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BBC 1 PLAYLIST REINSTATED?

BEERLING SEEKS TO WIDEN MUSICAL COVERAGE

by Peter Jones & Nick Robertshaw

Johnny Beerling, who became controller of BBC Radio I, the popmusic network, last year is thinking about restoring the weekly record playlist which was dropped by the station in the early 1980's.

His view is that Radio 1 plays too many oldies and that there is room for a greater sense of 'musical adventure' in its day-time programming. The playlist was, in its day, criticised for being too restrictive and in fact curbing efforts of producers to introduce new talent, new releases and emergent styles

of music.

In a recent interview for 'Broadcast' magazine in London Beerling said: "I think we do play too many oldies, but our audience (and the network has a 33% share of the national audience) is older. So here we are in the 1980s playing records from the 1960s and being criticised bitterly if we don't".

Seeking to widen musical coverage, Beerling is considering organizing a black music festival this year. There is also likely to be

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Europe welcomes Mr. Mister- The American band Mr. Mister is currently in the middle of a top promotour including appearances in TV programmes like Champs-Elysees in France, Countdown TV in Holland, Formel Eins in Germany, San Remo in Italy and the Wogan show in the UK. Two further club dates in the UK will be announced. With their new single Kyrie just out, Broken Wings is currently best played single in Europe (nr. 1 in the European Airplay Top 50). The band is seen pausing with Jo Kiener, RCA/Ariola Int. VP Marketing and A&R, after a successful concert in Miami as support act to Tina Turner.

UK'S TUBE TWICE A WEEK

CHANNEL 4 BOWS TO POPULAR DEMAND

TV's top live rock show The Tube is to become a twice-weekly event by popular demand. Channel Four bosses have finally given the grahead for repeats of the awardwinning pop programme, presented by Paula Yates and Jools Holland.

The usual 90-minute package of live music, interviews, special film reports and exclusive videos from Tyne Tees Television is currently transmitted on Channel Four on Fridays at 5.30 p.m. Now it will be given a full re-run the following Tuesday, beginning on 18th February at 10.30 p.m.

The repeat season starts in style with the chance to see a 30-minute film special on Simple Minds in Rotterdam, including an interview with band leader Jim Kerr by presenter Muriel Gray.

Tyne Tees Television chiefs are delighted at the late night Tuesday repeat slot. Tube Executive Producer Malcolm Gerrie said: "It's something we have been keen to secure since the show began on November 5th 1982. From the thousands of letters we have received we realise that one of the problems of viewers has been getting back home in time to watch it. We have had countless requests to see again various performances and interviews. Now they will be able to see a full repeat of the early evening programme in a late-night slot." It is the best present Channel Four could have given The Tube for 1986 and I find it refreshing at a time when the BBC is cutting back its pop and rock output that Channel Four is prepared to extend its own."

50 MILLIONTH CD

NARM BOARD VISITS POLYGRAM PLANT

by Mike Hennessey

Hannover - Polygram's Hannover plant produced its 50 millionth Compact Disc January 18th - just three days before the group hosted a visit to the factory by the board of America's National Association of Record Merchandiser.

Before touring the plant, the delegation was given an audiovisual presentation on the history of the CD system and learned that the factory produced 28.7 million CDs last year. By the end of this year, total production since opera-

tions started in August 1982 will have passed the 100 million mark and output will be in the region of one million units a week.

Speaking at a gala dinner at the Hotel Fuerstenhof in nearby Celle, Polygram president Jan Timmer told the NARM party that the Compact Disc was the sound and video carrier that would guarantee the future prosperity of the music industry.

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ROCKY IV THE ULTIMATE KNOCK-OUT SOUNDTRACK

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european AIRPLAY top 50

The EUROPEAN AIRPLAY TOP 50 is complied through all our correspondents tips received this week (a) Records of the week receive extra points. The airplay lists of the airplay report organisations within some of the European countries are also used in the calculations, as well as playlists of the major radiostations (a)Please note that not all received tips appear in EUROTIPSHEET but they are all used for the calculation of the AIRPLAY TOP 50.

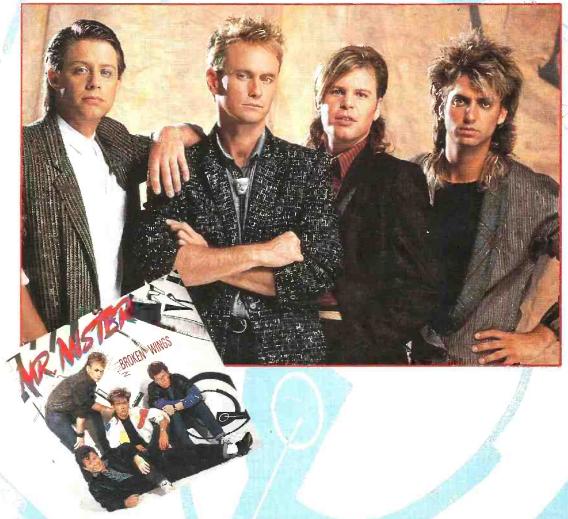
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24	39	2	Ohne Dich Schlaf Ich Heut Nacht Muenchener Freiheit - CBS (Mambo/CBS Songs)	49	+		Cut Me Down Lloyd Cole & The Commotions - Polydor (CBS Songs)
25	27	6	Pictures In The Dark Mike Oldfield - Virgin (Virgin Music)	50	38	9	When Your Heart Is Weak Cock Robin - CBS (Chappell)
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HOT RADIO ADDS

The new hot radio adds on Euro-radio just prior to publication

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TEDDY PENDERGRASS & WHITNEY HOUSTON- HOLD ME (Asylum)
CLANNAD- IN A LIFETIME (RCA) GRACE JONES- PULL UP TO THE BUMPER (Island)

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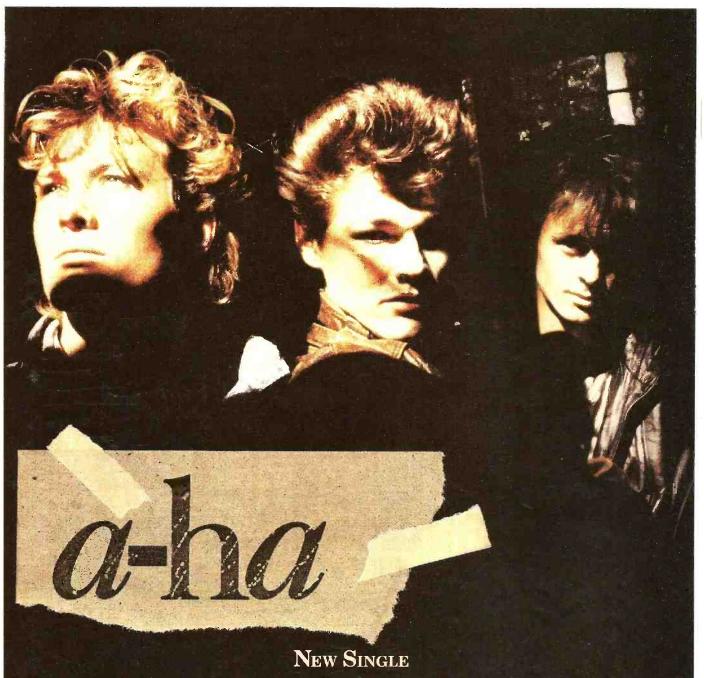


NEW ENTRIES



...Working Southward to the "boot", one of the smartest young popstars in Italy is Sandy Marton, whose second single was "Camel by Camel". First single "People from Ibiza" was a turntable hit with a number of DJ's here in the States besides being Top 5 back home. The new one is bright and catchy though a bit more up tempo. Out now...





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The most aired music video clips throughout Europe in the week prior to publication. It includes more than 50 video-tv programs and other t.v. shows partly using videos from 14 European countries.

VIDEO FAVOURITES

Elton John- Wrap Her Up A-Ha- The Sun Always Shines On TV Sting- Russians

VIDEO HITS

Mr. Mister- Broken Wings
Pet Shop Boys- West End Girls
Eurythmics- It's Airight (Baby's Coming Back)
Grace Jones- Pull Up To The Bumper
Dire Straits- Walk Of Life
Elton John- Nikita
Feargal Sharkey- A Good Heart
Level 42- Leaving Me Now
Bronski Beat- Hit That Perfect Beat
Simply Red- Holding Back The Years
Whitney Houston- Saving All My Love

WELL AIRED

Feargal Sharkey- A Good Heart
Lionel Richie- Say You, Say Me
Nik Kershaw- When A Heart Beats
Starship- We Built This City
Talk Talk- Life's What You Make It
The Alarm- Spirit Of '76
Full Force- Alice, I Want You Just For Me
David Grant & Jaki Graham- Mated
Dee C. Lee- See The Day
Drum Theatre- Eldorado
Billy Ocean- When The Going Gets Tough

MEDIUM ROTATION

Sophia George- Girlie Girlie
Simple Minds- Sanctify Yourself
James Brown- Living In America
Marillion- Heart Of Lothian
Artists United Against Apartheid- Sun City
INXS- What You Need
UB40- Don't Break My Heart
Madonna- Dress You Up
Nona Hendryx- I Need Love
Feargal Sharkey- You Little Thief
Go West- Don't Look Down
Talking Heads- Road To Nowhere

FIRST SHOWINGS

Den Harrow- Bad Boy
Mike & The Mechanics- Silent Running

NEW SATELLITE PARTNERS

Some hot news straight from Midem where 2 European satellites have announced new partners. Sky Channel is going to co-operate with Much Music in Canada and with Video Music, the Italian 24hr. music video channel. They intend to exchange and produce joint programmes.

Now that Thorn EMI has resigned its partnership with Music Box, the European satellite is in the middle of negociating a new deal and it seems certain that MTV will be their new partner.

Pat Benatar has an exciting video out for her new single Sex As A Weapon. A rather psychedelic and weird scenery with lots of action and many different shots moving at the same time. Strong visuals and beautiful graphics * RCA act Here's Johnny have a funny and entertaining video to their single Idle Wind, a must for your programme. It captures the great big band era and the part of the conductor is most amusing * Queen is currently writing material for the soundtrack of the new Sean Connery movie Highlander and the film is reporting to include the band's version of New York, New York *

Picture Music released a 60 minutes music video of Saxon's tour in Spain in preparation for their forthcoming UK and European tour, in June '86. The music video is entitled Life Innocence and was directed by Noel Oliver * On February 24th Picture Music will also release a video on John Lennon's only major US. concert between the Beatles' 1966 tour and his death in 1980. John Lennon Live In New York City' is a 60 minute programme filmed on the 30th of August 1972 at Madison Square Garden in N.Y. when Lennon together with Ono performed for the benefit of the One To One Organisation to aid mentally handicapped children. Classic compositions such as Imagine, Cold Turkey and Give Peace A Chance are featured *

Embassy will release a 1 hr. music video of: Kid Creole & The Coconuts 'Live: The Leisure Tour', a recording of the group's show at Le Zenith in Paris. The music video was directed by Peter Orton and produced by Philip Goodhand-Tait.



MUSIC BOX PLAYLIST

List of video's played on the Music Box Satelite Channel.

Sure Shot: Whitney Houston- How Will I Know? One To Watch: Christopher Cross- That Girl.

Heavy Action: King-Torture; Sade-Is It A Crime; A-Ha; INXS-What You Need; Level 42- Leaving Me Now; Wire Train- Last Perfect Thing; ABC-Ocean Blue; Fine Young Cannibals- Suspicious Minds; Sandra, Diana Ross-Chain Reaction; Talking Heads- And She Was; Eurythmics- It's Alright; Blue Murder- Talk, Talk, Talk; James Brown- Living In America; Pete Townshend; Mr. Mister- Broken Wings; Pet Shop Boys; Madonna-Bordeline; The Alarm- Spirit Of '76; Talk Talk- Life's What You Make It.



SKY TRAX

Heavy Plays: A-Ha- The Sun Always Shines On TV; Pet Shop Boys; Bronski BeatBoy; Dire Straits- Walk Of Life; Mr. Mister- Broken Wings; Eurythmics- It's Alright; Level 42- Leaving Me Now; Elton John- Wrap Her Up; Sting- Russians; Billy Ocean; Grace Jones- Pull Up To The Bumper; Fine Young Cannibals- Suspicious Minds; The Alarm- Spirit Of '76; James Brown- Living in America; Full Force- Alice I Just Want You For Me; Whitney Houston- How Will I Know.



DEEJAY TELEVISION

Prod. Claudio Cecchetto & Valerio Gallorini

Video Deejay: Feargat Sharkey- You Little Thief; The Cult- She Sells Sanctuary; Rockets- Don't Give Up; Saxon- Broken Heros; Radio Deejay Parade: Matta Bazar- Ti Sento; The Cars- Tonight She Comes; Marillion- Heart Of Lothian; Julian Lennon- Because; Joe; Cocker; Sandy Marton; UB40- Don't Break My Heart; A-Ha; Grace Jones; Eighth Wonder, Den Harrow; Elton John- Wrap Her Up; Erasure; Corey Hart; The Cult; Sting- Russians; Simple Minds; Simply Red; Lloyd Cole



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ALBUMS OF THE WEEK:

PETER FRAMPTON- PREMONITION (Virgin) WIRE TRAIN- BETWEEN TWO WORDS (PS) VICTOR LAZLO- SHE (Vogue) MARTI JONES- UNSOPHISTICATED TIME (A&M)

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the Albums route

Most recommended new albums as chosen by the editorial team of Eurotipsheet.

