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## INSIDE THE CASTS AGAIN!

### MU and BBC reach agreement after eighteen-months' 'war'

#### DICK HAYMES: BRITISH DATES FIXED

"Is there a doctor in the house?" will soon be the cry if British boy-scouts catch U.S. scout fever when American singer Dick Haymes appears on the variety halls here in August. As things stand, Dick is scheduled to open at the Birmingham Hippodrome on August 6. He then moves to the London Palladium for the fortnight commencing the 12th; finally appears at the Glasgow Empire for the week of the 20th. Negotiations are still pending for a continental tour.

#### Pat Kay to succeed Robin Richmond at '96'

A LONG-ESTABLISHED hand-relay returns to the West End tonight next Monday when Pat Kay and his Orchestra open up at the '96' in the place of Robin Richmond Quartet. Famous Pat Kay will be remembered by most knowledgeable people in the West End right back to the days of the famous "West-End Club" days. He was associated with the Oxford Street "American Ballroom". In between times, he has been associated in and written the music for leading British films, and has also penned several successful songs. Recently Pat has been appearing in variety, cabaret, television, etc. with dynamic personality vocalist Betty Anders. Better will sing with the new '96' band, and will also be featured in the cabaret offering which will be entirely assisted by the musicians themselves. With Pat Kay leading the company, the new outfit will be complemented by Spike Hurrett (tenor), etc. Archie Vizard (sax), and Barry Morgan (drums). The engagement is being negotiated by Frank Morgan.

#### CHANGES IN JACK WHITE BAND

Two personnel changes have taken place in Jack White's popular band at the Astoria Dance Salon, Charing Cross Road. Newcomers to the White band are: Italo (sax), Reg Brewer and trombone. These musicians are respectively replacing Jimmy Phillips and Eddie Rago, who is reported to have just moved to the Oxford Cafeteria, Newcastle. Jack White's Band will appear on May 14 (12.30 p.m. Home) and in the NEWY programme on May 14 (11.30 a.m. Home). On the 14th, Jack will be featuring vocalists Rita Williams, Tony Morris and Com. Stevens.

#### AIR-SERIES FOR AMBROSE

Following the upsurge of rumours which have been heard around the West End since Ambrose and his Orchestra finished at the Nightingale theatre, the Melrose Muzak can now authoritatively reveal both that "Ammie" is keeping the orchestra together, and that, as a prelude to its future programme, the band will be heard in a further series of broadcasts, starting this current month.

Full details of dates and times have not yet come to hand, but the first of the airings is definitely set for May 17. The band will resemble almost the same as before, with the exception that two fresh players will be replacing trombonist Eric Brewer, and saxist Al Baum, who have both joined Maurice Winnick's new band at City's.

#### Keith Prowse robbery

In the early hours of Monday morning last (2nd), it was discovered that the safe within the Coventry Street branch of Keith Prowse and Co. Ltd. had been smashed and three saxophones stolen. The instruments stolen are two alto's, a Buescher gold-lacquered No. 34984, and an Adolphe S. 241, no serial number, and a Pfenninger gold-lacquered tenor, No. 24209. Anyone being offered these instruments should immediately contact the West End Central police at the Savile Row station.

### PARIS JAZZ FESTIVAL RADIO DATES: Last-minute details

READERS proposing to visit the Paris Jazz Festival (May 8-15), who will be disappointed to learn that blues pianist Pete Johnson, who is billed to appear, will not be playing. The Melrose Muzak understands that Johnson's date was delayed, and in the meantime, he accepted other engagements which prevent his making the journey to Paris. Various concerts will be as follows: — Direct from Salle Pleyel or recorded. The details are as follows: — "The Orchestra de Festival de Suresne (18th)" is to be broadcast from 8.15 to 10.15 p.m. on Channel Parisian (413.7 m.). Monday's Jazz Festival will be recorded, and broadcast on May 11, 12.30 p.m. to 12.15 a.m., from the same station. Eileen Weber's concert, on Tuesday, will be aired direct from 9 p.m. on Paris Radio (262.8 m.). Thursday's concert (rehearsal) will be recorded, and played on

May 14 from 1.30 to 3.45 p.m. on Paris Radio. The concert on Friday will also be recorded, and broadcast on May 15, Paris Radio (12.30 p.m. to 1.15 p.m.). Sunday (18th) concert is to be re-broadcast on Channel Parisian and 9.45 p.m. from Poste Parisien. Finally, there is a broadcast of the Melrose Muzak (18th) on May 15, 12.30 to 11 p.m. Monday's live Paris broadcast, there will be one, at any rate, broadcast on the BBC Home Programme, Thursday, Holland, producer of "Radiogram," has commissioned Page Preston to bring some of the Festival's leading personalities to the radio. These will be: — "Radiogram" on May 15 (6.45 p.m.).

