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#### NO FREE SAMPLES FOR GERMAN RADIOS

RTL And Others Affected

by Cathy Inglis

Four major German record companies last week decided to discontinue sending samples to a number of radio stations. Banned from free samples are all independent commercial stations throughout the country as well as German speaking stations abroad.

One of the major radio stations to be affected is RTL Luxembourg which has 7 million listeners and has been in business with these record companies for over 30 years. Also hit is Belgischen Rund-

funk (BRF), the German speaking station in Belgium as well as all cable stations. EMI, CBS and Intercord stopped sending samples as from 1st of March and WEA will follow suit on 1st of April.

A serious problem according to Manfred Zumkeller, managing director WEA, is the fact that RTL Luxembourg and BRF are not contributing to the GVL, the broadcasting fees required from radio stations. Another factor is the dramatic increase in private radio stations (continued on page 3)

# BERTELSMANN PLANS EXPANSION RECORD SALES, PROFITS IN 84/85

by Jim Sampson

Munich- Europe's biggest media conglomerate, Bertelsmann AG is entering a period of expansion and acquisition following a 'consolidation' phase which in fiscal 1984/85 produced record sales (up 10.8%) and profits (up 16.6%).

Over one billion dollars has been committed to maintain and expand the firm's market position over the next three years, with an additional 900 million dollar cash reserve. Much of this will be spent outside Germany (where cartel laws limit growth by acquisition) and in the mushrooming new division 'electronic media'.

Launched just last summer, the electronic media division includes Bertelsmann's 40% share in RTL-plus television, the UFA-radio-film-

tv subsidiary, Ariolasoft computer software plus the new media manufacturing facilities of Sonopress (which, for example, will turn out 10 million compact discs during 1986).

The division's 1984/85 turnover, according to the just-released annual report, was 191 million marks. Bertelsmann's three-year investment plan allots at least DM 200 million for this area. This year, the firm is taking a DM 44 million startup loss in its electronic media involvement.

Monti Lueftner's music and video division showed an 8% revenue rise in 84/85 to DM 531.9 million. German Ariola reported a 22% sales hike, with a "strong position... and sales growth" in Mexicontinued on page 3)

# MUSIC & MEDIA

# BRITISH GOVN. FINALLY AGREES ON TAPE LEVY

Audio Tapes Taxed, Videos Unhit

by Mike Hennessey

According to political commentators in London, the UK government is set to impose a levy on blank audio tapes once legislation goes through Parliament but will not include video tapes in its tongawaited update on copyright law.

It's said that the government accepts that most video recording is for "time shift" use when programmes recorded off air are watched once and then erased. It seems that the government has, at

long last and after several changes of policy direction, accepted that music recordings are often a direct substitute for pre-recorded buys and that the UK record industry is losing an estimated £ 80 million a year from lost sales.

The "informed sources" believe that the updated Copyright Act will set an audio tape at around 10% of retail price, which would raise something like £ 10 million from annual British blank tapes (continued on page 3)



Mike & The Bangles- The sunny American quartet Bangles are in the middle of an extensive European promotour to support their latest single Manic Monday already Top 20 in Europe. They are pictured with producer Mike Leckebush of the ARD programme Musikladen/Eurotops, a bi-weekly 25 minutes programme based on the European Hot 100 as compiled by EMR.



# european AIRPLAY top 50

The EUROPEAN AIRPLAY TOP 50 is compiled 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 playists of the major redictional countries are also used in the calculations, as well as playists of the major redictional countries are also used in the calculations.

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25	45	2	Digging Your Scene The Blow Monkeys - RCA (RCA Music)	50	)	29	3	Cry To Heaven Elton John - Rocket (Big Pig Music)

# HOT RADIO ADDS The new hot radio adds on Euro-radio just prior to publication

STEVIE WONDER- OVERJOYED (Motown)
JENNIFER RUSH- IF YOU'RE EVER GONNA LOSE MY LOVE (CBS)
KIK! DEE- ANOTHER DAY COMES (Columbia)
JOE COCKER- SHELTER ME (Capitol)

# - Highlights=

#### UNITED KINGDOM

David Bowie has highest entry this week with a spectacular jump at no. 8, the second best single entry in England this year (Sigue Sigue Sputnik had highest entry two weeks ago with Love Missile entering at no. 7). As expected Culture Club, Howard Jones and Rolling Stones have new entries as well this week. Moving Away comes in at 17, No One Is To Blame at 23 and Harlem Shuffle at 27. In the english charts everything seems to be possible and the re-released New York, New York by Frank Sinatra ends up at no. 4 in a good. The red haired Jim Diajump from 10. mond, once the singer of PhD, scores another UK hit with Hi Ho Silver (6-16). While Diana Ross sticks at no. 1 the Manic Bangles come very close by (2-4). Brooklyn trio Whistle have the best disco selling single in England at the moment and Just Buggin' (Champion) enters the top ten at 7 (from 14). Prince's new funk tune Kiss climbs steadily to the top (13-27) as do Mr. Mister (18-29), Hipsway (22-31), Blow Monkeys (20-32), Freddie Jackson (26-36) and Pet Shop Boys (31-52).

#### **GERMANY**

Modern Talking for 2nd week at no. 1 and no real changes in the Top 10 apart from Sheila E. entering top 10 with the (Prince co-written) tune A Love Bizarre(9-16). The new Sandra Little Girl climbed in 2 weeks up to no. 40 (from 64!) and Bad Boys Blue move up again with Kisses And Tears (one of our Eurocrossover tips last week; 27-36).

The formation Mike & The Mechanics centered around Genesis' Mike Rutherford, are 'slently' taking Europe by storm. Following a Top 10 hit in the USA and a np. 21 position in the UK, the single now enters at 28 (highest entry this week). Bang Bang Bangles! Manic Monday enters at 29. After some very good exposure on the national Formel Eins TV and some good airplay, the Pearson Family, a.k.a. Five Star have their first German it with System Addict (new at 33). RCA Germany is also very pleased with the album en-

try of Accept, entering straight in at no. 10! Other entries for Bruce & Bongo (48; see New Talent section), Saphir, the Portrait/Epic signing *Picknick At The White House* (55) and Secret Service, also one of our New Talent tips new at 59.

#### FRANCE

Daniel Balavoine is at no. 1 with L'Aziza. He is followed by Sting and the charity single Les Restos Du Coeur. Apart from Balavoine there are two new additions to the top 10: Survivor at 8 from 16 and Elton John's Nikita (9-14). The fastest movers however are lower down the charts. The other Rocky IV hit by James Brown has climbed to 27 from 47, local artist Marie Dauphin's Biblioc has risen to 24 from 40 and the children's song, performed by Stefanie Et Les Enfants De Bondy, which entered the charts last week is already at 29.

#### HOLLAND

Although Billy Ocean is still at no. 1, Madonna is continuing her steady rise and Borderline has this week reached second position. Falco's Jeanny and Mr. Mister's Kyrie have moved into the top 10 and lower down the charts, Clannad & Bono are climbing well (15-23) as are Whitney Houston (17-26) and Ken Lazlo (19-32). The Rolling Stones have highest new entry (16) while other entries include Etton John's Cry To Heaven, Modern Talking's Brother Louie, Starship's Sara and Simply Red's Jericho.

#### SPAIN

Lionel Richie remains at no. 1 followed by Sandra's Maria Magdalena (up from 4) and Propaganda's P. Machinery. Local product Ole Ole is climbing up the charts with Lili Marlen (6-12), as are Alan Parsons's Stereotomy and Sade's Sweetest Taboo (18-27). The only new entry this week is Billy Ocean.

#### **SWITZERLAND**

In its 8th consecutive week, Falco's Jeanny still tops the Swiss charts and it is followed by

Modern Talking's Brother Loule which rises 4 notches and Survivor. Good moves this week for C.C. Catch's Cause You Are Young (8-15) and Muenchener Freiheit (12-28). Two Ariola distributed acts have entered the charts: Bad Boys Blue with Kisses And Tears and Feargal Sharkey's You Little Thief. Also new is Silent Circle's Touch In The Night. Depeche Mode, Matt Bianco, Mr. Mister's Kyrie, Whitney Houston's How Will I Know and Sandra's latest Little Girl are all bubbling under the Swiss charts.

#### ITALY

As anticipated, San Remo winner Eros Ramazzotti moves in it's 3rd week at the no. 1 spot of the Italian hitparade with Adesso Tu. Sting follows at two and Double creep up one place to no. 3. CBS singer Anna Oxa does extremely well with her single E Tutto Un Attimo (new at 4), And CBS continues its succes with Marcella whose single Senza Un Bricolo Di Testa enters at 5. Two Fonit Cetra acts are climbing the Italian charts, Loretta Goggi (lo-Nascero - new at 8) and Mango with Lei Verra climbing from 19 to 12. The San Remo festival improved sales on the national repertoire as lots of local talents are new in the top 30 this week: Christina D'Avena, Lena Biocati, Scialpi, Luca Barbarossa, Brividi.

#### **IRELAND**

Just as in the UK Chain Reaction is at 1 followed by Manic Mondayat 2 and the Irish top 10 nearly equals the English top 10 with good positions for Sigue Sigue Sputnik (3), Frank Sinatra (5), Bowie (new at 7) and Ocean at 10. New entries for Prince (11), Howard Jones (22) and Culture Club (25)

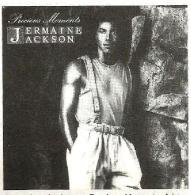
#### **SWEDEN**

Modern Talking jump in their 2nd week to the no. 1 spot and *Brother Louie* replaces Lionel Richie who drops to no. 3. Billy Ocean is new in the top ten (6-14) and Mute act Depeche Mode have highest entry at 10 with *Stripped*.

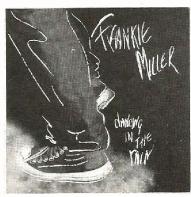
#### **TURNTABLE TIPS**



John Martyn - Piece By Piece-Island see last week's Albums Guide



Jermaine Jackson - Precious Moments- Arista see last week's Albums Guide



Frankie Miller - Dancing In The Rain- Mercury see Albums Guide issue 8



# EUROPEAN HOT 100 SINGLES

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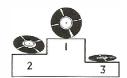


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# TOP3 in Europe



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GERMANY	Brother Louie Modern Talking (Hansa/Ariola)	Jeanny Falco (Gig)	When The Going Gets Tough
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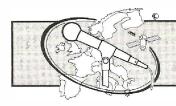
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#### **ALBUMS OF THE WEEK:**

JIMMY BARNES- JIMMY BARNES (Geffen)
PHILIP GLASS- SONGS FROM LIQUID DAYS (FM/CBS)
PRETTY IN PINK- OST (A&M)
JEWEL OF THE NILE- OST (Jive)

SIEBENBERG- GIANTS IN OUR OWN ROOM (A&M)
ALEXANDER O'NEAL- ALEXANDER O'NEAL (Tabu)
STAN RIDGEWAY- THE BIG HEAT (I.R.S.)
NICOLE- WHAT ABOUT ME? (Portrait/Epic)

#### the Albums route

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

John Martyn 🖊 Piece By Piece (Island) Frankie Miller 2 Dancing In The Rain (Mercury) Jermaine Jackson ᢃ Lives In The Balance (Arista) Marti Jones 🔄 Unsophisticated Time (A&M) Elvis Costello 1 King Of America (F-Beat) Don Dixon 左 Most Of The Girls Like To Dance (Mega Records) Jimmy Barnes Jimmy Barnes (Geffen) Talk Talk The Colour Of Spring (EMI) The Go-Betweens Liberty Belle (Beggars Banquet) Janet Jackson Control (A&M) Pretty In Pink () OST (A&M)
Black Sabbath featuring Tony Iomm. [2] Seventh Star (Vertigo) The Call 13
Reconciled (Elektra) Divinyls 🖳 What A Life! (Chrysalis) David Pack s Anywhere You Go (Warner Brothers) The Zummos (6 Nodern Marriage (A&M) Mental As Anything 🛝 (Fundamental) Jackson Browne ives in The Balance (Asylum) Marilyn Martin 14 Marilyn Martin (Atlantic) Rainbow 2.0 Finyl Vinyl (Polydor)

#### **ROCKY EXPLODES**

The Rocky IV Soundtrack remains one of the most exploding sales items this week and in no less than 13 European markets the album is moving up. With the exeption of France (16), Denmark (47) and Norway (13) the album is Top 5 everywhere. With the French market gradually opening up for the soundtrack, Rocky IV might even be a serious contender for the no. 1 spot (where Sade keeps her reigning position for the 14th consecutive week).

