	22.2
34	28	29	BUSHWICK BILL	THE LITTLE BIG MAN	Rap-A-Lot/Pri 57191	Rap sales	21.8
22	25	30	BROOKS & DUNN	BRAND NEW MAN	Arista 18658	New single out now	21.8
28	30	31	ANNIE LENNOX	DIVA	Arista 8704	Top 15 single leading	20. 9
37	41	32	TLC	0000000ННН	LaF/Arista 26003	Top 10 single leads	20.5
38	39	33	HOUSE OF PAIN	FINE MALT LYRICS	T. Boy 1056	New video out	20.3
	31	34	ALAN JACKSON	A LOT ABOUT LIVIN'	Arista 18711-2	Country	19.8
43	36	35	SHABBA RANKS	XTRA NAKED	Epic 52464	Duet with Johnny Gill	19.8
50	50	36	N2DEEP	BACK TO THE HOTEL	Profile 1427	Big pick up	19.6
17	21	37	10,000 MANIACS	OUR TIME IN EDEN	Elektra 61385	Video in BUZZ BIN	19.5
29	33	38	RED HOT CHILIS	BLOODSUGARSEX	Warner Bros 26681	Falling now	18.8
		39	KEITH RICHARDS	MAIN OFFENDER	Virgin 86499	Hits the ground running	18.8
23	26	40	VINCE GILL	I STILL BELIEVE	MCA 10630	Falling	18.7
35	35	41	GARTH BROOKS	NO FENCES	Liberty 93866	Up and down	17.6
33	42	42	GARTH BROOKS	BEYOND THE SEASON	Liberty 98742	Xmas, charity	17.6
49	49	43	JOHN ANDERSON	SEMINOLE WIND	BNA 61029	Includes #1 smash	17.2
40	38	44	GUNS N' ROSES	USE YOUR ILL, I	Geffen 24415	Up and down	16.9
		45	MAXI PRIEST	fe REAL	Charisma 86500	Good first week	15.6
27	34	46	EXTREME	III SIDES TO EVERY	A&M 540006	Ready for new single	15.4
45	43	47	U2	ACHTUNG BABY	Island/PLG 314-510	45 breaking	15.3
		48	SUNDAYS	BLIND	DGC 24479	Hot on Post Modern radio	14.9
36	40	49	BOB MARLEY	SONGS OF FREEDOM	TG/Isl/PLG 512-280	Cool Box set	14.6
31	37	50	AL B. SURE!	SEXY VERSUS	Warner Bros 26973	Top 5 JAMS cut leads	14.5

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NEXT UP

JON SECADA (SBK/ERG) **MEGADETH** (Capitol) HEIGHTS (Capitol)

HELMET (Inter/Alt G) **IZZY STRADLIN** (Geffen) ROBERT PALMER (EMI/ERG) MUDHONEY (Sub-Pop/Rep) B H 90210 (Giant) MARY C CARPENTER (Columbia)



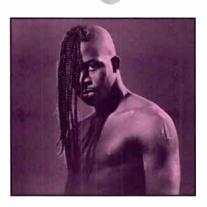
"BLACK SUNSHINE"

ADD! GREAT ADDS! WHHH PWR102 KGOT

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GREAT MOVES!

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MICHAEL REST PENN

"SEEN THE DOCTOR"

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K	GGG	27-21	
K	MGZ	26-23	
W	NVZ	#27	
K	NIN	31-28	
K	RS	33-30	
W	ENZ	36-31	
Y1	L02	35-31	
W	KDD	35-32	
K/	AY107	35-32	
W	PRR	35-32	
K	TMT	40-34	
K	XY	37-34	
W	VBS	40-35	
0	K95	39-35	
K	AKS	38-35	
K	FFM	40-36	
K	QIX	39-36	
W	/JMX	39-36	
W	BBQ	40-36	
W	YAV	39-36	
K	92	39-37	







#I MOST ADDED AT TOP 40! MOST ADDED AC 3 WEEKS IN A ROW!





THE BEST STATIONS IN THE COUNTRY JUST CAME IN ON RESTLESS HEART

KHMX	add	WKDD	add
PWRPIG	add	WRVQ	add
Q105	add	WAPE	add
KXXR	add	B94.7	add
WKBQ	add	KKHT	add
KISN	add	KKSS	add
Q995	add	KTRS	add
WGTX	add	STAR 94	(30-24)





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market with a non-compete for ten more months..... Ralph Wimmer grabs the PD slot at Top 40 formatted WZBQ Tuscaloosa..... We hear KKRZ Portland's Ken Benson and Q106 San Diego's Tracy Johnson have been sharing information and listening sessions. Also, speaking of Benson, he has a night jock opening available Pyramid heavyweight Steve Rivers' involvement at KPLZ is becoming more and more apparent..... WHHH Indy owner Bill Shirk will attempt the 7 ton cement & dirt escape on Halloween. The last person to attempt this stupidity died Yes, ex KIIS LA PD Bill Richards has talked to Jeff Pollack about his open Top 40 consultant slot. No, it's not nearly serious at this time