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ROCKY IV BEATING IN

The fastest moving album in the Hot 100 this week is the Soundtrack Rocky IV with two hit singles occupying dominant positions in the Singles Hot 100 (see Singles Guide). With the album selling well in six European markets, it is clear that the soundtrack could become just as successful as last year's Miami Vice. This strong move from 47 to 18 is in fact the only really important one in this week's Hot 100. There are still no new hot releases and therefore, due to this lack of competition lots of LPs are re-entering the Hot 100.

One of those re-entries is the album by the New York folky Suzanne Vega whose debut album re-enters due to positions in the UK, Germany and Benelux. We think the album is still a good choice for your album programmes with tracks like Small Blue Thing (recently released in the UK as the new single), Freeze Tag and Marlene On The Wall as programme tips. Another American folky is Marti Jones and she is on the A&M label as well. We recently did a review on this impressive debut album and both her songwriting and vocal diction come very close to those of Suzanne

Peter Frampton comes alive again with his new Virgin album Premonition, his first LP in nearly 4 years. Nine tunes, all Frampton originals, ranging from the outstanding rockers Lying (the first single) and Stop with its driving hook, to punchy ballads such as Hiding From A Heartache and All Eyes On You. Frampton is in very good shape and delivers an album bound for the charts. He is assisted by bassist Tony Levin, drummers Steve Ferrone and

Omar Hakim and keyboardist Richard Cottle.

Scorpions drummer Herman Rarebell tries on his own with a little help from some of his friends. Nicknamed 'Herman Ze German' heavy weights like Don Dokken, Steve Marriott and Ratt's Bobby Blotzer and Juan Croucier, give their support on this Capitol album. Completely in line with the recent trend by heavy and hardrock artists to cover classic rock 'n roll songs (think of Twisted Sister's Leader Of The Pack and Motley Crue's Smokin' In The Boysroom) there is a raucous version of the 1963 Surfaris instrumental Wipe Out.

Vogue Records in Belgium recently issued an album by singer Victor Lazlo entitled She. Contrary to what the name implies Lazio is a female singer operating in the jazz-cocktail style with undercooled and restrained arrangements. Victor Lazlo was discovered after appearing extensively in the Belgian club scene by Lou De Pruyck, the producer of Lou-& The Hollywood Bananas. She had her first hit end of '84 with Backdoor Man, also included on this album. Other stand out tracks comprise the striking cover of 'Cry Me A River' in a French version entitled Pleurer Des Rivieres, the classic Julie London track (which was a hit for Mari Wilson in 1983) and the 40's classic Put The Blame On Mame.

The Staple Singers currently have their 1974 single If You're Ready covered by Ruby Turner. Now they come up with a new LP full of funky and exciting material. Watch the covers Are You Ready and Life During War Time (Talking Heads) as the definite stand outs. Another song that immediately strikes is the funky Back To The War

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This week's most played albums on European Radio.





Mr. Mister



EUROPEAN HOT 100 ALBUMS

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UNITED KINGDOM

BBC RADIO 1 - London

Radio Radio: Noel Edmond relives the wacky world of Dingley Dall and Perkins' Grange, funny Phone Calls, Flynn the Skin and misheard lyrics.

The Great Rock 'N Roll Trivia Quiz: With Roland Gitt (from FYC), Julie Roberts (leadsinger with Working Week) and Radio 1 DJ Bruno Brookes

BBC RADIO LONDON - London Guy Hornsby- dj/prod.

Record of the week: Rochelle- My Magic Man; Adds: Paul Hardcastle- Don't Waste My Time; Diana Ross- Chain Reaction; Earl Turner- Love Caught You By Surprise; Sure hit: Betty Wright- Pain; Album: Detroit Spinner- Lovin' Feelings.

BBC RADIO LONDON Susie Barnes- dj/producer

Review board choice: Col. Abrams- I'm Not Gonna Let You Go; Robin McAuley- Eloise; Personal fave: Teddy Pendergrass & Whitney Houston-Hold Me; Kabbala- What Love is; Album: Full Force.

CAPITAL RADIO - London Tony Hale/Jon Myer/Mark Story

Climbers: The Costello Show- Don't Let Me Be Misunderstood; Mike & The Mechanics- Silent Running; Starship- Sara; Talking Heads- And She Was; Betty Wright- Pain; A-List: Madness-Sweetest Girl; James Brown; Billy Ocean; Simple Minds; Talk Talk; B-List: Cactus World News- Years Later; Paul Hardcastle; Shakin' Stevens- Turning Away; Extras: AC/DC- Shake Your Foundations; Alisha- Baby Talk; The Damned- Eloise.

RTL 208 - London Phil Ward-Large- progr. dir

Records of the week: Simple Minds-Sanctify Yourself; Escape Club-Rescue Me; Mammy Coals-Beauty Has Her Way: Bangles-Manic Monday; Adds: John Parr-Naughty Naughty; Double; John Waite- The Choise; Zapp- It Doesn't Matter; Paul Hardcastle-Don't Waste My Time.

RADIO CITY- Liverpool Tony Newman- head of music

One to watch: Betty Wright: Pain (check it out!); Adds: Paul Hardcastle; Third World-One More Time; Sure hits: Belouis Some; The Alarm; ...The year started with 3 major artists doing covers: The Damned- Eloise; The Costello Show- Don't Let Me Be Mistunderstood; Leo Sayer- Unchained Melody; ...Grace Jones issued a single 4 years old and Belouis Some making it 3rd time round, Audrey Hall & Sophia George with reggae, so it could well be a reggea/rock year! John Cougar Mellencamp & Cactus World News look certain to make it this year (let's hope so!)...

PICCADILLY RADIO - Manchester Mark Radcliffe- head of music

Record of the week: Talking Heads- And She Was; Adds: The Costello Show- Don't Let Me Be Misunderstood; Prefab Sprout- Johnny Johnny, James Brown- Living In America; Midge Ure- Wastelands; Col. Abrams- I'm Not Gonna Let You; Bangles- Manic Monday; The Prime Movers- On The Trail.

BRMB - Birmingham Robin Valk- head of music

Adds: Prefab Sprout- Johnny Johnny; Arcadia- The Promise; Tina Turner- Better Be Good; Jellybean- Side Walk Talk; Teddy Pendergrass & Whitney Houston- Hold Me; The Costello Show- Don't Let Me Be Misunderstood; Curtis Blow- If I Ruled The World; Midge Ure- Wastelands; Ladies Choice-Funky Sensation.

RADIO CLYDE - Glascow Richard Park- music controller

Record of the week: The Prime Movers- On The Trail; Entries: Arcadia; Jellybean- Sidewalk Talk; Brightman & Harley; Alisha; The Costello Show- Don't Let Me Be Misunderstood; Academy- You Are In My System; Double; Colonel Abrams- I'm Not Gonna Let You Go; Survivor; Tina Turner; Rochelle.

DEVON AIR - Exeter Debbie Richards- head of music

Record of the week: Arcadia- The Promise; Ones to watch: Breathe- Don't Tell me Lies; Jellybean- Sidewalk Talk; Album: Labi Siffre-The Labi Siffre Collection.

RED DRAGON RADIO - Cardiff Peter Milburn- head of music/dj

Record of the week: The Damned-Eloise; Sure hit and personal fave: Starship-Sara; One to watch: Idle Eyes-Tokyo Rose; Adds: A Ha; James Brown-Living In America; Double; Ruby Turner; Curtis Blow-Iff Ruled The World.

SOUTHERN SOUND RADIO - Brighton Lewis Borg-Cardona- head of music

Sure hit: Col. Abrams-I'm Not Gonna Let You; Personal fave: Del Fuegos- i Still Want You; Adds: Betty Wright- Pain; Costello Show- Don't Let Me Be Misunderstood; Idle Eyes- Tokyo Rose; James Brown; The World- Schoolboy Sant; Arcadia; Cactus World News- Years Later; Zapp- It Doesn't Really Matter; Starship-Sara.

TV PROGRAMMES THE TUBE - Newcastle Malcolm Gerrie - producer

Live band: Charlie Sexton; Film: Heart.

LONDON CALLING

by Howard Marks

John Waite has been in London recently, and played three nights at the Marquee, with a view to a possible nationwide tour later in the year. Also in town to promote his new single & album for Virgin is Peter Frampton. Survivor have been here for Radio & Television promotion on their Rocky 4 soundtrack single, (I must be the only person in the whole world that has yet to see Rocky I, 2 & 3). By the way, a trivia fact for you, the lead singer of Survivor, is also the same lead singer from the 1970s hit Vehicle by Ides of March.

Also in town for concerts are Motley Crue, and the lovely Marilyn Martin is here to promote her new single Nightmoves which she co-wrote with John Parr. Eat your heart out guys, I was lucky enough to have lunch with the lovely lady recently. What's this, is no-one coming up with new songs? There are so many cover versions out at the moment, it's unbelievable. First up is Ruby Turner and the old Staple Singers hit If You're Ready. Then there is the new Madness single, which is a cover of the Scritti song The Sweetest Girl. Then Motley Crue have re-released their version of the old Brownsville Station classic Smokin' In The Boys Room. Yet another version of the old Nina Simone/Animals/Santa Esmerelda hit Don't Let Me Be Misunderstood from The Costello Show, which features oddly enough Elvis Costello & T Bone Burnett. Finally look out for two versions of the Paul & Barry Ryan classic of the 60's Eloise. Both The Damned & Robin McCaulay of Far Corpora-tion have covered the song, If you are interest-ed to know what happened to Paul & Barry... well, Barry is doing OK for himself as a photographer, and Paul is a partner in a hairdressing business.

Look out for new band Cactus World News, currently receiving lots of exposure, and signed to U2s Mother Record label. Also

look out for a great new single from Soul Singer Betty Wright. I've had an import copy for ages, and I think it's great. The record is called Pain, Betty has just recently had a baby, but will be in the UK soon to promote the single. Also if you thought that rapping records were finished, then look out for a new single by LL Cool J, it's going to be massive. My favourite single at the moment is from Floy Joy, title: Weak In The Presence Of Beauty. (I'd like to dedicate it to all the girls at Eurotipsheet, who await my every E-Mail). By the way, jocks and producers (sorry to have to exclude Colin Burrows and Chris Tarrant at Capital from this category) try playing Floy Joy back to back with John Waite's single Missing You, hard to tell which is the original. Also destined for chart success this time around, is Mike & the Mechanics single Silent Running.

Belouis Some has finally charted, also a second time around release, you may remember me raving about this record just under a year ago. Also in the pipeline for Belouis is the soundtrack to a new movie coming to our screens soon called Pretty In The Pink.

The Sex Pistols case has finally been resolved with messrs Lydon/Cook/Jones sharing £1 million with the late Sid Vicious' mum Anne Beverly. Malcolm McLaren gave up his rights to the Great Rock & Roll Swindle movie, and his share of his Glitterbest management company.

Following the tradition set by this column last year of finding bands with strange names, you may remember that we found Jesus & Mary Chain, also Scraping Feutus Of The Wheel. Well I think that in 1986 you should look out for The Flaming Mussolinis and also Half Man Half Biscuit.

And finally in the World of Radio, Andy Peebles has been sitting in for Radio London jock Tony Blackburn for a couple of weeks, Simon Bates at Radio One has re-run the excellent Paul McCartney interview that was first aired over the Chrissy hols, and Capital Radio's Roger Scott has been doing the breakfast show sitting in for Grahame Dene. Finally, Capitals Flying Eye the young and handsome Russ Kane lands his plane on the top of Euston Tower, takes of his flying jackets and stormtrooper boots in favour of the more trendy record company freeby sweatshirt, and promotional record company jacket. He will prepare his filofax, and pile of trendy records to become a fully fledged Disc Jockey, all the best Russ. That's the lot for now.

GERMANY

SWF - Baden Baden Bruno Maeder- dj/producer

Records of the week: INXS-What You Need; Simple Minds-Sanctify Yourself; Sure hits: Mr. Mister- Kyrie; Starship-Sara; Albums: Wolf Maahn-Kleine Helden; Personal fave: New Order-Sub-Culture.

NDR - Hamburg Brigitte Rokkhol- dj

Record of the week: Jennifer Holiday-No Frills Love; Sure hit: Billy Ocean; LP's: Bad Manners- Mental Notes; Victor Lazlo- She.

