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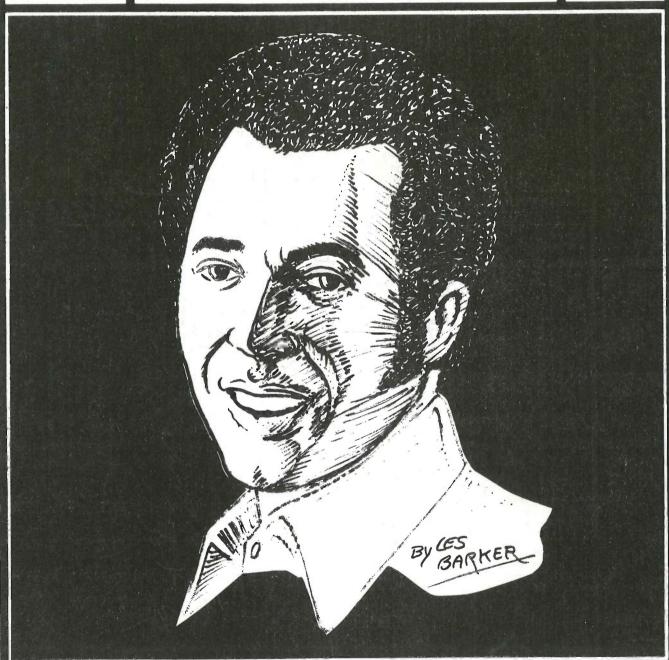


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Bobby G. Griffith ready for lights

# QUALITY BEEFS UP SALES/PROMO DEPTS

Quality Records has revamped their national sales and promotion departments which calls for expanding each of these areas. There will be more emphasis on constructive communication with radio stations as well as a more realistic approach to dealers and rack jobbers.

The above announcement was made by Mr. W.R. Bays, president of Quality Records who further announced the following appointments:

Lee Farley moves from general sales manager to director of sales and promotion; Jack Vermeer to national sales manager but will also continue to be responsible for the Ontario sales division; Bob Morten from Ontario promotion to national promotion manager and A&R rep; Gene Lew to Ontario promotion; Brendan Lyttle to national promotion; Brendan Lyttle to national promotion coordinator and Nadine Langlois, Yvonne Culley and Darlene Slonecky to promotion coordinators.

Harold Winslow will move from national sales and promotion supervisor to manager, production coordination. Winslow takes on these new duties to strengthen the liason between marketing and all areas of inventory and production control,

# SUPERIOR SOUND IN EXPANSION MOVE

Sheldon Kagan, one of the few Canadian impressarios who believes that "jazz lives" and proves it by presenting a successful jazz series of concerts in Montreal, has made extensive changes within his Superior Sound Enterprises company. The reorganization, according to Kagan, will effect his company to the extent that it can "emerge as probably the most progressive and creatively aware company of its kind in this city."

Superior is already engaged in promoting rock, folk and country music besides his jazz concerts, but his plans are now for stimulating interest in high schools and colleges for this particular type of music. He has already presented Montreal with the big names of Gene Krupa, Dizzie Gillespie, Lionel Hampton, Dave Brubeck, Woody Herman and the Modern Jazz Quartet. Plans now call for appearances of Don Ellis, Duke Ellington, Bill Withers and Jan Peerce.

Kagan has laid on extensive plans to enlarge the creative concept of the agency and has given a free hand to his new director of the audio-visual department, Robert Burch.

The booking side of the agency is looked after by Ray Dion, His main function is to inform schools and colleges why they should consult S.S.E. on all aspects of entertainment. Working with whatever budget the client comes up with Dion and his team of experts then fit the budget and the bill.

Lesley Rust, besides doing the tea bit, press writing and looking after production co-ordination duties is the out front image of the firm.

#### U.A.'S MATTHEWS BRINGS BACK "UP AL'S ALLEY"

Allan Matthews, national promotion manager for United Artists (Canada) has launched his own version of the popular weekiy newsletter, "Up Al's Alley". Originally conceived by Al Mair, now handling the business affairs for Gordon Lightfoot, Matthews continued the sheet for MCA when Mair left and he assumed the duties of national promotion for MCA. The sheet continued until Matthews moved over to United Artists almost a year ago at which time it was dropped. In the meantime Matthews has received many phone calls and letters asking that he revive the old sheet. He bowed his new sheet Oct 26 which has been mailed to programmers and the press across Canada.

Matthews' new sheet gives pertinent information about album and single releases as well as news about radio station activities and Want Ads for the jock looking to move.

Canadian information on Vol 1 No. 1 points up the signing of Nobody, a six man group now showing chart action with their "Sing A Song For Me" deck. There is also news of the label's first totally Canadian album now being readied for release. The artist is Karl Erickson. Pinky, United Artists' first Canadian signing is ready with his next single release, "Cheatin' Mistreatin", penned by Al Matthews, Toronto songwriter. Pinky is now backed by his new group, Sweet Lorraine, featuring two up-front lovelies.

#### STOLZ PICKING UP NATIONAL GAINS

Billy Stoltz, Calgary's top contender for country music man of the year, is doing it with his new Big Wheel single release, "Come On Back". Stoltz recently signed a three year contract with Rada who will manufacture and distribute the Stoltz label. Tagged as one of the best recordings to happen for Stoltz, the single is picking up chart listings in practically every province in Canada.

Although the mailing to radio stations has been extensive, there is no definite national distribution structure at time of writing. Much of the distribution is being handled by Rada out of Vancouver.

# ENGLAND'S SLADE FOR POLYDOR BOOST

Slade, the Birmingham, England group which has swept the U.K. by storm, is benefiting here from an intensive promotional push by Polydor Records. The "Slade Alive" album is receiving considerable airplay, which combined with saturation major market radio spots and window displays is resulting in a good sales return, according to Polydor's Lori Bruner.

"Mama We're All Crazee", the group's latest single, will also be accorded the Polydor push, as a result of its success in England. The disc has maintained the number one spot over 'ome for each of the past four weeks. It is not contained on the "Slade Alive" album.

#### A&M GIVING PUSH TO KEITH HAMPSHIRE

With considerable initial response to his first single for A&M, "Daytime Nightime". Keith Hampshire has embarked on a extensive promotional campaign for the record. With A&M's national promotion manager, Pete Beauchamp, in tow, Hampshire moved into the Montreal market for visits to CJAD, CFCF, CKAC, CJMS and CKGM. All these stations are currently on the record. Following a handshaking round in Montreal, the two moved on to Ottawa. where Hampshire was interviewed for the "Gary Michaels Show", a production of Ottawa Cablevision. While in the capital, Hampshire visited CFGO where he taped an interview with the station's John Morrison. Due to the strong response to the record in this country, A&M's parent company in the United States has set a November 17th release date for the disc in that country.

# LONDON MOVES IN ON MATERICK APPEARANCE

Vince Lasch, who handles promotional duties for all London Records' domestic product has set up a heavy promotional campaign to tie in with the appearance of the Kanata label's Ray Materick to coordinate a series of interviews, including ones with CHLO, Radio Western and others. Print ads appeared in the local university press as well as the London Free Press. Displays and signs appeared in the windows of local retailers. Lasch is now engaged in concentrating play of the singer-composer's Kanata single on the plug side, "Hard Life Alone". Many stations, particularly those with an adult contemporary audience have being going with the flip, "Season of Plenty".

# CHILLIWACK FEVER GRIPPING INDUSTRY

With British Columbia leading the way, per capita, in record releases, the hook is now out for the province's anchor group, Chilliwack. A&M have released several press releases as to the coming album and single product, but with most of the company promotion centering around Lorence Hud, Keith Hampshire and Valdy, there has been little said of Chilliwack. Fortunately the group themselves, have taken the initiative and are getting their feet wet with press rattlings that should lay the foundation for their pending releases.

One thing for certain is that they have their next album in the can and they are now pushing for a single release with the album to follow. The session which was produced at Aragon Recorders in Vancouver was produced by the group members themselves, Ross Turney, Bill Henderson, and Glenn Miller. Says Turney: "The sessions were great. The best sides we've ever cut. The longest tune is five minutes in duration. There are eleven songs mostly around two minutes or so."

It's expected that Chilliwack will criss-cross Canada to promote their forthcoming single and album releases.



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# Discounting, racking and franchise stores

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Discounting was only starting, and many people felt that records at a lower price were inferior. It took that fifteen years for the retailing industry to undergo gigantic changes.

The record store of years ago is today gone to make way for formated merchandising by rackers. Efficient central buying of lead items has made it easier for the record outlet of today to stock that which is in most demand. Additional discounts for larger volume make discounting that

"the prophets of doom, the messengers of mediocrity, will be overwhelmed by the new generation of competent, creative, confident artisans and by all those of preceding generations who have already demonstrated their freshness of mind, their talent and their capacity for inspired leadership."

—Pierre Juneau

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much easier. The album has taken the place of the single, as the larger selling of the two.

Franchise stores have entered the picture. The same name and the same policy greet the record buyer when he walks into a franchised store. He knows that discounts and current stock will greet him. The retailing business is in the hands of professionals able to judge what will sell and capable of manipulating a price that adds volume to the record sales of North America.

What killed the record store of years ago? To many it was a part-time effort with the thinking that "if we had records, people would come in and buy them."

With some, the concept of record store was an easy way to fortune, but the whims of the buyer often confused the small, badly stocked stores. Dead inventory greeted the buyer who turned to bigger stores that had the goods.

The rack jobber began to put racks into drug and variety stores where impulse buyers could shop later in the day after the record stores were closed. The racks were restricted to floor space and the number of titles they could display. The racker discovered there was a pattern to the buying habits of the masses. He made the wire racks into small departments with browsers. He then grew, to supply a whole record department at a percentage of the sales to the store owner.

The risk to the new racked-record dealer was only floor space and ringing up the sales (and the risk of pilfering) but the innovation of records, controlled and sold in volume, was to become one of the threats to the small record store. As discount stores came into prominence, the racker was able to equip and supply a record department. Racking now constitues an estimated 85% of the sales of sound on records and tape. The industry has changed.

# HEAVY PROMO FOR BOOT'S COUNTRY SHARON LOWNESS

Boot Records have laid on a heavy promotion campaign for one of their most recent signings, Sharon Lowness. Her first single release for the label, "Flowers of Darkness" established the pretty young singer as a talent to watch and laid the groundwork for the release of her album, "Broomstick Horse Cowboy". Her next single release, "Flying East" has been tried successfully on her Edison Hotel (Toronto) audience and should be released within the next couple of weeks.

Miss Lowness is backed by her own group known as the Teddy Bears.

Lorne Lichtman, Boot's newly appointed promotion chief, has rolled out the red carpet for a round of radio visits for Miss Lowness as well as Stevedore Steve. The latter will soon release his album, "I've Lived" which contains his "Lester The Lobster" deck as well as his most recent single, "Steel Wheels On The Rails."

Neck and neck with the rackers were the multi-stores and franchisers of name and stock. As the chains evolved from central discounted buying and the name stores lent their name and merchandising (and advertising) to anyone who could buy the franchise (like takeout chicken) records became an item that could be bought from a respected name in records. Franchising was sweeping the nation. Why not records. Merchandising took another step toward the lively art of selling records.

One newspaper ad now lists dozens of stores offering bargain specials at almost the cost price. Large and small department stores now use the services of a racker. The number one LP seller is available at bargain prices. Records released a few months ago can be bought for one sixth their original price. Singles are sold at a few pennies of profit over their wholesale price. The industry has changed and changed and is still changing.

If there is nothing new under the sun, then take a look at the new innovations in record merchandising. There is always a better way and the top men in marketing will find it because of their wisdom or by mistake.

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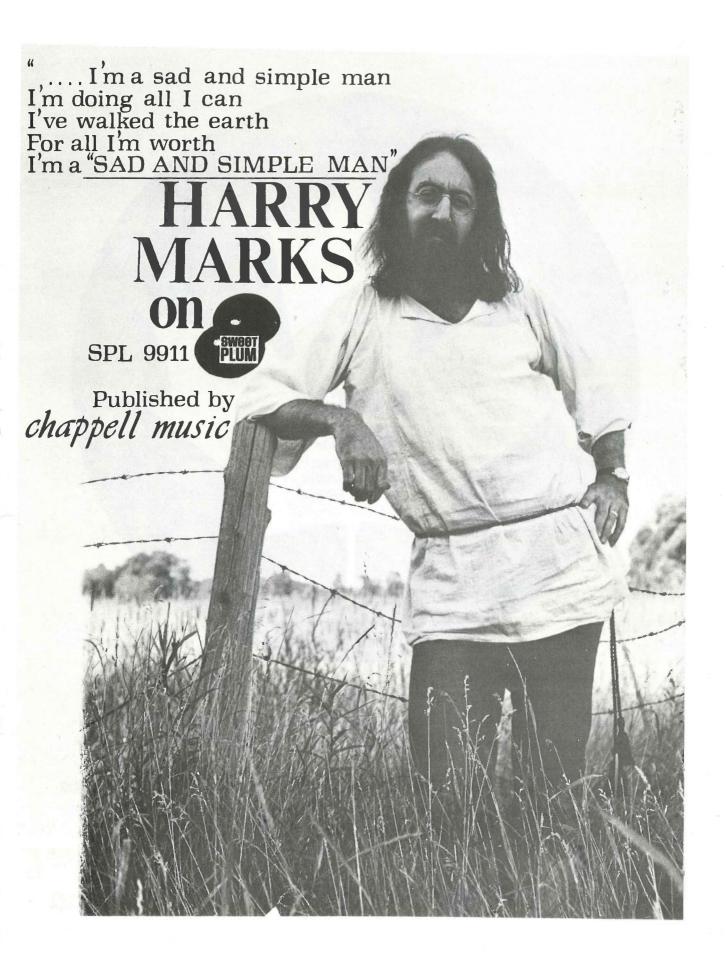




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#### **COVER STORY**

# BOBBY G. GRIFFITH READY FOR BIG TIME

Wanna buy a second hand Beaver? Going! Going! Gone to the highest bidder. The Beaver is Bobby G. Griffith and he happens to be second hand because this is his second time 'round in the Canadian merry-go-round music business. The highest bidder was Lawrence Welk's Teleklew Productions Inc., and Griffith is one of the first artists signed by this publishing wing of the Welk Organization which was designed to bring some of today's artists and their music into today's music, which could stand a little updating, from "a one, a two a three'...

