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Penn New GM At WWWE As Combined Takes Control

Combined Communications Corporation has formally assumed control of WWWE/Cleveland, with Dick Penn becoming the station's new General Manager. Penn was most recently President/General Manager of CCC's KTAR and KBBC-FM/Phoenix outlets. According to John Bayliss, CCC Radio Division President, the management change at WWWE arose because Tom and Jim Embrescia, currently General Manager and Station Manager of the outlet respectively, have filed to purchase WMGC/Cleveland from Globe Broadcasting. Affected by Penn's move to Cleveland are Steve Glueck, formerly General Sales Manager at KTAR, now General Manager of KTAR and KBBC; and Fritz Beesmeyer, ex-General Sales Manager for KBBC, now Vice President/ General Manager for the station. George Mills has been appointed General Sales Manager at KTAR. It was also reported that Combined Communications will soon announce another major acquisition, an FM outlet in Detroit.

Watermark Sues WMPS, Plough, **Over Presley Documentary**

Watermark Inc. has sued Plough Broadcasting Co., owners of WMPS/ Memphis, for "unauthorized airing" of the company's 13-hour documentary, "The Elvis Presley Story." The action asks in excess of \$100,000 in actual damages and over \$750,000 in punitive damages. According to Watermark, the licensing agreement for the documentary had run out for WMPS and other stations at the end of 1976. Watermark sent telegrams

"outdated" program following Elvis Presley's death, and announcing that a new 13-hour program, "The Elvis Presley Story-A Final Tribute" was in preparation. "We then learned that WMPS was going to go ahead with an illegal airing," said a Watermark spokesman. "When no amount of additional telegrams and phone calls could dissuade them, we decided to take action." Plough representatives were contacted and offered no comment at this time.

informing stations not to air the

Janet Gavin, wife of Gavin Report founder Bill Gavin, died early Tuesday morning (23). She was instrumental in establishing the Gavin Report, served as Editor of its Country section, and was a member of the CMA Board of

Janet Gavin Dies

Directors. Bill Gavin's office has requested that R&R, in announcing the news of Janet Gavin's passing, refer its readers to the Gavin Report this coming Monday for a full tribute

Presley Career Total:

According to estimates, Elvis Presley's career activities generated a total gross of \$43 billion. This phenomenal figure includes estimates of total record sales, film grosses, and concert totals. Presley sold over 600 million singles and albums internationally, thanks in large part to 55 gold singles and 24 gold LP's. His "Hound

Dog"/"Don't Be Cruel" doublesided hit topped 8 million alone, while the Blue Hawaii soundtrack album sold over 5,000,000. And, proving that his worldwide appeal was as strong as ever, 100 million (one-sixth of his total) records were sold from 1975 to the time of Presley's death last week.

ABC Refuses NABET Compromise Effort

The National Association of Broadcast Employees & Technicians (NABET), on strike against the ABC network since May 16, made what it considered a substantial compromise in attempting to settle their differences, but ABC rejected the offer. The dispute originally centered on the television side, on the issue of union members working with videotape equipment, but ABC Radio has also been affected by the strike. ABC rejected NABET's call for concessions on three points-an-

Assistant

Top-40 Story Coming

R&R's extensive special issue. "The Top 40 Story," featuring historical highlights and informative interviews with the format's founders and current leaders, is

double as engineers; handling of suspended personnel; and no reduction of technical directors' authority. NABET had given ground on practically every ABC demand, and union officials were apparently shocked by the network's spurning of their latest offer. Federal strike mediators suspended negotiations till August 24, with NABET facing reportedly crucial financial problems in continuing the strike.

being mailed this week as a free bonus to all subscribers in a special. oversized envelope. Watch for it.

General Accounting Office To Study FCC

TWO INTERVIEWS:

KPAM's

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KNX-FM's

MICHAEL SHEEHY SEE PAGE 46

> The General Accounting Office, which serves as a watchdog on government agencies on behalf of the Congress, will be examining the FCC's policies on broadcast regulation to measure their impact on the industry and public. A six-man task force will be working on the study, which will question broadcasters and network executives, via interview or questionnaires, on a variety of FCCrelated subjects. According to the **House Communications Subcom**mittee, the GAO probe is unconnected to the subcommittee's pending revision of the 1934 Communications Act, but the possibility existed of GAO findings being used in that effort as well.

Capricorn Barbeque Draws 3000

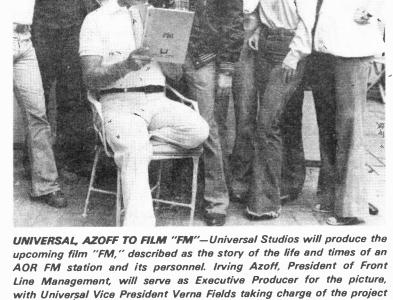
The sixth annual Capricom Records Barbeque drew a large industry turnout as over 3000 people attended the Macon festivities. Capricorn acts Stillwater, Dixie Dregs and Black Oak performed, with other highlights including a lavish cocktail party and various sporting and gourmet events. See Picture Page for pictorial highlights.