NDR2 - Hamburg
Mal Sondock- ind. dj/prod. Hit Oder Niete
Neuvorstellungen: Eurythmics- It's Alright; Mr.
Mister- Kyrie; Fine Young Cannibals- Suspicious Minds: Eritz Brause, Boot Boyt Simple

Mister Kyrie; Fine Young Cannibals- Suspicious Minds; Fritz Brause- Beat Boy; Simple Minds- Sanctify Yourself; C.C. Catch- Cause You Are Young; Albums: Formel Eins Brandactuell '86 featuring: Sandra; Feargal Sharkey; Pet Shop Boys.

NDR - Hamburg Volker Thormaehlen- dj/producer

Ones to watch: R.O.A.R.- We Gotta Do It; Double-Tomorrow; Personal fave: Level 42-

Leaving Me Now; Dance clip: Sandy Marton-Exotic And Erotic; Albums: Joachim Witt-Moonlight Nights; Raf Ravenscroft- Lifetime; Powerplay: Cock Robin- The Promise You

WDR - Koln

Buddah Kraemer- dj/producer

Records of the week: Simple Minds- Sanctify Yourself: Marvin Gaye- Romantically Yours; Top 5 Schlagerraily: Muenchener Freiheit-Ohne Dich; A-Ha- The Sun Always Shines; Sting-Russians; Mike Oldfield- Pictures In The Dark; Pet Shop Boys- West End Girls.

WDR - Koln Hans Holger Knocke- dj

Adds: Klimaxx- I Miss You; ZZ Top- Stages; Alburns: Bob Dylan- Biograph; The Gun Club-Dance Kalinda Boom.

SFB - Berlin Juergen Juergens- dj/producer

Record of the week: Thompson Twins- Revolution; Album: Victor Laszlo-She; Sure hit: Feargal Sharkey- You Little Thief; One to watch: Peter Frampton- Lying; Personal fave: Victor Laszlo- Sweet, Soft 'n' Lazy.

SFB - Berlin

Helmut Lehnert- dj/producer SFBeat Record of the week: The Colourfield- Rosty

Mornings; Maxi: Flower Pot Men- Walk On Gilded Splinters; Ones to watch: Lime Spiders- Out Of Control; The Splat Cats- 5 Big Ones; Watermelon Men- New Hope For The Lovely; The Crimson Shadows- Even I Tell Lies; The Way Ward Souls Wisdom Of The Heart; Cast Of 1.000- Sun Glasses ... All these are signed to indie companies. The bands are from Šweden, USA and Australia, check it out, it's worth while!

SFB/DEUTSCHE WELLE/RADIO 44 - Koln Horst Hartwich- dj/prod.

Record of the week: C.C. Catch- Cause You Are Young; Adds: Peter Maffay- Ein Wort Bringt Das Schweigen; Sade- Is It A Crime; Den Harrow-Bad Boy; The Boss- Dancing In The USA; Sure hits: The Boss; C.C. Catch; Albums: Hong Kong Syndicate- Never Too Much; Sylvie Vartan- Made In USA.

RIAS - Berlin Rik De Lisle- dj/producer

Record of the week: Stefan Waggers Hausen-Ich Hab 'Ne Ueberdosis Von Dir; Add: Disque Bleu- Get Out Of My Way; Personal fave: Jill Michaels-Shake; Featured singles: Mr. Mister-Kyrie; Sophia George-Girlle Girlle; Leo Sayer-Unchained Melody; Simple Minds-Sanctify Yourself; Lloyd Cole- Cut Me Down; Peter Maffay- Ein Wort Bringt Das Schweigen.

RTL - Luxembourg Hilde Mueller-Arens- producer

Record of the week: Mr. Mister-Kyrle; Albums: Latin Quarter- Modern Times; Jose Feliciano-Sings And Plays The Beatles.

RTL - Luxembourg Harald Rehmann- producer

Records of the week: Leo Sayer- Unchained Melody; Mr. Mister- Kyrie; Georgie Rod- Help The Man; Eurythmics It's Alright; Maurice White- I Need You.

RTL - Luxembourg Frank Eicher- producer

Records of the week: Fra Lippo Lippi-Shouldn't Have To Be Like That; Peter Frampton- Lying; Mr. Mister- Kyrie; Most extraordinairy record of the week: Groot Walenburgs Wunderliche Philharmoniker- Der Walenburger Zapfenstreich.

BR - Munchen Fritz Egner- dj/producer

Records of the week: Sophia George- Girlie

Girlie; Bangles- Manic Monday; Album: Klimaxx- Meeting In the Ladiesroom.

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Claus H. Kruesken- dj/producer
Record of the week: Etton John- Wrap Her
Up; Adds: INXS- What You Need; Fra Lippo
Lippi- Shouldn't Have To Be Like That; Belouis Some- Target Practice; Sure hit: Eurythmics-It's Alright; Album: Chorus Line- OST.

SDR - Stuttgart

Hans Thomas- producer

Record of the week Maurice White- I Need You; Sure hit: Mr. Mister- Kyrie; Album: Pia Zadora & The London Philharmonic Orchestra- Pia & Phil.

HR- Frankfurt

Joerg Eckrich- dj/producer

Album tips: The Alarm- Spirit Of '76; Tony Carey- Blue Way; Honeymoon Suite- The Big Prize; Special announcement for hard rock fans: new Ozzy Osborne album entitled Ultimate Sinn

RB - Bremen

Axel P. Sommerfeld- dj Records of the week: Colourfield- Things Could Be Beautiful; APB- So many Broken Hearts; Clannad- In A Lifetime; CD of the week: Cocteau Twins- The Pink Opague; Albums: PIL- The Album; The Jon Butcher Axis; Ricky Scaggs- Live In London .. finally there's the fine hard rock album by Chequered Past Out. These ex-members of the Sex Pistols, Blondie, Utopia and Detective recorded it in '84 for EMI and it's released here now by Heavy Metal America. Look out for it!

Patrick Eade- musical dir.

Ones to watch: Paul Hardcastle- Don't Waste My Time; Simple Minds-Sanctify Yourself; Leo Sayer- Unchained Melody; Eurogliders- The City Of Soul; Idle Eyes- Tokyo Rose.

RADIO XANADU - Munchen Nic Vogelstein

Record of the week: Cherrelle; Adds: O'chi Brown- Whenever You Need Somebody; Starship-Sara; FYC; Sophia George; Entries. Ash 48; Level 42; Fra Lippo Lippi; Angel Chorus- Devil On My Shoulder; Sure hit: Billy Ocean; Maxi: Todd Canady- Mirror Mirror; Album: Peter Frampton- Premonition.

RADIO M1 - Munchen Armand Presser- progr. coord.

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Top 5: Mr. Mister- Kyrie; Peter Frampton- Lying; Jennifer Holliday- No Friils Love; John Cafferty- Hearts On Fire; Stevie Nicks- I Can't Wait; Adds: Duke Jupiter- We Might Fall In Love; The Arrows- Bad Reputation; One To One- There Was A Time.

RADIO GONG - Munchen Walter Freiwald- musikchef

Record of the week: Hong Kong Syndicate-Never Too Much; Album: Hong Kong Syndicate; New entry: INXS- What You Need; Powerplay: Hong Kong Syndicate.

TV PROGRAMMES ARD - FORMEL EINS Andreas Tiesmeyer

From the German Top 75: Dan Harrow-Bad Boy; Silent Circle-Touch In The Night; James Brown; Midge Ure; Diana Ross- Chain Reaction; From the Hot 100 USA: Elton John-Wrap Her Up; Billy Ocean; Mike And The Mechanics-Silent Running; Stevie Nicks-Talk To Me; From the English Top 75: Fine Young Cannibals- Suspicious Minds; Tips: Peter Frampton-Lying; Chin Chat- Desire For Love;

FRANCE

RTL - Paris

Monique Le Marcis- head of progr.
Entries International: The Alan Parsons Entries International: The Alan Parsons Project Stereotomy; Taffy- I Love My Radio; Lune De Miel- Hey Starlita; Hors Classement Francais: Daniel Balavoine- L'Aziza; French Entries: Gilbert Montaignier- Quelques Mots De Musique; Patrick Sebastien- Oui A L'Auvergne; Rose Laurens- Quand Tu Pars; Enrico Macias- Il Vaut Mieux Danser; Bertrand Taple-Reusir Sa Vie; Claire Sevrac & David Soul-Amoureux Sans Bagag Laurent- Nuits Bresiliennes. Bagages; Christophe

WRTL - Paris

Dominique Farran- progr. dir. Hit Des Clubs: Entry: Ken Laszlo-Tonight; Top 5: Andrea-I'm A Lover; Taffy-I Love My Radio; Stevie Wonder- Part-Time Lover; Modern Talking- Cheri Cheri Lady; Madonna- Dress You Up/Gambler.

EUROPE 1 - Paris

Albert Emsalem- progr. dir. Personal faves: Survivor- Burning Heart; Muriel Dacq- Tropique; Francis Cabrel- En-core; Gold- Capitaine Abandonne; Mader-Jalousie; Secret Service- Just A Little Bit More; Entries Hitparade: Tony McKenzie-Lolita; The Cure- In Between Days; Lionel Richie; Wham!.

RMC - Paris

Yvonne Lebrun- progr. dir. Entries Hitparade: Herve Vilard- Viens; Bryan Ferry- Don't Stop The Dance, Top 3: Daniel Balavoine-L'Aziza; Jean-Luc LaHaye- Papa Chanteur;

SUD RADIO - Toulouse

Marie Ange Roig- progr. dir. Entries hitparade: Matt Bianco- Yeh Yeh; Grace Jones; Louis Chedid- God Save The Swing; Arcadia; Top 3: Daniel Balavoine- L'Aziza; Renaud-Miss Maggie; A-Ha.

NRJ - Paris Max Guazzini- dir

Entries: Sade; Tears For Fears- Head Over Heels; Sandra- in The Heat of The Night; Koto- Visitor; Starship- We Built This City.

NRJ - Paris

Jean Pierre D'Amico- progr. dir.

New entries: Francoise Hardy- VIP; Eurythmics- It's Alright; Sandy Marton- Exotic & Erotic; Billy Ocean.

SKY ROCK - Paris Gerard Beullac- progr. dir.

Adds: Charlie Sexton- Beat So Lonely; Arrows-Talk Talk; Eurogliders- City Of Soul; Greg Burge- Surprise Surprise; Rick James- I Want You To Spend The Night With Me; Powerplay: Eddie Mitchell & Serge Gainsbourg- Vieille Canaille; INXS- What You Need.

RMP- Aix En Provence Melissa Temple

Adds: Double; Victor Laszlo- Canoe Rose; Korgis- Burning Questions; Latin Quartet- Radio Africa: Jon Anderson- How It Hits You; Kelly-II Aimait Les Garcons; Waterboys; Sure Hits: Bangles-Manic Monday; Tracie Young-Invitation; INXS-What You Need; Eartha Kitt-This Is My Life; Sheila E.; Pete Townshend; Mitchell And Gainsbourg-Vieille Canaille; Barbara Pennington- On A Crowded Street.

RIVIERA 104 - San Remo Paul James- music director

Adds: Whitney Houston & Teddy Pendergrass-Hold Me; Double-The Captain Of Her Heart; Diana Ross- Chain Reaction; Elaine Page- For You.

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CHIC 88,5 FM

Joel Gilbert- Programme Director

Record of the week: Latin Quarter- Radio Africa; Add: Junior- Oh Louise; Sure hits: Dionne & Friends; Eddie Mitchell & Serge Gainsbourg- Vieille Cannalie; Album: Tracy Young.

TV PROGRAMMES ANTENNE 2- Super Platine Catherine Puech- Producer

Clips: Christopher- Ne Raccroche Pas; Propaganda P. Machinery; J.J. Goldman Je Te Donne; Stephan Eicher Two People In A Room; Bruno Grimaldi- Retour De Manivelle;

CANAL PLUS Brenda Jackson - producer Most aired clips: Johnny Hallyday- Quelque Chose De Tennessee; Daniel Balavoine- L'Aziza; Telephone- Le jour S'est Leve; Elton John-Nikita; The Communards- You Are My World.

ZENITH Michel Denisot

Guests: Klaxon; Sandra; Coluche; Bernard Graudeau; Diane Tell; Modern Talking; Bron-ski Beat; Rolin Renicci; Carole Bouquet; Louis Chedid; Mr. Mister; Antony Delon.

HOLLAND

NOS - Hilversum

Frits Spits - dj/producer

Personal faves: Swing-out Sister- Blue Mood: Clannad- In A Lifetime; Leo Sayer- Unchained Melody; Floy Joy- Weak In The Presence Of Beauty; ELO- Calling America; LP: ELO-Balance Of Power.

VERONICA - Hilversum Lex Harding- progr. dir.

Record of the week (Alarmschijf): Whitney Houston & Teddy Pendergrass- Hold Me; Adds: Survivor-Burning Heart; Talking Heads-And She Was; Sandra Reemer-Gold; Andrea-I'm A Lover; Clannad & Bono- In A Lifetime.

VERONICA - Hilversum

Annette v. Trigt- dj/producer Records of the week: Don Dixon- Southside Girl; Andrea- I'm A Lover; Teddy Pendergrass & Whitney Houston.