How did Griffith make it into the U.S. big time with all this bad talk about the credability of Canadian recording artists? First, let's take a look at why Griffith went the U.S. route to begin with. The young Winnipegger had a lot going for him with his first release - if you'll remember.

What's Griffith got besides one of the greatest undiscovered talents in the business? A manager, name of Jules Rabkin, who believes and who hung onto his talented young Beaver through one disappointment after another. Griffith and Rabkin looked like they had finally grasped the brass ring of the Canadian music industry when his first release hit on the MTCC label. Unfortunately the company folded before Griffith could do more than just establish his image. Rabkin, in his usual cigar chomping, wheeler dealer manner, moved back into the meilieu and scored a contract with Polydor and a single release. That was as far as it went. After all, Griffith was just another Canadian performer and a mailing to radio stations was just about all the promotion he received. Rabkin went out on the hook himself, as usual but it was just impossible to break through the apathy of Canadian programmers towards Canadian recording artists.

Griffith and Rabkin laid low for a short time but Rabkin was convinced that he would shortly put the power behind the lights of "Mr. Entertainment" Bobby G. Griffith. A trip to Los Angeles and Rabkin had wrapped it up. Dean Kay, General Manager of Mogue Music, one of the largest publishing houses in the U.S., flipped when he heard Griffith's demo tapes and immediately made Rabkin "an offer he couldn't refuse".

In an interview with RPM, Kave noted that Griffith "has the talent to become a superstar, the potential to become a giant. I just want you to know that we are very much involved with Bobby. We're going to be releasing his album here in the States on Ranwood, the same label, my boss Lawrence Welk releases on." Kay was also tuned-in on the Canadian scene. He added: "You know, you've got an awful lot going on in Canada, Toronto especially. We certainly want to generate as much, if not more, excitement in Bobby than anybody else who has come out of Canada, and we hope to turn him into a superstar. Welk is backing him 100% and we'll be bringing him down to do the show. This show will probably be a tribute to Canada with Bobby being the featured guest."

Rabkin has also reached the negotiation stages for Griffith to appear on several other U.S. TV network shows with Flip Wilson and Johnny Carson as strong possibilities.

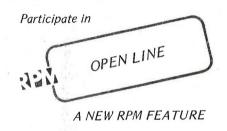
Griffith will move south of the border with one of the most unique deals ever offered a Canadian artist. He bows the U.S. scene as an entertainer, record producer, writer and recording artist and all this talent comes together with his initial single release, "The Sound Of Peace" and "My Love (I'll Keep Loving You)" to be released on the Ranwood label in the U.S. and Quality in Canada. Griffith will be flown to Hollywood for the Welk Canadian Special to be televized Dec. 3rd.

It's interesting to note that Vogue's Kay who, by the way, penned "That's Life" one of the big hits of the century, was impressed by Griffith's demo - recorded in Canada at RCA's Toronto studios. Says Kay: "His session was produced at RCA in Toronto and that's where we would like to keep him. We like the sound. As a matter of fact we like a lot of the sounds coming out of Canada and we're always looking for good masters from Canada."

Now that Rabkin has the Griffith bandwagon moving, everything is fitting into place. He's to be handled by Queen's Booking out of New York, the same agency booking Sammy Davis Jr. and he is now being talked about as a headliner for one of the top rated Los Vegas clubs. Sammy Davis Jr. has expressed an interest in the 31 year old Griffith and will fly into Toronto the first part of November to catch him in action.

One identifying feature about Griffith is his ability to pick a strong back-up group. Doing it, beautifully, behind Griffith is George Dearling, drummer; Lou fortin, bass; Valentine Bent, lead guitar,; and Jimmy Carver, electric piano. Each member of his group is a professional and that's how Griffith treats them. They are showcased individually on their own instruments as well as vocally and they in turn spotlight Griffith with one of the brightest and most respectful backup assists available.

What's his bag? You name it, Griffith does it. Rock, soul, folk, middle of the road. His styling is his own and with the help of the giant Welk organization he could be bankrolled into one of this country's greatest entertainment exports.





A new recording star on the horizon, Gary Ferguson, being managed by Reg Sprung. Please send address Reg.



Recent Toronto engagement of Capitol's Al Martino saw an impressive promotion at Target Tape managed by Trudy Harper.

# RITCHIE YORKE RESIGNS FROM MAPLE MUSIC INC.

Ritchie Yorke, Canada's top pop columnist and one who has been responsible for creating that important missing ingredient in the Canadian music industry - excitement has just returned from Rio de Janiero where he represented Canada as one of the judges. Although he had tendered his resignation to the directors of Maple Music Inc. prior to his trip, his reasons for resigning have not been made public. Yorke has supplied RPM with the following letter which was addressed to Maple Music Inc., which should clear up any misunderstanding and certainly shoot down any rumours that may have existed:

"It is with some considerable regret that I would like to inform you of my resignation from the Board of Directors of Maple Music Inc.

"Although there seems little point in endeavoring to hide my philosophical differences over the new order of priorities of Maple Music Inc. -- as established by the CRMA meeting of Tuesday Sept. 12 -- I would like you to know that pressing business matters such as the further building up of Rainbow Magazine, make it simply impossible for me to find the time and energy to continue with the numerous duties associated with the position I have held since the formation of Maple Music Inc.

"I am extremely sincere in my hope that Maple Music Inc. will continue to be a vital cog in the machinery which promotes Canadian talent to the world. Furthermore I am more convinced than ever that the efforts of Maple Music Inc. will be the crucial factor in maintaining the momentum which began in the aftermath of the Maple Music Junket. I would like to go on the record as saying that I personally did not believe at any time prior to June 1 that the Junket could have been so vastly successful in putting Canada into the global music market.

"My association with this corporation has

provided me with a much greater understanding of the present state and future aspirations of the Canadian recording industry. It has been a memorable and remarkable experience for me to be involved on such close terms with so many distinguished members of the Maple Music industry. In closing I would like to extend my earnest hope that your efforts in the coming months will be as fruitful and as far-reaching as you and your fellow directors anticipate.

"It seems somewhat irrelevant, in light of the developments of recent years, for me to offer all of the media support I can muster internationally for your cause. Please be assured that Rainbow Magazine, as one of the more obvious ways of reaching the Canadian consumer, will do its utmost to keep its readers well informed on your efforts."

# CROWN-VETCH CHALKS UP BUCKS ON COMPOSITIONS

Crown-Vetch Music, with one of its greatest disc vehicles, Boot Records, has scored significantly in the dollar race for Canadian compositions much of it due probably to the 30% Canadian content regulations.

Their big money-maker has been "Maritime Farewell" which never reached hit status. The song was co-written by Jury Krytiuk, president of Crown-Vetch, Mark Altman the company's producer/arranger and folk singer, John Spence. There have apparently been more than 20 versions of the song recorded including one by George Hamilton IV contained on his most recent album release, "Travellin' Light".

Crown-Vetch also figured prominently in the recent Molson's "Hear Canada Singing" contest. Dayton Brillinger, a former teacher now living in Cantley, P.Q., reached the finals with his penning of "The Old Man, The Crow and The Dam". Brillinger also wrote Sean Dunphy's "And The Old House Died" and is currently working on an album for Boot Records.

# POLYDOR OFF WITH CANCON SINGLES

Polydor Records' Lori Bruner reports encouraging initial reaction to the company's two latest domestically produced releases, Cliff Edwards' "Uncle Dad and Auntie Mom" and Tapestry's "The Music Doesn't Seem to be Going Anywhere". "Uncle Dad and Auntie Mom" was written and performed by Edwards, former lead of the Bells, the Montreal-based group who hit with "Stay Awhile". Edwards now makes his home in Toronto. Tapestry, a vital part of the Montreal music scene, recorded their latest at Montreal's Andre Perry Studios.

"The Music" has received a personal pick from both Bill Gavin and Ted Randall.

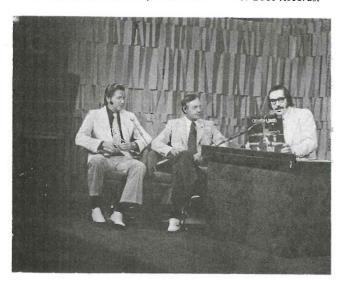
# PATSY GALLANT RECEIVES SIR ROBERT BURNETT AWARD

Patsy Gallant, Columbia recording star now hitting with "Get That Ball" was recently presented with the Sir Robert Burnett Sword Award. This is the first time a Montreal area resident has received the coveted award, presented annually by Canadian Distillers to Canadians "for outstanding work in a respective field."

Miss Gallant received the Award for her work in the field of commercial advertising. During this past year she has been heard on both French and English commercials ranging from airlines, to Quebec Savings Bonds.

In making the presentation, Canadian Distillers' vice-president, R.C. (Bob) Newton, noted: "It was our intention to reward an artist who's name is often unknown to us, who's voice sounds familiar and who's work influences us in a great many ways," adding, "We hope this award will help in the development and exposure of talented Canadian performers, both at home and abroad."

Canadian Distillers is the Canadian distributor for Sir Robert Burnett White Satin Gin.



Floyd Cramer and Boots Randolph dropped into CBC-TV's Luncheon Date and a rap with host Bruce Marsh,



GRT's Jack Bailey receives CHEX "Chicken Pickin' Good" Award from Sean Eyre during recent Peterboro show.



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#### LINDISFARNE/ DINGLY DELL

Lindisfarne's distinctive melodies and harmonies, some outstanding harmonica and mandolin improvisations and some good old fashioned rock and roll. This is their third album and it rocks with real exuberance. Incidentally a Dingly Dell is a small city park.



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#### **NEW ALBUMS**

#### MAXOOM Mahogany Rush Kotai KOT3001

A self-consciously hard rock band who interrupt their vaudevillian duplications of Jimi Hendrix only long enough to pick a bit of equally self-conscious rhythm and blues. A pity.

#### MURRAY McLAUCHLAN True North TN9-H

Lots of advance word of mouth assure this one a fair hearing. Ed Freeman, of Don McLean fame did the production chores, and in fine style too. Side one hits a high point with "Old Man's Song" but side two is really where it's at and should be heard in its entirety. It'll take several listenings to fully appreciate this one.

#### KING JAMES VERSION Word WCS5541

If you're into the Gospel thing, or even if you're not, the King James Version offer some of the best adult contemporary sounds in the business. Don't let the Gospel bit fool you. The messages fit the happy crowd.

#### SLADÊ ALIVE Polydor 0598-Q

They're loud, forceful and fun. What distinguishes Slade from the balance of hard rock bands is the feeling that they don't really take it all very seriously. England's top rockers debut auspiciously with "Born to Be Wild", "In Like A Shot From My Gun" and "Know Who You Are".

#### HEAVY CREAM Polydor 2668 008-Q

Never let it be said that Robert Stigwood missed a trick. Cream continue to be milked for all they're worth (intentional pun) and "Heavy Cream" will surely go down as smoothly as all the previous ones. Double record set shouldn't go sour on the dealers' shelves.





#### RHYMES AND REASONS Carole King Ode SP77016-W

Huge advance orders indicate that this one could even supercede her "Tapestry" set in terms of sales. No great changes of direction, just the Carole King we've all come to expect. "Bitter With the Sweet", "Stand Behind Me" and "Been to Canaan" stand out.



#### LADY'S NOT FOR SALE Rita Coolidge A&M SP4370-W

This one meets our expectations fully. That beautiful Coolidge vocalizing is as good as ever with not a rough edge to be found any where. Suitable for all formats. Among the best are "I'll Be Your Baby Tonight", Leonard Cohen's "Bird on the Wire" and the stunning "My Crew".





#### IN CONCERT James Last Polydor 2371 191-Q

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#### AT HIS BEST Eric Clapton Polydor 2668 009-Q

Whatever Clapton's contribution will be reckoned to be in the great counting house in the sky, while he's around these parts there seems to be no end in sight. A greatest hits package well worth the price: "Layla", "Presence of the Lord", "Let it Rain" etc. etc. etc.





#### CRAZY HORSES The Osmonds Polydor 2424 070-Q

Out to dethrone the Moody Blues and Led Zeppelin at one fell swoop, the Osmonds come forth with "Crazy Horses", a single and an album. The balance of the album, is however in the more traditional Osmond vein. "That's My Girl" stands out as the most Osmondesque cut on the set.

# SECOND U.A. SINGLE FOR CLAUDE VALADE

United Artists continues their experiment with the Quebec market and Claude Valade. Her first single for the label, "Pour Un Homme" is still very much alive in Quebec as United Artists releases her second single, "Ce N'est Pas Un Matin Pour Se Dire Adieu", which is Bobby Goldsboro's hit "With Pen In Hand". The flip is Don and Dick Addrissi's penning of "Never My Love" ("Non, Non, My Love"). The session was produced at Andre Perry Studios in Montreal by Ben Kaye and Cyrille Beaulieu with Richard Gregoire arranging.

Miss Valade is by no means a newcomer to the Quebec disc market. She has released 26 singles and 3 albums and has become internationally known having toured with Frank Sinatra, Dean Martin and Tom Jones. Her biggest record success was "Sukiyaki" which topped the Quebec charts. Besides starring in "Quebecois" a flick for Expo '67 she represented Canada at the Tokyo Music Festival where she sang "Pour Un Homme". She won first prize in the foreign song category for this entry as well as being honoured with three prizes including an award of merit and the coveted Singers' Prize.