R&R Expands

The industry's newspaper continues to expand with three new appointments. Ken Barnes rejoins R&R as News Editor; he was most recently Director of Editorial Services at Casablanca Record and FilmWorks. Pam Bellamy joins R&R's Research Department from WQXI/Atlanta, where she was Programming Assistant. Krisann Aglio is R&R's new Circulation Director; she was formerly Personal Assistant to actor Jon Voight.

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Lee Abrams To Consult KPOL-FM/Los Angeles SEEPAGE 34



for the studio. The film is the first to deal with contemporary radio

and will obviously be of great interest to the industry. Shown at a script

conference for the movie are (I-r) Larry Solters, Front Line Management;

Deborah Kavruck, assistant to Verna Fields; Robert Larson, co-producer;

(seated) John Alonzo, Director of "FM;" Verna Fields, Vice President

of Feature Production at Universal; Irving Azoff, Executive Producer;

Ezra Sacks, author of the film; Mary Torrey, assistant to the Executive

Producer; Rand Holston, "FM" Producer; and Jan Murray, Production

nouncers not being required to





"I Just Wanna Make Love To You"

Live, hot rock & roll from their new album



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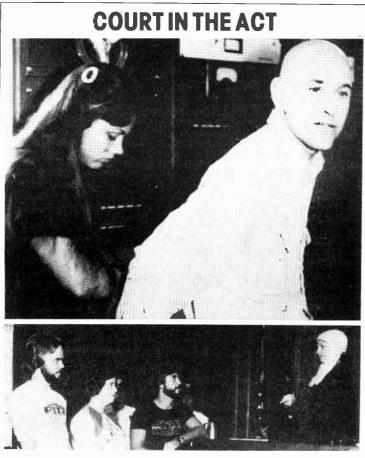
Distributed by Warner Brothers Records

Produced by Nick Jameson

Carter To Meet With Record Industry Leaders

A number of top record executives will be meeting with President Carter at the White House

ference, according to Elektra/Asylum Chairman of the Board Joe Smith, one of the invited leaders, September 15. Goal of the con- is "to give the U.S. record indus-



Promoting 10cc's "Good Morning Judge" single, Mercury's Promotion Manager for Kentucky and Tennessee, Joanie Lawrence, "locked up" key radio personnel in Memphis and Nashville. WLAC/Nashville morning man Pat Rliey was arrested by the city's sheriff on the air, and incarcerated for "exposing his baid head to millions of listeners," until listeners raised \$1000 to spring him. The money was donated to the Sheriff's Youth Center. In Memphis, Ron Olson, FM/100 Music Director; WHBQ MD Judy Smithart; and Tom Charles, WHBQ PD were brought before a wigged-out judge (Joanie Lawrence herself) who ordered the defendants to add the 10cc record "to each of your respective radio stations in a hitbound rotation within one week from this day, or you will be cited in contempt of this court." Shown left is Pat Riley being marched off by a Nashville police woman; right, Ron Oisen, Judy Smithart, and Tom Charles facing the music from "Judge" Lawrence.

NAB Says World Radio Conference Holds Key To Broadcasting Future

The National Association of Broadcasters stated in a filing to the FCC that the 1979 World Administrative Radio Conference will determine the future of American broadcasting. "This international conference will determine all worldwide frequency allocations for the remainder of this century, including radio and TV broadcasting, satellites, land mobile services, and so forth," according to the NAB

The NAB expressed support for the FCC proposal to expand the AM band to provide 21 new channels, and suggested that the commission ensure that the new chan-

nels be reserved for AM broadcasting in the U.S. The association also pointed out that the AM Service Working Group, a committee of experts in various fields preparing for the World Radio Conference, did not consider the 115-190 kHz frequencies necessary to accomodate expanded AM service, forecasting a "myriad of technical and interference problems." The NAB also opposed an FCC proposal that the Land Mobile service share the 1615-1750 kHz band with AM broadcasting, predicting uncontrollable interterence problems

BBC Radio Managers Threaten Rebellion

The managers of the British Broadcast Corporation's 20 local radio stations have threatened a public split with BBC heirarchy over expansion of the BBC's local outlets. Originally, an expansion to 65 local stations was envisioned

by the BBC, who had assured the public that the cost would be minimal. However, in a recent phone conference between local station managers and Howard Newby, BBC Radio Managing

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try the mantle of respect and acceptance it has lacked during previous administrations." Other executives attending include Walter Yetnikoff, President, CBS Records Group; Mo Ostin, Warner Bros. President and Chairman of the Board; Phil Walden, President of Capricorn; Jerry Moss, A&M President: Bhaskar Menon, President of Capitol; ABC President Steve Diener; and Artie Mogull, President of United Artists.

Smith said, "The record industry is a major cultural institution in this nation, and we can make a terrific contribution if mobilized properly...We can generate a lot of good for the country." Topics on the September 15 agenda include copyright, record and tape piracy problems, State Department tours for artists and economic matters in general.