After concluding her two weeks' stint at Green's Playhouse Ballroom, Gloucester, last night's day evening (April 30), leader Gloria Gaye temporarily disbanded her All-Gloria Band, and will be resting for the whole of the summer season.

### DEAN'S BOPPERS ON THE WAX



Last Friday (12th) a group of London's bebop men, under vocalist-arranger Alan Dean, got together at the Decca studios determined to put authentic British bop on the wax. One of the men, after hearing some of the playback, is that they succeeded pretty well—but more on this theme after our critics have heard the actual discs. Meanwhile, here is the "NEW" picture, taken during the ten intervals. Standing (l to r) Alan Dean, Pete Chelver (singer); Johnny Darkworth (sax); Bernie Fenton (piano-arranger); Joe Muddell (bass); Laurie Morgan (drums); Reg Arnold (trumpet); and Ronnie Scott (tenor).

### Fenouhbet Band to dep. for Skyrockets at Palladium

AS exclusively predicted in the MELROSE MAKER as long ago as an April 8, conductor Paul Fenouhbet and his New Orchestra have been booked to go into the London Palladium on Monday, June 6, to replace the Skyrockets whilst this famous outfit accompanies Darryl Kay on his scheduled tour of the provinces. The new Fenouhbet outfit, as already announced, is fourteen strong. For the Palladium engagement, however, a six-piece string section will be added. In taking over the Palladium roster, once again, and will be returning to a scene of many former triumphs since, as is already well known, he originally conducted the Skyrockets, and held the helm at this famous theatre for some time. Although turned only a few weeks ago, the Fenouhbet Orchestra, in its Chitliadum date, is nevertheless tak-

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### CAR CRASH KILLS AMERICAN TENOR SAX

A CAR crash has claimed the life of renowned American tenor saxophonist Irving Pnoola. Our New York correspondent, Leonard Feather, cables that Herbie died from injuries following a collision which occurred while he was driving home in his car after a recording session with Frank Sinatra. Like clarinetist Irving Pnoola — whose passing was reported in our issue of April 2 — Herbie Haymer died at an early age, and leaves a wife and son. Herbie first came to prominence as a member of the small Red Norvo orchestra of 1934. He played with Norvo's larger band, many of whose recordings were released on the Brunswick and Vocalion labels. Later, appearing with Jimmy Dorsey, Kay Kyser, and Woody Herman, and other bands in small combinations, he finally settled down in California, where he was in great demand for radio and recording work.

In this capacity, Herbie did countless dates with Dave Barbour, Art Heward, and Paul Weston. He also played occasional localities with the big band of Red Nichols. Haymer's best-known modern work is heard on "Laguna Leap" and "Black Market Band," recorded by his own Quintet on Parlophone. The all-star personnel comprised Herbie on Clarinet, Charlie (sax); Nat "King" Cole (piano); Jimmy (sax); and Buddy (bass). "Laguna Leap" was recorded in the States as being among the top small-band jazz performances of recent years.

The info on the page by Wagner

DIZZY with EDGAR JACKSON'S Swing Disc Reviews no punches pulled

DIZZY GILLESPIE AND HIS ORCHESTRA... "Ray's Idea" (Ray Brown, Dizzy Gillespie) (Am. Musicair 5019) (Parlophone R332-45, 55.)

It is probably mainly in deference to the number, which is a new novelty, the idea behind which is fully revealed in its title. The chorus is sung by a colored girl, Alvin Roberts.

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Gillespie's Personal Points by Stuart Allen... Born in Cheraw, South Carolina, in 1917, his real name is John Birks Gillespie.

These days are made as recently as last February, and to have correct, old-time music about the time he had when you remember the music from the States, but also the music from the States, but also the music from the States.

The Loss technique

It's a constantly good program. The double-bass idea is done a little better than the other music. The double-bass idea is done a little better than the other music.

Technical Tips RULES FOR REEDS

It is some time since I used have had the "reed" in the preparation of the reed. I find my reeds are more give me a few lines on how to "shave" a reed.

Britain's Top Tunes

- 1. I STAY STREET (A) (1) Chappell (1) 12/10. 2. FAR AWAY PLACES (A) (1) Leeds (1) 12/10.

N. U.'s home of bop opened with symphony-by-Shaw

MUSICAL history was made in New York City last night when Pop City, Broadway's newest shrine of jazz, opened its doors to the strains of Artie Shaw and a 40-piece orchestra.

It started just a year ago when the Royal Roof, an underground jazz club, established itself at Times Square, began experimenting with a policy of musical entertainment.

The things that 'make' the brass

It has always been a source of amazement to me that a complex harmony in conjunction with sundry querty shapes, glocks, poked into, or hung over, the end, could produce when blown into, such a vast variety of tones.