Coming up are appearances in Aruba, Curacao, Jamaica, Bermuda, Nassau, Mexico, Puerto Rico and Las Vegas. The next few weeks will be taken up with a Quebec province-wide promotion for her new single release.

# WHO'S GOT THE COUNTRY NEWS?

There's a battle, although not legal yet, over who has the right to the recently bowed World of Country Music. Information received here has it that there was a plan by the founders of the World of Country Music to set up individual satellite, World of Country Music papers in all ten Canadian provinces. Although there was a BC World of Country Music, the paper to become most important has been that which is being published out of Toronto and known as The World of Country Music.

Parties involved with the B.C. country news publication have issued a report that they have "nothing to do with this (Ontario) publication, and no control over its contents. Therefore, we want to be careful about the relationship between the papers, especially since both papers carry exactly the same distinctive logo on the front page".

There had also apparently been some confusion about what the World of Country Music was all about. It had been taken as a songbook, a record or a book about guitars.

Taking all this into consideration the BC World of Country Music has taken a name change step and will now be known as Country Music News. Their intended activities outside the province of British Columbia has not been made clear at time of writing.

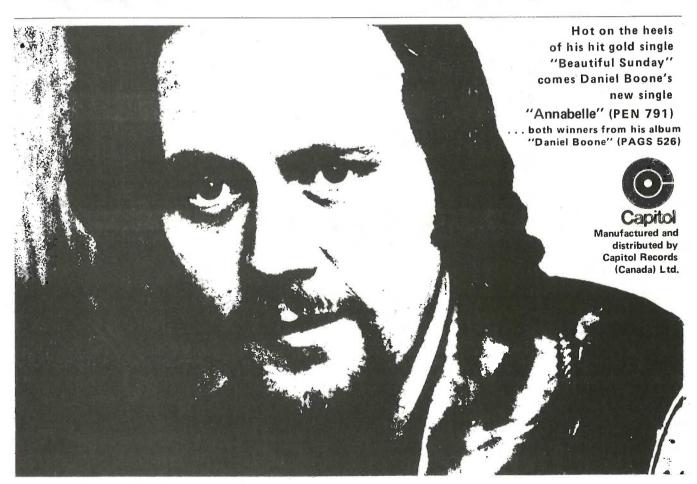
# A&M BUSY WITH ARTIST APPEARANCES

The promotion staff of A&M was kept busy last week with a hectic schedule of personal appearances by three of the label's most important artists. Valdy, signed to Haida Records, which is distributed by A&M, was in Toronto for a week-long stay at Grumbles. Haida's Keith Lawrence and Ray Pettinger flew in from the west coast for the event. The performance Wednesday night was captured on tape, to be aired over CHUM FM at a date to be announced.

Shawn Phillips, hit Toronto the same week, kicking off a multi-city Canadian tour with dates in London, Quebec City, Montreal and Ottawa. In Montreal, the artist performed four shows at Place des Arts, one of which was broadcast live over CHOM FM. Billy Preston, currently happening with his "Slaughter" single, made appearances in Kitchener and London. He returns to Canada for a date in Montreal on November 12.

Upcoming appearances include a two day effort by Cat Stevens at Massey Hall in Toronto, November 11th and 12th, and a performance by Paul Williams at the Queen Elizabeth Theatre in Vancouver on the 24th.

Charles Lloyd, recently signed by A&M in the United States, is inked into Toronto's Colonial Tavern for a week-long stint, commencing November 27th.



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# Looking at the future of media

Having been off in the relative wilds of eastern Ontario for the past week, I missed my opportunity of discussing the Vancouver C5 meet in last week's issue. I don't suppose there were too many tears shed as a result of my absence, but just in case, I'll do my bit now. Of all the issues raised, and

By John Watts

there were many, the one which sticks with me is the point made by a programmer that the CRTC requires an applicant for a radio license to state what kind of programming he will be providing. In essence to state whether he will be running a country, top forty, progressive, adult contemporary or talk station. If I understand correctly, the programmer who made the point felt that this could restrict a station's competitive ability by limiting him to a given format. The point is well taken but the defense is equally interesting. Unless the CRTC is able to depend on an operator sticking to one area of entertainment, and distribute licenses accordingly, chaos would result and ultimately the listener would suffer.

What interests me is that in spite of the intentions of the CRTC and the unquestioned abilities of many programmers, more and more radio stations are sounding more and more alike. These growing similarities are occurring across all sorts of previously inviolate boundaries. In Toronto for instance the top forty stations are softening their music noticeably, whether due to the state of the recording industry or their own evaluation of a changing market is unknown and not really that important. The adult contemporaries meanwhile are moving in the up-tempo direction. Country music is becoming more citified and progressive is losing its hard rock underground

image for a more all-embracing style. This seems to be the case in many markets, Toronto is only an example. What it all means is that stations at all ends of the spectrum are slowly but surely moving towards the middle, to a position where they can please many of the people a lot of the time. What the implications of this are I'm not really sure but I would surmise that eventually we'll run into exactly what the CRTC says we will, a situation where the listener is left with no alternatives. When and if that does happen, we can depend on at least one station in each multi-station market branching off in its own direction, again providing the variety which the listener deserves.

It's just natural evolution I suppose. But the real question which programmers should be pondering at this point is what direction this evolution will take. It seems to me that what is happening today is merely temporary, the calm before the storm, for lack of a better analogy. Just as a suggestion from someone whose forte in life is not radio programming, I would think it would be of advantage to programmers to fully examine the role of radio in their community. Is it on the only source of entertainment, of information? If not, what competition is there from other sources of entertainment and information? Do people in your community listen to radio or is it merely background noise? Do they believe what radio tells them? After asking these questions of yourself, look for the honest answers, not the easy ones. With these honest answers you can more clearly evaluate and understand the role which your station should be fulfilling.

I think the next few years will be critical for radio. Television has taken away a large chunk of the radio audience. Videocassettes loom on the horizon as another threat. Will the medium be able to withstand such intense competition or will it wither and become a poor relative. Now is the time to prepare for the challenges of the coming years by honestly assessing the present and planning intelligently for the future.

# JAMES GANG ALBUM CANCON --- RCA

RCA Records' Scott Richards reports that all cuts on the new James Gang album, "Passin' Thru" on ABC, qualify as Canadian content. In a release sent to Canadian radio programmers, Richards indicates that all cuts on the set were in accordance with CRTC requirements. Two members of the group, Dom Troiano and Roy Kenner, are well known pillars of the southern Ontario rock and blues scene of ten years ago. The two provide virtually all of the group's original material.

The James Gang, operating out of Cleveland, Ohio, has steadily built its concert and record following over the past few years with a string of highly acclaimed albums and numerous prestigious concert appearances, including venues at Carnegie Hall and the Lyceum Theatre.

# ISAAC HAYES FOR ONTARIO DATES

Polydor-distributed Isaac Hayes, who picked up an Academy Award for his original score of the film, "Shaft", has been contracted for three dates in southern Ontario this month. On the eighth of the month, he appears at Kitchener Memorial Auditorium in Kitchener, followed by a performance at the University of Western Ontario on the ninth. The three day mini tour winds up in Hamilton at McMaster University the following day.

To tie in with the appearances, Polydor is arranging for a busload of industry types to arrive in Hamilton on the tenth in order to catch the Hayes performance. Scoot Irwin, recently-appointed Ontario promotion rep for Polydor will accompany the guests.



Susan and Terry Jacks (The Poppy Family) teamed up with George Hamilton IV for Saint John Board of Trade show.



Dan LaRoche (Boot), Orm Jones (London), Stevedore Steve, Bob Tait and Al Kensey (London) at west coast showing.

# MAPL DETAILS

- 11 SUNNY DAYS
  Lighthouse-GRT 123039-T
  (Skip Prokop) CAN-USA/Mediatrix-BMI
  Thunder (Jimmy Jenner)
- 20 RUNNIN' BACK TO SASKATOON Guess Who-Nimbus 9 74-0803-N (Cumming-Winter) Cirrus/Sunspot-BMI RCA Los Angeles (Jack Richardson)
- 21 GOODBYE FAREWELL Abraham's Children-G.A.S. 1004 (Jim Bertucci) Black & White-BMI. RCA Toronto (Gary Salter/Paul Gross)
- 35 GET THAT BALL
  Patsy Gallant-Columbia C4-3056-H
  (Ken Owen/Yves Lapierre) April-CAPAC
  Andre Perry (Yves Lapierre)
- 39 ROCK AND ROLL SONG
  Valdy-Haida H5101-W
  (Valdy) Klavic Music-BMI
  No Studio Listed (Claire Lawrence)
- 42 MONEY BACK GUARANTEE Five Man Electrical Band Polydor 2065 142-Q (Emmerson) No publishing listed. No other information available,
- 44 ONE MORE CHANCE
  Ocean-Yorkville YVS45062-D
  (Cooke/Greenway)Cookaway Music-BMI
  Bay Studios (Bill Gilliland/Greg Brown)
- 45 DAYTIME NIGHT TIME
  Keith Hampshire-A&M 330-W
  (Mike Hugg) Spectorious-BMI
  RCA Toronto (Bill Misener)
- 47 TAKE THE BLINDNESS Joey Gregrash-Polydor 2065 148-Q (Gregrash/Lampe) No publishing listed. No studios listed (Ron Capone)
- 50 LISTEN TO THESE CHORDS I PLAY Roger Rodier-Columbia C4-3058-H Andre Perry (Yves Lapierre)
- 51 SHORTY McKENNA
  Buxton Kastle-Warner Bros CR4014-P
  (Donald Rowan) Home Cooked Music
  Eastern Sound (John Stewart)

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#### GALBRAITH REPRODUCTIONS

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260 Richmond Street West, Toronto 2B 364-3338

- 61 SWEET AMERICA Cascades-Can-Base CB4505-H (Barry Greenfield) Kennedy St. Music-PRS Can-Base (Steve Douglas)
- 62 JULIA GET UP
  Rich Dodson-MWC 1010X-M
  (Rich Dodson) Corral Music-BMI
  Toronto Sound (Mel Shaw)
- 63 LAST SONG Edward Bear-Capitol 72677-F (Larry Evoy) Eeyor Music-CAPAC Thunder Sound (Gene Martynec)
- 64 DROP YOUR GUNS April Wine-Aquarius 5024-K (D.Henman) No publishing listed Toronto Sound (Ralph Murphy)
- 66 LONG TIME COMIN' HOME Doctor Music-GRT 1233 15-T (Doug Riley) Doctor Music-CAPAC Toronto Sound (Doug Riley)
- 68 DREAM NO. 2 Tobias-Verve Forecast VF800X-M (Ken Tobias) Gloosecap Music-BMI MGM Hollywood (Michael Lloyd)
- 70 CONCRETE SEA
  Terry Jacks-London L818-K
  (Terry Jacks) Gone Fishin' Music-BMI
  Aragon (Terry Jacks)
- 72 SIGN OF THE GYPSY QUEEN Lorence Hud-A&M AMX332-M (Lorence Hud) Irving Music-BMI Sound Canada (Lorence Hud)
- 76 HARD LIFE ALONE/PLENTY Ray Materick-Kanata 1010-K (Ray Materick) Eskimo Music-BMIC Thunder Sound (Dave Bird)
- 79 THEME FROM ROWDYMAN
  Robbie McDougall-Nimbus 9 NNS9019-N
  (Ben McPeek) Critique/Canart-CAPAC
  Manta Sound (Ben McPeek)
- 80 MAPLE LADY
  Flying Circus-Capitol 72626-F
  (Grace/Rowe/Wilkins) Hopo/Boco-BMI
  Thunder (Paul Hoffert/Bruce Bell)
- 83 SAD & SIMPLE MAN
  Harry Marks-Sweet Plum SPL9911-K
  (Harry Marks) No publishing listed
  No studio information (Bill Hill)
- 90 SING A SONG FOR ME Nobody-United Artists 50960-U John Albany)) No publishing listed, RCA Toronto (lan Guenther)
- 91 AFRICA
  Thundermug-Axe 4-K
  (Bill Durst/Joe de Angelis) Belsize-BMI
  Toronto Sound (Greg Hambleton)
- 93 WHAT WOULD I DO Skylark-Capitol 3378-F (E.Shelby/P.Mitchell) Muscle Shoals-BMI No studio listed (Erik The Norwegian)

The dialogue continues in



Based on the radio station concept of a phone-in program, you will now have a vehicle for making your views known. Both programmer and record man, and those in allied fields can take advantage of this new feature. Your letter must be signed, but if you wish to remain anonymous, please state so in the body of the letter

# SINGLES (alphabetically)

This listing is a cross-reference to the RPM 100 singles. A fast way to find single order numbers