VERONICA - Hilversum

Alfred Lagarde- dj/producer

Personal faves: James Brown; Simple Minds; Robert Tepper- No Easy Way Out; Big Audio Dynamite; Don Dixon- Southside Girl; John Parr- Don't Leave Your Mark On Me: Fav Lovsky- Good Night; Marilyn Martin- Night Moves; INXS- What You Need; Monaco Blues Band- When The Sun Goes Down; Albums: David Pack- Anywhere You Go; Honeymoon Suite; Ozzy Osbourne.

AVRO - Hilversum Jan Steeman- progr.dir.

Record of the week (RTV Tip): Sandra Reemer- Gold.

VARA - Hilversum Light Music Department

New entries Delicious 15 (Verrukkelijke 15): Talking Heads- And She Was; PIL- Rise; INXS-What You Need; Verrukkelijke tips: Elvis Costello- Baby's Got A Brand New Hairdo; Staple Singers- Back To The War; The XQs-Love And Emotion; Personal tips: Hoodoo Gurus- Bittersweet; Full Force- Alice, I Want You Just For Me.

KRO - Hilversum

Paul van der Lugt- progr. dir. Record of the week (Speciale Aanbieding): Talking Heads- And She Was.

NCRV - Hilversum Jan Rietman- dj/producer Record of the week (Favoriet Schijf): SurvivorBurning Heart; Hittips: De Dijk- Groot Hart; Sandra Reemer- Gold; Mai Tai- Female Intuition.

VPRO - Hilversum

Bram Van Splunteren- dj/producer

Best record of this week: PIL- Rise; 12" one to watch: Quest For Life- Baby Don't Stop Me; Albums: Albert Collins, Robert Cray & Johnny Copeland- Showdown; PIL- The Album.

TROS - Hilversum

Record of the week (Paradeplaat): Erste Allgemeine Verunsicherung- Ba-Ba-Bankueber-fall.

TV PROGRAMMES

COUNTDOWN - Veronica

Clips. Full Force- Alice, I Want You Just For Me; Mr. Mister; Madonna- Borderline; Clan-nad & Bono- In A Lifetime; Studio: Pet Shop Boys; Feargal Sharkey; Prefab Sprout; Leo Sayer (Interview); Midem Item: Pete Townshend; Eric Clapton.

POPSJOP - NCRV Stef Boers- producer

Studio: Princess- After The Love Has Gone; Level 42- Leaving Me Now; Alisha- Baby Talk; Clips: Simple Minds-Sanctify Yourself; Robert Palmer- Riptide; Olivia Newton John; Pet Shop Boys; Bangles- Manic Monday.

BELGIUM

RADIO 21 - Brussels J.P. Hautier- dj/producer

Adds: Eurythmics- It's Alright; Leo Sayer- Un-chained Melody; James Brown- Living In America; Sure htt: Mai Tai- Female Intuition.

BRT - Studio Brussels Jos Van Oosterwijk/Jan Hautekiet

Top 10 Playlist: Fine Young Cannibals- Suspi-cious Minds; Level 42- Leaving Me Now; Amazulu- Don't You Just Know It; Roar- We Gotta To Do It; Andy Pratt- It Will Get Better; James Brown- Living In America; Jane Wiedlin-Blue Kiss; Billy Ocean; Isley Jasper & Isley- Caravan Of Love; TC Matic- Who's That

BRT 2 - Brabant Guy De Pre- di/producer

Record of the week: INXS- What You Need: Adds: Dire Straits- Walk Of Life; Fine Young Cannibals- Suspicious Minds (LP track); Antenna- Seaside Weekend; Front 242- No Shuffle (Belgian groups); ABC- Ocean Blue; Isley Jasper & Isley Caravan Of Love; Eurogliders The City Of Soul; The Alarm-Spirit Of '76.

TV PROGRAMMES R.T.B.F. - ROX BOX

Clips: Linda Di Franco; Charlie Sexton; A-Ha; Dream Academy; AC/DC; Big Audio Dynamite; Simply Red; Big Sound Authority; Nik Kershaw; Madonna item.

BRT - VILLA TEMPO

Tom Huybrechts - producer

Guests: The Man They Couldn't Hang- Greenbag Dollars; Prince special (clip: America); clips: Surfin' Dave- State Side Centre; Talking Heads- And She Was; Mensen Blaffen- Dat Gevoel Ken Ik Ook; Studio: Don Dixon- Praying Mantis/Southside Girl.

ITALY

STUDIO 105 - Milano Alex Peroni- progr.dir.

Record of the week: Depeche Mode-Stripped; Top 3: A-Ha- Take On Me; Lionel

Richie- Say You Say Me; Wham!- I'm Your

STUDIO 105 - Milano Grant Benson- dj/producer

Adds: Cactus World News-Years Later; Pick-nick At The White House-We Need Protection; New entries: Floy Joy- Weak In The Presence Of Beauty; Album: Double- Blue.

RAI STEREO DUE - Roma Maurizio Riganti

Magnifici 10: The Alan Parsons Project; Falco-Vienna Calling; Pet Shop Boys; Lucio Dalla; Eight Wonder; Simply Red-Holding Back The Years; Drum Theatre; Bronski Beat; Starship; Jon Anderson.

RADIO ONE - Firenze

Stefano Damasceni- dj/producer

Record of the week: Sam Harris I'd Do It Again; Adds: Bucks Fizz- Magical; East Of Java- Diferent World; Entries: Chaka Khan-Own The Night; Eight Wonder- Stay With Me; Feargal Sharkey- You Little Thief; Sure hits: Arcadia- The Promise; Charlie Sexton- Beat's So Lonely.

RADIO DIMENSIONE SUONO - Roma Mario Tagliaferri/Luigi Caliva

Records of the week: Eurogliders- The City Of Soul; Entries: Colourbox (LP); Roy Ayers- Hot; Fox the Fox- Precious Little Diamond; Sure hits: Mr. Mister-Kyrie; Mezzoforte-This Is The Night; No. 1 Italian: Locasciulli & Ruggeri, No. 1 Int.: Level 42, No. 1 Disco: Talk Talk.

RADIO DEEJAY Thomas Damiani

Record of the week; Propaganda For Frankie-P. Machinery & Relax; Adds: PIL- Rise; Mainframe- 5 Mintes; Cock Robin- Thought You Were On My Side; Leo Sayer- Unchained Melody; Picnic At The White House; Fra Lippo Lippi- Shouldn't Have To Be Like That; Album: Bangles; No. Hitparade: Via Verdi-Diamond.

RADIO MILANO INTERNATIONAL 101 Massimo Braccialarge/Patrizia Zani

Record of the week: Floy Joy- Weak In The Presence Of Beauty; Entries: Roy Ayers- Hot; Warp Nine- Skip A Beat; Mr. Mister- Kyrie; Zapp- It Doesn't Really Matter; Sure hits: Nina Simone It's Cold Out Here; Zapp; Isley Brothers-Colder Are My Nights; ...Interview of the week: Stevie Wonder.

RADIO ANTENNA DELLO STRETTO Antonio Leonetti

Records of the week: Eurythmics- It's Alright; Adds: Feargal Sharkey- You Little Thief; The Concept- Mr DJ; Stevie Wonder- Go Home; Entries: Klimaxx- I Miss You; Colonel Abrams-Trapped: Mike Oldfield- Pictures In The Dark: Fast movers: Lucio Dalla- Se lo Fossi Un Angelo; Lloyd Cole; Sure hit: Blue Camera-Golden Love; Album: Luccio Dalla.

RADIO SOUND INT. - Roccadevandro Guiseppe Giovini- progr. dir. Record of the week: Vincent Thomas- Country

Lovers; Adds: Thereza Bazar- Too Much In Love; Wang Chung- To Live And Die In L.A.; R. Bais- Dial My Number; Zinno- What's Your Name; Hubert Kah- Angel; King- Torture; Sal Solo- Heartbeat.

RADIO VICENZA STAR - Vicenza Mazzardo/Stefani

Records of the week: Simple Minds-Sanctify Yourself; Floy Joy-Weak In The Presence Of Beauty; Hong Kong Syndicate- Too Much; Adds: The Cult-Revolution; Double-I Know A Place.

RADIO ANTENNA NORD - Trento Roberto Giampiccolo

Record of the week: Sade- Is It A Crime;

Adds: Whitney Houston- Saving All My Love For You; Eurythmics-It's Alright; ABC- Ocean Blue; Sure hits: Arcadia- The Promise; Starship- Sara; Double- Tomorrow; Albums: Lucio Dalla- Bugie; Stevie Nicks.

RADIO BLUE LAKE SOUND - Bergamo Silvia Columbo

Records of the week: Leo Sayer- Unchained Melody; Fra Lippo Lippi- Shouldn't Have To Be Like That; Adds: The Communards-Heaven Above; Alan Parsons Project; Charlie Sexton- Beat's So Lonely; Entries: Simple Minds; Ten Sharp- When The Snow Falls; Matia Bazar- Da Qui A.

RADIO PETER FLOWERS - Milan Marco Garavelli

Record of the week: Fra Lippo Lippi; Entries: Peter Frampton; Big Audio Dynamite- The Bottom Line; ZZ Top- Sleeping Bag; Roy Ayers- Hot; No. 1 Int. Starship- We Built This City: No. 1 Disco: Bronski Beat: No 1. Italian: Matia Bazar- Ti Sento.

TV PROGRAMMES VIDEO MUSIC - Claudio de Tommasi

Clips: Kate Bush- Cloudbusting; Drum Theatre; Nik Kershaw; Talk Talk; Lloyd Cole; Wham!; Cars; Bruce Springsteen; Simply Red.

SPAIN

RADIO MADRID - SER Rafael Revert- musical manager

Records of the week: Radio Futura- El Tonto Simon; Elton John- Wrap Her Up; Adds: Loquillo Y Los Trogloditas- Carne Para Linda; Entries: Dionne & Friends; Silver Pozzoli; Albums: Spandau Ballet; Nacha Pop; Sure hit: Stevie Nicks;

RADIO ALICANTE - SER Jose F. Anton- dj/producer

Record of the week: James Brown-Living In America; Sure hits: Alan Parsons Project-Stereotomy; Stevie Nicks- I Can't Wait; Lloyd Cole- Lost Weekend; Double; Entries: Pet Shop Boys; King-Torture; Album: Simply Red.

RADIO SEVILLA FM - SER Paco Enríque- di/coordinator

Records of the week: Alan Parsons Project; Esclarecidos- Bajo La Nieve; Ole Ole- Lili Marlen; Adds: J. M. Serrat- Una Mujer Desnuda y En Lo Oscuro; Bruce Springsteen- Janey Don't You Lose Heart; Clemons & Browne; Tina Turner- One Of The Living; Sure hits: Charlie Sexton- Beat's So Lonely; Albums: Elton John; Alan Parsons Project.

PORTUGAL

RADIO COMERCIAL - Lisbon Adelino Goncalves- dj/producer

Records of the week: Talk Talk; Billy Ocean;

Adds: Grace Jones- Pull Up To The Bumper; Blind Date- Your Heart Keeps Burning; Kurtis Blow- If I Ruled The World; Entries; A-Ha; Bronski Beat: Dire Straits- Walk Of Life.

SWITZERLAND

RADIO 24 - Zurich Clem Dalton- di/coordinator

Adds: Fine Young Cannibals- Suspicious Minds; ABC-Ocean Blue; Peter Frampton- Lying; Feargal Sharkey- You Little Thief; Lloyd Cole- Cut Me Down; INXS- What You Need; Sheila E.- A Love Bizarre; Entries: Pet Shop Boys; Princess; Albums: Pete Townshend; Fine Young Cannibals; Hitpicks: A-Ha; Survivor- Burning Heart.

DRS 3

Christoph Alispach- music coordinator

Adds: Wire Train- Last Perfect Thing; Simply Red- Holding Back The Years; Georgie Red-Help The Man; Suzanne Vega- Small Blue Thing; Bangles- Return Post; Herwig Mitteregger-Sink In Deinen See/Mein Klavier; Albums: Lucio Dalla- Bugie; Luther Allison-Here I Come.

RSR- Geneve J.P.Allenbach/C.Colombara

Entries Hitparade: Lionel Richie-Say You Say Me; Sandra- In The Heat Of The Night; Top 3: Michel Sardou; Stevie Wonder; Jean-Jacques Goldman; Entries Espoirs: Jean-Luc LaHaye-Papa Chanteur; Generique TV- Bibi Foc; Johnny Halliday- Quelque Chose De Tennessee.

TV PROGRAMMES

DRS - TIPARADE Ctips: The Cars- Tonight She Comes; Twisted Sister- The Leader Of The Pack; A-Ha; Mike Electric- Running Through All Nights; Pet Shop Boys- West End Girls.

AUSTRIA

OE 3 - Vienna

Walter Groebchen- dj/producer

Top 4 albums: The Jesus And Mary Chain; Tom Waits; Robert Wyatt; Prefab Sprout; Tips: Hans Orsoleas- Mea Potsch Erts Leben (My Unlikely Life); Hans Krankel- Lonely Boy; Singsang (new label)- Basic Eight (see also Highlights- ed.)