Missing clarinet

On evening night, there was a tremendous air of anticipation. The clarinet was missing. The clarinet was missing. The clarinet was missing.

Pop contrast

REACTION ranged from mild to mad. The set was over there was a concert. It was a word about tuning. Do not be content to tune to a concert.

Matching

THE secret of the phenomenal success of the Clarinet in the Miller's civilian band, I think, is the important action work they did only phrased together like a machine.

IF DANCERS WANTED IT... OF COURSE I'D PLAY THE 'HOKEY-COKEY' says bandleader TED HEATH

I'm not implying that the Heath Band is going commercial. But I would certainly play the "Hokey-Cokey" if sufficient people demanded it.

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Clyde Coast summer activities... A PREVIEW of Clyde Coast summer activities indicates that the season will be as brisk as in previous years...

ROBERT KEYS ON MIDLAND AIR... Following the "Robert Keys" broadcasts on April 26 and 27, it is announced that the programme will be featured as solo pianist...

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DAMERON TO SCORE FOR BRITISH BANDS... TADD DAMERON is coming to Britain to arrange for some of his ultra-progressive orchestras... The renowned American Negro arranger and pianist, co-leader with trumpeter Miles Davis of one of the outstanding successes of this week's Paris Jazz Festival...

LEWIS OPENS... THE somewhat doubtful distinction of opening the programme fell to Vic Lewis and his Orchestra, who started with a fast opening number that went down very well... Mr. Val Parrell told the Melody Maker on Wednesday: "I have been asked by the members of my own Skyrockets Orchestra and by many other leading musicians to bring Benny Goodman over, and I know that a deal from him will be regarded by English musicians as an epoch-making event."

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# But the customer is always right!

As a humble leader of a resident house band, I should like to pick up one of the threads of Ted Heath's article in last week's "MM," where he suggests that the vast majority of amateur musicians sometimes causes the resident bandleader to change his musical policy.

Ted writes that the supporting commission on these occasions should make a feature of tempo, waltzes and other routine dance numbers. In other words, for the regular dancing public and create a better contact for the visiting band.

It is the same with most name-bands. Most management and resident bandleaders treat these special occasions as if they were like a Saturday night. From a capacity point of view, it is not the same with most name-bands. Most management and resident bandleaders treat these special occasions as if they were like a Saturday night. From a capacity point of view, it is not the same with most name-bands.

### by LESLIE DOUGLAS

When a one-night stand is finished, you name bands climb into your coach and speed on into the night to fresh pastures. The dance-hall where you recently enjoyed both the pleasures of your fans and a share of the profits from the management—this dance-hall stands, a quiet reminder that tomorrow business will be as usual. Stands, I said. It doesn't dissolve into that when you leave.

## White bop... and a thrilling girl singer

CLAUD THORNHILL and his ORCHESTRA

It would appear that someone should be asked to attempt to clarify the situation in order that star bandleaders should correct the impression that house bands are not set out to steal their thunder. I think all agree that name-bands worthy of the title have their own following, and there is not common sense to take the fact from my old eyes, to me, they are a keen and sometimes discerning element of the public that they can get a good night's entertainment at his particular venue on any night of the week that the management book a star attraction?

## RADIO COMMENTARY by Maurice Burman

KEN MACKINTOSH and HIS ORCHESTRA

PERHAPS it is because I had heard such good reports about the band that I had left me feeling dissatisfied. Don't get me wrong. It is a good round the stand as your visiting band.

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It must be because this orchestra of forty-two players, comprising brass, sax, bass and drums set for the first time at 8.30 on the same day. The band played only three numbers.

## CROW'S 'B' BAND PARTNERS' FOR GREEN'S, GARGSWOOD

A STRONG 16-piece orchestra has been formed by noted conductor and conductor Phil Cardew for the new musical show "Sauce Tartare" which will be presented at the Lyric Theatre on May 18.

GREEN'S 'B' BAND PARTNERS' FOR GREEN'S, GARGSWOOD

WHEN the "Waterlogged" production is over, comes off the air on June 20. Green's and his Blue Band have secured prominently in the show for so long, will be making a short visit to Scotland, to appear for two weeks at the Green's Playhouse Ballroom.

### Bobby Sanders moves to Southern

MUSIC publishing notability Bobby Sanders has left the Peter Music Co. after ten years with the firm, and opens up next Monday (16th) with

### Dennis Hale disbands

BRINGING his banding Dennis Hale has disbanded his sixteen-piece orchestra and is now free-lancing in his own way.

### Dick James cuts 10 sides for U.S.

THE waiting of ten titles which will go out under the Decca label in this country, and under London in the U.S.A., is keeping free-lance star Dick James busy to a little busy at the moment.