Africa (91)
Ain't Never Seen A White Man (88)
Alive (99)
All The Young Dudes (37)
American City Suite (29)
Angel (100)
Baby Don't Get Hooked (25)
Ben (8)
Burning Love (2)
Can't You Hear The Song (32)
Celebration (89)
City of New Orleans (24
Clair (52)
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Corner of the Skv (82)
Crazy Horses (33)
Daytime Night Time (45)
Deteriorata (86)
Dialogue (57)
Didn't Know I Love You (84)
Ding A Ling (5)
Don't Ever Be Lonely (23)
Dream No. 2 (68)
Drop Your Guns (64)
Elected (18)
Everybody Plays the Fool (14)
Freddie's Dead (28)
From The Beginning (74)
Funny Face (77)
Garden Party (3)
Get That Ball (35)
Go All The Way (27)
Good Time Charlie (19)
Goodbye Farewell (21)
Hard Life/Season of Plenty (76)
Hey You Love (53)
I Am Woman (15)
I Believe in Music (7)
I Can See Clearly Now (6)
I Never Said Goodbye (92)
I'd Love You To Want Me (17)
If I Could Reach You (10)
I'll Ba Around (30)
I'll Make You Music (46)
It Never Rains In California (58)
Julia Get Up (62)
Last Song (63)
Listen To The Music (4)
Listen to These Chords I Play (50)
Long Dark Road (98)
Long Time Comin' Home (66)
Loving You Just Crossed My Mind (43)
Maple Lady (80)
Midnight Rider (48)
Money Back Guarantee (42)
Mosquito (73)
Nights In White Satin (1)
No (85)
One More Chance (44)
Operator (31)
Papa Was A Rolling Stone (38
Poor Boy (77)
Rock and Roll Song (39)
Rock 'n' Roll Soul (54)
Rock Me Baby (69)
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Sonething's Wrong With Me (65)
Sang Seller (75)
Spaceman (13)
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Sing A Song For Me (90)
So Long Dixie (59)
Sonething's Wrong With Me (65)
Sang Seller (75)
Spaceman (13)
Sweet Surrender (87)
Take the Blindness (47)
Theme From the Rowdyman (79)

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2	3 2	Elvis Presley RCA 0769-N	-		Patsy Gallant Columbia C4-3056-H		54 49	Ken Tobias MGM Verve MV 10681X-M
3	4 5	GARDEN PARTY Rick Nelson Decca 32980-J	_ 36	19 7	YOU WEAR IT WELL Rod Stewart Mercury 73330-K	69	40 31	ROCK ME BABY David Cassidy Bell 45260X-M
4	7 15	LISTEN TO THE MUSIC Dooble Bros. Warner Bros 7619-P	37	44 51	ALL THE YOUNG DUDES Mott the Hoople Columbia 45673-H	70	47 47	CONCRETE SEA Terry Jacks London L181-K
5	1 1	DING A LING Chuck Berry Chess 2131-T	38	59	PAPA WAS A ROLLING STONE Temptations Tamla Motown 7121-V	71	73 83	POOR BOY Casey Kelly Elektra 45804-P
5	8 20	I CAN SEE CLEARLY NOW Johnny Nash Epic 10902-H	39	26 30	ROCK AND ROLL SONG Valdy Haida HS101-W	72	75 95	SIGN OF THE GYPSY QUEEN Lorence Hud A&M AMX332-W
7	9 13	I BELIEVE IN MUSIC Gallery Sussex 239X-M	40	61 86	VENTURA HIGHWAY America Warner Bros 7641-P	73	81 84	MOSQUITO Doors Elektra 45807-P
8	6 25	BEN Michael Jackson Tamla Motown 1207-V	41	46 70	TOGETHER ALONE Melanie Neighbourhood 4207X-M	74	48 39	FROM THE BEGINNING EL&P Cotillion 44158-P
9	5 8	TIGHT ROPE Leon Russell Shelter 7825-F	42	30 17	MONEY BACK GUARANTEE Five Man Electric Band Polydor 2065 142-Q	75	77 79	SONG SELLER Raiders Columbia 45688-H
0 1	11 18	IF I COULD REACH YOU 5th Dimension Bell 45261X-M	43	58 62	LOVING YOU JUST CROSSED MY MIND Sam Neely Capitol 3381-F	76	78 81	HARD LIFE/SEASON OF PLENTY Ray Materick Kanata 1013-K
1 1	14 16	SUNNY DAYS Lighthouse	- 44	31 19	ONE MORE CHANCE Ocean Yorkville YVS45062-D	77	80	FUNNY FACE Donna Fargo Dot 17429-M
2 1	12 12	GRT 1230 39-T  DON'T DO IT  The Band Capitol 3433-F	45	64 77	DAYTIME NIGHT TIME Keith Hampshire A&M 330-W	78	92	YOU OUGHT TO BE WITH ME Al Green Hi 2227-K
<b>3</b> 1	13 25	SPACEMAN Nilsson RCA 0788-N	46	52 53	I'LL MAKE YOU MUSIC Beverly Bremers Scepter 12363-J	79	82 88	THEME FROM THE ROWDYMAN Robbie McDougall Nimbus Nine NNS9019-N
<b>į</b> 1	10 6	EVERYBODY PLAYS THE FOOL Main Ingredient RCA 0731-N	- 47	51 54	TAKE THE BLINDNESS	80	83 97	MAPLE LADY Flying Circus Capitol 72676-F
5 1	15 22	I AM WOMAN Helen Reddy Capitol 1335-F	- 48	34 29	Polydor 2065 148-Q  MIDNIGHT RIDER  Joe Cocker  A&M 1370-W	81	84	THEME FROM THE MAN Isaac Hayes Enterprise E NA 9058-Q
<b>5</b> 1	18 32	WITCHY WOMAN Eagles Asylum 11008-P	- 49	33 35	USE ME Bill Withers Sussex 241X-M	82		CORNER OF THE SKY Jackson 5 Tamla Motown 1214-V
7 2	20 36	I'D LOVE YOU TO WANT ME	50	55 56	LISTEN TO THESE CHORDS I PLAY Roger Rodier Columbia C43058-H	83	85 94	SAD AND SIMPLE MAN Harry Marks Sweet Plum SPL9911-K
<b>3</b> 2	21 23	Big Tree 147X-M  ELECTED  Alice Cooper Warner Bros 7631-P	51	53 60	SHORTY MCKENNA Buxton Castle Reprise CR4014-P	84	90	DIDN'T KNOW I LOVE YOU Gary Glitter Bell 45276X-M
2	24 37	GOOD TIME CHARLIE Danny O'Keefe Signpost 70006-P	52	68	CLAIR Gilbert O'Sullivan MAM 3636-K	85	89	NO Bulldog Decca 32996-J
) 2	22 24	RUNNING BACK TO SASKATOON Guess Who Nimbus Nine 74 0803-N	53	66 80	HEY YOU LOVE Mouth & MacNeal	86	91 96	DETERIORATA National Lampoon Blue Thumb 218X-M
1 2	23 27	GOODBYE FAREWELL	54	57 79	Philips 40717-K  ROCK 'N' ROLL SOUL  Grand Funk Capitol 3363-F	87	87	SWEET SURRENDER Bread
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3 2	7 28	DON'T EVER BE LONELY Cornelius Bros.	56	37 14	Stax 0127-Q  WHY Donny Osmond	89	93	CELEBRATION Tommy James
4 2	8 11	CITY OF NEW ORLEANS Arlo Guthrie	57	60 72	Polydor 14424-Q  DIALOGUE Chicago	90	94	SING A SONG FOR ME
5 1	7 3	Reprise 1103-P  BABY DON'T GET HOOKED  Mac Davis	58	74 99	IT NEVER RAINS IN CALIFORNIA Albert Hammond	91	95 98	AFRICA Thundermug
<b>6</b> 2	9 51	Columbia 45618-H  SUMMER BREEZE Seals & Croft	59	62 64	MUM 6011-H  SO LONG DIXIE Blood,Sweat & Tears	92		I NEVER SAID GOODBYE Engelbert Humperdinck
-	6 9	Warner Bros 7606-P  GO ALL THE WAY  Raspberries	60	70 82	Columbia 45661-H  WE CAN MAKE IT TOGETHER Steve, Eydie & Osmonds	93	86 86	Parrot 40072-K  WHAT WOULD I DO Skylark
	5 48	Capitol 3348-F  FREDDIE'S DEAD  Curtis Mayfield	61	65 74	MGM 14383X-M  SWEET AMERICA Cascades	94	97	Capitol 3378-F  SUNDAY MORNING SUNSHINE Harry Chapin
	9 50	Curtom 1975X-M  AMERICAN CITY SUITE Cashman & West	62	6789	Canbase CB4504-H  JULIA GET UP Rich Dodson	95	99,	Elektra 45811-P  WHAT AM I CRYING FOR Dennis Yost/Classics
	9 73	Dunhill 4342-N  I'LL BE AROUND Spinners	63	76 92	MWC 1010X-M  LAST SONG Edward Bear	96	96	MGM S7002X-M WALK ON WATER
	6 75	Atlantic 2904-P OPERATOR	64	36 34	Capitol 72677-F  DROP YOUR GUNS	97	100	Neil Diamond Uni 55352-J WORK TO DO
		Jim Croce ABC 11335-N CAN'T YOU HEAR THE SONG		08	April Wine Aquarius 5024-K  SOMETHING'S WRONG WITH ME	98		Isley Bros T Neck 936X-M  LONG DARK ROAD
	11 52	Wayne Newton RCA 0105-N CRAZY HORSES		79	Austin Roberts Chelsea 0101-N  LONG TIME COMIN' HOME			Hollies Epic 10920-H
3 4	12 57	Osmonds Polydor 2065 156-Q			Doctor Music GRT 1233-15-T	99		ALIVE Bee Gees Atco 6909-P

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#### ALBUM ARTISTS (alphabetically)

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to find album order numbers.

Alice Cooper (24)
Anne Murray (71)
April Wine (43)
Argent (50)
The Band (5)
Chuck Berry (7)
Black Sabbath (21)
Blood Sweat & Tears (41)
Bloodrock (91)
David Bowie (57)
Beverly Bremers (89)
George Carlin (40)
The Carpenters (25)
David Cassidy (73)
Checch & Chong (12)
Cher (70)
Chicago V (3)
Eric Clapton (97) (34)
Bruce Cockburn (85)
Cornelius Bros & Rose (49)
Jim Croce (62)
Mac Davis (13)
Sammy Davis Jr. (94)
John Denver (93)
Franck Dervieux (84)
Neil Diamond (15)
Doobie Bros (33)
Eagles (66)
Emerson Lake & Palmer (17)
Donna Fargo (74)
5th Dimension (20)
Foot In Coldwater (64)
Aretha Franklin (99)
Gallery (75)
The Godfather Original Soundtrack (82)
Godspell Original Cast (63)
Al Green (78)
The Guss Who (38)
Arlo Guthrie (35)
Gilbert O'Sullivan (27)
The Hollies (53)
Buddy Holly (95)
Lorence Hud (48)
Humble Pie (100)
J. Geils Band (83)
Jefferson Airplane (32)
Jermaine Jackson (59)
Michael Jackson (59)
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Lighthouse (11)
Rich Little (90)
Main Ingredient (52)
Mainline (92)
Ray Materick (54)
Curtis Mayfield (46)
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Liza Minelli (39)
Moody Blues (4)
Van Morrison (36)
Johnny Nash (80)
National Lampoon (77)
Harry Nilsson (61)
O'Jay's (69)
The Osmonds (28)
Donny Osmond (47)
The Partridge Family (18)
Eivis Presley (51)
Charley Pride (87)
Procol Harum (65)
Raspberries (30)
Smokey Robinson (81)
The Rolling Stones (58) (56)
Leon Russell (9)
Carlos Santana & Buddy Miles (26)
Seals & Croft (44)
Simon & Garfunkel (29)
Rick Springfield (31)
Cat Stevens (1)
Rod Stewart (2)
The Temptations (37)
Ten Years After (55)
Three Dog Night (14)
T. Rex (19)
Thundermug (88)
Conway Twitty (96)
Uriah Heep (42)
Valdy (45)
Andy Williams (79)
Bill Withers (76)
Yes (10)
Neil Young (86)



#### WEST COASTERS GOT OFF TOO

Just a short note before hopping a plane to visit my stations in Alberta and Saskatche-

I would like to extend my congratulations on the Communications 5 meetings. I really feel much was accomplished in solving many problems that exist in the Canadian music business, I feel that it is a great thing when people from all over Canada can gather together and communicate and discuss the many facets of the music business

I'm sure the many people who participated are much more aware and I commend you, Walt, and your staff for bringing Communications 5 to Vancouver.

Sincerely, Bruce Bissell Promotion A&M Records Vancouver, B.C.

#### YOU JUST DID

Isn't it about time somebody gave Ontario record promo men a pat on the back?

Gord James **CKOC Hamilton** 

#### STOMPIN' TOM FLIPS HIS FAMOUS CAMPER

Stompin' Tom Connors, hurrying from Yellowknife to Peace River, flipped his now famous red and white camper causing extensive damage to his equipment, guitar and payload of records. However, he did manage to get into Peace River and with a borrowed guitar played to yet another packed house.

Connors has been meeting with nothing but capacity houses on his trip west and north and brought a little more down east understanding to Western Canadians who had only heard of him through records, His most recent Boot release, "Fire In The Mine" hasn't been as strong as his previous releases but it has been an excellent vehicle for his album product. He has now returned to Toronto and taped a segment of the CTV Special on the Molson's "Hear Canada Singing" contest which will be televised Dec. 3.

#### MUSIC BUSINESS VETERAN

I am a thirty year old veteran of the music industry. I have had total experience in entertainment booking, concert promotion, management and public relations. I also have experience in record promotion. I would like a responsible position with a company in the music industry located in the Toronto area.

For an interview please write RPM Box 271, 6 Brentcliffe Road, Toronto, Ontario.

#### NICE TO BE RECOGNIZED!

I note with much satisfaction the progress of Jim and Don Haggart's single "I'm Coming Home" on the RPM country chart. CKEC was one of the first stations to play the record, not because Jim and Don are local boys, but because we felt the record was one of the best country singles to come out in Canada this year. Requests were phenomenal - I would have to say that it has been the most requested record that I've come across since I've been here, a period exceeding fifteen months. The disc was in the number one slot four weeks after it appeared on the playlist and stayed there for three weeks.

Programmers would be wise to flip the disc and listen to another fine Canadian country song "Nashville Girl" which garnered an equal number of requests on the station.

Jim and Don have worked long and hard and finally are seeing some daylight at the success end of things. I, personally feel that they could become giants on the Canadian country music scene, and after that who knows?

Thanks to RPM and all the stations who made this disc so successful, and be looking for a new Haggart's single in the near future.