And yes Talk Talk did indeed hit Top 10 (9-12) and the album moves up in UK, Germany, Benelux, Italy and Denmark and is new in Sweden, Norway and Switzerland, The same applies to ELO, a good moving album and about to hit the Top 10 (11-25). This week's alburn chart is marked by lots of dynamic action and several new albums are shooting up. Cock Robin are one of them, with their selftitled LP from 61 to 32 and the battle continues with the American heavy metal act Metallica entering straight in at 33 with their new album Master Of Puppets. The band is well-known for its perfect match between fast and loudly played metal rock with a sophisticated production and this album continues in that line.

With new entries in Germany, Switzerland, Sweden and Norway and a fast climber in the UK, Jackson Browne jumps straight from 90 to 35, only in its 2nd week. 2nd best entry for Manfred Man's Earth Band whose new album Criminal Tango (on Virgin) is new at 38.

Be prepared for the debut album of Geffen's new signing, Tommy Keene. His

debut album Songs From The Film shows a mature songwriter that combines influences from the Byrds, R.E.M. and the Beatles with an 80's sensibility. Produced by Geoff Emerick (Wings, Costello), the album appeals both to the mainstream listeners as well as to those that are into the progressive type of music Places That Are Gone might be a good single and other strong tracks are Gold Town and the cover of the Lou Reed song Kill Your Sons. On your desk very soon!

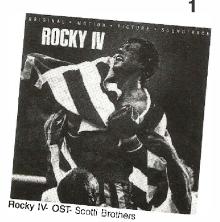
Also out on Geffen this week, an album that we reviewed a couple of weeks ago (see issue no. 6), the former Cold Chisel leadsinger Jimmy Barnes. An exciting new talent and out in Europe this week.

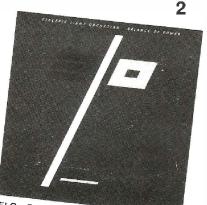
Pretty In Pink is the new soundtrack by Tom Hughes (who also penned The Breakfast Club). Released by A&M this week It is a strong collection of 80's talent. Check out O.M.D. (If You Leave), INXS (Do Wot You You), The Psychedelic Furs (the title track) and Suzanne Vega's Left Of Center, where she's backed up by Joe Jackson on piano. One of the better OSTs to emerge for a white.

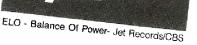
Our favourite indie-album at the moment comes from the Australian Go-Betweens who just signed with Beggars Banquet, Their 4th album carries the long title Liberty Belle And The Biack Diamond Express (the Black Diamond Express was an imaginary train that carried sinners in America's Wild West to Hell). The band finds the right balance between country-tinged pop and Tom Verlaine-like arrangements. Spring Rain, The Wrong Road and Twin Layers Of Lightning are the highlights of this excellent album.

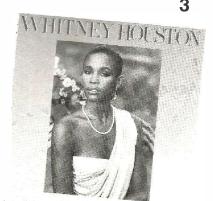
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This week's most played albums on European Radio.









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# euroclips

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**

Matt Bianco- Just Can't Stand It Billy Ocean- When The Going Gets Tough Whitney Houston- How Will I Know

#### **VIDEO HITS**

Paul Hardcastle- Don't Waste My Time Sting- Fortress Around Your Heart Cock Robin- The Promise You Made Diana Ross- Chain Reaction Feargal Sharkey- You Little Thief Simple Minds- Sanctify Yourself Survivor- Burning Heart Talking Heads- And She Was Mr. Mister- Kyrie James Brown- Living In America

#### **WELL AIRED**

Bangles- Manic Monday
David Bowie- Absolute Beginners
E.L.O.- Calling America
Eurythmics- It's Alright (Baby's Coming Back)
Fine Young Cannibals- Suspicious Minds
Starship- Sara
Mai Tai- Female Intuition
A-Ha- The Sun Always Shines On TV
Hipsway- The Honeythief
Falco- Jeanny

#### MEDIUM ROTATION

Madness- Sweetest Girl
Modern Talking- Brother Louie
Sandra- In The Heat Of The Night
Clannad & Bono- In A Lifetime
Double- The Captain Of Her Heart
Kissing The Pink- One Step
Elton John- Cry To Heaven
The Rolling Stones- Harlem Shuffle
Fra Lippo Lippi- Shouldn't Have To Be Like That
Madonna- Borderline
P.I.L.- Rise
Prefab Sprout- Johnny Johnny
Sade- Is It Crime

#### FIRST SHOWINGS

Culture Club- Move Away Sigue Sigue Sputnik- Love Missile F1-11

#### **TELEGENICS LAUNCHES CANADIAN AFFILIATE**

Telegenics inc., the largest closed circuit video programming network in the USA, has announced the official launch of its Canadian affiliate: Telegenics Canada (TC). Like its counterpart in the USA, TC will offer three new one hour compilations every month: danceable progressive rock, urban orientated dance video and a top 40 adult contemporary compilation. TC will concentrate on breaking new and innovative international acts. The company is headed by John Trivett, of Concept Music Video Ltd. Trivett began his career in radio as a dj and announcer, then turned to video promoting \*\*

Second Vision, the New York based company that developed the touring of long-form video has co-ordinated the tour for "Yes 9012Live The Movie". The film debuted last month at the Paradise in Boston, Mass. The Yes 90125 album was a breakthrough for the band, yielding the single which hit the no. 1 spot in the USA, "Owner Of A Lonely Heart." Yes' tour played to full houses throughout the US and was notable for its stuning sets and special laser effects. The film, shot in Edmonton Alberta, captures the essence of the stage ahow and features elaborate special effects courtesy of the award winning production company Charlex.



#### MUSIC BOX PLAYLIST

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

Sure shot: Depeche Mode; One to watch: Kissing The Pink- One Step; Heavy Action: Aretha Franklin; John Cougar Mellencamp; Animotion; Sigue Sigue Sputnik; Kate Bush; ZAPP; Elton John; Matt Bianco; Del Fuegos; Cock Robin; Mental As Anything; ZZ Top; Strange Cruise; Marc Almond; P.I.L.; Stevie Nicks; Sting; Feargal Sharkey; Mr. Mister; Junior; Simple Minds; Hipsway; Elvis Costello; Prefab Sprout; Frankle Miller; Todd Rundgren; Drum Theatre; Fra Lippo Lippi; Sade; James Brown; Mai Tai; Falco, Level 42; Talking Heads; Paul Hardcastle; Billy Ocean; Clannad And Bono; Pat Benatar; The Bangles; Starship; Lloyd Cole; Madness; Whitney Houston; A-Ha; Fine Young Cannibals; Survivor.



#### **SKY TRAX**

Sky Channel are presenting two weeks of Dutch music called: "Keeping In Touch With The Dutch". The main groups which will feature heavily are: G Race- Beat That Clock; Ten Sharp- Last Words; Frank Afsolter-The Way To Love; Original Taikatives- High Pressure; Star Sister- Just Another Night In New York City; Lee Towers & Anita Meyer- We've Got Tonight; Michelle- Looking Thru The Window; Time Bandits; Frank Boeyen; Het Goede Doel.



#### **DEEJAY TELEVISION**

Prod. Claudio Cecchetto & Valerio Gallorini

Video Deejays: Modern Talking; Hipsway; Alan Parsons Project; Police-Roxanne/ Message In A Bottle; Beach Boys- Surfing USA; Whitney Houston; Kissing The Pink; Madness; David Bowie; Falco; Mental As Anything- Big Wheel/ You Are So Strong/ Live It Up; Pino Daniele- Yes I Know My Way/ Ferry Boat/ Io Ne; Simple Minds; Bangles; Mai Tai; Dream Academy; Matt Bianco; Sting, Chartie Sexton; Video DJ: Hong Kong Syndikat- Too Much.



Countdown, the daily pop show on Europa TV

Countdown-satellite-smash: Culture Club; Countdown-most-aired-clips: Sigue Sigue Sputnik; Billy Ocean; Cock Robin; Madonna; Falco; ZZ Top; David Bowie; Rolling Stones; Countdown-studio: Whistle (Human Beatbox); Hot Chocolate; Time Bandits; Matt Bianco; Simply Red; Jermaine Jackson; The Cult; Mr. Mister; Paul Hardcastle; Talk Talk; Countdown-music-video-item: The making of We Are The World; Countdown-interview: ZZ Top; Jermaine Jackson.

#### UNITED KINGDOM

#### BBC RADIO 1 - London

The Great Rock 'N Roll Trivia Quiz: Amongst the contestants are No Limits presenter Jenny, Steve Strange; Skin from Hipsway, Adrian Thrills (Assistant Editor of New Musical Express), Carol Kenyon and Janice Long. My Top Ten: Alexei Sayle, the Liverpool comedian selects his ten all-time favourite music tracks, presented by Andy Peebles.

**BBC RADIO LONDON - London** 

Guy Hornsby- dj/prod.
Record of the week: Jocelyn Brown- Love's Gonna Get You; Adds: Atlantic Star- Secret Lovers; 52nd Street- ! Can't Let You Go; The Walkers- Hey don't Waste My Time; Sure hit: Stevie Wonder- Overjoyed; Album: Nicole-What About Me.

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

Climbers: Jackson Browne- For America; Cargo- Don't Step Your Love; Lonnie Hill- Galverstone Bay; Tipper Irie- Hello Darling; BAD-E-MC2; A-List: Blow Monkeys; Culture Club-Move Away; E.L.O.; Cliff Richard & The Young Ones- Living Doll; B-List: Cameo- A Goodbye; Hitlist- Into The Fire; Kissing The Pink- One Step, John Martyn- Lonely Love; The Real Thing- You To Me Are Everything.

RTL 208 - London Phil Ward Lange- dj Records of the week: Stevie Nicks; Eartha Kitt-This Is My Life; Chris Rea- It's All Gone; Bill Inis is My Life; Chris Hea- its All Gone; Bill Nelson- Wildest Dreams; Adds: Howard Jones- No One Is To Blame; Pogues-Poguetry Emotion; Total Contrast- The River; Rolling Stones- Harlem Shuffle; Real Thing You To Me Are Everything; Simply Red; Samantha Fox- Touch Me; BAD- E-MC2; Albums: Bryan Adams- Cuts Like A Knife; Bandles Bangles.

RADIO CITY- Liverpool Tony Newman-head of music

Record of the week: Diana Ross- Chain Reaction; Adds: Siouxie & The Banshees- The Can-dy Man; David Bowie- Absolute Beginners; Samantha Fox- Touch Me: Prince- Kiss: The Real Thing- You To Me Are Everything; Rolling Stones- Harlem Shuffle; Sinitta- So Macho; Blow Monkeys- Digging Your Scene; Album:

#### PICCADILLY RADIO - Manchester Mark Radcliffe- head of music

Record of the week: Sigue Sigue Sputnik-Love Missle F1-11; Adds: Bill Nelson- Wildest Dreams; Talk Talk- Living In Another World; The Housemartins-Sheep; David Bowie; Cliff Richard & The Young Ones- Living Doll.

**BRMB** - Birmingham Robin Valk- head of music

Adds: David Bowie; John Taylor- I Do What I Do; Julian Lennon- Stick Around; Perils Of Plastic- Ringading; Strange Cruise; Mint Tulips- Only Love Can Break Your Heart; Samantha Fox- Touch Me; Art Of Noise & Duayne Eddie- Peter Gun; Jackson Browne- For America; Clannad- Close To The Heart; Jane Wiedlin- Blue Kiss; Stevie Wonder- Overjoyed.

#### **RADIO CLYDE - Glascow** Richard Park- music controller

Record of the week: David Bowie; Adds: John Taylor- I Do What I Do; Bill Nelson- Wildest Dreams; Mechanical Men- Say The Word; Freddie Jackson- Rock Me Tonight; Cliff Richard & The Young Ones- Living Doll; Eartha Kitt- This is My Life; Album: E.L.O.

#### CHILTERN RADIO - Bedforshire Tom Hardy- head of music

Top 10 A-List: Culture Club- Move Away; Paul

Hardcastle; Huey Lewis- Do You Believe In Love, The Blow Monkeys; Billy Ocean; Elvis Costello- Brilliant Mistake; Diana Ross; Survivor- I Can't Hold Back; Kate Bush- The Hounds Of Love; Pet Shop Boys- Love Comes

SWANSEA SOUND - Wales

Andy Lee- head of music
Record of the week: Chris Rea- It's All Gone;
Adds: Bryan Adams- This Time; Survivor- I
Can't Hold Back; David Bowie; Rolling
Stones; Mint Tulips- Only Love Can Break Your
Heart; Samantha Fox- Touch Me; Pal- Talk We Don't; Talk Talk-Living In Another World; Real Thing-You To Me Are Everything.