SWEDEN

SR - Stockholm Lars Goran Nilsson

Pers. faves: Sade- The Sweetest Taboo; Di-onne & Friends; Lionel Richie- Say You, Say Me; Lp's. Stevie Wonder; ZZ Top; Whitney Houston.

SR - Norrkoeping Kaj Kindvall

New entries: A-Ha; Sting-Russians; Fancy-Bolero; Ratata- Ge Inte Upp; Bronski Beat; Pernilla Wahlgren- Love On You; Bruce Springsteen- My Hometown; Sound Of Music-One More Lonely Night; Aretha Franklin-Who's Zoomin' Who.

SR - Vaexjoe Christensson-Marianne producer Rockdepartment

Record of the week: Eldkvarn- Landfortgrabby Adds: Cell Solo- Contact; Albums: Peter Frampton- Premonition; Sad Cafe- Politics Of Existing; The Bangles- Different Light; Rock Department: Appearing in programme: Simple Minds, Alarm, Wire Train.

VSD - Gothenburg Richard Hallifax- dj

Adds: Eurythmics It's Alright; Rick Springfield Dance This World Away; Sure Hits: Hazell Dean-They Say It's Gonna Rain; Pet Shop Boys; James Brown- Living In America; Princess- After The Love Has Gone; Madonna- Dress You Up.

DISCO 91 Johan Bring- producer

Add Ons: Andrea- I'm A Lover; Majesty- Tell Me What You Want; Bobby O- Whisper To A Scream; Lucia- Marinero; Panorama- The Key Of Your Life; Rick Skywalker- Run To Me; Marc Scalia- What Did Daddy Do; Alisha- Baby Talk (Swedish re-mix)

NORWAY

NRK P1 - Oslo

Harald Are Lund- dj/prod./progr./ed. Record of the week: Easterhouse- Whistling In The Dark; Adds: Shadow Of Fear- Sick Sacrifice; Marti Jones- Lonely Is As Lonely Does; Don Dixon- Eyes On Fire; Albums: Thin White Rope- Exploring The Axis; Marti Jones-Unsophisticated Time; Shadow Of Fear.

RADIO UNG - Oslo Ronald Borkamo- dj/producer

Record of the week: Dire Straits- Walk Of Life; Album: The Comsat Angles- 7 Day Weekend; Entries: Level 42- Leaving Me Now: Go West-Don't Look Down; Sandra- In The Heat Of The Night; Top 3: Sandra; Hazel Dean-They Say It's Gonna Rain; Mr. Mister- Broken Wings.

DENMARK

RADIO VIBORG

Poul Foged- dj/producer

Record of the week: A-Ha- The Sun; Adds: Secret Service- When The Night Closes In; Heart-Kina-Torture: Never: The Untouchables What's Gone Wrong; Philip Hart- Angel; Henning Staerk- Soothe Me; ABC- Ocean Blue; (continued on page 22)



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FINLAND

YLE RADIO 1 - Helsinki Jukka Haarma

Records of the week: Popeda- Taa On Se Yo; Twisted Sister- Leader Of The Pack; Eve- Intiaani; Pers. faves: Marti Jones- Unsophisticated Time; The Replacements- Tim.



ALEXANDRA'S NEWS CORNER

Hi, want some good news right away! Thought you would. Remember me telling you a while ago about a track listening party for a WHITE WOLVES' new LP? Well this album will be released at the beginning of March worlwide and the title is no longer a secret- it's Endangered Species. Watch out for it * STRYPER have issued a new LP, Soldiers Under Command. The band comes from LA and their current single, Together As One, should be heard by all * JERMAINE JACKSON will soon have a new longplayer released, approx. somewhere around springtime * Anyway, the beautiful month of May will bring us not only sunshine, but a new NICK HAYWARD album as well. If it takes until early June don't blame me for it * PETER KENT produced the latest single of VIENNA called Key of Magic. Wish I had one in my possession! Hm

* MIKE & THE MECHANICS are issuing a second single which is taken from the album. Entitled All Need Is A Miracle, it is a super

SIMPLE MINDS are still heavily touring around Europe and the rest of the world, currently making a big wave with their latest single and I'm sure we all know what it's called? That's not all though, they're lending their name to Amnesty International for 1986 and are donating the fees of two gigs, one in the US, the other one in Britain, to their cause. Nice work Mr. Kerr and Co. * Just released, the debut single by a British band called BREATHE, titled Don't Tell Me Lies. All four members are aged 18-21. A good record I dare say * TED NUGENT has come up with a new album entitled Little Miss Dangerous, slated for an early February release. The single has yet to be decided on but will be out a few days after you've read this *

Out in March will be the album Seasons by THE OAK RIDGE BOYS * Now as for THE DAMNED, who are at present scoring with their last single Eloise, they'll be starting their largest tour, performing throughout America, New Zealand, Australia and Japan. Back in Britain in June they'll go in the studio to start recording their new album, which is scheduled for an autumn release * In February you may expect a new single from WALL OF VOODOO called Far Side Of Crazy * KLYMAXX had just issued a single with the title I Miss You *

Moonshadow Records are releasing Lot On My Mind by THEO MASSOP, his 2nd single so far, towards the end of February. It has been produced by KEN SPENCE * PETE TOWNSHEND will have another single on the Blood * As we are slowely moving onwards to this week's concert review, I saw 3 great shows. This time it will be THE CULT. (I know, but the headbangers follow next week!) This was the second time I had seen the band.

Almost immediately it became clear that they've not sat on their burns doing nothing, but have progressed, getting more professional, but without losing their enthusiasm. Their frontman is a real frontman in every respect, very charismatic, up to being savagely wild. Playing a great set with all their material, even older ones. Unfortunately they didn't play the song Black Angel. If there is any criticism in order it will only be the fact that for my taste they could have played longer. A spectacular moment is certainly the using of strobolights in the show. Anyway I enjoyed it and no doubt the packed venue's audience did as well considering the fact that they all went out of their heads. Utrecht could easily have been a hometown-match *

Awright folks, friends and readers (willingly or forced) this was it for today. I'll be back next week with news and concert impressions of MOTLEY CRUE and soon AC/DC * Bang bang, bye bye. Luv' Alexandra *

BBC 2 SHIFT TO MOR

WINNING BACK THE OVER 40'S

by Peter Jones & Nick Robertshaw

The BBC's Radio 2 network is to concentrate primarily on music for the over 40s in a bid to win back tisteners said to have been "lost" through the increased use of Top 40 pop in recent years. As from Easter, the schedules will be completely re-vamped to put a solid emphasis on middle-of-the-road music.

Frances Line, the station's head of music, while denying that these are 'panic' moves because of slashed listening figures, says: "Radio 2 has been drifting about without a sufficiently clear music policy. The youth audience has been somewhat overindulged and now we must go back to win over the over-40s."

She's building up a new roster of discjockeys to carry through the new plans. One is Paul Jones, former singer with the charttopping Manfred Mann group and recently established as an actor, who will host a new series principally featuring blues and country music

ITALIAN MUSIC AWARDS - 1985

The 1985 Italian music awards were organised by Musica e Dischi, the most important music paper in the country. About 20 journalists from the music industry voted and came up with the following selection, comprising both national and international awards:

LP easy listening

- Francesco de Gregori-Scacchi E Tarocchi
- 2. Paolo Conte-Paolo Conte
- 3. Enrico Ruggeri- Tutto Scorre

Foreign

- 1, Sting- Dream Of The Blue Turtles
- 2. Bryan Ferry- Boys And Girls
- 3. Stevie Wonder- In Square Circle

LP Rock

- Litfiba- Desaparecido
- 2. Paolo Conte- Paolo Conte
- 3. Francesco de Gregori- Scacchi E Tarrocchi

Foreign

- 1. Sting
- 2. Tom Waits
- 3. Prefab Sprout

Best Video 1985

Italian: Gaz Nevada- Living In The Jungle Foreign: Godley And Creme- Cry

6TH FRENCH CHANNEL

The French government announced that from February 20 a 6th TV channel will be allotted to a consortium of NRJ, the Paris-based FM station owning 18% of the capital, Gaumont and Publicis 25% each and the rest shared by various companies including burger king Gilbert Gross. At least 50% of the programming of the channel will go to music. The launch of the 6th channel follows the recent establishment of Canal Cinq owned by French industrial Jerome Seydoux and Italian media magnate Silvio Berlusconi. See next week's issue for a detailed report.



Grace Jones recently visited Holland to promote her Manhattan album Slave To The Rhythm. The picture shows the artist after a successful appearance on Dutch TV Veronica Countdown. Joining her in the festivities are (from I. to r.): Kick Klimbie (md EMI Boverna Holland), Capitol artist Freddy Jackson and Dutch opera singer Marco Bakker.

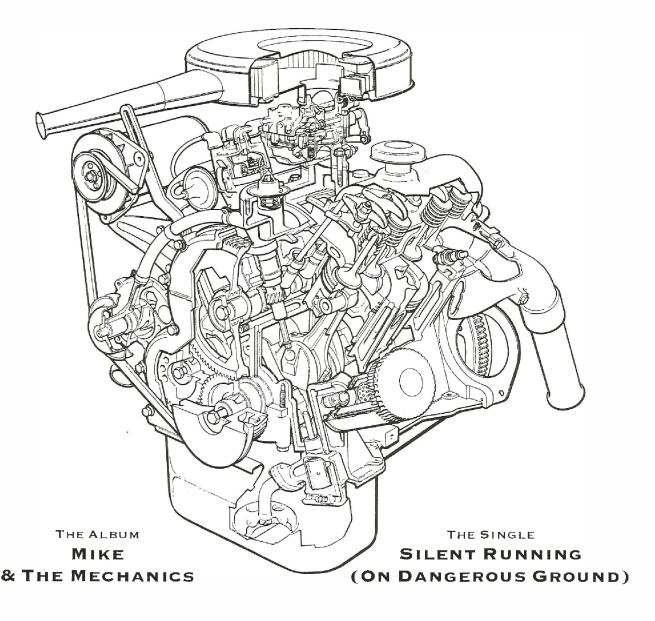
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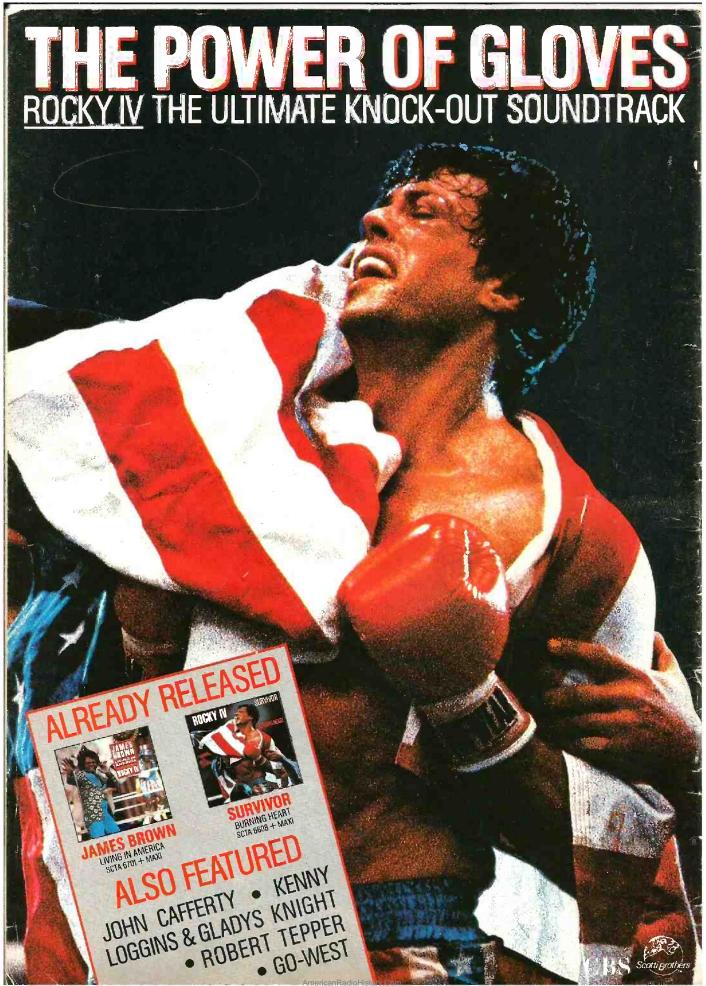
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C&W GETS MAJOR BOOST

UK CO'S JOIN FORCES

by Peter Jones & Nick Robertshaw

A concerted effort by five major record companies in the U.K., starting in March, to promote modern country music nationwide is predicted to produce spin-off sales effects through other European countries.

It's the first time the British record industry has come up with a generic campaign of this kind. Involved in financing the package are EMI, WEA, MCA, RCA and CBS/Epic, the whole marketing promotion co-ordinated by the Country Music Association's London operation.