Yours sincerely, Stan Carew Program Director CKEC Radio New Glasgow, N.S.

# GROUP

Sensational recording session offer



OFFENBACH The Tales of Hoffmann
Joan Sutherland - Soprano — Placido Domingo - Tenor —
Huguette Tourangeau - Mezzo
L'Orchestre de la Suisse Romande conducted by Richard
Bonynge
London OSA 13106 (3 discs)

Not just another recording of the Tales of Hoffman, but a whole new look for Offenbach's masterpiece, thanks to Mr. Bonynge's research. He has discovered that much of the dialogue was orchestrated by other hands. In this recording, the musical numbers are now connected by the original spoken dialogue. Joan Sutherland is superb in the rolls of Stella, Antonia, Giulietta and Olympia. The part of Niklaus is sung in great style by Canadian mezzo Huguette Tourangeau. Tenor Placido Domingo is a brilliant Hoffman. From every bar the genius of Offenbach sparkles like a diamond.

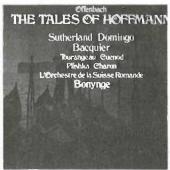


MOZART The four horn Concertos
Rondo for Horn and Orchestra K 371

Alan Civil - Horn The Academy of St. Martin-in-the-Fields conducted by Neville Marriner Philips 6500 325

This is Alan Civil's third recording of the Mozart Horn Concerti. The advantages of the newest offering aside from advances in recording technique include the beautifully proportioned accompaniments by the Academy of St. Martin-in-the-Fields,













and the inclusion of a Rondo in E flat K 371 which existed as a fragment and was completed by Alan Civil. Mr. Civil also provides his own Cadenzas where required in the other concerti. There are qualities of humour and humanity in the performances, that make this an outstanding release.

Eighteenth Century Overtures
The English Chamber Orchestra conducted by Richard Bonynge
London CS 6735

Mr. Bonynge continues to enrich the repertoire by delving into forgotten areas of music and finding gold. It would be difficult to pick a favourite from the eight overtures presented here but I was especially attracted to the "Sargino" Overture by Ferdinando Paer, and the very delightful "Le Magnifique" by Gretry. Other composers represented include Joseph Martin Kraus, Florian Gassmann, Boieldieu, Sacchini, Haydn and Salieri.

BRAHMS Violin Concerto Op. 77 Arthur Grumiaus - Violin — New Philharmonia Orchestra conducted by Colin Davis Philips 6500 299

Whether the magic lies with Colin Davis or with the Philips engineers is hard to pinpoint, but the New Philharmonia Orchestra has never, but never sounded so incredibly beautiful on disc before. If their statement of the opening theme of this Concerto doesn't stop you dead in your tracks, then you're due for an overhaul. The great Belgium violinist Arthur Grumiaus who has long enjoyed an enviable reputation with this work, turns in the finest performance imaginable and the sound is sheer luxury.

Music for two Harpsichords Igor Kipnis and Thurston Dart Columbia M 31240

Here is a winner. The American Harpsichordist Igor Kipnis joins the late Thurston Dart who was one of England's foremost authorities on early music as well as a brilliant performer in a charming and varied programme of music written for two Harpsichords. Outstanding are two Musettes by Couperin with the bagpipe "drone" in the bass, and a magnificent performance of Mozart's fugue in C minor K 426. The Suite in C minor by Handel is a reconstruction by Thurston Dart from an incomplete manuscript and is here recorded for the first time. Fascinating music and beautiful sound throughout.

Jean-Philippe Rameau Motet "In Convertendo." Motet "Quam Dilecta"

Liliane Berton - Soprano — Jean-Christophe Benoit - Baritone — Ensemble Instrumental et Choeurs Jean-Baptiste Lully conducted by Guy Morancon INEDITS ORTF 995 024

In 1968, the publishing house of Alexander Broude Bros. published a new edition in eighteen volumes of the complete works of France's greatest baroque composer, Jean-Phillippe Rameau. This, combined with the recent advances in the art of performance of Baroque music should create a healthy climate for the revival of this richly rewarding composer's works. This recording includes two of his five motets for soloists, choir, organ and orchestra. The texts are in Latin. In Convertendo is taken from Psalm 126 and Quam Dilecta is based on parts of Psalm 84. This beautiful release should generate much interest from choral enthusiasts.

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A WEEKLY FEATURE IN RPM

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Programmers

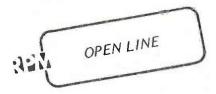
# Bargain oldies could aid programming

This may be more of a mind jogger than a column of comment, but the trade is making available many of the records that both Contemporary Adult and MOT stations

The Programmers CROSSTALK walt grealis

want and need - dating back as far as 30 years. In many cases the new editions have been enhanced to sound better and are available in more convenient form, and in quantity - at a reasonable price.

Those packages, available from television stations, at a SPECIAL PRICE, are invaluable to the programmer. Many contain



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#### CFCF-TV'S "AS IT IS" DIGS INTO CRTC RULING

CFCF-TV's public affairs show "As It Is" has set Nov. 2 (press release received here Oct 27) for an hour long study on the effect of the Canadian Radio-Television Commission ruling of 30% Canadian content for AM radio. Those to be interviewed on the show are: Bob Johnston, music director of CFCF and the station's program director Jim Kidd with the CRTC's Doug McGowan speaking on behalf of the government agency. Canadian artists will be represented by Anne Murray, Christopher Kearney and Ginette Reno. Al Mair, business manager for

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the big hits of the past. The albums are composites of oldies and make good programming for the nostalgia - taking the place of the current lack of good programming material for many, if not all, stations.

Stations pay hundreds of dollars to have old singles researched for their libraries. Now, the magic of mass merchandising of old hits has made available, to the station, all the real popular oldies.

If your oldies have disappeared, or are worn out, it would be a good idea to start your collection of old hits, on LPs, through the many television specials available, as well as the many LPs of Greatest Hits and Biggest Hits and other collections of artists that are an assembly of the chart toppers of artists of the past.

Too many programmers are anxious to hire services to find old discs when they could buy a Schwamm Catalogue and start a campaign to bring into the stations, many of the oldies they would like to have on file.

If you are worried about the quality of these records, all have been remastered and many have been adapted for stereo play. They are better today then they were on the old original singles.

While we are on the subject, many record companies still stock a line of golden treasures that will enhance the radio station's libraries of old material.

Gordon Lightfoot will also be interviewed along with Serge Trudeau, general manager of CJMS in Montreal.

Arnold Gosewich, president Capitol Records (Canada) Ltd. was interviewed for the show and indicated that he believes it is more important that the people who sell and promote records know if the artist is a Canadian than the radio listener. Greek singing star Nana Mouskouri, was also asked her opinion of the CRTC regulations.

The same show will carry interviews of Maple Leaf Junket organizer Ritchie Yorke and Montreal Star critic Juan Rodriguez. Sam Sniderman, bossman of one of the most successful retail chains, Sam The Record Man, gives a few pointers on the sale of Canadian recordings and Montreal producer/promoter Ben Kaye discusses payola with local impressario, Donald Tarlton.

The "Pop Recording . . . . . As It Is" program was produced by Bert Cannings and directed by Vaughan Gentle.

The whole object of the exercise is to start a campaign to get all the gold you can, on albums and singles, and to be aware of the sources of a virtual gloryhole of gold on records.

Record programming is the cheapest entertainment afforded any media, and record companies have been most anxious to cooperate for years. The radio station that doesn't take advantage of this, is living in the dark ages of record programming.

The music director who allows record treasures to leave the library and end up in private collections of the staff is a poor curator of one of the most valuable assets the radio station has. Old records actually disappear from the face of the earth, eventually, and a mint copy of one piece of nostalgia is worth its weight......in gold.

# MUSIC DIRECTOR PREPARES CHRISTMAS HIT SINGLES

Thirty years of Christmas hit singles are now available in a new publication prepared by The Music Director firm. According to Herb Jackson, Client Relations Director of Music Director, the 11-page guide lists more than 90 Christmas records that became chartmakers from the year 1942 through to 1971.

Radio station personnel have been somewhat hung up on programming material for the Christmas season and have asked the Music Director to research this particular area which has resulted in the publication of the guide. Music Director also publishes a list of 45's and albums for middle of the road stations in the U.S. and Canada and have been operating since 1967 out of Chestnut Hill, Mass.



Programmers NEW ON CHARTS

#### **PRINCIPAL MARKETS**

CKFH TORONTO (Mike Byford) Good Times/Roadhouse

CKXL CALGARY (Greg Haraldson) Drop Your Guns/April Wine Never Rains In S. Calif/Albert Hammond Something's Wrong/Austin Roberts

CJCH HALIFAX
(Jim Keith)
Freddie's Dead/Curtis Mayfield
Can't You Hear The Song/Wayne Newton
Africa/Thundermug
Take The Blindness/Joey Gregrash
Theme From Rowdyman/Robbie McDougal/

CJME REGINA (H.Hart Kirch) Ventura Highway/America Starting All Over Again/Mel & Tim Sign Of Gypsy Queen/Lorence Hud Something's Wrong/Austin Roberts

CKLW WINDSOR (Alden Diehl) Why Can't We/Timmy Thomas Never Rains In S.Calif/Albert Hammond-Summer Breeze/Seals & Croft Crazy Horses/Osmonds

CHED EDMONTON
(Wayne Bryant)
Long Time Comin' Home/Doctor Music
Julia Get Up/Rich Dodson
I Am Woman/Helen Reddy
Daytime Night Time/Keith Hampshire
Ventura Highway/America
Good Time Charlie's/Danny O'Keefe

CKOC HAMILTON (Nevin Grant) Never Rains In S. Calif/Albert Hammond Ventura Highway/America No Beer In Heaven/Clean Living Daytime Night Time/Keith Hampshire

CKLG VANCOUVER (Roy Hennessy) If You Don't Know Me/Harold Melvin Take The Blindness/Joey Gregrash Rockin' Pneumonia/Johnny Rivers

CHAM HAMILTON
(Don West)
Daytime Night Time/Keith Hampshire
Crazy Horses/Osmonds
Elected/Alice Cooper
I'll Be Around/Spinners
Rockin' Pneumonia/Johnny Rivers

CFRW WINNIPEG (Bob Gibbons) Witchy Woman/Eagles City Of New Orleans/Arlo Guthrie I Can See Clearly Now/Johnny Nash

CKOM SASKATOON
(Mike Christie)
Dialogue/Chicago
Julia Get Up/Rich Dodson
Ain't Never Seen White Man/Wolfman Jack
Sign Of Gypsy Queen/Lorence Hud
Lies/J.J.Cale
Redwood Tree/Van Morrison

#### **BREAKOUT MARKETS**

CKCL TRURO (Rod McGrattan) Crazy Horses/Osmonds Spaceman/Nilsson
Rock Me Baby/David Cassidy

CKBB BARRIE (Dave Smith) Goin' Away|Lisle Sunny Days|Lighthouse Crazy Horses|Osmonds Rock & Roll Song|Valdy

VOCM ST. JOHN'S (Peter Tuff) If I Could Reach You|Fifth Dimension Freddie's Dead|Curtis Mayfield Daytime Night Time|Keith Hampshire Music Doesn't Seem To Be|Tapestry

CKBI PRINCE ALBERT Tight Rope/Leon Russell Goodbye Farewell/Abraham's Children

CFCY CHARLOTTETOWN
(Dave Holland)
I Can See Clearly Now|Johnny Nash
Listen To The Music|Doobie Bros
Freddie's Dead|Curtis Mayfield
I'll Be Around|Spinners
Crazy Horses|Osmonds
Goodtime Charlie's|Danny O'Keefe

CHCL MEDLEY
(Terry Greenwood)
Hey You Love/Mouth & McNeal
We Can Make It/Steve, Eydie, Osmonds
I'd Love You To Want Me/Lobo
Poor Boy/Casey Kelly
Shorty McKenna/Buxton Kastle,
Get That Bull/Patsy Gallant
Sunday Morning/Harry Chapin
Carry Me Carrie/Dr. Hook
So Long Dixie/Blood, Sweat & Tears
Hallowe'en In Hollywood/Charlebois

CJCJ WOODSTOCK
(Ted Hayward)
(Ted Hayward)
Clair/Gilbert O'Sullivan
Last Song/Edward Bear
Summer Breeze/Seals & Croft
Julia Get Up/Rich Dodson
Something's Wrong/Austin Roberts
Goodbye Farewell/Abraham's Children
So Long Dixie/Blood,Sweat & Tears

CKRD RED DEER
(Stu Morton)
I Believe In Music|Gallery
Hard Life|Ray Materick
Tight Rope|Leon Russell
Can't You Hear The Music|Wayne Newton
Thunder & Lightning|Chi Coltrane
Fais Do|Red Bone

CKWS KINGSTON (Greg Stewart) Freddie's Dead/|Curtis Mayfield Summer Breeze/Seals & Croft Last Song/Edward Bear

CFAR FLIN FLON
(Ken Kobelka)
Julia Get Up/Rich Dodson
Always Thinking Of You/Fludd
Don't Do It/The Band
Rowdy Man Theme/Robbie McDougall
Spaceman/Nilsson

CHNO SUDBURY (Don Kredl) Baby Make It Soon/Fast Eddy I Am Woman/Helen Reddy Take The Blindness/Joey Gregrash

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# The Programmers NEW ON PLAYLISTS

#### PRINCIPAL MARKETS

CHED EDMONTON
(Wayne Bryant)
In My Life/Foot In Coldwater
Clair/Gilbert O'Sullivan
If You Don't Know Me/Harold Melvin
Dig A Hole/Hans Staymer Band
Operator/Jim Croce
And You And I Part One/Yes

CKFH TORONTO (Mike Byford) Ventura Highway/America No/Bulldog

CJCH HALIFAX (Jim Keith) Something's Wrong/Austin Roberts New Rains In S. Calif/Albert Hammond Ventura Highway/America Clair/Gilbert O'Sullivan Long Time Comin' Home/Doctor Music