#### **DEVON AIR - Exeter** Debbie Richards- head of music

Record of the week: Culture Club- Move Away; Ones to watch: Heart-These Dreams; Dee C. Lee- Come Hell Or Waters High; Howard Jones- No One Is To Blame; Album: Jackson Browne.

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

Record of the week: Samantha Fox- Touch Me; Adds: Survivor- I Can't Hold Back, David Bowle; Cliff Richard & The Young Ones-Living Doll; Clannad- Closer To The Heart; Talk Talk Living In Another World; Eartha Kitt- This Is My Lidfe; Barbra Streisand- Send In The Clowns; Sure hit; The Rolling Stones.

SOUTHERN SOUND RADIO - Brighton Lewis Borg-Cardona- head of music Record of the week: Prince- Kiss; Adds: The

Mint Tulips; Amazulu- Things The Lonely Do; John Martyn- Lonely Love; Strangers & Brothers- Sensational; Mental As Anything-Live It Up; Chris Rea; The March Violets- Turn To The Sky; The Crows-The Sun Went In; Rolling Stones; Jim Diamond; Talk Talk.

#### GERMANY

#### SWF - Baden Baden

Rainer Cabanis- head of music SWF3

Records of the week: Sting; Michael St. James-Feel My Love; Jennifer Rush- If You're Ever Gonna Lose My Love; Sure hits: Rolling Stones; Culture Club; Albums: Soundtrack-Out Of Africa; Lucia Dalla- Bugie.

SWF - Baden Baden Bruno Maeder- dj/producer

Ones to watch. Roger Daltry- Under A Raging Moon; James Taylor- Only One; The Blow Monkeys- Digging Your Scene; Front 242- No. Shuffle; Sure hit: Culture Club; Albums: The Call- Reconciled; Lucia Soundtrack- Young Blood. Dalla-

NDR - Hamburg Reinhold Kujawa- dj/producer

Sure hits: Starship; Alicia; Sheila E.

NDR - Hamburg Brigitte Rokkhol- dj

Album: Paul Roberts- City Without Walls.

NDR2 - Hamburg Mal Sondock- ind. dj/prod. Hit Oder Niete Adds: Culture Club; Pet Shop Boys; Grace Jones-Jones The Rhythm; Howard Jones-No One is to Blame; Prince; Jennifer Rush- If You're Ever Gonna Lose My Love; Album: Alan Parsons Project- Stereotomy; Mr. Mister-Welcome To The Real World.

NDR - Hamburg Volker Thormaehlen- dj/producer Ones to watch: Marius Muller-Westerhagen-

Wir Sitzen Alle In Einem Boot: Phil Carmen-Moonshine Still; Chris Rea- It's All Gone; Album: Jackson Browne.

WDR - Koln

Hans Holger Knocke- dj

Record of the week: Stones; Ones to watch: Rio Reiser- Alles Luege; Blow Monkeys- Digging Your Scene; Albums: John Lennon; NRBQ- At Jankee Stadium; Jackson Browne-Lives In The Balance.

SFB - Berlin

Juergen Juergens- dj/producer
Record of the week: Sandra- Little Girl; Sure
hit: Sigue Sigue Sputnik; Albums: Jackson
Browne; M. Mann's Earthband- Criminal Tango; Pers. Fave: Heinz Rudolf Kunze- Dies Ist Klaus; New talents to watch (LP's): Jimmy Barnes- J.B. Tommy Keene- Songs from The Film; Todd Sharp- Who Am I.

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

Record of the week: David Bowie; Adds: Nicole Don't You Want My Love; Leo Sayer-Unchained Melody; Hot Chocolate; San Seals-Bop; Sure hits: David Bowie; Leo Sayer; Albums: John Lennon- Live In New York City; Muenchener Freiheit- Von Anfang An.

RIAS 2 - Berlin

Rik De Lisle- dj/producer

Adds: Kiki Dee; Rolling Stones; David Bowie; Aldo Novo-Rumours Of You; Jennifer Rush-If You're Ever Gonna Lose My Love; John Cougar Mellencamp; Mike And The Mechanics; Joc Cocker- Don't You Love Me Anymore; Simply Red-Come To My Aid; Marshall Crenshaw; The Damned; Howard Jones; Stevie Wonder- Overjoyed; Heinz-Rudolf Kunze- Dies Ist Klaus; Talk Talk-Living In Another World.

RTL - Luxembourg Harald Rehmann- producer

Albums: John Martyn- Piece By Piece; Paolo Conte- Concerti; Marc Johnson.

RTL - Luxembourg Frank Eicher- producer

Record of the week: Blow Monkeys: Grace Jones- Junk Yard; Sure hit: Pet Shop Boys-Loves Comes Quickly; Album: Lucia Dalla.

RTL - Luxembourg

Honey Bee Benson- dj/producer

Record of the week: Chris Thompson-Bye Bye Love; Sure hit: Culture Club; Albums: Jermaine Jackson- Precious Moments, John Lennon; Floyd Joy.

BR - Munchen

Fritz Egner- dj/producer

of the month: Mr. Mister; Sheila E; Arcadia- The Promise; Adds: Little Richards-Great Gosh On Mighty; Culture Club, Album: Jackson Browne; Studio guests on my programme: Dee Snider from Twisted Sister, Joe Cocker, Herbert Groenemeyer.

BR - Munchen

Claus H. Kruesken- dj/producer

Record of the week: Diana Ross; Sure hits: Kissing The Pink- One Step; Pet Shop Boys; Adds: Sting- Moon Over Bourbon Street; Chris Rea; Album: Lucio Dalla- Bugie.

SDR - Stuttgart Hans Thomas- producer

Record of the week: Grace Jones- Jones The Rhythm; Sure hit: The Rolling Stones; Album: Smokey Robinson- Smoke Signals

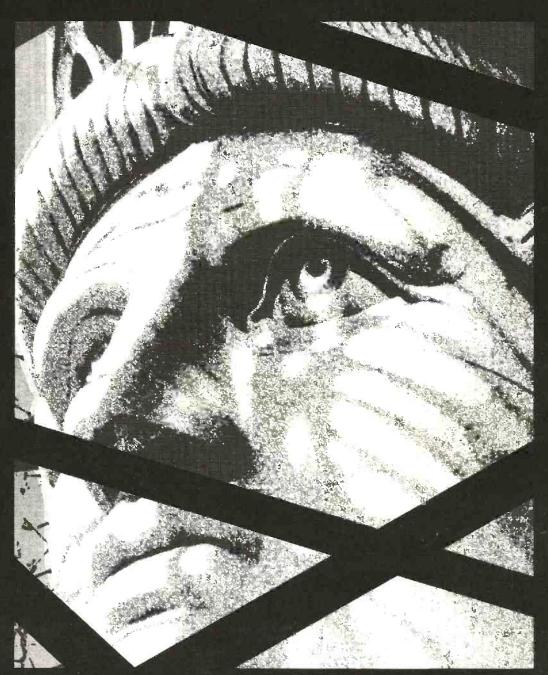
HR- Frankfurt

Joerg Eckrich- dj/producer

Albums: Manfred Mann's Earthband- Criminal Tango; Catch- Walk The Water; Jimmy Barnes-Jimmy Barnes; Special hard rock tip: Anthrax-Spreading The Disease; Ted Nugent- Little Miss Dangerous.

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#### CORRESPONDENT REPORTS

RB - Bremen

Axel P. Sommerfeld- dj Records of the week. The Housemartins-Sleep; Husker Du- I Don't Want To know; James- Chainmail; Pete Shelley; Albums: The Redskins- Neither Waiting; The Go-Betweens-Liberty Bell; Stan Ridgway- The Big Beat; Rio Reifer- Rio One.

BFBS - Koln Patrick Eade- musical dir.

Album: John Lennon- Live In N.Y.: Ones to watch: Dan Field- Bop; Phil Carmen- Moonshine Still; Rolling Stones; Culture Club; Prince.

VOICE OF EUROPE - Munich

More Or Europe - Manner Bernard - music director/dj Adds: Prince; E.L.O.; Top 5: Heart- These Dreams; John Cougar Mellencamp- R.O.C.K. In The USA; Mr. Mister; Elton John; Starship.

RADIO XANADU - Munchen Nic Vogelstein

Record of the week: Ray Parker Jr & Helen Terry-One Sunny Day; Album: Janet Jackson-Control; Maxi: Val Youns- If Should Ever Be Control, Maxi: Val founs: it original ever be Lonely; Sure hit: Jermaine Jackson; New entries. New Edition- A Little Bit Of Love; Haywoode- Roses; Rolling Stones; Sheena Easton- Jimmy Mack; Paul Hardcastle; Adds: Roger Daltrey- Quicksilver Lightning; Flip-Nothing Really Masters; Culture Club; Kiki Dee; Jackson Browne.

RADIO M1 - Munchen Armand Presser- progr. coord.

Adds: Jack Wagner- If She Loves Like She Looks; Sheena Easton- Jimmy Mack; Heart-These Dreams; Top 3: Jackson Browne; King Kobra- Never Say Die; Manfred Mann's Earthband- Do Anything You Wanna Do.

**RADIO GONG - Munchen** Walter Freiwald- musikchef

Adds: Alisha; Heinz Rudolf Kunze; Paul Hardcastle; Frank Zander-Jeanny; Top 5: Muenchner Freiheit- Ohne Dich; Falco; Cock Robin; Modern Talking: Eurythmics- It's Alright.

TV PROGRAMMES ARD - FORMEL EINS Andreas Tiesmeyer

From the German Top 75: Alisha; Matt Bian-co; Paul Hardcastle; E.L.O. Modern Talking; From the Hot 100 USA: Prince; Clips: Bryan Ferry- Is Your Love Strong Enough; Giorgia-Tell Me Why; The Rolling Stones.

#### FRANCE

RTL - Paris

Monique Le Marcis- head of progr.

Records of the week. Herve Cristiani-Emmenez-Mor; Culture Club- Move Away; Ac-tion Ecole- La Fin Y En Marre; Christian Baraham- Larsse-Toi Faire L'Amour Avec Moi; Albums: Michel Delpech; Rolling Stones.

WRTL - Paris Dominique Farran- progr. dir.

Hit Des Clubs: Entries: Rose Laurens- Quand Tu Pars; Eartha Kitt- This Is My Life; Billy Ocean; Miko Mission- Two For Love; Huey Lewis- The Power Of Love; Talk Talk- Life's What You Make It.

WRTL - Paris Francis Zegut- dj

Record of the week: Rolling Stones-Harlem Shuffle; Adds: The Call- Everywhere I Go; The Firm- All The King's Horses; Album, Jimmy Barnes.

**EUROPE 1 - Paris** Albert Emsalem- progr. dir.

New entries Hitparade Des Clubs Bryan

Ferry- Don't Stop The Dance; Do Piano-Again; Talk Talk-Life's What You Make It; Espoirs: Debarge- You Wear It Well; Bruno Grimaldi- Retour De Manivelle; Miami Sound Machine- Conga; Billy Ocean; Radiorama-Chance To Desire,

RMC - Paris

Yvonne Lebrun- progr. dir. Entries Hitparade: Francoise Hardy- V.I.P.; Serge Lama; Catherine Lara- Nuit Magique; Whitney Houston-Saving All My Love For You; James Brown; Stephan Eicher- Two People In A Room; Entries Hit Des Clubs; Dan Eiler- Don't Say Goodbye, Pet Shop Boys.

NRJ - Paris

Playlist: New entries: Stevie Wonder- Overjoyed; Taxi Girl- Aussi Belle Qu'Une Balle; Top 5: Indochine- 3eme Sexe; Sting- Russians; Daniel Balavoine- L'Azıza; Matt Bianco- Yeh Yeh; Renaud- Miss Maggie.