### Burns and Skidmore at Music Makers'

THIS Sunday (15th), the Music Makers' Club, which meets each week on a Monday evening at 8.30 at The Burnes and Skidmore at the Music Makers' Club, which meets each week on a Monday evening at 8.30 at The Burnes and Skidmore at the Music Makers' Club.

### The Gold band played the finale...

WHILE playing a concert at Leicester, with Harry Gold and his orchestra, the Gold Band played the finale...

### Diana Coupland joins Weir

VERSATILE singer Diana Coupland, who has formerly featured with Teddy Foster, has now joined Frank Weir's Orchestra.

### Death of noted London violinist

THE MELODY MAKER announces with deep regret the untimely death of well-known London violinist Henry Bowler, who was also husband of famous lady bandleader Blanche Coleman.

### Randall Band goes over the Border

MAKING their first tour of Scotland, trumpet-leader Freddy Randall and his complete nine-piece band, with vocalist Maxine Russell, open at the West End Restaurant, Edinburgh, for three days, on May 22, visit Burrell Hotel, Inverness, on May 27 and 28.

## SWEDISH STARS IN PARIS

THE Swedish All-Stars Band with singer Alice Dahl... stopped the show with their phenomenal hit record "Let's Retain the Season."

## BROTHER & SISTER KANE TEAM AGAIN WITH MANTOVANI

1945 Alan has been featured on the air with 28 different orchestras. Following the summer season, Gloria Kane has already been booked to play principal role in Eleana Morris' production at the Theatre Royal, Norwich.

## 'MM' staffman wins Odhams Golf Cup

SPORTS-MINDED members of the music profession will receive congratulations to Major Melvyn Chapman, Lauri Henshaw, for winning second prize in an eighteen-hole stroke competition held by Odhams Press Golfing Society at the Stannore Course on Monday last (12th).

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# REINDIAN CHIEF WITH 'SENDS' CROWD

(Continued from page 1)

Four Vic and his musicians looked bewildered and embarrassed by this whimsical, almost repellent—now it was a great triumph for an old man playing a young man's music.

### Boos to cheers

THE boopers in the audience changed their boos to cheers as the next band came on a small all-American group led by Miles Davis (1st), with Todd Zimmerman (1st), James Moody (1st), Sam Spenser (lead), and Kenny Clarke (dr.). This was chamber-music top of an advanced modern order, distinguished by the melodic virtuosity, tone and expression of Davis, the very technical proficiency of Zimmerman and the vigorous big-drumming of Clarke. Its major idiosyncrasy in being understood in its apparent lack of form, and its trumpet playing, to say the least, included freedom in the middle of a phrase, and a musical release in asking.

But he had never anything to understand, but develop considerable better our musicians on the type of music, or our audience level of it. It is fascinating rather than embarrassing to see that kind of understanding from one hand to another—very possibly the result of Charlie Parker and his admirers.

### 'Hot Lips' rocks 'em

THE Dave Chertok group at the very big band, but nothing in the ovation that greeted the trio of a very original type that succeeded it—Oran, 'Hot Lips' Page on trumpet leading the Big Chief Russell Moore (1st), Don Byas (1st), Roy Johnson (1st), with a first-class French rhythm section including Bernard Pfeiffer (pno.), Chick Webb (dr.), and Roger Farnsworth (b.). This was musical fun! 'Hot Lips' Page placed some emphasis on the use of a saxophone which he went to town with great effect on the trumpet, the French saxophone, the outstanding drum drumming of a first-class rhythm section of the French accompanying band.

He played 'Tess Maner', 'Muskrat Hamble', and an article and moving solo of 'Summertime' and should have finished with 'Sweet Georgia Brown' except that the audience yelled, screamed and roared with such enthusiasm that

"JAZZ is where you find it,"

and we found it half an hour after leaving Victoria on Friday (16th) for Paris.

The first thing serving us with coffee in the train, with information that unexpected information that the St. Nicholas Hotel, which he had proposed to him, but the surprising recognition of the waiter serving the information turned out to be that the waiter is a jazz fan. All of a sudden, the student quarter at Jillyott Club. With this John Hall's Jollyfolk Club, which he had proposed to him, but the surprising recognition of the waiter serving the information turned out to be that the waiter is a jazz fan.

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# With the 'MM' at the Paris Jazz Festival

The Vic Lewis Orchestra stepped in action as they opened the Paris Jazz Festival on Sunday. The curtain went up again for an encore—High Society. It is interesting to hear master and pupil on the same platform, and Pierre Brassavsky has obviously been playing on the same level as Becthe's, and is an apt director. Becthe is co-starred with Charlie Parker as the 'big-name' attraction of the Festival, and the latter deserved the distinction. He was a great triumph for an old man playing a young man's music.