CKLG VANCOUVER (Roy Hennessy) Operator/Jim Croce Crazy Horses/Osmonds Clair/Gilbert O'Sullivan Sittin/Cat Stevens

CFCF MONTREAL
(Bob Johnston)
Love The Poor Boy/Andy Kim
What Am I Crying For/Denny Yost
Paradise/Jackie DeShannon
Uncle Dad & Auntie Mom/Cliff Edwards
Hard Life Alone/Ray Materick
Goin Away/Lisle
Sittin/Cat Stevens(LP)
Songman/Cashman / West(LP)
Same Old Obsession/Gordon Lightfoot

CJME REGINA (H.Hart Kirch) Special Someone/Heywoods Dancing In The Moonlight/King Harvest Walk On The Water/Neil Diamond If You Don't Know Me/Harold Melvin

CKL W WINDSOR
(Alden Diehl)
Oh Babe|Hurricane Smith
Rockin' Pneumonia(f[s)|Johnny Rivers
Goodtime|Rare Eurth
Last Song|Edward Bear
Turn Mc On|Joni Mitchell
Think Of You|Fludd
Dreams|Crowbar
Dig A Hole|Hans Staymer Band

CKXL CALGARY (Greg Haraldson( Rockin' Pneumonia||ohnny Rivers I'm Stoned In Love|Stylistics Clair|Gilbert O'Sullivan Walk On Water|Neil Diamond

CFRW WINNIPEG
(Bob Gibbons)
I'll Be Around/Spinners
Freddie's Dead/Curtis Mayfield
Operator/Jim Croce
Long Time Comin' Home/Doctor Music
Last Song/Edward Bear
Turn Me On/Joni Mitchell
Think Of You/Fludd
Julia Get Up/Rich Dodson

CKVN VANCOUVER (Fred Latramoulle) You Turn Me On|Joni Mitchell Julia Get Up|Rich Dodson

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# (ISN'T LOVE UNKIND)

A FOOT IN COLDWATER's second single for Daffodil Records will be rush-released this week (DFS 1028)

a production of LOVE

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PLAYLISTS continued from page 22

Night Club|Tower Of Power
Operator|Jim Croce
CKOC HAMILTON
(Nevin Grant)
Sweet Surrender|Bread
Last Song|Edward Bear
Operator|Jim Croce
Dialogue|Chicago
Turn Me On|Joni Mitchell

#### **BREAKOUT MARKETS**

CHYM KITCHENER (Molly Zakrzewski) Clair/Gilbert O'Sullivan Long Time Comin' Home/Doctor Music Never Rains In S.Calif/Albert Hammond City Of New Orleans/Arlo Guthrie Uncle Dad Auntie Mom/Cliff Edwards

CJOC LETHBRIDGE (Barry Hegland) Dig A Hole/Hans Staymer Band Day And Night | Wackers You Ought To Be With Me Al Green Lies/J.J.Cale Free Spirit/Birtha And You And Part One/Yes Angle/Rod Stewart Sweet Surrender/Bread Alive/Bee Gees What Will Children Think | Rick Springfield Come Down Easy/Carole King(LP Can't Depend/Gordon Lightfoot(LP) Gypsy Road/Flying Circus(LP) 18th Avenue/Cat Stevens(LP) Keeper Of The Castle/Four Tops Tradagrey/Argent Annabelle | Daniel Boone Pappa Was A Rolling Stone/Temptations

CKEN KENTVILLE
Someone/Axis
Uncle Dad & Auntie Mom/Cliff Edwards
Where Is Love(f[s)/Ray Coniff
Leaving In The Morning/Gary Puckett
People Tree/Sammy Davis /r.
Paradise/Jackie DeShannon
Clair/Gilbert O'Sullivan
Jennie's Theme/Young Winston Sntrck
Until/Johnny Burt Society
San Diego/Ronnie Prophet
Oh NofChelsea Wind
You Ought To Be With Me/Al Green

CKWS KINGSTON (Greg Stewart) Mama Weer All Crazee Now|Slade Julia Get Up|Rich Dodson Sign Of Gypsy Queen|Lorence Hud Rhymes & Reasons|Carole King(LP)

CFAR FLIN FLON
(Ken Kobelka)
Dreams Are Ten A Penny|Kincade
Clair|Gilbert O'Sullivan
Mosquito|Doors
Beginning|Emerson,Lake,Palmer
Operator|Jim Croce

CHNO SUDBURY
(Don Kredl)
Operator] Jim Croce
Rock & Roll Soul/Grand Funk
Spaceman/Nilsson
Rockin' Pneumonia/Johnny Rivers
Julia Get Up/Rich Dodson
Do YalMove
Clair [Gilbert O'Sullivan

CKRD RED DEER (Stu Morton) You Are What I Am|Gordon Lightfoot I'll Make You Music|Beverly Bremers I Believe In Music|Gallery Last Song|Edward Bear Tight Rope|Leon Russell Sunday Morning Sunshine/Harry Chapin Heart Of Gold/James Last Sittin/Cat Stevens Sing A Song For Me/Mobody Dig A Hole/Hans Staymer Dialogue/Chicago Barefoot Rock/King Biscuit Boy Fais Do/Red Bone

CHEC LETHBRIDGE
(John Oliver)
Dig A Hole|Hans Staymer Bund
Dialogue|Chicago
Walk On Water|Neil Diamond
Sign Of Gypsy Queen|Lorence Hud
Loving You|Sam Neely

C/IC SAULT STE. MARIE (Lou Turco/Art Osborne) Going Away/Lisle Julia Get Up/Rich Dodson Maple Lady/Flying Circus You Are What I Am/Gordon Lightfoot

VOCM ST. JOHN'S (Peter Tuff) Operator/Jim Croce Rockin' Pneumonia/Johnny Rivers Clair/Gilbert O'Sullivan

C/C/ WOODSTOCK (Ted Hayward) Sittin/Cat Stevens(LP) Lady Eleanor/Lindisfarne Dreams/Crowbar Love To You/Foghat Lay Me Down/Ursa Major

CHCL MEDLEY
(Terry Greenwood)
Goodfoot]James Brown
Season of Plenty/Ray Materick
Highway Star/Deep Purple
Don't Do It/The Band
Power Of Love/Joe Simon
Ventura Highway/America
Maple Lady/Flying Circus

CJCY CHARLOTTETOWN
(Dave Holland)
Clair/Gilbert O'Sullivan
Thunder & Lightning/Chi Coltrane
I Am Woman/Helen Reddy
Theme From Men/Isaac Hayes
Last Song/Edward Bear
Summer Breeze/Seals & Croft
Gone Too Long/Billy Mysner

CKX BRANDON (Cliff Birnie) Ben/Michael Jackson I'll Be Around/Spinners Spaceman/Nilsson

The Programmers ADDITIONS

CHUM-FM
(Benjy Karch)
Charlee(LP)
Honky Tonk/|onathan Edwards(LP)
Heavy Cream/Cream(LP)
Album III/Loudon Wainright III(LP)
Rolling Thunder/Mickey Hart(LP)
Golden Decade/Chuck Berry(LP)
Living In The Past/Jethro Tull(LP)
Recycling Blues/Taj Mahal/LP)
Third Down/Jessie Winchester(LP)
Long Time Comin' Home/Doctor Music
Sweet Surrender/Bread
Your Mama/Loggins& Messina
Turn Me On/Joni Mitchell
Day And Night/Wackers

The Programmers TRIBAL DRUM

Congrats to George Johns, who introduced the "simple format" to CFTR. He has been appointed Station Manager. The "Last Contest" at 'TR has caught their listeners by surprise and generated the most excitement of any contest. Someone may ask for the station - and that would be the "Last Contest"

Very good reaction to the Stoned Ranger series at CKWS Kingston. Station just wrapped up the "Magical Mystery Tour" contest and is now going with "Kidding on The Keys".

CKFH Toronto doing very well with its Hi-Ho contest. Listeners guess at the jack-pot amount and are told whether their guess is high or low. To date, twenty-one jackpots have been given away, amounting to over six thousand dollars.

CJOC Lethbridge reports poor service from a couple of companies, on singles. Album service okay. GRT really improving its service to the station, according to music director, Barry Hegland.

CKLW Windsor still running "The Contest" with good response. Station is in need of a very heavy AM news man. Tapes and resume to Byron MacGregor, news director.

Vic Folliot of CKPC Brantford has extended an open invitation to artists for interviews on the air.

CJCH still looking for an eight to midnight jock. Jim Keith has a lot of tapes on his desk.......but not the right one. Oct 28 to Nov 4, marks Atlantic Winter Fair Time. CJCH will be involved with its "Spin To Win" game, with all proceeds to the United Appeal. Station also running "Don't Say Hello". Listener to answer his phone with "I listen to CJCH" wins building jackpot.

CKXL jocks Bob Lowe, Glen Schey, and Ted Pound did the grease bit (on the face) and hosted a "CKXL Grease-In" which attracted more than 3000 listeners. A 1957 Ford which was to be given away to the best dressed greaser was stolen that night by a local motorcycle club.

Rick Overall, music director/jock, with four years in major market, available. 613-224-7598.

There weren't enough submissions for the MLS agenda to be voted on Oct 31, so the three submissions will be bound over to Tues Nov 8/72.

Here's a down easter most of you programmers are probably aware of. His name is Jack Campbell and he is an experienced copywriter (a year and a half of experience). His experiences include gigs with CFBC Saint John and CKCL in Truro. He can be contacted by writing to R.R. No. 1 Enfield, Nova Scotia.

Mac Campbell of CHER Radio Cape Breton will be sending in his weekly additions. He's already on lan Tyson's "You're Not Alone Anymore", "The Last Song" by Edward Bear, and Neil Goldberg's "Muddy Water".

Jason Schoonover, music director at CFQC Saskatoon, reminds us of our interest in putting out an RPM Record Service. This idea hasn't been shelved, completely, but it will take a few more hands before we can get things moving in that direction. In the meantime, those who watch us closely, competitively, may go ahead and see what they can do while we're checking it out.

Radio Seneca College has scheduled five hours of French/English talk and music into their weekly programming in order to keep the "second language" high on the interest barometer of the college. The programming will include live and recorded music, readings from pertinent books, magazines, plays and interviews. Says Craig MacKenzie, Special Events Director at Seneca: "French/English programming is a part of Radio Seneca College's plan to reach the community more effectively."

CHEC Lethbridge going with Southern Alberta's popular JUMBO game, six days a week. They'll be giving away more than six thousand bucks in cash and prizes over a period of eight weeks. Also, John Oliver, music director, reports heavy listener response to the station's "Great Album Rip-off".

John Ford, RCA's man of the west, recently put together a successful promo for "Elvis" Live in Madison Square Garden. He received exceptional cooperation from CKXL/Calgary, CHED/ Edmonton, CKWX/Vancouver, and CKNW/New Westminster. Each station offered a "Trip for Two" to see Elvis "Live at Las Vegas". Audience response, trip and concert was sensational. Travel arrangements handled by Western Airlines.

Ocean did the interview bit with CHNS Halifax "mid-morning cooker" Dave Browne. Lots of action on disc, "One More Chance".

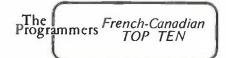
The Programmers BREAKING & STIFFING

CFRW Winnipeg's ten hottest, in order: Michael Jackson, Rick Nelson, Elvis, Chuck Berry, Moody Blues, Lobo, Lighthouse, Alice Cooper, Danny O'Keefe, and Bill Withers.

No. 1 at CKLW is the Temptations'
"Papa Was A Rolling Stone". Good
request action on "Ben", "Convention
'72, "Crazy Horses", "Nights In White
Satin". Austin Roberts and Leon
Russell stiffed.

Big requests on new Nilsson, April Wine, Mel and Tim, Alice Cooper and Lobo at CFCY Charlottetown.