A compilation album, featuring tracks by the artists highlighted by the campaign, is to be made available for promotional use through Europe, and it is certain that some of the artists will visit Europe to help make the campaign a success.

Says Cynthia Leu, CMA's European manager: "The main aim is to try and get rid of the old image of country music as performed by cowboys in stetson hats and bootswith-spurs. It's clear the teenage record market is declining and the record companies are looking closely at the over-25 age group. Through a multi-media campaign, taking in television, radio and press, we're aiming at that market which traditionally is more receptive towards country music

Momentum for multiа company campaign started to build in 1984 after a CMAsponsored survey produced the unexpected finding that country music was second in popularity among musical genres only to pop music itself. But it also found out that country music in its modern styling, performed by artists such as Johnny Cash's daughter Rosanne (CBS), needed strong promotion in order to place it apart from the old "Western cowboy" image.

Artists involved in the promotion include Alabama, Rosanne Cash, Exile, the Judds, Gary Morris, Oak Ridge Boys, Sawyer Brown, George Strait, Don Williams and Hank Williams.

The recent pan-European growth in country popularity is evident by the success of Mervyn Conn in taking his annual Easter weekend Wembley country festival to other countries.

MOVING

Media: The new BBC Essex local radio station in the UK has a new management team, so reports Richard Lucas, manager of BBC Essex. Joining the station will be Keith Roberts as programme organiser, SImon Alles as news editor and John Lettice as engineer-in-charge. All have backgrounds in BBC's local radios *

Recording Industry: Lots of moves inside the marketing and promoting areas of EMI Record UK's Artists Development Division. Malcolm Hill is appointed general manager of Capitol/EMI America/Manhattan labels, reporting directly to David Munns, director of Artists Development. Hill succeeds Steve McCaughley who was recently appointed general manager

Marketing & Promotion at RAK Records, reporting directly to md Helmut Fest. McCauhley joins RAK after a lengthy period with EMI Records as general manager for Capitol/EMI America and Manhattan *

Dog Kean replaces Hill as head of promotion EMI Label and Steve Hayes takes over from Kean as head of promotion, Parlophone Label. James Evans is promoted to senior product manager for Capitol/EMI America/Manhattan Labels, reporting to Hill * Anton Witkamp is recently appointed as general manager at Phonogram Holland * Brigitta Peschko joins Musichox as vice president Europe. For the time being she is based in Brussels *

CHAIRS



Sexton beats Europe- Austin, Texas rocker Charlie Sexton is currently undertaking an '11 dates in 8 countries' first European tour to promote his MCA album Pictures For Pleasure. The 17 years old Sexton is pictured after his successful opening date in Oslo. L. to r.: Ed Murphy (promotor), Fred Engh (WEA/MCA Label mngr), Maura Robinson (MCA int. mngr), Sexton, Tim Neece (Sexton's mngr) and Stuart Watson (senior int. director MCA).

ITALIAN RADIOS JOIN FORCES

MR. MISTER GETS COMBINED CAMPAIGN

In Italy's complex radio system it doesn't happen too often that two radio stations combine their forces in a mutual campaign. Recently however the two major stations Radio Dimensione (from Rome) and Radio Deejay (Milan) invented a promotion campaign for the American RCA act Mr. Mister who will play at the illustrious San Remotestival February 12-14. It will be the 36th time the festival will take place and Mr. Mister will be one of the

many international stars performing at the televised spectacular.

The first 2 weeks of February continuous publicity jingles will be aired to remind the audience of Mister's presence at the festival. The following 2 weeks various contests are being organized and 22 winners will be chosen. In order to advertise this campaign, 80,000 circulars will be distributed throughout the schools in Rome and Milan.

POLYGRAM PLANT

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Billboard International Music Industry Conference in Athens in May 1982," Timmer said, "I was almost physically attacked for talking such bloody nonsense. But I'm sure I don't need to tell you who are in the record retailing business what a tremendous success story the CD has been - and will continue to be."

Polygram's Hannover plant, which will become part of the Philips Du Pont PDO joint venture when the formal agreement between the two companies is signed in Eindhoven on March 24, is currently producing 5,000 CD titles for 280 labels. Eighty per cent of its

CD production is exported and the balance between classical and popular repertoire is at present 60/40 in favour of classical music.

The Hannover plant currently has a total capacity of 105 million sound carriers annually -10 million singles, 30 million LPs and 12-inch singles, 20 million cassettes and 34 million CDs. The daily value of its output at dealer value is 7.3 million marks - and that represents 300,000 hours of music manufactured every day, By far the biggest selling CD worldwide to date is the Dire Straits alburn, Brothers In Arms which has sold in excess of 640,000 units.

Hans Gout, newly-appointed marketing director of PDO, spoke of the massive potential of the CD system not only as an audio-video carrier but as a high density storage medium. "It also has a future as a videoclip carrier which could ultimately replace the black single. We can have a CD single which would have a 15 minute audio track and a 5 minute video track carrying the clip.

"i also believe that the laserread videodisc is the prime future carrier for feature films because of its high definition picture and excellent sound quality. This means that videotape will be used principally as a time-shift device, that rental of video film features will decline and that the videodisc will become an increasingly important sales item."

BBC PLAYLIST

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a series of specials on Island Records, to commemorate the company's 25 years in business.

Says Beerling, noting growing influences from continental European countries in today's pop world: "We'll buy in concert material from countries other than the U.S., providing the price is competitive and the music quality is there."

But though BBC 1 is getting its own VHF transmission at long last, Beerling feels the station is held back by needletime restrictions which permit him just 83.5 hours of commercial discs out of a total 126 hours weekly on air.

Records by new acts as selected by the editorial team of Eurotipsheet for the Pan-European market and beyond. Active radio/tv programmers, who want to program these records should be aware that these are not necessarily released in all territories. International A&R experts and music publishers on the look out for new deals could contact the original master/publishing owners. Original country and telephone numbers are mentioned as known.

DISCO/DANCE



Fire Fox - Fire Fox (Atlantic) Paulette McWilliams and Toi Overton, debuting as the duo Fire Fox. Produced and arranged by Ollie E. "There's No Stopping" Brown, who also wrote the strong single "Fire". A sometimes overwhelming mixture of synthesizers, passionate voices and fast percussion-runs.



These Masters of Slick are still in the game. although their rebelling relatives have already eaten a big part of the sales cake. LP features cover ballads from Collins and Wonder. A "suave", eargratifying "Masterpiece"



Cherrelle - High Priority (Tabu) Already a cracker in the UK supported by hitsingle "Saturday Love". Most of the songs written by SOS team. Especially B-side shows her versatility in mastering several styles of contemporary black music.

Mai Tai - Female Intuition (CNR) Holland publ. Bazar, tel. 2159-46266. Master Owner: CNR 2940-15451 Dutch female trio with a strong follow-up to their earlier up tempo songs. High charted in Holland. likely to be followed by several European countries due to successful appearance at Midem '86 (where they received 3rd prize at the opening gala.)

Sheila E. - A Love Bizarre (Paisley Park) USA

publ. Sister Fate Music. Master owner: Warner Brothers, tel. 213-8469090

Finally out in Europe now, this sultry and punchy percussion-laden monster track from the Romance 1600 Album featuring Sheila and The Prince himself. It grows upon hearing and that is at least what a Prince written/produced song is expected to do.

Moses - We Just (RCA) Italy publ. and Master owner: RCA Italy, tel. 06-43661 Strong TV tune from the super popular Italian pop programme Discoring, first released in 1983. Not much as far as lyrics go (only: We Just) but certainly an infectious semi-instrumental dance track. Within a forthnight it hit the number 11 spot in Dutch Top 40.

Datalife - Disco Connection (D.I.D.) Italy publ. Perche/Lombardoni, tel. 2-5063331. Master owner D.I.D. Italy, tel. 543-30563/30345 Axel F./Miami Vice inspired cover version of an old Isaac Hayes track, very useful to mixers or as a (background) tune in a disco radio show. Although not so catchy as the first mentioned due a lack of synth backings, but quite a good Italian instrumental. Master available for world excluding

Ken Laszlo - Tonight (Memory Records) Italy publ. Renata/B. Mikulski Germany, tel. 6436-4052. Master owner: Memory Records Italy, tel. 2-796251

After "Hey Hey Guy", another example of his preference for the medium Hi-NRG approach. Typically Southern European disco complete with Baltimora yells.

Philip-Michael Thomas - Just The Way I Planned It (Spaceship/Atlantic) USA publ. PMT Music. Master owner Atlantic tel. 212-4846000

With Eddie Murphy still in mind yet another actor crossing over to a music career. Having achieved fame as cop Ricardo Tubbs in Miami Vice it is therefore not unlikely that, following Jan Hammer's theme, Thomas's (Jarreau-a-like) voice coupled with a semi-funky beat could work out well in countries where the serie runs. First single from the "Living The Book Of My Life" album.

Jennifer Holliday - No Frills Love (Geffen) USA

publ. Unique/Shakin' Baker Music/Tina B. Writtin', Master owner: Geffen USA, tel. 213-2789010 Most recent outfake from the outstanding "Say You Love Me" album. Follow up to "Hard Times For Lovers". Marvellous vocals, with convincing and soulful lyrics. Backed up with swinging percussion, violin cuts and echoes. Arrangement, production and remix by the legendary Arthur Baker.

Patris - Love Oasis (Emergency) USA publ. P. Factor/Emergency Music, tel. (NY) 212- 9472791. Master owner: Emergency, tel. 212-7773200

Debut single from native new Yorker Patris on the London label MDM licensed from Emergency, the Shannon N.Y. based label. US club hit coupling an infectious poppy dance beat with a strong hook and soulful vocals. Could sell well.

Spencer Jones - How To Win Your Love (Injection/CNR) Holland

publ. Beach Road Music. Master owner for Benelux, Scandinivia. CNR tel.2940-15244 Debut of 22 year old Jones, cast in the same mould as Five Star and Princess. Fashionable dance with catchy vocals.

Kid Frost - Terminator (Zyx) Germany pubi, TMS Music/Electrobeat, Master owner: Zyx, tel. 6436-4052

Kid, an eastcoaster from America who used to be a flipside-filler on the Sugarhill label. His second single, operating in the electro rap field.

Isley Jasper Isley - Caravan Of Love (Epic) USA publ. April Music/IJI, tel. 212-975-4886. Master owner: Epic, tel. 212-9754321 This medium pace quality ballad hit the No. 1 spot in Billboard's Hot Black 100. Deserves attention on the continent as well. Surely a fave of the editorial team. New in at 33 in Holland this week.

INXS - What You Need (Mercury) Australia publ. MMA, tel. 2-9692244. Master owner: Mercury for Europe.

The No.1 Aussie Band on the verge of a real European breakthrough. Powerfunk in its most desirable form. Hit the number 1 spot in Australia in only 2 weeks. 12" extended remixed version by Nick Launay contains flipside with "This Time" in a live version.

Paul Rein - Hold Back Your Love (Zyx) Germany Publ. Alpha. For master owner contact Sanji Tandan at Alpha Records Sweden tel. 8-7300400 Eurobeat from the 20 year old Paul Rein, a falsetto voiced lad from Sweden. 12" remix by Christer Sandelin improves on the 7" single.

Jimmy & Susy - Come Back (Zyx) Germany

publ. Intersong, tel. (Germ.) 40-4104061/Ed.Lambardoni tel. (Italy) 2- 5063331.

Summer sounds with slightly overdone romantic duo vocals. A 12" that has potential in Southern Europe especially with its Baltimora-like effects.

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Big Tony - Let The Music Play (Zyx) Germany publ. and Master owner: contact Zyx, tel. 6436-4052.

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Styleful cover by the Belgian Big Tony who has a long lasting admiration for Barry White, the master of whispered soft-soul. In this tribute both arrangements and vocals match the original. Recorded in the Red Bus Studios in London and produced by Belgian discomixer Ronny Brack.

The Kartoon Krew - Inspector Gadget (Champion Records) UK publ. Saban Music/EMI Music. Master owner: Profile Records USA.
Electro-rap inspired by the comic cartoons of Inspector Gadget. Amusing vocals in a Doug E Fresh-type of arrangement. Already a dance topper in the US and the UK.

Fra Lippo Lippi - Shouldn't Have To Be Like That (Virgin) UK publ, Virgin Music, tel. 1-229-1282. Master owner: Virgin, tel. 1-968-6688. A very strong melodic pop song by this Norwegian duo, named after a poem of Robert Browning. Single appeared originally on the Scandinavian Easter Productions label but is now picked up by Virgin UK. Dave Allen (producer of The Cure's latest LP) did the remodelling and the result is fresh. original and highly addictive.

Sound of Music - One More Lonely Night (Alpha Records) Sweden publ. EMI Music, tel. 8-646200, Master owner: contact Sanji Tandan at Alpha, 8-7300400. A very commercial single, aiming at the mainstream Top 40 market. Strong vocals in a synthesizerdominated production. A sound evoking comparisons with Abba, which isn't surprising since the son of Abba's Benny Andersson, Peter Gronvall, produces and writes most of the songs for SOM and nearly plays all the instruments. SOM is one of the 3 acts that Alpha has for the Swedish finals for the Eurovision Song Contest. If they win, they could take Europe by storm.