THE adroit band was very well liked, and they gave the crowd a good head for the brand of very polite New Orleans. The chief attraction was, of course, Charlie Parker himself, who played on piano the outstanding soloist, and Charlie Parker who played on trumpet and then on saxophone. He played very well and personally about the crowd, and he played very well and personally about the crowd.

**Swedish Shearing**

STARS from Sweden came, starting a blind piano solo, and they played very well and personally about the crowd. The chief attraction was, of course, Charlie Parker himself, who played on piano the outstanding soloist, and Charlie Parker who played on trumpet and then on saxophone. He played very well and personally about the crowd.

**Pop at its best**

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**Parker smiles!**

JACK DANIEL and his Quintet: A French group, played conventional jazz, and they played very well and personally about the crowd. The chief attraction was, of course, Charlie Parker himself, who played on piano the outstanding soloist, and Charlie Parker who played on trumpet and then on saxophone. He played very well and personally about the crowd.

# The Second Day Lewis fights back

PARIS, MONDAY, MAY 9.—After Charlie Parker's first day at the Paris Jazz Festival, which was a triumph for him, he played very well and personally about the crowd. The chief attraction was, of course, Charlie Parker himself, who played on piano the outstanding soloist, and Charlie Parker who played on trumpet and then on saxophone. He played very well and personally about the crowd.

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**On the air**

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# LEAD BELLY STAGES FOLK-SONG COUNTER-ATTRACTION

Reviewed by Max Jones and Sinclair Trail

THE first attraction of the Hot Club of Paris Jazz Festival last Sunday was a re-run of an old attraction, given by the American Negro singer and guitarist, Lead Belly. He was accompanied by trumpeter Bill Dillard and presented by Hugues Panassier's Hot Club of France.

**BOP FUGITIVES**

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**Ill-mannered**

ONLY a few minutes later I wished most heartily that I had not been invited to the Paris Jazz Festival. They let me down good and proper by giving Charlie Parker and his Chicagoan the most ill-mannered reception that I have ever heard of in my experience.

# ...with the Editor

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**The Third Day**

MEMORABLE MUSIC

TUESDAY night was devoted to Sidney Bechet and New Orleans music, and it is safe to say that when the Festival is publicized, it will be regarded as one of the most exciting and satisfying occasions that have taken place since the Festival.

**Thirty phone calls, twenty-mile hunt, to air 'Radiogram'**

A disappointing to comprise a St. Denis Festival as to the evening edition of 'Radiogram' was the absence of Sidney Bechet.

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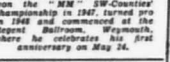
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PROVINCIAL PARS

To complete his head for the P. Palace Ballroom, Douglas, 10M, he has been awarded the Eire Government dancing tax championship in 1946, was to be re-imposed as from July 1 next.

More Radio Dates for Northern Bands

THE new North Regional dance season at the Promenade, Time, continues into June, with the announcement of the allocation of four further dates.

Bernard Taylor Busy at Sheffield

COPIING with most of the work at the luxurious City Hall Ballroom, Sheffield, at the moment, Taylor and his Band, who play three nights weekly for the regular dances and are the regular choice for the regular dances which are held there.

Ken Mackintosh Makes Further Changes

THE recent departure of Bobby Frazer (td), to Ted Heath, pianist Alan Roper to Cyril Norrish (td), to Tom Wall, to Paul Adams, and vocalist Irene Brown to Milton Hall, Nottingham, brought about several changes in the Astoria Ballroom, Oldham, on Saturday, May 28.

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SYDNEY LIPTON MATCHES TO SWING FIELDS, FENOULHET & FRIENDS

Drastic change of band-policy at Grosvenor House: Hermanos Deniz group also booked

LESIE HUTCHINSON FIXED FOR BIG SWEDISH TOUR... SCANDINAVIAN swing fans will enjoy a new musical experience when celebrated trumpeter Lesie Hutchinson...

Air-dates & air-travel dates for Ambrose... NEXT month Ambrose and his complete orchestra are to appear in France...

SON FOR SHORT... The Mazono Mazas extorts heart-breaking consultations to bassist Charlie Short on the birth of a son...

ROBERTO INGLEZ FOR PORTUGAL... FOLLOWING a personal visit to Lisbon last year, popular Savoy Hotel bandleader Roberto Inglez returns to Portugal...

CLAES COMPETES... Winner of the Grand Prix, at an age of 71 1/2 m.p.h., was Baron G. de Claes...

AL TAYLOR BACK TO MURRAY'S... West End bandleader Al Taylor will be touring familiar provinces when he returns to Murray's Club on May 30...

THE OES GOODMAN... NEWS THAT WILL SOUND A DEATH-KNELL TO THE HOPES OF THOUSANDS OF BRITISH MUSICIANS AND PANS RE...