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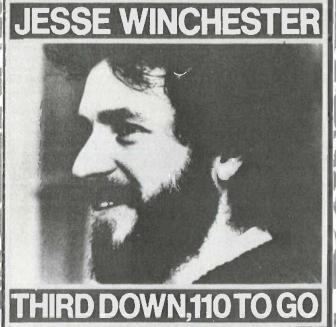
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# The ADULT Programmers CONTEMPORARY PLAYLIST

CKLW-FM WINDSOR
(Ron Foster)
How Can I Tell You/Lani Hall
World Is A Circle/Sandpipers
You're A Lady/Dawn
People Tree/Sammy Davis Ir.
She Said That/Lesley Gore
Happier/B. J. Thomas
One More Chance/Ocean
Operator/Jim Croce
Skylark(LP)
New Blood/Blood, Sweat & Tears(LP)
Rhyme & Reason/Carole King(LP)
Old Dan's Records/Gordon Lightfoot(LP)

CFQC SASKATOON
(Jason Schoonover)
Never Said Goodbye/Engelbert Humperdinck
Spin Away/Lettermen
Smoke Gets In Your Eyes/Blue Haze
Something's Wrong/Austin Roberts
Clair/Gilbert O'Sullivan
Last Song/Edward Bear
Long Time Comin' Home/Doctor Music
Tell Maria/Dav L'ema
Not Gonna Sin/Humphrey & Dumptrucks

CHML HAMILTON
(George Patton)
Walk On In/Lou Rawls
Something Tells/Karen Wyman
Goodbye/Engelbert Humperdinck
I Am What I Am/John Gary
Ain't Love Easy/Shirley Jones
French Song/Sound 80

CKEY TORONTO
(Gene Kirby)
Chet Atkins Picks Hits(LP)
Song For A Love/Mike Curb Cong(LP)
Where Is Love/Lenny Dee(LP)
Roberto De Gotto(LP)
Sound Stage/Billy Vaughan(LP)
To Get To You/Jerry Wallace(LP)

CFTR TORONTO (Keith Elshaw) Sign Of Gypsy Queen/Lorence Hud Clair/Gilbert O'Sullivan

C/CS STRATFORD Wedding Song/Petula Clark San Diego/Ronnie Prophet Say A Prayer/Brotherhood Of Man What Am I Crying For/Dennis Yost Spin Away/The Lettermen Last Song/Edward Bear

CKX BRANDON (Cliff Birnie) I'll Be Around/Spinners Sunday Kind Of Love/Lenny Welch Julia Get Up/Rich Dodson Love Is Life/Buxton Kastle Goodtime Charlie's/Danny O'Keefe

The Programmers CAMPUS ADDITIONS

UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO (Richard Morochove) Long Time Comin' Home/Doctor Music Sign Of Gypsy Queen/Lorence Hud I'll Be Around/Spinners

RADIO WATERLOO
(David Assman)
Painted Head|Tim Hardin
Recycling Blues|Taj Mahal
Detroit Special|John Lee Hooker
Dingly Del||Lindisfarne
Blues|Louisiana Red
Devil's Elbow|Doug Kershaw
Atlanta|Blind Willie McTell
Houndog Taylor(LP)
Blues|Big Walter Thornton(LP)
Rock Of The Rennaissance(LP)

CLCC LETHBRIDGE
(Doug Gossen)
Last Song/Edward Bear
Always Thinkina Of You/Fludd
Day And Night/Wackers
Long Time Comin' Home/Doctor Music
Dreams/Growbar
I Wanna Roo You/Jackie DeShannon
Rain Train Crescent St/Tony Roman
Catch Bull At Four/Cat Stevens(LP)
Passin' Thru/James Gang(LP)
Guess Who/B.B.King(LP)

DAL RADIO HALIFAX
(Harvey MacKinnon)
Cluckie's Escape|Crowbar
Barefoot Rock|King Biscuit Boy
Rockin' Pneumonia|Johnny Rivers
Kick Back Man|James Gang
Had Enough|James Gang
Free Spirit|Birtha
Homing In|Heads, Hands, Feet

Conquering Hero/Heads, Hands, Feet L.A.Regael/Johnny Rivers(LP) Rock & Roll Music/Ten Years After(LP) A Song Or Two/Cashman & West(LP)

RADIO ERINDALE
(Charlotte Baxter)
Don't Mess Around/Jim Croce
Sundego's Orchestra/Jim Price
Phlorescent Leech and Eddie
Ramatam
Cashman & West
Faro Annie/John Renbourne
American Gothic/David Ackles
Rocky Mountain High/John Denver
Sing The Body Electric/Weather Report
Strativarious/Ginger Baker
Alive/Slade
Live In Europe/Rory Gallagher
Renee Armand

RADIO BROCK
(Steve Schacher)
Summer Breeze|Seals & Croft
City Of New Orleans|Arlo Guthrie
Dream No.2|Tobias
Listen To The Music|Doobie Bros
Nights In White Satin|Moody Blues
Hobo's Lullabye|Arlo Guthrie(LP)
Summer Breeze|Seals & Croft(LP)
Mark Almond II(LP)
Old Dan's Record|Gordon Lightfoot(LP)
Never Dull|Rod Stewart(LP)

RADIO WESTERN (Tom Leparskas) Bandstand/Family J.Geils Band Live In The Rough | John Prine Roy Buchanan Manchild The Groover/Ramsay Lewis Song Or Two/Cashman & West Sing-A-Long/Gap Mangione Superfly/Curtis Mayfield Guess Who/B.B.King Commander Cody Directions/Temptations Old Dan's Record|Gordon Lightfoot Faces|Shawn Phillips Rhymes|Carole King Delbert & Glen Dingly Dell/Lindisfarne Charlee Everyone Loves/Orphan

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Valdy, Ray Pettinger, Keith Lawrence, and MDC's John Schlee and Hank Koch in for Valdy's Grumbles opener (Oct 23).



Good wishes to Boot's Sharon Lowness from the Edison's Jim Clements and Jim Weir of CFGM Toronto.

# PLAYA BEAVER THIS WEEK

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VALDY Rock & Roll Song

SOUND 80
Whiter Shade of Pale

KEITH HAMPSHIRE
Daytime Night-Time

**COMING SOON** 

CLAIRE LAWRENCE

Leavin' You Free

CHILLIWACK Groundhog





Today - CANADA .... Tomorrow - THE WORLD!

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Honky Tonk|| Onathan Edwards
Sniper|Harry Chapin
On Stage|Ritchie Havens
Rock & Roll|Ten Years After
Giants Of | azz
Black Sabbath IV
My Time|Boz Scaggs
Moving On|| ohn Mayall
Rowan Brothers
Morning Bugle|| ohn Hartford

RADIO YORK (Christopher Davis) Old Dan's Record Gordon Lightfoot Murray McLauchlan Sniper/Harry Chapin Maxoom/Mahogany Rush Hot Licks/Commander Cody Expectations/Keith Jarrett Tequila | David Clayton Thomas Patsy Gallant Already Here | Redbone David Leace Eddie Harris Sings Blues Horn II/Maynard Ferguson Passing Through/James Gang Bee Gees Full House / J. Geils Band Gypsy Road/Flying Circus Song Or Two/Cashman & West Peter Thom Give It Up/Bonnie Raitt Bobby Charles Rocky Mountain/John Denver Sing-A-Song/Gap Mangione On Stage/Ritchie Havens Charlee Everyone Loves/Orphan

RADIO SHERIDAN
(Bob Ansell)
Burlesque/Family
Houdini Said/Gilbert O'Sullivan
Dreums/Crowbar
Hard Life Alone/Ray Materick
Bustin' Out/Pure Prairie League
Purple Passages/Deep Purple
LPs
Passin' Through/James Gang
Morning Bugle/John Hartford
Sniper/Harry Chapin
Come Back/Hathaway & Jones
Devil's Elbow/Doug Kershaw
Memphis Menu/Jose Feliciano
Antithesis/Gypsy
Belafonte Live/Harry Belafonte

# The Programmers COUNTRY ADDITIONS

CKBB BARRIE
CKCB COLLINGWOOD
(Jack Jacob)
Got The All Overs/Freddie Hart
Pretend/Waylon Jennings
Picture Of Me/George Jones
John Henry/Tom T.Hall
Rake Me/Johnny Bush
Home Again/Dick Nolan
Songwriter/Neville Wells

CKRD RED DEER
(Stu Morton)
White Silver Sands|Sonny James
Fool Me|Lynn Anderson
People Tree|Sammy Davis Jr.
If You Step Over|Linda Plowman

Because/Ray Conniff Environment Coming Home/Jim & Don Huggart

C/IC SAULT STE. MARIE
(Don Ramsay)
Kentucky/Mercey Brothers
She's Too Good/Charley Pride
Falling Leaves/Marg Osburne
Coming Home/Jim & Don Haggart
Lonesome 7-7203/Tony Booth
You Are What I Am/Gordon Lightfoot
Coloured Television/Honey West

CFAC CALGARY
(Larry Kunkel)
Coloured Television/Honey West
Is This The Best/Don Gibson
Come Along When I Go/Smith Bros
Pretend I Never Happened/Waylon Jennings

CKPC BRANTFORD
(Vic Folliott)
Got The All Overs|Freddie Hart
Fool Me|Lynn Anderson
It's No Sin|Slim Whitman
White Silver Sands|Sonny James
New York City Song|Jan Howard
He Ain't Country|Claude King
Home Agin This Year|Dick Nolan
Goin' Away|Lisle
Wedding Song|Colin Butler
If You See Me Through|Neville Wells
Come On Back|Billy Stoltz
French Song|Lucille Starr

CFGM TORONTO
(Dave Johnson)
Somebody Loves MeJJohnny Paycheck
Goodtime Charlie's/Danny O'Keefe
John Henry/Tom T.Hall
Garden Party/Rick Nelson
Ding-A-Ling Debbie/R.Harlan Smith.

# The Programmers MOR PLAYLIST

- 1 DAYTIME NIGHT TIME Keith Hampshire-A&M 330-W
- 2 ONE MORE CHANCE Ocean-Yorkville YVS545062-D
- 3 THEME FROM ROWDYMAN Robbie McDougall-RCA SPS 45-102-N
- 4 KENTUCKY TURN YOUR BACK Mercey Brothers-RCA 57-1068-N
- 5 LISTEN TO THESE CHORDS I PLAY Roger Rodier-Columbia C4-3058-H
- 6 I'M COMING HOME Jim & Don Haggart-Arpeggio 1003-N.
- 7 I CAN SEE CLEARLY NOW Johnny Nash-Epic 10901-H
- 8 SWEET AMERICA Cascades-Can-Base CB4 504-H
- 9 I AM WOMAN Helen Reddy-Capitol 3350-F
- 10 BLACK & WHITE Three Dog Night-Dunhill 4317-N
- 11 GOODBYE Ray Materick-Kanata 1010-K
- 12 CAN'T YOU HEAR THE SONG Wayne Newton-RCA 78-015-N
- 13 CLAIR Gilbert O'Sullivan-MAM 3626-K
- 14 IF I COULD REACH YOU 5th Dimension-Bell 45-261-M
- 1.5 BEN Michael Jackson-Motown 1207-T

- 16 SUNNY DAYS Lighthouse-GRT 1230-39-T
- 17 NOUS VIVONS ENSEMBLE (We've Got To Stay Together) Dixie Lee Innes-Bell 44000X-M
- 18 WHAT WOULD I DO WITHOUT YOU Skylark-Capitol 3378-F
- 19 COME AND JOIN US
  Dublin Coropration-Yorkville YVM45067-D
- 20 HONKY CAT Elton John-UNI 55343-J
- 21 GOODBYE FAREWELL
  Abraham's Children-GAS 1004
  - 22 I'LL MAKE YOU MUSIC Beverly Bremers-Scepter 12363-J
- 23 THE MUSIC DOESN'T SEEM TO BE GOING ANYWHERE Tapestry-Polydor 2065 152-Q
  - 24 LOVE SONG Peggy Lee-Capitol 3439-F
- 25 SING A SONG
  Barbra Streisand-Columbia 4-45686-H
- 26 WE CAN MAKE IT TOGETHER Steve/Eydie-MGM 14383-M
- 27 HAPPY SONG Salome Bey (Galt MacDermot Ork) Kilmarnock KIL 2072-M
- 28 RAIN TRAIN CRESCENT STREET Tony Roman-Kot'ai 152-K
  - 29 DANCE DANCE DANCE New Seekers-Elektra 45806-P
  - 30 DAY AND NIGHT The Wackers-Elektra E45816-P
  - 31 BABY DON'T GET HOOKED ON ME Mac Davis-Columbia 4-55618-H
  - 32 GET THAT BALL Patsy Gallant-Columbia C4-3056-H

- 33 PLAY ME Neil Diamond-Uni 55346-J
- 34 CITY OF NEW ORLEANS Arlo Guthric-Reprise 1103-P
- 35 THE LAST SONG
  Edward Bear-Capitol 72677-F
  36 MAXWELL'S SILVER HAMMER
  - Bells-Polydor 2065 144-Q 37 THOSE WERE THE DAYS
  - Phillips-Leahy Singers Van-Los 105
    38 DREAM NO. 2
  - Tobias-Verve MV10681-M
  - 39 HOLD ON TO A LITTLE BIT OF LOVE The Laurie Bower Singers Canadian Talent Library 477-871-Z

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- 40 DAHIL SAY HO
  Claude Philippe-Celebration 2041X-M
- 41 GARDEN PARTY Rick Nelson-Decca 32980-J
- 42 SPEAK TO THE SKY Rick Springfield-Capitol 13340-F
- 43 YOU WERE ON MY MIND lan & Sylvia-Columbia C4-8074-H
- James Gilmore Singers-Can-Base 4-503-H
- 45 GIVE IT TO THE WORLD Sylvia Tyson-Columbia C4-3072-H
- 46 LOVE Joe Probst-Daffodil DSS1027-F
- Lisle-Bronco BR2703-K
  48 GRAB HOLD & HANG ON

47 YOU'RE WHY BABY

- Lorence Hud-A&M AMX332-W
  - 49 SAD & SIMPLE MAN Harry Marks-Sweet Plum SPL9911-K
- 50 WHITER SHADE OF PALE Sound 80-A&M AMX331-W

Child | Vance Rockwell

CHSC ST. CATHARINES
(Peter Durrell)
Now That I'm Back/Chris Scott
Sing Me A Song/Billy Walker
Have A Good Look/Bob Hendrickson
Wedding Song/Colin Butler
It's No Sin/Slim Whitman

CKCL TRURO
(Bryan Edwards)
Ding-A-Ling Debbie/R.Harlan Smith
I'll Make Music/Beverly Bremers
Here's To Loving You/Jack Bailey
Ransom/Nat Stuckey
Don't Tell Jeannie/Smiley Bates
Around Her Finger/George Jones
Fool Me/Lynn Anderson
Perfect Match! Parid Houston
Home Again And Notan
Steel Wheels/Swevedore Steve

CKDH AMHERST Perfect Match/David Houston John Henry/Tom T.Hall This Old Piano/Jerry Lee Lewis Home Again/Dick Nolan

CJRW SUMMERSIDE (Lowell Huestis) Fool Me/Lynn Anderson Holdin' On/Barbara Mandrell John Henry/Tom T.Hall

CKBI PRINCE ALBERT My Man|Tammy Wynette Don't Pay The Ransom|Nat Stuckey Sea Of Heartbreak|Kenny Price

CKOM SASKATOON (Jerry Lucky) Somebody Loves Mellohnny Paycheck Around Her Finger/George Jones Garden Party/Rick Nelson Things/Buddy Allen Child/Vance Rockwell

# STAMPEDERS RECEIVE DUTCH DISC AWARD

One of the highlights of the Stampeders' current tour of Europe was the honour of receiving the Edison '72 Award, the most important Award of the Dutch Record industry. Willen Hoos, a critic for OOR (Ear), the leading Dutch rock magazine, and one of the Maple Music Junketeers reported on the award presentation as well as the nine day visit to Holland by the popular Music World Creations' group.