RIVIERA 104 - San Remo Paul James- music director

Adds: Clannad- In A Lifetime; Culture Club-Move Away; Amii Stewart- My Guy, Betty Wright-Pain,

TV PROGRAMMES ANTENNE 2- Super Platine Catherine Puech- Producer

Belouis Some-Target Practice; Taxi Girl- Aussi Belle Qu'Un Balle; Matt Bianco- Yeh Yeh; Muriel Dacq-Tropique; Jacky-Le Perleur Des Haut-Parleurs; Stephan Eicher- Two People In

ANTENNE 2- Les Enfants Du Rock

Concert Top Of Pops: Go West; The Alarm; Roman Holliday; Nils Lofgren; Barrington Levy; New Model Army; Dead Or Alive; Loose Ends; Eurythmics; James King And The Lone Wolves; Red Guitars; ABC; Steve Arrington;

#### HOLLAND

NOS - Hilversum Frits Spits- dj/producer

Ones to watch: Pete Shelly- Waiting For Love; Culture Club- Move Away; Amazulu- Things The Lonely Do; Phil Carmen- Moonshine Still; Alexander O'Neil- If You Were Here Tonight; Album: Philip Glass-Songs From Liquid Days.

VERONICA - Hilversum Lex Harding- progr. dir.

Record of the week (Alarmschijf): Culture Club- Move Away; Single of the year: Sigue Sigue Sputnik-Love Missile F1-11; Personal fave Time Bandits- I Won't Steal Away; One to watch: Talk Talk- Living In Another World; Local artist to watch: Frank Affolder- The Way To

**VERONICA** - Hilversum Annette v. Trigt- dj/producer

Ones to watch: Julian Lennon- Stick Around; Phil Carmen- Moonshine Still; Star Sisters-Just Another Night In N.Y.; Albums: Chris Rea-On The Beach; Elvis Costello- King Of America.

**VERONICA - Hilversum** Alfred Lagarde- dj/producer

Ones to watch: Tony lommi- No Stranger To Love; Honeymoon Suite; Joe Cocker- Shelter Me; Julian Lennon; Time Bandits- I Won't Steal Away; The Call- I Still Believe; Del Fuegos; Rolling Stones; Albums: Joshua- Surrender; Bryan Adams; Zeno; The Call- Reconciled; Ted Nugent; Topper Headon.

AVRO - Hilversum Jan Steeman- progr.dir.

Record of the week (RTV Tip): Talk Talk-Living

In Another World; Ones to watch: Bryan Ferry Is Your Love Strong Enough; Pal- Tals We Don't; Culture Club; Paul Hardcastle.

VARA - Hilversum **Light Music Department** 

Adds: Whistle- Just Bugginl; March Violets-Turn To The Sky, Steve Allen- Message Of Love; Time Bandits; Stevie Nicks; Entries. David Bowie; Talk Talk; The Call; Prince; Sure hits: (Roel Koeners): Smithereens- Speed On Live; (Jan Douwe Kroeske): Ghetto Blaster-Na Baya.

VPRO - Hilversum Bram Van Splunteren- dj/producer

12" of the week: L.L.Cool J.- Rock The Bells; 12" to watch: Skinny Boys- Juke Box; Honky Rhythm- This Must Be The Place; (watch out for the pleasantly disturbing Lp by American Band: Butch Willis & The Rooks.

NCRV - Hilversum Jan Rietman- di/producer

Favorietschijf: Gary Brooker & Lori Spee-Two Fools in Love.

KRO - Hilversum

Paul Van Der Lugt- prog. dir

Speciale aanbieding: Mike & The Mechanics-Silent Running.

TROS - Hilversum

Record of the week (Paradeplaat): Paul Hardcastle-Don't Waste My Time; Entries Na-tionale Hitparade: Miami Sound Machine; Elton John Cry To Heaven; The Cult She Sells Sanctuary; Demis Roussos-Island Of Love; Ken Lazlo-Tonight; Rolling Stones; Prince Matt Bianco; Sheila E.; Simply Red- Jericho.

CFN - Brunssum Lou Rowland- music director

Record of the week: Culture Club- Move Away; Album: Manfred Man's Earth Band-Criminal Tango

TV PROGRAMMES COUNTDOWN - Veronica

Clips: Culture Club- Move Away (Alarmschijf); Cock Robin; Madonna; Billy Ocean; Wham!-Young Guns; Sheila E.; Whistle-Just Buggin'; Studio: Starship- Sara; Jermaine Jackson- I Think It's Love/interview; Do What You Do

TIME OUT FOR HOLLAND Harry De Winter- producer

Clips: Smithereens; Normaal; Herman Brood; Stephen Duffy; Simple Minds; O.M.D., Malcolm McLaren; The Cult; Tears For Fears; Continental Cast; L'Attentat; Fatal Flowers; Kumbi Saleh

POPSJOP - NCRV Stef Boers- producer

Studio: Bangles; Frank Duval & Kalina- Maloyer; PAL- Talk, We Dont; Paul Hardcastle; Hot Chocolate; Clips: Full Force; Madonna; Cock Robin: Rolling Stones.

#### BELGIUM

RADIO 21 - Brussels Claude Delacroix/Rudy Leonet

Record of the week: Topper Headon-Leave It To Luck (new release in Belgium); Adds: Men-Tal As Anything- Fundamental (LP); Drum Theatre- Living in The Past; Entries: Renaud-Miss Maggie; Madonna, Full Force; Gary Numan- Live (EP).

**BRT - Studio Brussels** Jan Hautekiet/Jan Symoens

Top 10 playlist: Jackson Browne-For America; David Bowie; Cock Robin; Kiki Dee- Another Day Comes; Blow Monkeys; Aretha Franklin

#### CORRESPONDENT REPORTS

Another Night; Chris Rea- It's All Gone; PIL; Jermaine Jackson- I Think It's Love; Prince.

BRT 2 - Brabant Guy De Pre- dj/producer

Record of the week: Floy Joy- Weak In The Presence Of Beauty; Adds: the Blow Monkeys; Simply Red- Jericho; Picnic At The Whitehouse- We Need Protection; Howard Jones- No One Is To Blame, Manfred Man's Earth Band- Do Anything You Wanna Do; Kid Creole & The Coconuts- Caroline Was A Drop-Out; The Rolling Stones.

RTBF - Hainaut Guy Geron- progr. dir (Prono-Hit)

Entries: Madonna- Borderline; Gold- Capitaine Abandonne; Top 5: Andrea-I'm A Lover; Survivor; James Brown; A-Ha; Sandra.

#### TV PROGRAMMES R.T.B.F. - Rox Box

Ray Cokes- producer Clips: Peter Frampton; Elvis Costello; Indochine; Cacciato- Chaud; Pyranas; Sting-Fortress Around Your Heart; Madonna; ZZ Top; David Bowie- Absolute Beginners.

BRT - Villa Tempo Tom Huybrechts- Producer

Clips. Elvis Costello; Clannad; Stalking The Deer Park; Frankie Miller- I'd Lie To You; Lloyd Cole (Interview); Crime & The City Solution (Interview); Studio: La Muerte-Lucifer Sam; Blue Murder- Talk Talk Talk.

#### SWITZERLAND.

RADIO 24 - Zurich Clem Dalton- dj/coordinator

Hitpicks: Talking Heads- And She Was; Bangles; Matt Bianco; Rolling Stones, Album: Bap- All Maenner, Aalglatt.

COULEUR 3 - Lausanne Gerard Saudan- head of music

Record of the week: Topper Headon- I'll Give You Everything; Sure hit: Rolling Stones; Album: Talk Talk, Les Reperages: Kissing The oum: IaIK IaIK; Les Reperages: Kissing The Pink- One Step; The Call- I Still Believe; Depeche Mode; Fra Lippo Lippi; Violent Femmes- Children Of The Revolution; The Danse Society- Hold On; Cactus World News-Years Later; Redskins- The Power Is Yours; The Escape Club- Rescue Me.

DRS 3

Christoph Alispach- music coordinator

Adds: Jackson Browne- Lives In The Balance/Till I Go Down; Emmylou Harris-Lacassine special/Just Someone I Used To Know; Nona Hendryx- I Need Love, Culture Club; New Order- Subculture; Albums: O.S.T-Pretty In Pink inci. O.M.D., Suzanne Vega (with lee Jackson) (with Joe Jackson).

**BSR**<sub>\*</sub> Geneve J.P.Allenbach/C.Colombara

Entry Hitparade, Les Restos Du Coeur- Vari-

ous Artists; Entries Espoirs: Jane Birkin- Quoi; Michael Jones: Guitar Man; Modern Talking-Brother Louie, Billy Ocean; Top 3: Elton John; Lionel Richie; Jean-Luc Lahaye.

#### AUSTRIA

OE 3 - Vienna

Gunther Lesjak- dj/producer

Top Ten. Modern Talking; Muenchener Frei-heit; Hans Orsolics; Mike Oldfield; Survivor; A-Ha; Bronski Beat; Eurythmics; Pet Shop Boys; Reinhard Fendrich-Heimat Leid. New entries: 11. Lady Lilli- Non E Vero, 19. Whitney Houston- How Will I Know.

#### ITALY

RAI STEREO DUE - Roma Maurizio Riganti/Antonella Giampaoli/Emilio Levi

Record of the week: Rolling Stones- Harlem Shuffle; Sure hit: David Bowie- Absolute Beginners; Stadio (LP).

STUDIO 105 - Milano Alex Peroni- progr.dir.

Entries: E.L.O.- Calling America; Hardcore- To Breathe; A-Ha-The Sun Always Shines On TV; No. 1: Bronski Beat- Hit That Perfect Beat.

STUDIO 105 - Milano Grant Benson- di/producer

Record of the week: Georgia- Tell me Why; Adds: Culture Club- Move Away; Joe Cocker; Howard Jones- No One Is To Blame, Nicole-Don't You Want My Love.

RADIO ONE - Firenze

Stefano Damasceni- dj/producer

Record of the week: Howard Jones; Adds: Dee C. Lee; Nicole- Don't You Want My Love; Sure hits: Culture Club; Bob Seger- American Storm; New entries: Jackson Browne- For America; Simply Red; Bangles; Talk Talk- Living In Another World; Clannad; Top 3: James Brown; Cherrelle; Matt Bianco.

RADIO DIMENSIONE SUONO - Roma Luigi Calvia

Record of the week: Kissing The Pink- One Step; Entries James Brown; Culture Club; Luca Barbarossa Via Margutta; Sure hits: Mario Real- Chance, Talk Talk-The Colour Of Spring; No. 1 dance: Wham!; No. 1 Int.: Simply Red; No. 1 Italian: Lucio Dalla.

RADIO DEEJAY - Milano Dario Usuelli- di

Record of the week: Howard Jones- No One Is To Blame; Adds: Chris Rea- It's All Gone; Rolling Stones; Matt Bianco- Just Can't Stand It; David Bowie- Absolute Beginners; Stan Ridgeway- Salesman; Album: Floy Joy; Fast mover: James Brown.

#### RADIO PETER FLOWERS - Milan

Guido Monti- progr.dir

Record of the week: Sigue Sigue Sputnik-Love Missile F1-11; Entries: Ruggeri- Rien Ne Va Plus; Lena Biocati- We Don't Have To Anymore; Brilliant- Love is War; Blow Monkeys-Digging Your Scene; Kissing The Pink- One

RADIO MILANO INTERNATIONAL 101 Massimo Braccialarghe/Patrizia Zani

Record of the week: Rolling Stones-Harlem Shuffle; Entries: Val Young; INXS-What You Need; Sure hits: Ministry; Aretha Franklin, David Bowie- Absolute Beginners; No 1 Hitparade: Simple Minds.

**RADIO BOLOGNA 101** Gianni Barba- dj/producer

Culture Club; Adds: Fra Lippo Lippi; Marcella-Senza Un Briciolo Di Testa; Marco Armani-Uno Sull'Altro; Aleandro Baldi- La Nave Va; Lena Bioloati- Grande Grande Amore; Entries Stadio- Canzoni Alla Radio; Enrico Ruggeri-Difesa Francese; Toto Cutuegno- Azzurra Malinconia; Album: Scialpi; Sure hit: Modern

#### RADIO ANTENNA DELLO STRETTO Messina - Antonio Leonetti

Record of the week: Picnic At The Whitehouse; Adds: Bob Seger- American Storm; Luca Barbarossa- Via Margutta, Simply Red; Entries: Mai Tai; Modern Talking; Sure hit: Franco Hertz- Ma Non Finisce Mica Qui; Album: Scialpi- No East No West; Fast movers: Mando-Lei Verra; Rettore-Amore Stella; Matt

RADIO BABBOLEO - Genova Giorgio Bacco- dj/producer

Record of the week: Chris Rea- It's All Gone; Add: Del Fuegos- Still Want You; Fast mover: Howard Jones- No One Is To Blame; Sure hits: Rolling Stones; Bronski Beat-Come On Come On; Album: The Call; No. 1 Int: A-Ha; No. 1 Italian: Eros Ramazzotti- Adesso Tu.