MANANA... EVERYBODY IS REQUESTING—JAN AUGUST'S TRANSCRIPTION OF MISIRLOU

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"PUT 'EM IN A BOX" FROM THE SAME FILM: THE SMASH HIT FROM WARNER BROS. FILM "IT'S MAGIC" IT'S YOU OR NO ONE and I'M IN LOVE

A New BEGUINE! The BELL IN A TULIP SO. 3/- FO. 3/6 A New SAMBA!! The BULLFROG Oct. 3/6 A New BEBOP!!! SHAWNUFF (Recorded by "Jazz" on Polyphonic #3077)

Maurice Burman THIS proves that more should be done for radio dance music

WHAT, you might wonder, is simpler than to give the best bands the most broadcasts and the worst the least? Unfortunately, at present the way of the world is such that, in a great many cases, the worst bands are the most popular. Please bear this in mind.

This analysis is not completely accurate inasmuch as certain types of broadcasts have had to be omitted because they were not really dance music, and it is very difficult to draw the line between dance music and non-dance music.

Without doubt, Bill Badley's chart is helpful in that it does give a fairly general idea. The point must arise as to how these broadcasts are allocated. One thing is certain: not a hint of favoritism hangs over the dance band.

ON the strength of this analysis, and bearing in mind its limitations, modern music are not, in my opinion, encouraged sufficiently. If in the B.M.C.'s system of assessing the airability of bands some method could be found of giving priority for popularity and resident job commitments, and suitability of different types of combinations at certain times.

THE SWEETEST MUSIC

MAURICE WINICK AND HIS ORCHESTRA RADIO COMMENTARY With Jim Allen and Eric Wan

ONE of our very best singers. He has a very warm, deep quality but with regard to this chart being the sweetest of the sweet, it is a most interesting story for people who like to track down the other way. Yes, it is tracking on down the other way—y-y-y.

THE memory of this band is one that is not likely to be forgotten. It is a band that is not only a pleasure to listen to but also a pleasure to watch. The very best of the best.

THE balance of the rhythm section is well coordinated and the style and personality, but not too much of a sales pitch. The band is a most interesting story for people who like to track down the other way.

April 25, 1948, to April 23, 1949 SEE HOW THEY AIRED An analysis of air-times allotted to dance bands during one year on the BBC's Light and London Home services

Table with columns: Place, Band, Mins. Secs. by BILL BADLEY. Lists various bands and their airtime statistics.

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SWEET AND LOWDOWN Sammy Quaver's Tin Pan Alley Gossip

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THE STORY BEHIND THE SIGNATURE TUNES 'FANFARE WITHOUT TRUMPETS' Introducing CHAPPIE D'AMATO

A BIRD about his signature tune, Chappie d'Amato's 'Fandango' is a melody that is not only a pleasure to listen to but also a pleasure to watch.

HOW AM I TO KNOW? It is not in strict tempo. It comes under the heading of what is known as Progressive Jazz.

EDGAR JACKSON'S Swing Disc Reviews. Geary, Alley Cole and Orchestra, and in sundry sides with Red Norvo.

LAURIE HENSHAW'S May Supplement of Sweet Discs. RAY HOBBS and his Orchestra: 'I Wish I Had the Moon' (G.F. 3242).

IF YOU STUB YOUR TOE ON THE MOON. LOVE YOU SO MUCH WHILE THE ANGELUS WAS RINGING.

BRITAIN'S TOP TONES. THE following list of Top Tones records from May 1948 to May 1949 has been compiled from the records of members of the Wireless Music Division, London and the Phonogram.

From ppp to fff (not forgetting sp and sfz!) by Alan Bristow

THE saxophone seems to be the most difficult of all instruments to play in tune. Many a time I have heard a player blow a perfectly pitched A and then proceed to blow out of tune.

THIS is an enthralling Kenton if you can take it! HARRY GOLD and HIS PICES OF EIGHT.

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The lessons of the Paris Jazz Festival

THE great Paris International Jazz Festival...

by The Editor

The last night of the Festival... was scheduled to start at 9.30...

Such a delay would never happen in England... When a band went out...

Can you imagine, for instance... The taking of curtain-calls...

What happened with momentum... The fact that one was going to see a band plus a procession...

And although this was quite clearly... as an International Jazz Festival...

WEDNESDAY, MAY 19, 1949... THE first lesson of the Paris Jazz Festival...

THE second lesson of the Paris Jazz Festival... was that the French...

THE third lesson of the Paris Jazz Festival... was that the French...

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THE seventh lesson of the Paris Jazz Festival... was that the French...

THE eighth lesson of the Paris Jazz Festival... was that the French...

THE ninth lesson of the Paris Jazz Festival... was that the French...