Randy Bishop - Two Hearts On The Loose (Aura Records) UK publ. The Grand Pasha. Master owner: Aura, tel. 1-7413197.

A very powerful offering from this Portland, Oregon born musician. Both in looks and music, a strong resemblance to Bryan Adams; a hook-laden song, a killer production (Spencer Proffer) and a line-up of good musicians like Earl Slick (Bowle's fretman) and Frankie Banalli (Quiet Riot). Not mere imitation of American AOR, but with just the right mix of familiar ingredients to create an excit-

Pernilla Wahlgren - Love On You (Alpha Records) Sweden. publ. Warner Brothers Music, tel. 8-7687150/4844. Master owner: Alpha, tel. 8-7300400. Commercial MOR pop produced by Chris Porter (known for his works with Wham!), this week new at 13 in the Swedish charts. The songs lean on a slight reggae-tinged rhythm supporting a bright sing-a-long chorus, certainly appealing for the Benelux and Germany. The writer of the song, Simon Darlow, worked for UK duo Dollar and recently on the latest Grace Jones album.

Juan Ban - Con Las Luces Apagadas (Discos Victoria) Spain. publ. and master owner: Discos Victoria, tel. 1-4355084/4355130 (contact Gerhard Haltermann). Euro-disco with rocky overtones. Spanish singer Juan Ban mixes Modern Talking-like vocals with Southern melodramatic effects. Euro-beats lead into a fairly traditional guitar solo at the end.

Richenel - L'Esclave Endormi (Megadisc) Holland publ. Allo Musique/Roadster Music. Master owner: Megadisc, tel. 20-642223

Dutch indie Megadisc with the first release of Amsterdam body artist Richenel, who plays, both in visuals and in lyrics with the man/woman images. This is a colourful and exotic production against which the termented, opera-like vocals show to full advantage. Too eccentric for Top 40 programmers, but a must for those on the look out for something different. UK indie 4AD will release and the master and publ. is available on the Continent excl. Benelux.

Kent - Cosimo Liparti (Barclay) France

publ. Kent, tel. 78-396581. Master owner: Barclay, tel. 1-45811185

A very pretty and good natured party melody, with an effective accordion and some clear vocals. The best track from the mini-album Embalao, from this audio-visual French artist Kent, who also designed the innersieeve. And although Barclay released the track On Veut Des Heros as the single, we think this one has the best chances abroad.

Joachim Witt - Moonlight (D.G.G.) Germany.

publ. Chappell Music, tel. 40-441531. Master owner: contact Mrs. Polly Schlodtmann at DGG, tel. 40-3087441.

German pop star who reached high levels of success during the days of the New German Wave (on the WEA label). Change of label, change of style. Witt is now fully embodied in the synthi-pop mainstream, more Top 40 orientated than ever From his English language album Moonlight

Secret Service - When The Night Closes In (Sonet) Sweden.

publ. Cloudberry Songs. Master owner: Sonet, tel. 8-7670150. 5-Piece Swedish pop act with their follow-up to 'Let Us Dance Just A Little Bit More', one of our euro-crossover picks this summer and currently getting good radio reactions in France at the moment (licensed on Vogue). 'When The Night' is a winsome pop tune backed up with some fine melodic arrangements.

Matia Bazar - Angelina (Ariston) Italy.

publ. Ariston Music. Master owner: Ariston, tel. 2-9846974.

High classy pop from a band that established their name a few years back with the beautiful track 'Vacanze Romane'. We were always strong followers of this majestic band and this new single only confirms our belief: a stirring song with strong vocals from Antonella Ruggiero. From the LP 'Melancholia'.

TUNING IN



Monique Emmen - Music Box Monique Emmen is the presenter of Time Out For Holland, an ID TV - Music Box Coproduction, broadcast every Thursday at 11.00, 17.00 and 23.00.

"Apart from the usual hits and clips, our purpose is to spotlight internationally unknown Dutch groups and help them by giving them the chance to do a clip which they couldn't afford to do themselves. Also we tape a lot of live concerts and my favourite so far is the Blues Rock festival in Tegelen featuring a.o. Ivy & The Terrace Stones. People living out of Holland like the show too as we receive so many letters and fanmail. I'm very interested in today's music and I enjoy informing people about it since music after all influences people a great deal. Concerning Time Out For Holland we plan to after the form of presentation, doing it with a new humoristic view. creating funny characters, sketches. All of this and more if the future budget allows us to...

As for Euro-crossover groups, I'm still very fond of already established groups like Mai Tai, excellent singers combined with trendy music, and Time Bandits, all good musicians complemented by the unusual voice of lead singer and composer Alides Hidding (who is at the moment busy writing stuff for Julio Iglesias). They are really good and therefore already recognized by audiences in several countries throughout the world. Another not so well known group that really deserves some international attention is Media. I found their single "Under Your Wings" astonishing. In my opinion Mr. Mister is capable of establishing itself throughout Europe as one of the superbands during the rest of the 80's and Simply Red and Feargal Sharkey could be very big in the States, Amongst my personal faves are Hall and Oats, Prince, Tina Turner and The Tubes. The greatest clip ever for me is Special AKA with "What I Like Most About You", really funny!"

- Highlights=

UNITED KINGDOM

A-Ha for the 2nd week at 1 closely followed by the surprise hit of this year, Nana Mouskouri's Only Love. Walk of Life sticks at 3 and after having hit the UK top 10 8 times last year (!), Madonna collects her first Top 10 UK single with Borderline, from The First Album. After entering last week at 28, Billy Ocean brings his theme to The Jewel Of The Nile up to no. 6. More dramatic moves for Sarah Brightman & Steve Harley's The Phantom Of The Opera (12-21), James Brown (19-31), Clannad & Bono (20-29) and Whitney Houston (23-36). Simple Minds have at the moment 3 singles charted in the UK: Sanctify Yourself new at 17, Alive And Kicking at 99 and Don't You at 77. 2nd best entry for Ozzy Osbourne with his single Shot In The Dark new at 29.

GERMANY

Despite the ban, Falco's Jeanny holds at 1 (and his LP at 2). CBS act Muenchener Freiheit is up to no. 2 putting West End Girls back to no. 3. Straight in the Top 10 come A-Ha (5-21) and another Top 10 entry for Bronski Beat (8-14). The Rocky theme Burning Heart by Survivor moves up to 16 (from 23) followed by Dire Straits' Walk Of Life (17-33). Highest entry for local production Karel Gott & Darinka- Fang Das Licht (30). Other entries for Max-Him (Italian disco on Zyx), Collins & Martin, C.C. Catch, Billy Ocean, Sade and WEA act Paso Doble.

FRANCE

A new no. 1 as *Papa Chanteur* replaces Jean-Jacques Goldman's *Je Te Donne* from the no. 1 spot. Papa Chanteur is a lovely chanson and we even heard it on the Dutch NOS Avondspits from Frits Spits. While Pierre Bachelet (*L'An 2001*), A-Ha and C. Jerone

maintain their positions from last week, *Maria Magdalena* shoots up the French charts everywhere and is this week at no. 6 (from 9). Italian production *I'm A Lover* is a breaker as well (8-11) and the single is a hit in Belgium as well. Further good moves for Sting, Noe Willer (*Femme Publique*), The Communards (21-31), The Cure (32-43), Kate Bush (33-41) and Wham! (new at 48).

HOLLAND

After a long domination by Elton John's Nikita Feargal Sharkey has finally taken over and moved to the top in the Dutch chart, Mr. Mister is now completely 'broken' and moves up with a bullet to no. 3 while the Pet Shop Boys follow at 4. The Dutch are very keen on the Clemons & Browne corporation. You're A Friend Of Mine moves up from 9 to 7. The Madonna-like Baby Talk by Alisha is another mover (8-11) as are Anita Meyer & Lee Towers (the two popular singers in Holland in a love duet), Billy Ocean (10-15), the Italian tv tune (Discoring) We Just by Moses, female trio Mai Tai with Female Intuition from 25 to 14 and the Jamaican reggae topper Girlie Girlie by Sophia George in a good move from 26 to 16. Highest entry for the 'Those Where The Days'inspired Moscow Nights by Anya. Anya plays Nikita in the Elton John video.

AUSTRIA

Sportstars making pop records seems to be the fashion in Austria. Hans Orsolecs (ex-European box champion in 1972) is in the top with Mea Potsch Erts Leben (My Unlikely Life) and Hans Krankl (football star) has with his Lonely Boy a chart topper as well, so reports Walter Groebchen of OE3. Other chart busters for Falco, Jennifer Rush and STS.

SPAIN

Stevie Wonder continues his chart supremacy with Part-Time Lover already for 11 weeks at no. 1! Apart from Stevie, especially Madonna's Groove and Propaganda's P. Machinery are the top sellers in Spain. The biggest move in the Spanish chart is Bruce 'Springsteen's Janey, Don't You Lose Heart, the B-side of I'm Goln' Down, a single not released in all European countries. It moves up this week from 16 to 4. Another good move for local act Sergio Y Estibaliz with their Cantinero De Cuba (5-12). Sandra is doing very well with her first single Maria Magdalena moving up from 22 to 13 while Arcadia's Election Day follows straight after (14-19).

SWEDEN

Lionel Richie stays at 1 and he is followed by the Swedish act Imperiet and Jennifer Rush's Power Of Love. Starship make a good move to 6 (from 9) and Elton John hits Top 10 (10-12). Highest entry for Pete Tewnshend at 15 and other entries include Mr. Mister and the Italian Hi-NRG production Tonight by Ken Lazlo.

NORWAY

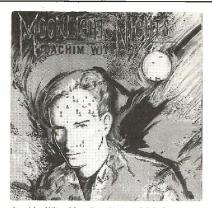
Three soloists hit the top in Norway being Lionel Richie, Elton John, and Bryan Adams (still with his *Christmas Time* song). Other popular singles include Jennifer Rush (*Power Of Love*), West End Girls and the second A-Ha single.

On the album front it is Jennifer Rush's first album that tops the album chart followed by Elton John, A-Ha and Bryan Adams.

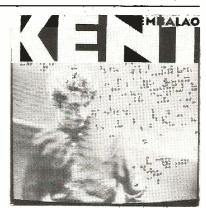
EURO-TALENT TO WATCH



Indochine - Indochine- Ariola France
This album is already out for a few months but has become topical again due to the release of the new single *3eme Sexe*, a strong song with a driving beat and a pleasant course. On tracks like *Cannery Bay* and *A L'Assaut* this solid mix of new wave and rock is continued. Check 'em out!



Joachim Witt - Moonlight Nights- DGG Germany The German new wave rocker recently changed labels and henceforth a change in style: from casual new wave to contemporary Top 40. English lyrics will certainly help. The whole album breathes a very international atmosphere. Best tracks: Cool Down, Moonlight and How Will, I Know.



Kent - Embalao- Barclay France
The track *Cosimo Liparti* is one of our favourites in the New Talent section. His music seems to be a logical extension of his abilities as a cartoonist: funny and comic pop music with a lot of musical 'gags'. Check out good natured tracks like *On Veut Des Heros* and *Bamileke*.

EUROPEAN PLAYLIST REPORTS

U.K. RADIO AIRPLAY REPORT

Most played records in England during the week of publication on the following stations: BBC 1, BBC 2, Capital Radio, Radio London and the major independents.