#### RADIO VICENZA STAR - Vinceza Mazzardo/Stefani

Record of the week: Rolling Stones- Hariem Shuffle, Adds: Jo Henry- Dance Lesson; Zazon Bikaye- Nostalgie; Kid Creole- Carolyn Was A Drop-Out; No.1 Floy Joy- Weak In The Presence Of Beauty.

TV PROGRAMMES VIDEO MUSIC - Claudio de Tommasi

Sting; Arcadıa; A-Ha; King; Mr. Mister; Sade-Is It A Crime, Bronski Beat; Alisha; Pat Benatar; Whitney Houston;

#### SPAIN

RADIO MADRID - SER

Rafael Revert- musical manager

Records of the week: German Coppini Y Nacho Cano- Dame Un Chupito De Amor; (sure hits): Prince- Kiss; Sophia George; Simple Minds; (continued on page 22)



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#### CORRESPONDENT REPORTS

Entries: Billy Ocean; Rocio Jurado- Paloma Brava (LP); Jennifer Rush (LP); Fast movers: The Alan Parsons Project; Sade; Ilegales- Todos Estan Muertos (LP); Albums: Rocio Jurado; Stevie Nicks; Mr. Mister.

RADIO BARCELONA - SER Jose Maria Baque- musical manager

Records of the week: Katrina & The Waves: Mexico; Pet Shop Boys; Eros Ramazzoti; Radio futura; Jennifer Rush- Faico- Vienna Calling; Adds: Nacho Cano; German Coppini; Marc Almond; Cara A cara; Prince- Kiss; Rolling Stones; Jackson Browne- For America; Entres: Eartha Kitt; INXS; Sophia George; E.L.O.; Bangles; Albums: John Lennon; Mr. Mister; Jennifer Rush; Marina Rosell; Sade; Stevie Nicks.

RADIO SEVILLA FM - SER Paco Enrique- dj/coordinator

Records of the week. Gabinete Caligari- Al Calor Del Amor En Un Bar; Katrina & The Waves- Mexico; Eartha Kitt- This is My Life; Mike Oldfield- Pictures In The Dark; Circulo Vicioso- Portero De Noche; Sure hits: Olivia Newton John- Toughen Up; Marilyn Martin; Level 42; Album: Clarence Clemons.

RADIO BILBAO - SER Carlos Arco- musical manager

Entries: Prince- Kiss; Simple Minds- Sanotity Yourself: Jerman Coppini Y Nachocano-Dame Un Chupito De Amor; Sophia George; Albums: Bob Seger; The Rolling Stones; John Lennon.

#### PORTUGAL

RADIO COMERCIAL - Lisbon Antonio Sergio- dj/producer

Records of the week: Sigue Sigue Sputnik-Love Missile F1-11; Clannad- In A Lifetime; Adds: Propaganda- Duel; Long Ryders- Mason Dixon Line, Blancmange- John; Albums: John Martyn; Violent Femmes- Blind Leading The Naked; Charlie Sexton.

RADIO COMERCIAL - Lisbon Adelino Goncalves- dj/producer

Records of the week: The Blow Monkeys; E.L.D. Calling America; Adds: Mr. Mister; Audrey Hall- One Dance Won't Do; Sigue Sgue Sputnik; Elton John- Cry To Heaven; Grace Jones- Love Is The Drug' Mai Tai; Entry: Bangles; Fast mover: Diana Ross; Climbers' Tavares- Heaven Must Be Missing An Angel; Paul Hardcastle

#### GREECE

ERT 1 - Athens

Yannis Petridis- progr. dir.

Featured singles: Sigue Sigue Sputnik-Love Missle F1-11; David Bowie- Absolute Beginners; PIL-Rise; Album: The Costello Show-King Of America.

ERT 2 - Thessaloniki

Lefty Kongalides- dj/producer

Record of the week: Clemons & Browne; Adds. A-Ha- Love Is Reason, Jean Jacques Goldman- Je Te Donne; Falco- Vienna Calling; BAD- The Bottom Line; Quarterflash- Come To Me, Jennifer Rush- Live Wire; Album: Jean Jacques Goldman.

#### SWEDEN

SR - Vaexjoe Marianne Christensson- producer Rockdepartment

Record of the week: The Rolling Stones; Jean

Beauvoir- Feel The Heat; Adds. Todd Sharp-I Want Something More; Jimmy Barnes- I'd Die To Be With You Tonight; Midnight Oil- Species Diseases; Albums: Manfred Mann- Criminal Tango; Fabulous Thunderbirds- Tuff Enuff.

SR - Stockholm Lars Goran Nilsson

Record of the week: Culture Club- Move Away; Adds: Eurogliders- Absolutely; Nicole-Don't You Want My Love; Stand Ridgeway-The Big Heat; Paul Hardcastle- Don't Waste My Time; Album: Elvis Costello.

RADIO STOCKHOLM Ulo Maasing- dj/producer

Record of the week: Brilliant: Love Is War; Adds: Simply Red- Jericho, Culture Club-Move Away; Viola Wills- Dare To Dream; Sure hits. Culture Club; Brilliant; Album. Matt

RADIO GOTHENBURG Leif Wivatt- dj

Record of the week. Kiki Dee- Another Day Comes; Adds: Kate Bush; Jane Wiedlin- Blue Kiss; Jennifer Rush- Ave Maria; Py Backman-Con Cordelia; Marie Fredriksson- Den Basta Dagen; Album: Peter Le Marc- Marmor.

DISCO 91 - Stockholm Johan Bring- progr. director

This week's chart buster: Brilliant-Love is War; Adds. Ken Lazlo-Tonight; P.J. Marcus-For Your Sweet Information; Divinyls; No 1: Madonna-Borderline.

VSD - Gothenburg Richard Hallifax- dj

Record of the week: Rolling Stones; Adds: E.L.O.; Talking Heads- And She Was; David Bowie; Rose Laurens- American Lovers; Sure hits: Survivor; Modern Talking; Simple Minds.

#### NORWAY

NRK - Oslo Harald Are Lung- dj/prod./prog./ed.

Record of the week: Guanabatz-Seethrough; Adds: John Martyn: Love Of Mine; Stan Ridgway; The Costello Show; The Cramps; Albums: Stan Ridgway. (No new report received.)

RADIO VEST - Stavanger Tony Burton- music dir.

Record of the week: Kiki Dee; Adds: Elton John; Betty Wright- Pain; Hot Chocolate-Heartache No. 9; Atlantic Star- Secret Lovers; Pete Townshend, Matt Bianco; Album: Beranek- Daylight In The Dark.

#### DENMARK

COPENHAGEN RADIO Michael Sorenson

Records of the week: A-Ha; Modern Talking; Pet Shop Boys; Depeche Mode; Elton John; Albums: Elton John; A-Ha; Dorse Orkestret; Thomas Helmig; Simple Minds; Level 42

#### FINLAND

DISCOPRESS - Tampere Pentti Teravainen- progr. dir.

Entries on Finnish Disco/Dance Chart: Modern Talking; Survivor; Whitney Houston; Diana Ross; Simple Minds; Record of the week Bogart Co (intern. Only Lonely)- Princess 12".

TV PROGRAMMES HITTIMITTARI - TV2 Pentti Teravainen- dj

Whitney Houston: David Bowie; Fine Young Cannibals; Motley Crue-Smoking in The Boys Room; Bogart Co (Intern. Only Lonely)- Princess; Diana Ross; James Brown; Lionel Richie.

#### POLAND

POLSKIE RADIO - Warsaw Bogdan Fabianski- dj

Personal tips: Cactus World News-Years Later; David Dean- Bye Bye Baby Goodbye. Powerplays: Elvis Costello; Alan Bee- Paris C'Est Paris; Entries Hitparade: Eartha Kitt; C.C. Catch; Gino Vanelli; Do Plano- Again; D Lyme- Let's Go To Sitges; B. Mikulski- Zyx; Album: Elvis Costello.

#### LONDON CALLING

by Howard Marks

JULIAN LENNON will play his first ever UK concerts in May, which should be really worth checking out Likewise his stepmother, YOKO ONO will be in London during March for a couple of dates. The Temptations will be in town for dates at London's Hammersmith Odeon, and Kurtis Blow that well known rapper is currently in town doing some shows. Elton John has taken his hugely successful UK tour across the English Channel for dates in Europe. The CURE have announced their only UK date for this year, it will be in June, at the Glastonbury Festival. Johnathan Richman, and his Modern Lovers (remember them?) will also be in London towards the end of March. Finally in the country for TV and Live concerts is the lovely LIZA MINNELLI, and some of her shows are being recorded for HBO in the States.

New singles in the shops this week from Howard Jones, Latin Quarter, Siouxsie & the Banshees, Big Audio Dynamite and wait for it, yes the girl with a big future ahead of her Samantha Fox. Rumour has it that indie promo man Golly Galagher is not charging a fee for his work on Sams' record. He will however get a gold bust rather than a gold disc, should

the record be a huge success. The charts in the UK must be the most unique in the World, with a recent chart success for Ole Blue Eyes himself...Big Frank making a chart comeback with the record NEW YORK NEW YORK. Now RCA records have re-released a classic old record by SAM COOKE to coincide with a commercial for jeans, which has the record playing in the background. Also while on the subject of oldies but goldies, legendary veteran guitarist Duane Eddy has re-recorded his classic hit of years gone by PETER GUNN (one of only 2 tunes that become my party piece whenever I get a guitar in my hands) with no less than ART OF NOISE for CHINA records, the record could give China a much needed hit.

Martin Degville of the nation's latest five minute wonder- the only human space invaders...SIGUE SIGUE SPUTNIK, to be seen around town with a nasty scar above his left eye. A bottle landed on his face at a recent gig, and he needed five stitches. Meanwhile, talking of the famous or infamous, whichever way you want to look at it SSS. It would appear that they are not the favourite band of Capital Radio jock BIG JOHN SACHS. Recently John scratched and then broke a copy of the bands' record while he was on air, and said that he would not be playing it again on his show.

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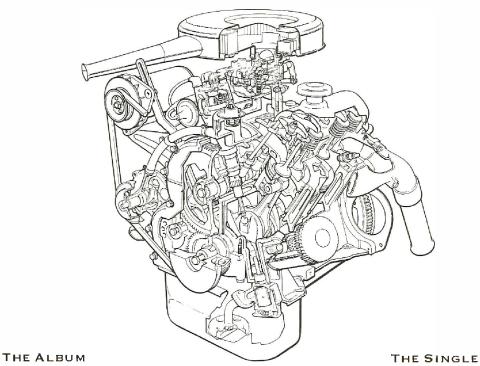
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#### **GENERIC CAMPAIGN TO PROMOTE C&W**

Initial Response Encouraging

For the very first time a generic marketing campaign aiming to promote contemporary country music in Britain has been launched this month. The campaign entitled 'Discover The New Country' involves the active participation of five major labels (WEA, RCA, MCA, CBS/Epic and EMI) and the Country Music Association (CMA). The record companies are aware of the potential of country music and the consequent necessity of a concerted marketing campaign.

Greg Rogers, director marketing RCA/Ariola Europe and also the vice president of International CMA, points out just how unique the campaign is in two respects. Not only is it the very first time 5 major labels have grouped together, but they are furthermore dealing with a very specialized form of music. As he says: "This unique campaign represents an exciting and innovative approach in the presentation of a previously underexposed musical genre."

As part of the campaign a sampler LP and cassette, involving the participation of 10 major country artists, has been sent to all media people, both press, radio and TV, and merchandising has been centrally distributed to all accounts in

the UK. Dealer and consumer contests have been organized with the co-operation of the English daily newspaper, The Star, and a free flight to The States, plus a week in Nashville, are offered as prizes.

The compilation LP and cassette were only released last week but already 75,000 have been sent out and advance orders are most encouraging says Rogers. He hopes the campaign will continue in Europe and Holland is the most likely initial launching spot, followed by Scandinavia.

The five companies have decided that combined resources is the most effective plan of action but within the joint venture each company has taken on the individual responsibilities for specific marketing and merchandising areas. Each company has nominated two artists and the complete fine-up includes Rosanne Cash and Exile (CBS), Sawyer Brown and Don Williams (EMI), The Oak Ridge Boys and George Strait (MCA). Alabama and The Judds (RCA) and WEA have chosen Gary Morris and Hank Williams Jr. Elvis Costello will be reviewing some of their latest albums.

Cynthia Leu, the Country Music Association's European mana-(continued on page 5)

BERTELSMANN (continued from page 1)

co. But the Bertelsmann annual report failed to mention music division sales performance in any other country, nor does the field play a significant role in the three-year expansion plan.