PARIS HOURS JAZZ STARS

At the first lesson of the Paris Jazz Festival... the French...

And the phrase "mistakes of the French" brings me to the second...

THE reasons for this... are not far to seek. They are purely and simply that the French...

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SWINFEN SAXIST RESCUES DROWNING BOY IN THAMES

FRIDAY the 13th was an unlucky day for Les Baldwin, tenor-saxist with Johnny Swinfen...

TITO BURNS AND SEXTET WAX FOR DECCA

POP-STYLE Tito Burns... has a long association with Decca...

HENRY HALL: Impresario, not bandleader, for summer

FOR the time being, at any rate, Henry Hall does not appear to be contemplating any more bandleading activities...

SKYROCKETS and GOODMAN: A letter

IT has been pointed out to me that the comment on the Benny Goodman visit might be misconstrued...

Aussie accordionist's air-break with Ambrose

RECENTLY arrived in this country, Australian-born swing accordionist Enzo Toppino...

Trumpet Jimmy Edwards changes his name

EVER since comedian Jimmy Edwards achieved fame on the radio...

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realized the tremendous 10-year-old anniversary of the firm...

Revell Terry change

A change in the personnel of the popular Revell Terry Quartet has just taken place...

Letters

THIS ISN'T SPORTING! I WISH to protest most strongly...

JUST how long are we going to be invited by the BBC to give a stop-gap programme...

LAST year's jubilee celebration of the B.C. Overseas Jazz Dept...

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WHY have a number of our top-line moderators lent Maurice Lewis...

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Advertisement for VICTORIA, featuring 'A PORTRAIT OF JEANNE' and 'FLOROW'.

Advertisement for SUPREME QUALITY DRUGS, featuring records like '5 or 4 String Bands' and 'RECOGNISED IN THE U.S.A.'.

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...The first person I contacted was... naturally, Henry Becket, who... I had now returned in the... of the band was... I also had a long chat with...

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Edited by Max Jones and Sinclair Trail



This photo, taken last week in Lead Bell's dressing-room at the City Entertainment Theatre, shows the collector and his friend, Denis Parnell, who is seen in the background.

It is a great pleasure and a great honor to be able to share with you the results of my collecting. I have been fortunate to have found many interesting items, and I hope you will find them as interesting as I do.

**SECRET OF COLUMBIA**  
Have you ever seen the film 'The Secret of Santa Vittoria'?

**COAL CART LITTLE**  
I just read a little about the 'Coal Cart Little' in the 'Melody Maker'.

**ROBERT'S BIRTHDAY**  
I just read in the 'Melody Maker' that Robert is having a birthday.

**PAGE REDD**  
I also had a long chat with Page Redd the other day.

**'M.M.' Contest News**  
The 'M.M.' Contest is now in progress.

**CONTEST FIXTURES**  
The following are the fixtures for the contest.

**PRO-ELECTRIC and PORTALECTRIC**  
These are the latest additions to the collection.

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These are some of the books you should read.

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This is a book about the voice and how to use it.

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Johnny Smith not for Rothesay: George Rowe to lead eleven-piecer

THREE weeks ago it was announced that Johnny Smith and his Orchestra had been booked by Gerald to play for the summer season at the Pavilion, Rothesay.

PEGGY'S BRIGHTON SEASON

CHARMING vocalist Peggy Position, whose husband, Bert Green, is playing the Pier at Brighton, has secured a regular engagement for the coming summer and will personally conduct the eleven-piece orchestra, which she led at Brighton.

EDNA POUND A dance-band vocalist since 1942, since which time she has broadcast on several occasions in the West London Programme, Edna Pound spent last summer with Ralph Grieg and his orchestra at the Pavilion, Rothesay.

RAY MARTIN TO LEAD NORTHERN VARIETY ORCH.

IN the autumn of last year, the North of England Region was given its first permanent BBC Variety Orchestra, and Blackpool's North Pier maestro, Tony Martin, was appointed to form and conduct the orchestra, which has been heard throughout the winter months in the "Pantomime" and other North Regional shows.

PROVINCIAL PARS ON next are scheduled to play a concert at the Royal Albert Hall, where Oscar Brown will be the guest soloist. On the same day, the new South-Western Orchestra will play at the Plaza Cinema, Cardiff.

MIDLANDS dealer foils instrument thieves

ON Friday, May 6, at Wednesday (Staffs) 11:30 a.m., five men were committed for trial to Staffs Quarter Sessions charged with stealing a complete set of dance-band instruments from the property of Jack Bradney and owned by the Westbury County Property Hall.

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WALLY ROGERS LEADS AT ROTTINGDEAN

A CHARMING band is appearing at the Tudor Cottage Hotel, Rottingdean, where the new BBC variety orchestra, which was provided by a quartet led by Wally Rogers, is playing.