Former WZOU Boston MD Jerry McKenna joins Columbia for national dance promotion.... KISM Bellingham moves to a more rock leaning Top 40 format under PD Alan Fee.... Current KTXY Jefferson City PD Michael Steele is being courted heavily for the PD gig at KGGG Rapid City..... WCGQ Columbus APD/MD Dave Kelly departs. Send T&R's to PD Les McCard..... The recent expansion of the Howard Stern network is causing much consternation at the record company level regarding guest artist appearances and how competing stations react. All fear Howard's wrath, but also wonder about locals.... At 99KG Salinas, Chris Tanner joins for mornings from WRXR Augusta and Jerry "The

Beaver" Liby goes to nights from KQLA Manhattan.... APD/MD Hank Bastian exits WLAN Lancaster..... Dave Robbins and Bob Moody have been named Group Program Mgrs at Nationwide Comms..... Production Director opening at WAZY Lafavette. T&R's to PD Jim Stacy KLYK Yakima MD Mike Stone moves crosstown to KATS WKQB Jackson lets MD/middays Jim Bruce and morning man Greg Geary go..... Ex-WLAV Grand Rapids PD Denny Schafer is available at 616-954-0044 Reach Kurt Kelly at 313-540-7494..... The most played videos this week at MTV are #1 Def Leppard, #2 Pearl Jam, #3 Bon Jovi, #4 Guns, #5 Boyz II Men, #6 Red Hot Chilis, #7 Madonna, #8

Eric Clapton, #9 En Vogue & #10 R.E.M.... Blowin' In The Wind: Don Parker, Eli Molano, Wade Williams, KSOL, Eric Stryker and Trevor Carey..... And here's Mr. Wyatt, made up and ready to go.



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PUBLIC REJECTS THE POLITICIANS - VOTES FOR HOT MCA ARTISTS

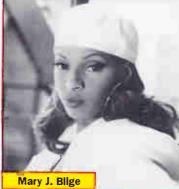
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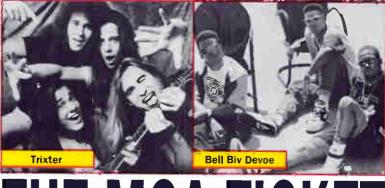
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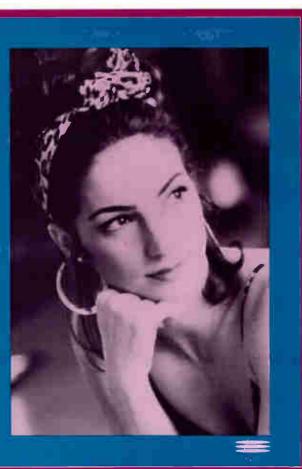


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WEGX	add	CK105	26-20	WKBQ	MIX96
WGTZ	add	PWR96	26-21	PRO-FM	KTFM
		WOMP	29-21	WXKS	Q995
		WCKZ	35-30		

ON ARSENIO HALL 11/101 "GREATEST HITS" ALBUM IN STORES 11/31







The Gerry DeFrancesco era at Gannett is in high gear with restructuring in Los Angeles and Dallas moving quickly. Jeff Wyatt has been officially named PD at KIIS LA and he will be taking himself off his air shift. Now the spotlight moves to Dallas. The way we hear it, KOAI will be flipping format to Top 40, post haste. J.J. McKay has been cutting jingles and talking to potential employees, but a PD choice is still up in the air. Look for the flip to happen quickly (read Sunday, 11/1) with sweepers and no jocks to start out. Names in rumor land are everywhere, but top of the list are John Cook, Bob Perry, Rick "Big Dog" Hayes and Joel Folger As we told you, 99X Atlanta is now on the air with a decided PoMo slant and

by Lenny Beer & Michael St. John

a new playlist expected from PD Rick Stacy next week..... All charges have been dropped against Bill Tanner with speculators speculating as to his future at both Y100 (where he's now consulting) and former home **PWR96**..... **HOT102**



The concept of seeing WGTZ Dayton PD Louis Kaplan (bottom right) and his staff in their underwear makes us sick. We had to share.

Milwaukee moves to a more mainstream Top 40 lean with consultant Jerry Clifton still on board Burkhart Douglas' Don Benson snares STAR94 Atlanta for a consultancy client..... DC101 Washington's Greaseman signs with Infinity and will air his show on WXRK NY, WYSP Philly, WJFK Wash with an origination in LA..... WHOT Youngstown adds 11 new tunes in a move to mainstream Top 40..... WOVV West Palm is close to a moming deal with M.J. Kelli Ex-WTIC Hartford moming jock Gary Craig will be doing his annual Xmas party for abused, handicapped and homeless kids via crosstown WKSS despite the fact that he is off air in the

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"LOVE CAN MOVE MOUNTAINS"

his year, Celine Dion has moved millions • Three consecutive Top-10 hits, "Beauty And The Beast," "If You Asked Me To," and "Nothing Broken But My Heart" • Television appearances on The Tonight Show, Arsenio Hall, Good Morning America, The Academy Awards, and The American Music Awards • Sold-out tour with Michael Bolton.

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