Nearly 90% of the company's 84/85 sales (DM 7.4 billion) come from printed material, including Gruner & Jahr magazines, the book clubs, book publishing and Bertelsmann printing operations. 57% of revenues come from outside Germany, with US and French companies especially productive.

#### UK TAPE LEVY

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sales currently running at more than 90 million units a year.

The UK record industry would gain some satisfaction from such a move, though it originally looked for a levy on sales of recording hardware, too. The problem is whether the government sticks with this hotly-tipped solution to the tape levy problem.

In the original Green Paper published in 1981 the government was suggesting that a tape levy would not be fair, would be hard to administer and would be unfair on certain consumer sectors, such as the blind.

Then the 1985 Green Paper suggested the government was in favour of a levy, but this was followed by headlined statements that Prime Minister Thatcher and minister Leon Brittan felt that a levy would be seen as a direct consumer lax and possibly politically undesirable in the run-up to the

next general election

Now comes the latest policy revision, say the political pundits. If the levy legislation goes through, Britain will line up with a growing number of European countries which already operate tape and/or hardware levies. Both France and West Germany have introduced blank tape royalties in the last year, in the latter country as an addition to the existing royalty on recording equipment.

Portugal's new Copyright Act contains provision for levies on both software and hardware and similar laws have been passed in Austria, Finland, Hungary and Iceland. And Belgium, Italy, Holland, Sweden and Spain are among European nations with private copying royalty legislation being readied.

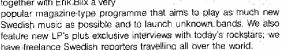
Additionally, this year's EEC Green Paper consultative document on copyright reform is likely to come out in favour of levies as the best way to solve the home taping problem.

#### TUNING IN

Marianne Christensson SR Sweden.

Marianne Christensson is diproducer for the national Swedish network Sveriges Riksradio (SR) in Vaexjoe and she has a weekly 2-hour rock show entitled Rock Department.

"Every week on Thursday from 6 to 8 p.m. I present together with Erik Blix a very



The format of the programme is basically rock 'n' roll orientated and some heavy metal and garage rock coverage as well. The programme does not carry a playlist, we are more orientated towards albums than singles.

In one of our recent five shows the Swedish band Varmarea Am Korvinad a 30-minute spotlight. If you would translate the name it would mean something like 'hotter than hotdogs' and the band consists of 10 very good musicians (consisting of a.o. Mats Ronarder- who had a very popular single in Sweder last year with Kott Och Blod and the Danish singer Sanne Salomonsen), a sort of hobby band that only play covers. I think it's a very talented and outstanding band. At the moment they are playing in Florida and we taped them just before they embarked on their US tour.

A very professional Swedish band who have excellent songs is Imperiet of which Kaj Kindvall already talked (see issue 7). I think we have many talented garage bands around like The Nomads (who toured a lot in Europe) and Watermelon Man.

When it comes to trends it is very obvious that a lot of groups are shifting away from synthesizers and returning to the roots; acoustic instruments are popular again and this may tie in with the folk trend. Bands are discovering a lot of good songs from the past and instead of winting their own songs they give their own twist to the classic songs.

#### GERMAN SAMPLES (continued from page 1)

tions. Lothar Meinerzhagen, director A&R international EMI Electrola, explains that the decision came about due to this remarkably rapid growth in private radio stations. He believes that in the next couple of years 40 new stations will spring up throughout the country thereby causing severe budgeting difficulties for record companies when it comes to free samples.

Canibol, marketing director CBS, sees the decision as a straight-forward necessary precaution for the future, as he says: "We would soon be sending more samples than the records we sell." It is not only the sharp increase in radio stations but also rising costs which has brought pressure on the record companies. Canibol hopes to conclude a deal with those radio stations not included in the ARD (Association of German Broadcasters) in order to absolve some of these rising costs. He is targeting for a meeting in April and is hoping to reach an agreement whereby samples would be sent at reduced costs.

When asked about the decision, Lothar Meinerzagen said: "It was not an easy decision. We have discussed the matter several times and have always had a strong relationship with RTL but unfortunately

the situation has changed dramatically." He compares the situation in Germany to that in Italy where there are roughly 4000 commercial radio stations most of them very small, ranging from hospital radio stations and very localised ones to slightly more important ones. In such a situation it is obvious that a record company cannot continue sending samples to each of these stations and EMI Italy therefore analysed the situation and came up with 50 stations that they considered worthwhile to receive their samples. He believes that EMI will come up with a similar solution in Germany.

Honey Bee Benson dj/producer at RTL Luxembourg is extremely disappointed by the decision especially in view of the lengthy relationship shared between the radio station and the record companies. She believes that the record companies will not come back on their decision but adds that other companies are continuing to send samples.

An internal meeting is scheduled for this week at RTL to discuss the matter of the GVL and to decide what steps will be taken. Dr. Thoma, director of the German programmes at RTL, will be meeting EMI executives later this week and he is hoping to meet the other label heads in the near future.

#### MARTI JONES RECEIVES UNANIMOUS RESPONSE IN EUROPE

#### DEBUT LP ESTABLISHES HER AS A MAJOR FORCE

With the release of the album Unsophisticated Time the Akron, Ohio based singer Marti Jones immediately established herself as a definite talent to watch. Everywhere the LP gets a unanimous and encouraging review and a lot is expected from her in the near future. Although Marti Jones doesn't write songs herself, her music would very much fit the singer/songwriter category with the likes of Joni Mitchell and Suzanne Vega. Her voice is breathtaking and she sings about love, relationships and loneliness with great conviction. Eleven folky popsongs produced by the multi-talented, North Carolina-based Don Dixon. Dixon earlier produced acts like R.E.M., Let's Active and Guadalcanal Diary. His latest solo album on the Danish label Mega Records, 'Most Of The Girls Like To Dance' attracted lots of media attention and provided him 2 hit singles in the Benelux.

The co-operation with Dixon came at the right time in her life. As Martiexplains in an interview with Machgiel Bakker, managing editor Eurotipsheet, during her promo tour in Europe: "After I played the local club scene for years (performing in coffee shops and hotel lounges), I joined the folky pop band Color Me Gone in 1982 as the front singer. We recorded a 6-track mini EP for A&M produced by David Anderle. When I left them in '84 I felt lost with things and I didn't really want to continue in the music business. Then suddenly he sent me a postcard and asked me what I was up to. He brought my name up in talks with A&M and from there on the ball started rolling".

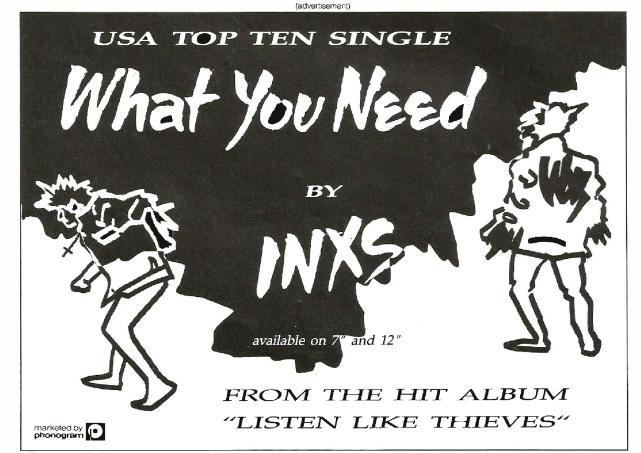
Nancy Jeffries, director A&R East Coast New York A&M Records, signed the artist to the label (she also contracted Suzanne Vega to A&M). "Marti has a wonderful voice and when I went to see the band Color Me Gone I was impressed with her qualities. And when the very next day the band broke up, I decided to continue with her. It would have been very easy to go into the studio and take the L.A. session maffia and make that kind of record. But then that becomes a much more dificult record to promote because there are so many people who can do that. Instead we brought out her personality and character on the record and we anticipate a long term career."

The LP yields various highlights: (If I Could) Walk Away (the current single), Talk To Me with its

Zombies-like intro, the acoustic Follow You All Over The World, the acapella We'll All Be Gone and the mature What is Real. Each one of our correspondents lists a different track as their favourite. Marti agrees, "...there hasn't been any consensus whatsoever. Everybody seems to have a different favourité song." This could be related to the fact that Don Dixon produced a total album project where there is a natural flow from song to song. "We spent a lot of time figuring out what should go where. And if there were any gaps at all, there were little things to fill in; like the string quartet at the end of Show And Tell or the trombone solo at the end of What Is Real. I think Don is really emphatic when it comes to sequencing. What we tried to accomplish is to have enough air and space in the arrangements, a thing that isn't thought about too much these days. We just did not want to create that common huge 'wall of sound' feeling but to concentrate on the dynamics of the voice and the quality of the songs. You can't do anything without a good song."

During her promotour through Europe, which brought her to Oslo, Stockholm, Amsterdam, Paris and Bruxelles, Marti came across a different attitude from the radio

people. "What I found really charming about Europe is that most of the radio people are very aware of different kinds of music, they are very open minded and at the same time selective. In the US the general public is a bit brainwashed by the radio and the Top 40 formats. As opposed to the US, it looks like that European radio people persue other musical avenues".



#### **NEW DUTCH CD PLANT BEFORE END '86**

#### MicroPrinter To Halve Pressing Time

by Willem Hoos

Holland's first Compact Disc factory is set to start production later this year, using a technique which it is claimed will revolutionize CD manufacture worldwide.

The plant, DOCdisc, is located at Venlo in the south of the country, and is expected to produce some 500,000 discs before the end of 1986, with output nsing to five million units a year thereafter.

But what has made record companies and electronics firms around the world sit up and take notice is the plant's unique rotary MicroPrinter, developed by parent company DOCdata - the initials stand for Digital Optical Recording. Conventional CD manufacturing techniques require a pressing time of about 25 seconds per disc, which it is hoped will be reduced to 12 seconds. The rotary printing machine, though, can turn out one CD every second.

Joseph Beaujean, managing

director of both DOCdata and DOCdisc, believes the speed of the MicroPrinter will prove unbeatable. Not only is the system faster, but investment costs are also lower, mainly because there is no need for the elaborately controlled dust-free environments essential to conventional CD manufacture.

Since it first announced its production plans 18 months ago, DOCdata's shares have shot up on the Amsterdam Stock Market, evidence of the widespread interest within the industry and among investors. While the DOCdisc plant turns out CDs for record companies on a custom pressing basis, the MicroPrinter machines will also be available for leasing from next year onwards. Beaujean says there could be five such machines in operation early in 1987, each with a capacity of five million CD units annually.

# ALEXANDRA'S NEWSCORNER

Hi, and yes it finally is out, the new STONES album, Dirty Works, for which we have been waiting for so long. And it's worth the wait \* SAMANTHA FOX (do | hear some strong heartbeats here and there?) has recorded her first single with the very appropriate title Touch Me. But wait till you've seen the cover, with the picture of the lucious Miss Fox, despite all rumours it's a good track \* Australian JIM-MY BARNES (formerly frontman of COLD CHISEL) had his solo album For The Working Class released \* Another interesting man from Down Under is TIM FINN who has had some former hits and has now moved to the UK where he recorded his second solo album, Big Canoe produced by NICK LAUNAY, Currently TIM is working with JEREMY BROCK on a musical film to be produced in '87 ★

Better Must Come is the title to a single by JUNIOR C. REACTION, great track that! \* The very wonderful BILLY OCEAN has a new single out, a heart-throbbing ballad. There'll Be Sad Songs, produced by WAYNE BRATH-WAITE & BARRY EASTMOND. It's such a beautiful song I'm sure you won't be able to resist the odd tear here and there \* BOB SEGER has his first studio album released in ages, entitled Like A Rock. The first single is called American Storm. Both will be available in March \* After almost a year of silence LAURA PALLAS has returned with a single, Sweet Confusion. STUART LEVINE produced it \* EDDIE KRAMER produced the new RAVEN album, The Pack is Back \* KATRINA & THE WAVES have another album released called Waves, they will be touring Europe later on The first single off the lp is called Is That It Feel The Heat is the debut single by JEAN BEAUVOIR. Early spring he'll release his selfproduced album on which he plays virtually every instrument. Currently though, he's in Stockholm producing the new RA-MONES album \* American band VIRGINIA WOLF released their self-titled debut album, produced by Queen's ROGER TAYLOR. The ones who are into melodic rocksongs must definitely get this lp, a very good piece of vinyl! \* A marvellous return comes from FRANKIE MILLER, who hasn't really been away, only standing in a quieter corner of the room, with his album Dancing In The Rain. Great tracks on this one like Gladly Blind \* RON NEVISON produced JOE COCKER's new album which should be out in March, simply called Cocker. Joe is currently on a promotour, and will also do some live gigs \*

MOTLEY CRUE have finished their 21 months of touring. After a short rest they'll record a new single, out in July, after that recordings start for the new alburn, then on the road again around the end of this year starting off in Japan- all in all a hard working band who deserve one's support -though there is a strong possibility that one could be accused of being a headbanger! Never mind, I bare that name with grace and a little cheeky smile (I'm talking to you Robin!) Bye for now, Alexandra.