- 1. Dire Straits- Walk Of Life
- 2. James Brown- Living In America
- 3. A-Ha- The Sun Always Shines On TV
- Mr. Mister- Broken Wings Simple Minds- Sanctify Yourself Aretha Franklin-Who's Zoomin' Who

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 Eurythmics- It's Airight (Baby's Coming Back)
 Fine Young Cannibals- Suspicious Minds
 Billy Ocean- When The Going Gets Tough
 Feargal Sharkey- You Little Thief
 Pet Shop Boys- West End Girls
 The Alarm- Spirit Of '76
 Cherrelle- Saturday Love
 Double- The Captain Of Her Heart
 Talk Talk- Life's What You Make It
 Latin Quarter- Radio Africa
 Lloyd Cole & The Commotions- Cut Me Down
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- 19. The Damned- Eloise
- 20. The Costello Show- Don't Let Me Be Misunderstood

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- 1. Muenchener Freiheit- Ohne Dich Schlaf Ich Heut Nacht
 2. Pet Shop Boys- West End Girls
 3. A-Ha- The Sun Always Shines On TV
 4. Heinz Rudolf Kunze- Dein Ist Mein Ganzes Herz
 5. Dire Straits- Walk Of Life
 6. Eurythmics- It's Alright (Baby's Coming Back)
 7. Sandra- In The Heat Of The Night
 8. Milke Oldfield- Pictures In The Dark
 9. Elton, John, Nikita

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- 10. Lionel Richie- Say You, Say Me
- 11. Mr. Mister- Broken Wings
- 12. Feargal Sharkey- A Good Heart
- 13. Dionne & Friends- That's What Friends Are For
- 14. Sting-Russians
- 15. Wham!- I'm Your Man

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 Jennifer Rush- Destiny
 Starship- We Built This City
 Bronski Beat- Hit That Perfect Beat
 Billy Ocean- When The Going Gets Tough
 Mr. Mister- Kyrie

Tips: Century- Lover Why: Double- Tomorrow; Cock Robin- The Promise You Made; ZZ Top- Stages

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Radios Peripheriques (AM Stations):

- 1. A-Ha-Take On Me
- Michel Sardou- Chanteur De Jazz
 Stevie Wonder- Part-Time Lover
- Jean-Jacques Goldman- Je Te Donne
- 5. Michel Berger- Y'A Pas De Honte
- Johnny Hallyday- Quelque Chose De Tennessee
- Andrea-I'm A Lover
- 8. Daniel Balavoine- L'Aziza
- Simply Red- Money's Too Tight To Mention
 Rose Laurens- Quand Tu Pars
- 10. Hose Laurens- Quain to Pais
 11. Eddy Mitchell & Serge Gainsbourg- Vieille Canaille
 12. Renaud- Miss Maggie
 13. Jean-Luc LaHaye- Papa Chanteur
 14. Elton John- Nikita
 15. Telephone- Le Jour S'Est Leve

- 16. Mader- Jalousie 17. Alain Souchon- C'est Comme Vous Voulez
- 18. Gold- Capitaine Abandonne
- 19. The Communards You Are My World
- 20. Matt Bianco-Yeh Yeh

Badios FM:

- 1. Daniel Balavoine- L'Aziza
- 2. Matt Bianco- Yeh Yeh
- 3. Indochine- 3eme Sexe 4. A-Ha- Take On Me
- Simple Minds- Alive And Kicking
- Madonna- Dress You Up
- Double- The Captain Of Her Heart
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 Sade- The Sweetest Taboo
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SUUCOUONO NEDERLANDSE I OP 40

Airplay checked on Radio 1, 2 and 3, the Dutch National Pop Channels. For a complete up-to-date report contact Stichting Nederlandse Top 40, PO Box 706, 1200 AS Hilversum. Tel. (0)35 - 231647.

- 1. Mai Tai- Fernale Intuition
 2. Simple Minds- Sanctify Yourself
 3. Anita Meyer & Lee Towers- Run To Me
 4. Mr. Mister- Broken Wings
 5. James Brown- Living in America
 6. Pet Shop Boys- West End Girls
 7. Wil Tura- De Zee
 8. Fearral, Sharkey A. Good Heart

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- 10. Talking Heads- And She Was
- 11. Elton John- Nikita
- 12. Waterboys- The Whole Of The Moon
- 13. Drum Theatre- Eldorado
- 14. Simply Red-Holding Back The Years
 15. Eurythmics- It's Alright (Baby's Coming Back)
 16. David Grant & Jaki Graham- Mated
- 17. The Smithereens- You Is A Guaratee For Love
 18. Sophia George- Girlie Girlie
 19. Alisha- Baby Talk
 20. Gino Vanelli- Hurts To Be In Love

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- Lionel Richie- Say You, Say Me Erste Allgemeine Verunsicherung- Ba-Ba-Bankueberfall
- Elton John-Nikita
- Georgie Red- Help The Man
- Mr. Mister- Broken Wings
- Manfred Holub- Ball fm All
- Paul McCartney- Spies Like Us
- Clarence Clemons & Jackson Browne- You're A Friend Of Mine
- 9. Dionne & Friends- That's What Friends Are For
- 10. Kool & The Gang- Emergencey

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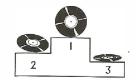
The 15 best played records in Spain from Cuarenta Principales:

- 1. Bruce Springsteen- Janey, Don't You Lose Heart 2. Hombres G- Dejad Que Las Ninas Se Acerquen A Mi
- Elton John- Nikita Katrina & The Waves- Que Te Quiero Madonna- Dress You Up
- Nacha Pop- Grite Una Noche
- Arturo Pareja Obregon- Sevilla
- Stevie Wonder- Go Home
- 9. Burning- No Pares De Gritar 10. Cock Robin- When Your Heart Is Weak
- Los Elegantes- Soy Tremendo
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11. Arcadia- Election Day

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UNITED KINGDOM	The Sun Always Shines On TV AHa (Warner Brothers)	Only Love Nana Mouskoun (Carrere/Philips)	Walk Of Life Dire Strats (Vertico)
GERMANY	Jeanny Falco (Gig)	Ohne Dich Schlaf Ich Heut Nacht Muenchener Freiheit (CBS)	West End Girls Pet Shop Boys (Parlophone)
FRANCE	Papa Chanteur Jean-Luc LaHaye (Romance M/Phonogram)	Je Te Donne Jean-Jacques Goldman (Epic)	L'An 2001 Pierre Bachelel (RCA)
ITALY	Take On Me	Diamond	Election Day
	A-Ha (Warner Brothers)	Via Verdi (WEA)	Arcadia (Parlophone)
SPAIN	Part-Time Lover Stevie Wonder (Motown)	Into The Groove	P. Machinery Propaganda (ZTT/Island)
HOLLAND	A Good Heart	Nikita	Broken Wings
	Feargal Sharkey (Virgin)	Elton John (Rocket)	Mr. Mister (RCA)
BELGIUM	In The Heat Of The Night	Say You, Say Me	I'm A Lover
	Sandra (Virgin)	Lionel Richie (Molown)	Andrea (Beby Records)
SWEDEN	Say You, Say Me Lionel Richie (Motown)	Briggen Blue Bird	The Power Of Love Jennifer Rush (CBS)
DENMARK	Op Pa Fars Hat Walter & Carlo (Replay)	Halli Hallo Johnny Reimar (Eldorado)	Rigtige Maend
NORWAY	Say You, Say Me	Nikita	Christmas Time
	Lionel Richie (Motown)	Elton John (Rocket)	Bryan Adams (A&M)
FINLAND	Kunnian Kentot	I'm Your Man	Maria Magdalena
	Dingo (Krok)	Wham! (Epic)	Sandra (Virgin)
IRELAND	Walk Of Life Dire Straits (Vertigo)	The Sun Always Shines On TV A-Ha (Warner Brothers)	Broken Wings Mr Mister (RCA)
SWITZERLAND	Jeanny	Say You, Say Me	A Good Heart
	Fatoo (Gig)	Lionel Richie (Motown)	Feargel Sharkey (Virgin)
AUSTRIA	Jeanny	The Power Of Love	Goe, Du Bleibst Heut Nacht Bei Mir
	Falco (Gig)	Jennifer Rush (CBS)	STS (Amadeo)
GREECE	Take On Me	Say You, Say Me	Cheri Cheri Lady
	A Ha (Warner Brothers)	Lionel Richie (Motown)	Modern Talking (Hansa/Ariola)
PORTUGAL	Nikita	Say You, Say Me	Christmas Time
	Elton John (Rocket)	Lionel Richie (Motown)	Bryan Adams (A&M)

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RECORDS OF THE WEEK:

MARILYN MARTIN- NIGHT MOVES (Atlantic) MR. MISTER- KYRIE (RCA)

THE COSTELLO SHOW- DON'T LET ME BE MISUNDERSTOOD (F-Beat) TALKING HEADS- AND SHE WAS (EMI)

SURE HITS:

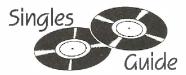
PIL- RISE (Virgin) BETTY WRIGHT- PAIN (Cooltempo) MIKE & THE MECHANICS- SILENT RUNNING (WEA Int.)

TEDDY PENDERGRASS & WHITNEY HOUSTON- HOLD ME (Asylum) PAUL HARDCASTLE- DON'T WASTE MY TIME (Chrysalis) CHARLIE SEXTON- BEATS SO LONELY (MCA)

EURO-CROSSOVER RECORDS:

DEN HARROW- BAD BOY (Baby Records Italy)

VICTOR LAZLO- SWEET SOFT 'N' LAZY (Vogue)



After the Norwegians ruled the Hot 100 for 9 weeks, this week Russians have taken over the power in Europe. It took Sting exactly 8 weeks to achieve this feat. The competition however is strong with Mr. Mister moving from 6 to 3, coinciding with their European promotour and the second A-Ha single also moving up 3 places and definitely bound for higher positions the coming week. Chart action continues with both Dire Straits and Talk Talk hitting Top 10 this week.

Apart from moving up 3 places in the Hot 100, Mr. Mister have their new single Kyrie entering the Airplay Top 50 at 28 (highest entry this week) and to top it all, they have again for the second week best played single in Europe leaving A-Ha and Pet Shop Boys behind.

Film themes are doing very well this week with Billy Ocean's When The Going moving up to 13 (from 48) and the two Rocky IV themes making dramatic moves as well: James Brown's Living In America is already up to 14 (from 34) and the obvious hit track Burning Heart by Survivor beating in as this week's highest entry at 19.

After their smashes Don't You and Alive And Kicking Simple Minds are back again with the big beats, Sanctify Yourself as 2nd highest entry at 42. As expected England and the Benelux were the first to chart the single in its first week and no doubt the rest of Europe will follow next week.

This is definitely the season of re-releases and covers (see London Calling section) and one record that has good chances of doing better the second time around is the Mike & The Mechanics track Silent Running, now being re-promoted to tie in with the upcoming film Dangerous Ground in which it features. Another re-issue for the 7 piece Londonbased band Latin Quarter signed to Rockin Horse Records, distributed by Arista. The Radio Africa single in fact dates from September '84 when it was released on the band's own Ignition label.

The Costello Show (yes, Elvis Costello) have a very popular single in the UK at the moment with a moody rendition of the 1965

Animals track Don't Let Me Be Misunderstood, produced by Texan Henry (T-Bone) Burnett. It is also worth checking the b-side as well, Baby's Got A Brand New Hairdo, typically Costello up-tempo Mersey pop. The 12" features as a bonus the c&w-tinged Get Yourself(A)Fool, produced by Nick Lowe.

With the love duet between Phil Collins & Marilyn Martin moving up the Hot 100 this week to 28 (from 44), Martin now comes up with her own single on Atlantic Records entitled Night Moves. The single is definitely not a continuation of the sound on Separate Lives as this single features a vocal cross section between Pat Benatar and Olivia Newton-John; a very strong AOR- based song that could do very well in Europe.

Johnny Rotten's group Public Image Limited (PIL) release their first single for over 2 years entitled Rise. The single was recorded in the New York Powerstation Studio and produced by Bill Laswell. Mr. Lydon is expected to visit Europe for promotional work very

Very good reactions for What You Need the second single from the Listen Like Thieves album by the Australian INXS. This rough and funky track gets good reactions in Europe and enters the Airplay Top 50 at 43.

To tie in with the current success of Whitney Houston, Asylum released the old slow and soulful duet of her with Teddy Pendergrass, Hold Me.

the Singles route

Most recommended singles not yet showing in the European Hot 100.

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Years Later (MCA)
Bangles
Manic Monday (CBS)
Cock Robin Cock Robin

The Promise You Made (CBS) Patris (

Love Oasis (MDM/Emergency)

Drum Theatre Eldorado (Epic).

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It Hurts To Be Love (Dreyfoss) The Arrows

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Mr. Mister 1) Kyrie (RCA)

Blue Kiss (I.R.S.)

Sheila E. 2 A Love Bizarre (Warner Brothers) Jennifer Holiday (Marker Holiday) No Frills Love (Geffen)

Todd Rundgren (Something To Fall Back On (Warner)
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Moscow Nights (Rocket)

Rochelle (My Magic Man (Warner Brothers) Charlie Sexton Beats So Lonely (MCA)

Chris Isaak Living For Your Lover (Warner Brothers)
The Winans
Let My People Go (Qwest)

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euro-crossover

Records by continental European Artists with strong crossover potential for other markets.

Erste Allgemeine Verunsicherung

Ba-Ba-Bankueberfall (EMI Austria) Mai Tai 2
Female Intuition (CNR Holland)

Sound Of Music

One More Lonely Night (Alpha Records Sweden)

The Captain Of Her Heart (Metronome Germany) *
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Dein ist Mein Ganzes Herz (WEA Germany)

Falco 6 Jeanny (Gig Austria) Andrea

Andrea : 4 I'm A Lover (Baby Records Italy) Via Verdi & Via Verdi & Diamond (WEA Italy)

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Two People In A Room (WEA)

A-Ha () The Sun Always Shines On TV (Warner)

Pernilla Wahlgren : 4 Love On You (Alpha Records Sweden)

Secret Service ()
When The Night Closes In (Sonet Sweden)
Den Harrow (

Bad Boy (Baby Records (taly)

T.X.T. Cold As Ice (CBS Germany)
Cocciante & Thibeault Question De Feeling (Virgin France) =

又 Victor Lazlo \의 Sweet, Soft 'n' Lazy (Vogue Belgium)

Silver Pozzoli X Step By Step (Many Records Italy)