According to Hoos, the Stampeders gave a total of five concerts, which were all organized by Mojo, the Dutch pop organization. One concert was held in the notorious Amsterdam underground centre known as Paradiso, which received its reputation from the gathering of tens of thousands of hippies from all over the world who have gathered at this popular meeting place.

Newspaper and magazine critics have generally been full of praise for the Stampeders. Miss Elly de Waard from De Volkskrant (The People's Paper) regarded as the best informed Dutch paper, head-lined her article: "Pure Rock of the Seventies". Jim van Alphen from Het

CJGX YORKTON
(Ron Waddell)
Got To Be A Saint|Ray Price
Set Me Through|Neville Wells
Pretend I Never|Waylone Jennings
That's True|Chet's Friends
Hobo's Lullabye|Mike McCluskey
Jamestown Ferry|Tanya Tucker
Come On Back|Billy Stoltz

Parool, Amsterdam's largest daily, found "A rock show full of excitement." Hoos also wrote several articles which appeared in newspapers throughout Holland.

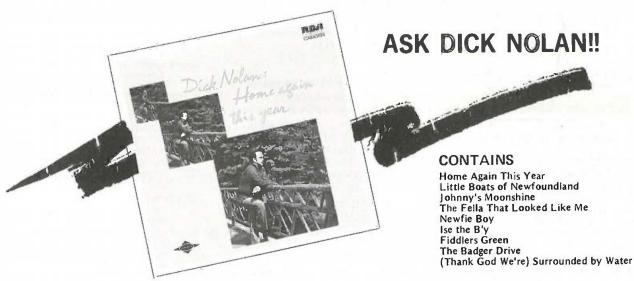
The Dutch press were particularly interested in bass man, Ronnie King, born in Charlois, a working class people's neighbourhood in Rotterdam. King's real name is Kees van Sprang. Now 25 years of age, he emigrated to Canada with his family in 1954 where they settled in Calgary. Arthur Provoost from Het Mrije Volk (The Free People), a Rotterdam socialist newspaper, organized a trip to King's birthplace which became a featured article in the paper.

The Dutch record company Bovema-EMI also put a lot of muscle into the promotion of The Stampeders. They released an album containing twelve cuts including "Sweet City Woman", "Carryin' On", "Monday Morning Choo Choo", "Wild Eyes", and "Devil You", and backed it with a hefty national promotion campaign.

The Stampeders went into France for a series of concerts and returned to Holland to tape a television special to be shown before the end of this year. While back in Holland one of the country's leading radio personalities, Vincent van Engelen taped a Stampeders' Special for his top rated show.

Hoos points up the importance of the recent Maple Music Junket which is still creating good press throughout Europe. The Stampeders, Poppy Family and Crowbar have received extensive press with Canada's sweetheart Anne Murray still considered one of this country's greatest musical exports.

# LIGHTNING DOES STRIKE TWICE IN THE SAME PLACE



**NEW ALBUM AND SINGLE** 



# BOOT INCREASES U.S. DISC NEGOTIATIONS

Boot Records has stepped up their negotiations with U.S. record companies for distribution of their product as well as picking up product for distribution in Canada. Latest firming was with Atteiram Productions of Atlanta Georgia for the release of Brent Williams' initial single release "Back Home In Georgia". In return Boot has scheduled the release of an instrumental country album by Randall Collins. Negotiations were carried out by Jury Krytiuk, president of Boot.

Krytiuk has also completed a distribution deal with Ricci Mareno Enterprises who has just set up their own N.G.B. label. First Canadian release scheduled will be "I Remembered You Baby", a Ray Griff composition performed by Blake Emmons, now based in Nashville. Mareno has just recently signed Wilma Burgess with more signings to be announced.

# SHADOWFAX UNDERGOES PERSONNEL CHANGES

Shadowfax, a new Toronto rock group who recently displayed their talents to a gathering of record people, have undergone a couple of changes. Paul Galison has been added to the group and takes over

Negotiations are now being finalized with Willex Records of Omaha, Nebraska for Canadian releases on the Boot label. Artist roster includes: Max D. Barnes, formerly released on the Jed label and whose initial release, "Ribbon Of Steel" received exposure throughout Canada. Barnes' initial release from Willex will be "You Gotta Be Putting Me On". In the can are releases by ventriloquist, Alex Houston and his friend Elmer ("Burn Your Bra, Baby"); Dale Turner ("Happy Honkey-Tonkin' Truckdrivin' Man") and the label's songwriting/producer, Kent Westbury ("One More Day").

12 string and rhythm guitar chores. A native of Toronto Galison was an instructor at the Ontario Conservatory of music for the past three years.

Martin Damsell joins Shadowfax, replacing Norm Barker. Damsell was trained on percussion, piano and vocals during his eight years at St. Michael's Choir School in Toronto. Damsell and Galison have been a part of the Toronto and area gig scene for sometime, as members of Shantai. They decided to join up with Shadowfax to continue their songwriting career, which has apparently been offered by the group's manager, Artie Kohn.

Kohn is now satisfied that his group has a sound that is now "totally full". The five members of Shadowfax are capable of playing nine different instruments. They expect to release their first single by the first of next year. The plug side, "Going Away" was penned by group leader Andrew Thompson.

# The Programmers C

#### COUNTRY PLAYLIST

- 1 3 IT'S NOT LOVE Merle Haggard-Capitol 3419-F
- 2 2 PRIDE'S NOT HARD TO SWALLOW Hank Williams Jr-MGM 11421-M
- 3 4 TAKE IT ON HOME Charlie Rich-Epic 5-1087-H
- 4 8 KENTUCKY TURN YOUR BACK Mercey Brothers-RCA 47-1068-N
- 5 1 MY MAN Tammy Wynette-Epic 5-10909-H
- 6 9 I'M COMING HOME Jim & Don Haggart-Arpeggio 1003-N
- 7 11 DON'T SHE LOOK GOOD Bill Anderson-Decca 33002-J
- 8 6 FUNNY FACE Donna Fargo-Dot 17429-M
- 9 13 LONELY WOMEN MAKE GOOD LOVERS Bob Luman-Epic 10905-H
- 10 18 SHE'S TOO GOOD TO BE TRUE Charley Pride-RCA 74-0802-N
- 11 15 YOU AIN'T GONNA HAVE OLD BUCK TO KICK AROUND ANYMORE Buck Owens-Capitol 3429-F
- 12 5 WELK HEE HAW POLKA Roy Clark-Dot 17426-M
- 13 19 SEA OF HEARTBREAK Kenny Price-RCA 74-0781-N
- 14 21 WHO'S GONNA PLAY THIS OLD PIANO Jerry Lee Lewis-Mercury 73328-K
- 15 7 CLASS OF '57 Statler Bros-Mercury 73315-K
- 16 30 THIS MUCH A MAN Marty Robbins-Decca 33006-J
- 17 31 HEAVEN IS MY WOMAN'S LOVE Tommy Overstreet-Dot 17428-M
- 18 35 FOOL ME Lynn Anderson-Columbia 4592-H

- 19 20 TAKE ME HOME Hank Smith-Quality Q2039X-M
- 20 10 DOWN AND LOSING Bob Ruzicka-Signpost SPS70007-P
- 21 32 MORE ABOUT JOHN HENRY Tom T. Hall-Mercury 73327-K
- 22 38 GOT THE ALL OVERS FOR YOU Freddie Hart-Capitol 3453-F
- 23 12 BABY DON'T GET HOOKED ON ME Mac Davis-Columbia 45618-H
- 24 26 FIRE IN THE MINE Tom Connors-Boot BT051-K
- 25 33 LONESOME 7-7203-F Tony Booth-Capitol 3441-F
- 26 36 SOMEBODY LOVES ME Johnny Paycheck-Epic 5-10912-F
- 27 34 WHEEL OF FORTUNE Susan Raye-Capitol 3438-F
- 28 14 HERE'S TO LOVIN' YOU Jack Bailey-GRT 1230 37-T
- 29 40 BABY BYE BYE Dickey Lee-RCA 74-0781-N
- 30 16 LAIN'T NEVER Mei Tillis-MGM 14418-M
- 31 24 ONEY Johnny Cash-Columbia 45660-H
- 32 37 YES, JESUS LOVES ME Family Brown-RCA 75-1097-N
- 33 22 THIS LITTLE GIRL OF MINE Faron Young-Mercury 73308-K
- 34 28 DON'T PAY THE RANSOM Nat Stuckey-RCA 0761-N
- 35 17 SYLVIA'S MOTHER Bobby Bare-Mercury 73317-K
- 36 23 TRAVELIN' LIGHT George Hamilton IV-RCA 74-0776-N
- 37 43 ALBERT COUNTY SOIL Marg Osburne-Marathon 1066-C
  - 38 25 YOU'VE GOT TO CRY GIRL Dave Dudley-Mercury 73309-K
  - 39 29 IF YOU LEAVE ME Jerry Wallace-Decca 32089-J
  - 40 27 WHAT IN THE WORLD HAS GONE WRONG WITH OUR LOVE Greene & Seeley-Decca 32991-J
  - 41 42 TORONTO WITH MILK & HONEY Al Hooper-Dominion 155-E

- 42 39 I'VE GOT A WOMAN'S LOVE Marty Robbins-Columbia 45668-H
- 43 50 HOME AGAIN THIS YEAR Dick Nolan-RCA 75-1100-N
- 44 52 DING-A-LING DEBBIE R.Harlan Smith-GRT 1230-40-T
- 45 53 WHITE SILVER SANDS Sonny James-Columbia 4-45706-H

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- 46 46 CHILD Vance Rockwell-Arpeggio 1008-N
- 47 41 AUNT MARTHA'S SHEEP Dick Nolan-RCA 75-1098-N
- 48 56 WRAPPED AROUND HER FINGER George Jones-RCA 74-0792-N
- 49 58 CREOLE ROSE Vic Winn-Rodeo 3362-K
- 50 49 IN THE LOVING ARMS Dallas Harms-Columbia C4-3042-H
- 51'45 RINGS FOR SALE Roger Miller-Mercury 73321-K
- 52 59 I'LL COUNT EVERY HOUR Diane Leigh-Quality 2046X-M
- 53 63 COME ON BACK Billy Stoltz-Big Wheel 45-10-01
- 54 48 CAN'T STOP LOVING YOU Conway Twitty-Decca 23988-J
- 56 .... NEVER BEEN TO SPAIN Ronnie Sessions-MGM 14394X-M
- 57 55 THIS WORLD NEEDS A MELODY Carter Family & Johnny Cash Columbia 4-45679-H
- 58 38 TAKE ME HOME Hank Smith-Quality Q2039X-M
- 59 ... HIS COLOURED TELEVISION Honey West-Marathon 1071-C
- 60 65 LIFE IS LIKE A MERRY GO ROUND
- Bev Marie-Rodeo RO3367-K 61 61 HERE COMES THE BRIDE Paul Bell-Snocan SC107-K

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- 62 .... NOW THAT I'M BACK Chris Scott-Boot BT045-K
- 63 .... STEEL WHEELS ON THE RAILS
- Stevedore Steve-Boot BT054-K
- 64 .... GARDEN PARTY Rick Nelson-Decca 32980-J
- 65 .... IF YOU WILL SEE ME THROUGH Neville Wells-Arpeggio ARPS1009-N

#### **BOOT'S STEVEDORE STEVE** GOING WITH COLLEGE DATES

He's country but he has a great deal of audience pull with the college crowd. That's one of the secrets of Stevedore Steve, who made a good showing with his most recent Boot single release, "Lester The Lobster".

Boot have released Stevedore Steve's album, "I've Lived" which contains his "Lobster" effort as well as his most recent single release, "Steel Wheels On The Rails" already showing early indications of becoming a strong chart item. He performed this song at a CBC-TV "Countrytime" taping at St. John's Arts and Science Centre with the packed house almost bringing down the roof. Also included on the album is a Newfie favourite, "Ballad of Kate and Luke" an ecology contribution, "Cat Tracks On the Mountain". There is also an adult contemporary offering with "Walkin' Easy" which uses a 16 voice chorus as background.

#### FOUR TOPS READYING DISC RELEASE FOR ABC/DUNHILL

The Four Tops, one of the anchor groups for Tamla Motown and now with ABC/Dunhill, are just putting the final touches on their first album release for their new label. Production chores are being shared by Steve Barri, Dennis Lambert and Brian

The Four Tops, who originally signed with Motown in 1965 and struck gold with their very first recording, "Baby I Need Your Loving" followed by "I Can't Help Myself", "Reach Out" and "Bernadette" have been together for fifteen years. Levi Stubbs, Renaldo Benson, Abdul Fakir and Lawrence Payton, the Four Tops, are the first Motown act to leave that label intact. It's expected a hefty promotion and possible tour will follow the release of their album,

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Contained in a clear, bubble plastic sphere, the display showcases fourteen Hohner models including a Hohner Melodica, mouthorgan shaped but played with a piano type keyboard. The table model display allows for close investigation of the models from all angles and is considered pilfer-proof.

#### CYNDA PUSHING FOR EASTWIND IMAGE

Eastwind, formerly known as the Caribou Showband, have been picking up in popularity since the release of their first album for the Cynda label, a part of the Boot complex. They have just completed a successful stand at the Edison Hotel in Toronto. If there are any legitimate beefs, here is

The group comprised of Brian Barron, Johnny Burke, Bob Lucier, Mel Aucoin and Roddy Lee, produced their session in Toronto and have received good reaction to the "Big John McNeal" cut which features Johnny Burke on vocals.

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