#### **BBC AND EMI STRIKE DEAL**

BBC Enterprises announce that they are entering into a three year agreement with EMI Records for pressing, distribution and sales of BBC Records. This new agreement, reached after extensive discussions between BBC Records and the major record distribution companies operating in the UK, comes into effect after March 31 and brings to an end a nine year long association with PRT, now part of the ACC group.

Humphrey Walwyn, Head of BBC Records, comments "having established a sharper commercial profile for BBC Records' output, we realised the need to strengthen our distribution and sales base. In EMI we have found a partner whose drive, experience and expertise cover all of the catalogue areas in which we work."

BBC Records had one of the most successful years ever in 1985, doubling their sales and achieving a string of chart successes, including gold albums from the Welsh choirboy, Aled Jones, and the cast of EastEnders, as well as hits with music from Howards' Way, Miami Vice, and Eric Clapton's Edge Of Darkness soundfrack score.

"We are very excited to be working with EMI", says Walwyn, "an already bright future for BBC Records will benefit greatly from this association with a great British record company." Peter Jamieson, Managing Director, EMI Records (UK), replied "we thank the BBC for their vote of confidence in Britain's currently hottest record company. Our alliance will benefit us both."

#### **WEA INT. CREATES AFFILIATE IN PORTUGAL**

On February 19th, Siegfried E. Loch, President, WEA Europe, announced WEA International's formation of an affiliate company in Portugul, WEA Portuguesa Discos Ltda. According to Loch, the operation of the Lisbon-based company is effective immediately, and will be headed by newly-appointed Managing Director Daniel Sousa. Sousa will report to Saul Tagarro, Managing Director of WEA Records S.A., Spain.

In his twenty-five year career, Sousa has been Marketing Manager of PolyGram, General Manager of Edisom, and Managing Director of Edivideo. Loch commented that "Daniel Sousa is one of the most respected and experienced members of the recording industry in Portugal, and we are most pleased that he is joining our executive team."



After their concert in Essen, Elektra act Motley Crue relaxes backstage with the management team (Ritch Fisher- tour mng. on the left and Doug Taylor- mng. standing next to him) and Eurotipsheet's Alexandra van der Broek.

#### C & W CAMPAIGN

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ger says that they are: "...tremendously excited that the majors have come together to promote country music." She adds: "The teenage record market is declining and the record companies are now looking seriously at the over 25 age market, which traditionally is more receptive towards country music. By pooling the resources and

energies of the major companies, country music's share of the market will increase and everyone will benefit"

Several of the artists have already performed in the UK, including Gary Morris and Rosanne Cash. Exile will be appearing in Wembley later this month and Don Williams will be over in June.

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#### NEW TALENT

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

The Mosquitos - I Know A Secret (Valhalla) U.S.A. publ.: Nightfall Music; master owner: Valhalla Records, 229 Madison Ave., Suite 404, New York, NY 10017

The Mosquitos, New York's latest buzz, give their own twist to the impeccable Merseybeat souds of the halcyon days of the sixties. With the crisp and accessible melody, the clean harmonies (four vocalists!) and the modest arrangements, the song could be an outtake of the "With The Beatles" alburn. According to many they are the best unsigned pop band in New York. From the Indie EP-That Was Then, This Is Now! Have Mersey!

Gemini - Just Like That (Polar) Sweden publ. Manuscript. Master owner: Polar, tel. 8-215333.

Duo consisting of the sister and brother Karın and Anders Glenmark, the backing singers for the Duo consisting of the sister and bother kain and Ambas distinuals and the bother state of the cooperation with Abbas 8 plorn Ulvaes and Benny Andersson is continued and the result is a medium-paced ballad (written by Ulvaes and Andersson) that has all the qualities to chart; crystal-clear vocals, an easy and very comfortable production with a sense of sophistication that is hard to match. A formula top 40 song.

Hong Kong Syndikat - Too Much (Teldec) Germany
Publ. and master owner: contact Teldec, tel. 40-4019218.
Successful German duo (Gerd Plez and Bruno Grunberg) who have this single firmly planted in the German Top 25. Now it is time for cross-over. A cool and grooving track with a smooth and casual Caribbean mix, in a Matt Bianco-type of arrangement.

**Evada - Ooh My Love** (Zyx) Germany Publ. and master owner: Zyx for GAS. Rest of Europe: contact Research PCM in Switzerland, tel. 42-210044

Italian disco beats with lots of synthy-overdubs, backing a 22 year old female vocalist. Produced by Tony Carrasco who found fame as deejay in Club 54 in New York. After that Carrasco produced acts like Miko Mission, Valerie Dore and Amanda Lear.

**Bruce & Bongo - Geil** (Rush Records) Germany publ. and master owner: contact Brian Carter at Rush, tel.: 2101-60040.

puor, and master owner. Comact prian canter at mush, tel.: 2101-60040. Disco rap with nonsense lyrics ('everybody's geil, Boris Becker is geil', etc.). Two crazy Englishmen living in Berlin who intend to offend nobody with the title ("Geil" is a rather dubious word in some languages) but are just very c(h)orny. First reactions on German radio are very encouraging and the record is licensed for Greece, but free for the rest of Europe. Echt geil!

Aina - Any Kind Of Love (Polydor) Norway

publ. Terrytunes/Myjha. Master owner: contact Fred Engh at Polydor, 2-37295. Good looking 21 years old Norwegian in a production by renowned producer Mike Vernon (Fleed-

wood Mac/Level 42). Pop/rock song backed by good vocals and styleful arrangments (a.o. Pete Wingrield on keyboards). From the LP Target Practice on which Mark King (Level 42) and Paul Young's Royal Family are amongst the session musicians.

Several New Talent selections from earlier issues. For detailed information on a particular record please check the corresponding magazine.

Alistair Terry - Yonge At Heart (FM) ,UK

Publ. Rock Song Music Master owner: FM- Heavy Metal Records. Master available outside the UK and Canada. Contact Paul Birch, tel. 902345345 (issue 10). 3.000 Grun videolads

Canton - Stay With Me (Ariston Music) Italy publ. and master owner: Ariston, Italy, Tel. 2-9846974 (issue 10).

**Dingo - The House Without A Name** (Bang Trax) Finland publ. and master owner: contact Lasse Norres in Helsinki, tel.: 90-575007/410173 (issue 9).

Style- Give Me A Night To Remember (Alpha) Sweden publ. and master owner: contact Sanji Tandan at Alpha, tel. 8-7300400 (issue 8).

Tullio de Piscopo - Radio Africa (Zyx) Germany publ. and master owner: contact Willy David at Costa Est Music in Bologna, tel. 51-341719 (issue 8).

Jacazan - Rasta Man (Polygram) Switzerland publ. and master owner: contact New Talents in Geneva, tel. 22-323202.

Elisa Waut - Growing Pain (Megadisc) Holland. For publ. and master contact Rick Urmel at Megadisc, tel. 20-642223 (issue 6). Statik UK, Virgin Germany and HNW Scandinavia will release.

Secret Service - When The Night Closes In (Sonet) Sweden. publ. Cloudberry Songs. Master owner: Sonet, tel.8-7670150 (issue 1). Breaking in France at the moment.

Dollie de Luxe - Carmen/Gimme Some Lovin' (Notabene Records) Norway For master owner and publ. contact Geir Bjorhovde at Notabene, tel. 2-691169 (issue 7).

**Gianni Togni - Segui II Tuo Cuore** (CGD) Italy. publ. Sugarmusic/Acquarello. Master owner: CGD, tel. 2-5084 (issue 1). Strong interest from GTO Records in Holland.



From this week on we will, from time to time, give you some of the highlights of Rockpool's College Radio Charts. Rockpool collects information from over 350 correspondents every two weeks in order to publish a newsletter devoted to new music. The American College Radio Chart is known for its trendsetting function. For new artists College Radio often serves as a platform for bigger nationwide successes. Please note that the mentioned labels are American labels and are not nessecarily applicable for the European market.

This week's new entries:

Violent Femmes The Blinded Leading The Naked (Slash)

Gene Loves Jezebel Desire (Relativity)

**Exploding White Mice** 

A Nest Of Vipers (Big Time)

Young Fresh Fellows Topsy Turvy (Popliama)

Call

Reconciled (Elektra)

Pretty In Pink (A&M)

Various Artists

Dancing Hoods

12 Jealous Roses (Relativity)

Toxic Reasons

Between These Walls (T. Reason)

Oysters

Green Eggs And Ham (Taang!)

Church

Tantalized (Warner Bros.)

**Bubbling Under:** 

Death Of Samantha; Clannad; 8th Route Army; Crazy 8's: Full Time Men, Falco.

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#### NEW TALENT

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#### **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. Diana Ross- Chain Reaction
- 2. Bangles- Manic Monday
- 3. Mr. Mister- Kyrie
- 4. The Blow Monkeys- Digging Your Scene
- 5. Rolling Stones- Harlem Shuffle
- 6. David Bowie- Absolute Beginners
- 7. Hipsway- The Honeythief
- 8. Electric Light Orchestra- Calling America
- 9. Mike & The Mechanics- Sillent Running
- 10. Kate Bush- Hounds Of Love
- 11. Prince- Kiss
- 12. Howard Jones- No One Is To Blame
- 13. Paul Hardcastle- Don't Waste My Time
- 14. Billy Ocean- When The Going Gets Tough
- 15. Survivor- Burning Heart
- 16. Pet Shop Boys- Love Comes Quickly
- 17. Sigue Sigue Sputnik- Love Missile F1-11
- 18. Whistle- Nothing Serious (Just Buggin')
- 19. The House Martins- Sheep
- 20 Talk Talk- Living In Another World

#### **MEDIA CONTROL GERMANY**

From the airplay hitparade from Media Control including 29 radio channels. For more infoplease contact Media Control - Postfach 625. D-7570 Baden Baden, Tel. (0)7221 - 33066.

- 1. Billy Ocean- When The Going Gets Tough
- 2. Muenchener Freiheit- Ohne Dich Schlaf
- 3. Whitney Houston- How Will I Know
- 4. Mr. Mister- Kyrie
- 5. Modern Talking- Brother Louie
- 6. E.L.O.- Calling America
- Mike & The Mechanics- Silent Running
- 8. Phil Carmen- Moonshine Still
- 9. The Bangles- Manic Monday
- 10. A-Ha- The Sun Always Shines On TV
- 11. Diana Ross- Chain Reaction
- 12 Pet Shop Boys- West End Girls
- 13 Starship-Sara
- 14. Cock Robin- The Promise You Made
- 15. Heinz Kunze- Dein Ist Mein Ganzes Herz
- 16. Aretha Franklin- Another Night
- 17. Peter Maffay- Ein Wort Bricht
- 18. The Rolling Stones- Harlem Shuffle 19. James Brown- Living In America
- 20. Eurythmics- It's Alright

Tips: Heinz Rudolf Kunze- Dies Ist Klaus; Ricchi E Poveri- Dimmi Quando: Jennifer Rush- If You're Ever Gonna.

#### MEDIA CONTROL AUSTRIA

Most played records as checked by Media Control on the national channel OE 3 and Badio Brenner

- Muenchener Freiheit- Ohne Dich Schlaf
- 2 Survivor- Burning Heart
- 3. Eurythmics- It's Alright
- 4. Mike Oldfield- Pictures In The Dark
- 5. Sandra- In The Heat Of The Night
- 6. Billy Ocean- When The Going Gets Tough
- Wham!- I'm Your Man
- 8 Modern Talking- Brother Louie
- 9. Bad Boys Blue- Kisses And Tears
- 10. Jennifer Rush- Destiny
- 11. Sting-Russians
- 12 A-Ha- The Sun Always Shines On TV
- 13. Georgie Red- Help The Man
- 14. Paul Coxx- Love Songs
- 15. Sheila E. A Love Bizzare

- 16. Hans Orsolics- Mei Potschertes Leb'n
- 17. Rolling Stones- Harlem Schuffle
- 18. Westwind- Wenn Du Net Bei Mir Bist
- 19. Mr. Mister- Kyrie
- 20. Bronski Beat- Hit That Perfect Beat

#### MEDIA CONTROL FRANCE

From the Airplay Hitparades provided by Media Control France. For more info please contact Media Control France - 29 Blv Tauler -67000 Strasbourg - France. Tel (88)366580.