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JOE SAYE TRIO'S MIDLANDS WEEK

MIDLANDS fans of the modernistic Joe Saye Trio will be afforded an opportunity of hearing the trio in person when they play a week of one-night stands at the Birmingham area, commencing May 27.

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Johnny Smith not for Rothesay: George Rowe to lead eleven-piecer

THREE weeks ago it was announced that Smiley Johnny Smith and his Orchestra had been booked by Geraldine to play for the summer season at the Pavilion, Bournemouth.

RAY MARTIN TO LEAD NORTHERN VARIETY ORCH.

IN the autumn of last year, the North of England House was given its first permanent BBC Variety Orchestra, and Blackpool North Pier maestro, Toni, was appointed to form and conduct the orchestra, which has been heard throughout the winter months in "Panfare," "Northern Lights" and other North Regional shows.

PEGGY'S BRIGHTON SEASON

CHARMING pianist-voicist, Peggy Brighton, whose husband, Bert Green, spent last summer on the Far East, has secured a return engagement for the coming autumn and will be personally leading a six-piece outfit, opening on June 5.

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Midlands dealer foils instrument thieves

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Big Boss (left) visited his 'home' shop for last Wednesday's 'Jazz Club' broadcast and here he is seen with BBC producer Johnny Stewart (next to him in shirt-sleeves) and the stars of the show, including (l to r) Ronnie Scott, Kenny Baker, Ray Ellington, Big Dave, John Handberg, Jack Parnell, Sharon, Jack Fallon, Pete Christie, and Bobbie Baker (last).

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Grappelly Picks his Milroy Eight

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PROVINCIAL PARS

May 21: The Stars and his sextet are scheduled to play a concert at the Theatre Royal, Plymouth, where Oscar Rubin with his quartet will appear on Sunday (21st). On the same day, the new Plymouth Orchestra will give a concert at the Plaza Cinema, Cheshire.

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Bulle Hill band change

AFTER three years in residence at Bulle Hill Park Café, Sandi, Harry Roy and his band have vacated this spot and on Wednesday last (16th) were replaced by a band installed by Ray Summers, leader at the Plaza Ballroom, Stratford, Manchester.

Joe Saye Trio's Midlands week

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Torquay Evans signs Percy Carter

SINCE the unfortunate road accident which resulted in Jimmy Evans suffering a compound fracture of his leg, violinist Percy Carter, who is deputising as leader of Harry Evans' septet in the Grand Hotel, Torquay, when Jimmy continues to progress quite well, he has not yet returned to duty, and the vacancy is to be filled by Percy Carter.

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Les Arthur, well-known West Indian drummer, has been in hospital since he was taken to the hospital...

Joe Loss Brass Change

A change in the brass section of the Joe Loss band has been brought about by the departure of trombonist George Wilder...

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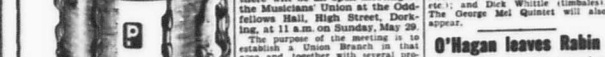
Something new in rhythm clubs starts this Saturday (May 28) when the Latin-American Rhythm Club is inaugurated at Mac's Club...

O'Hagan leaves Rabin

Sean Rabin's vocal team has been depleted by the resignation of Irish singer Jack O'Hagan...

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New Faces for 'Jazz Club'

To-morrow (28th), the BBC "Jazz Club" presents, as "the music of a set group" half an hour of Humphrey Lyttelton and his band...

Stapleton

Following their Brighton season, the Stapleton Orchestra are booked for an immediate return to Green's Piano-Bar, Brighton...

Club 11 for Chingford

Today (Friday, May 27) the "Club Eleven" band will be playing at the Royal Palace Hotel, Chingford...

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RECORD RELEASE POINTERS. We have already noted in the first number of letters regarding the record releases. We have had a great many letters from collectors who are anxious to know more about the Hot Five and Hot Seven records. We have given this subject special attention in this issue.

BUCKS, TRENT VALLEY AND LINDS Last week's contest results

THE 5th annual Trent Valley Chorus, presented by The Bucks, Trent Valley and Linds, was held at the Bucks, Trent Valley and Linds, on Friday last.

Individual awards for Alto and Bass. First Prize: Miss M. J. ... Second Prize: Miss M. J. ... Third Prize: Miss M. J. ...

CONTEST FIXTURES

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AND NAME OF YOUR LOCAL MUSICIAN... THE SAXOPHONE SHOP (JAHN PAUZEY) offers a wide selection of saxophones and accessories...

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JAZZ SWING... RECORDS WANTED... Musicians and collectors seeking specific records.

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AGENTS... ENGAGEMENTS WANTED... A collection of music-related advertisements and notices.

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