#### Radios Peripheriques (AM Stations):

- 1. Mitchell & Gainsbourg- Vieille Canaille
- 2. Elton John- Nikita
- 3 Gold- Capitaine Abandonne
- 4 Michel Berger- St Tu Plonges
- Indochine- 3eme Sexe
- 6. Rolling Stones- Harlem Shuffle
- 7. Daniel Balavoine- L'Aziza
- 8. Coluche- Les Restos Du Coeur
- Niagara- Tchiki Boum
- 10. Jane Birkin- Quoi
- 11. Michel Sardou- 1965
- 12. Jean Pierre Mader- Jalousie
- 13. Murielle Dacq- Tropique
- 14. Sting-Russians
- 15. Francoise Hardy- V.I.P.
- 16. Madonna- Dress You Up
- 17. Lionel Richie- Say You Say Me
- 18. Francis Cabrel- Encore Et Encore
- 19. Double- The Captain Of Her Heart
- 20. Matt Bianco- Yeh Yeh

#### Radios FM:

- 1. Survivor- Burning Heart
- 2. Double- Captain Of Her Heart
- 3. James Brown- Living In America
- 4. Sting-Russians
- 5. Gold- Capitaine Abandonne
- 6. A-Ha- The Sun Always Shines On TV
- 7. Daniel Balavoine- L'Azıza
- 8. Murielle Dacq- Tropique 9. Propaganda- P. Machinery
- 10. Matt Bianco- Yeh Yeh 11. Indochine- 3eme Sexe
- 12. Den Harrow- Bad Boys
- 13. Partenaires Particuliers- Partenaires Part.
- 14. Lionel Richie- Say You, Say Me
- 15. Elton John- Nikita
- 16. Billy Ocean- When The Going Gets Tough
- 17. Renaud- Miss Maggie
- 18. Niagara-Tchiki Boom
- 19 Simple Minds- Alive And Kicking
- 20. Ken Lazlo- Tonight

#### MEDIA CONTROL SWITZERLAND

Most played records as checked by Media Control on the national channel DRS3 and five private stations.

For more info please contact Media Control, Post Passage 2 Basel 4002, Tel. 61 - 228989

- 2. Billy Ocean- When The Going Gets Tough
- 3. Starship-Sara
- 4. Mr. Mister- Kyrie
- 5. A-Ha- The Sun Always Shines On T.V.
- 6. Sophia George- Girlie Girlie
- 7. Modern Talking- Brother Louie
- 9. Matt Bianco- Just Can't Stand It
- 11 Lionel Richie- Say You Say Me
- 12 Bronski Beat- Hit That Perfect Beat
- 14 Mike Oldfield- Pictures In The Dark
- 15. Pet Shop Boys- West End Girls

- 16. Bangles- Manic Monday
- 17. Elton John- Nikita
- 18. Double- Tomorrow
- 19 Muenchener Freiheit- Ohne Dich
- 20. Dire Straits- Walk Of Life.

#### STICHTING NEDERLANDSE TOP 40

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

- 1. David Bowie- Absolute Beginners
- 2. Cock Robin- The Promise You Made
- 3. Miami Sound Machine- Conga
- 4. Rolling Stones- Harlem Shuffle 5. Eric Mesie-Zonder Jou
- 6. Madonna- Borderline
- 7. Bangles- Manic Monday
- 8. Frank Ashton- I Still Remember
- 9. Floy Joy- Weak in The Presence Of Beauty
- 10. Simply Red- Jericho
- 11. Billy Ocean- When The Going Gets Tough
- 12. Survivor- Burning Heart
- 13. Mr. Mister- Kyrie
- 14. Frank Duval- It Was Love
- 15. Whitney Houston- How Will I Know
- 16. Gary Brooker & Lori Spee- Two Foois
- 17. Kiki Dee- Another Day Comes
- 18. Fra Lippo Lippi- Shouldn't Have To Be
- 19. Don Dixon- Southside Girl
- 20 Talk Talk- Living In Another World

#### SER - SPAIN

The 20 best played records in Spain from Cuarenta Principales, covering the major Spanish stations.

- Ole Ole- Lili Marlen 2. Lionel Richie- Say You, Say Me
- 3. Luz- Rufino
- 4. Los Nikis- El Imperio Contraataca
- 5. Wham!- I'm Your Man
- 6. Radio Futura- El Tonto Simon
- 7 Bruce Springsteen- Janey, Don't You Lose
- 8. Sandy Marton- Exotic And Erotic
- 9. Sade- is It A Crime 10. The Alan Parsons Project- Stereotomy
- 11. Elton John- Wrap Her Up
- 12 Mike Oldfield- Pictures In The Dark 13. Esclarecidos- Bajo La Nieve
- 14. Nacha Pop- Relojes En La Oscuridad
- 15. Los Elegantes- Dos Anos Atras 16. Paul McCartney- Spies Like Us
- 17. Vicky Larraz- Romamos El Hielo
- 18. Billy Ocean- When The Going Gets Tough 19 Eurythmics- It's Alright

20. La Decada Prodigiosa- Medley

**MAGNIFICENT TEN - ITALY** Most played records as compiled from the National channel RAI

- 1. Renzo Arbore- Il Clarinetto 2. Marcella- Senza Una Bricciolo Di Testa
- 3. Anna Oxa- E Tutto Un Attimo 4. Eros Ramazzotti- Adesso Tu
- 5. Loredana Berte- Re
- 6. Scialpi-No East No West
- 8. Righeira- Inamoratissimo 9. Mango-Lei Verra 10. Toto Cotugno- Azzurra Malinconia

For new European radio additions please check the station reports in this issue.

Lena Biolcati- Grande Grande Amore

1. Phil Carmen- Moonshine Still

- 10. Whitney Houston- How Will I Know
- 13. Survivor- Burning Heart



# euro



This page is meant to be a guide to European Radio Programming. It contains suggestions for airplay on Rock, Pop, MOR and Dance records, selected by the editorial staff of Eurotipsheet with recommendations from some of the major Program Directors throughout Europe.

#### RECORDS OF THE WEEK:

BOB SEGER- AMERICAN STORM (Capitol) JOHN TAYLOR- I DO WHAT I DO (Parlophone) JOE COCKER- SHELTER ME (Capitol) STEVIE WONDER- OVERJOYED (Motown)

#### SURE HITS:

JANET JACKSON: WHAT HAVE YOU DONE FOR ME LATELY (A&M) BIG AUDIO DYNAMITE- E=MC2 (CBS) HITLIST- INTO THE FIRE (Virgin)

SAMANTHA FOX- TOUCH ME (Jive) THE ART OF NOISE- PETER GUN (China Records) HIPSWAY- THE HONEYTHIEF (Mercury)

#### **EURO-CROSSOVER RECORDS:**

PHIL CARMEN- MOONSHINE STILL (Metronome Germany)

JENNIFER RUSH- IF YOU'RE EVER GONNA LOSE MY LOVE (CBS)



The Rolling Stones were heating up all the airwaves in Europe this week and they are, without much competition, the undisputed leaders of the European Airplay Top 50. Although the single had a lower new entry position last week than Bowie's Absolute Beginners (the latter entering at 23), it collected far more plays and with no trace of a shuffle, it made a spectacular jump to no. 1 (only its 2nd week!).

Do not underestimate however, the airplay on Absolute Beginners; after Harlem Shuffle it was the most obvious add-on for European radio and many programmers love the single for its good melody and its 'Hunky Dory'feel.

On the treshhold of entering the airplay top 10 are Mike & The Mechanics with Silent Running. The single is pulling a strong response with its smooth mixture of 70's rock and techno-pop: with a bullet from 17 to 11. Airplay on the new Prince single is staying a bit behind amidst such competition although Kiss does move with a bullet to no. 14. Other airplay movers for Culture Club (16-37), Mike Oldfield (19-30), Cock Robin (20-39), Kate Bush (23-34) and The Blow Monkeys (25-45).

Swiss-based musician Phil Carmen attracted good radio coverage last year in the GAS countries, Scandinavia and Holland with his Dire Straits sounding single On My Way In L.A. His follow-up Moanshine Still looks likely to improve his crossover status as it is one of the best played singles in the GAS market and is also getting tips from our correspondents in the Benelux. The Metronome artist enters this week at no. 30 (highest airplay entry this weeld.

The unusual fact occurs that no less than 5 of the European Top 10 Singles come from soundtracks. The 2 Rocky IV tracks at no. 1 and 2, When The Going from The Jewel Of The Nile at 3, Say You Say Me from the White Nights OST at 5 and the re-released Power Of Love from Spielberg's Back To The Future

Bob Seger is back afer a 3-year silence. Capitol releases his new single American Storm this week. As a preview of the new alburn Like A Rock, Seger comes up with a great rock 'n' roll tune, that will bring him back on the radio. And Capitol keeps on delivering the goods with the new single from the Sheffield plumber, Joe Cocker. Shelter Me is a dynamic and infectious danceable rocker that would sure set your station on fire.

Hipsway is a band that combines punchy and stumping funk with poppy guitar rock and their latest single The Honeythief is a perfect example of that style Preceded by 2 critically acclaimed singles (Broken Years and Ask The Lord), the band is doing very well at the moment in the UK, where The Honeythief is currently at no. 22. Apart from England the band isn't receiving much airplay. Don't miss out on this one beause this band is going to be very big<sup>1</sup>

Virgin re-released the single by Hitlist, Into The Fire. Not a bad choice, we think, as this alonous track with the jerky rhythms surely deserves a better treatment.

CBS act Big Audio Dynamite, fronted by ex-Clash guitar player Mick Jones, are the only band that SS Sputnik consider worthy of creating any excitement. And yes indeed, it is a group out for the unusual and their new single E=MC2 deserves your full attention

It is good to see A&M releasing the new Janet Jackson single What Have You Done For Me Lately; as stated in last week's Albums Guide it is the track we love the most from alhum Control.

## the Singles route

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

Jermaine Jackson Think It's Love (Arista) Brilliant
Love Is War (Food/WEA)
Kissing The Pink
One Step (Magnet)
Bob Seger American Storm (Capitol) Joe Cocker Shelter Me (Capitol)

Stevie Wonder Overjoyed (Motown) Aleem featuring Leroy Burgess Love's On Fire (Atlantic) Hot Chocolate

Heartache No. 9 (RAK) Mental As Anything Live It Up (Epic)

Robert Palmer Riptide (Island)

John Taylor
I Do What I Do (Parlophone) Janet Jackson

What Have You Done For Me Lately (A&M) Big Audio Dynamite E=MC2 (CBS)

Effectron Don't Stop That Go Go Beat (MDM) Miami Sound Machine Conga (Epic) Hipsway

The Honeythief (Mercury)
The Art Of Noise featuring Duane Eddy Peter Gunn (China Records)
John Cougar Mellencamp
R.O.C K. In The U.S.A. (Mercury)

Another Day Comes (Columbia) Samantha Fox Touch Me (Jive)

Kiki Dee

#### euro-crossover

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

🗶 Matia Bazar 🖊 Ti Sento (Ariston Italy) Hong Kong Syndikat Z Never Too Much (Teldec) Sound Of Music 3 One More Lonely Night (Alpha Records Sweden) Modern Talking \( \)
Brother Louie (Hansa/Ariola Germany) Erste Allgemeine Verunsicherung
Ba-Ba Bankueberfall (EMI Austria) Niagara 6 Tchiki Boum (Polydor France) Andrea 7 I'm A Lover (Baby Records Italy) Ania Any Kind Of Love (Polydor Norway) Sandra Little Girl (Virgin Germany) Muenchener Freiheit Onne Dich Schlaf Ich Heut Nacht (CBS Germany) Phil Carmen 🕙

Moonshine Still (Metronome Germany)

Sandy Marton (1) Exotic And Erotic (Ibiza Records Italy)

Bruce & Bongo (3 Geil (Rush Records Germany)

Double (% Tomorrow (Polydor)

Century Lover Why (Carrere France)

Bad Boys Blue 4 6 Kisses And Tears (Coconut/Ariola Germany)

XIndochine 3 3eme Sexe (Ariola France) Via Verdi (1)
Diamond (WEA Italy)

Jennifer Rush (5)
If You're Ever Gorina Lose My Love (CBS) We Just/Our Revolution (RCA Italy)