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Bell Sues Memphis Bank

Al Bell, former President of the defunct Stax Records operation, has filed a \$20 million suit against Union Planters National Bank in Memphis for malicious prosecution. The bank had charged Bell in 1975 with conspiring with a former bank officer to defraud

Union Planters of \$18.8 million. The officer was jailed, but Bell was found innocent, and is now charging the bank of falsely accusing him of conspiracy. Bell is currently head of Independence Corporation of America, which includes ICA Records.

Amway To Buy Mutual

The Amway Corporation has agreed in principle to purchase the Mutual Broadcasting System for a reported \$15 million, a major move into the broadcast field for the Michigan-based household

goods manufacturer famous for its widespread independent distribution network. The Washingtonbased 500-station Mutual network, controlled by Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Gilbert, has been troub-

led of late, with a 5-week AFTRA strike and a 10-week lockout of a technicians union both occurring this year. Amway will extend an offer to all Mutual stockholders after a definitive agreement has been reached.

N.Y. Call-In Issue Settled

The call-in contest controversy between the New York Telephone Company and New York radio stations has been settled by

Goldman Named Executive VP/GM At Arista

Elliot Goldman has been promoted to the newly created position of Executive Vice President and General Manager at Arista Records. He will continue to supervise financial, administrative, and international operations for the company, with Arista's sales and distribution network, UK operations, and music publishing companies reporting directly to him. Commenting on Goldman's promotion, Arista President Clive



Davis said, "Elliot Goldman has been a source of towering strength for Arista from the inception... He will now have new opportunities to provide leadership on a broad scale and in a far-reaching way.'

the State Public Service Commission. Under the Commission's approved formula, 24% of calls to stations during call-in promotions will be completed by answering machines, with the callers being charged regular rates for completed calls. The phone company had pressed for two-thirds of all call-in calls to be handled

by answering machines, citing a cost burden because allegedly only 1 to 3% of contest calls are completed and customers are not charged for non-completed calls. A group of six radio stations maintained that the phone company's proposal would be a burden on their listeners and provide an "excessive" return for the company.

WCDQ HIGH ON THE HOG



WCDQ/New Haven is attracting a lot of local notice with their "talking, time-telling" pig, Peggy. The pig oinks the time at appropriate moments, and hams it up at numerous personal appearances for station promotions. Recently Peggy auditioned for a role in a production of "Lil' Abner," finishing third on grounds of not looking sufficiently like a pig. Outraged WCDQ officials plans to audition her for a film role as a glraffe. Pictured are Peggy the Pig (left) and her chief custodian, WCDQ morning man "World Famous" Jerry Kristafer.

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Storer Broadcasting Purchases WLAK-FM/Chicago

in Chicago from Sudbrink Broadcasting Company for \$4.3 million dollars. Sale is subject to FCC approval.

Meredith Acquires High-Priced FM

has agreed to purchase WPCH/Atlanta from the Sudbrink group. Meredith did not disclose the price tag, but according to Sunbrink, the price was \$5.2 million. Meredith already owns WGST-AM/Atlanta.

10,000 Licensed Broadcast Stations Projected For 1980

stations (AM-FM-TV) in operation in the U.S. will reach 10,000 by 1980. As of July 31, 1977 the inventory gross count was 9,346 which excluded 317 construction permits for stations not yet on the air

Drake/Chenault Completes Elvis Tribute Special

death of Elvis Presley (8-16) and completed a three-hour "Tribute To Elvis Presley," narrated by Bill Drake. The special immediately ran on the weekend of August 19-21 on a number of stations, including WABC/New York, WJJD/Chicago, K100/Los Angeles, WIP/Philadelphia. KFRC/San Francisco, WASH/Washington, WROR/Boston, KNUS/Dallas, and Y100/Miami. The special's initial run is expected to encompass 100 stations, and the program will be available for station purchases in the future.

Washington D.C., has been put on the market with an \$8 million price tag. Last year, Post-Newsweek sold WCKY/Cincinnati.

Small Stations Exempt From EEO Rules

It has been ruled by a Federal Appeals Court that broadcasters with fewer than five employees will be exempt from the FCC's equal opportunity employment quidelines. The U.S.

Circuit Court denied a 1976 FCC order expanding the exemption to include stations with fewer than 10 employees.

Split Up Between Liz & Ford

Negotiations between Elizabeth Taylor and the Ford Motor Company have been ended. Plans were for Ms. Taylor to appear in a single commercial introducing a "diamond collection of new cars" a Ford spokesman reported. She would have received \$750,000 for the commercial. The reason for the decision was not made known. Ford is now considering several other unnamed "Superstars" for the role. Gene Kelly, Catherine Deneuve and Farrah Fawcett-Majors have been dropped from the Ford line-up.

Corp. For Public Broadcasting To Offer Grants To **Public Radio Stations**

The Corporation for Public Broadcasting has announced it will provide up to \$775,000 in improvement grants for public radio stations within the top 10 markets. Stations are being invited to compete for the grants as part of the CPB's plan to improve the quality of public radio and expand its listenership from 60% to 90% of the nation's population.

Taft Broadcasting To Purchase Day-Care Centers

Taft Broadcasting of Cincinnati has made plans to purchase 20% of Kinder-Care Learning Centers in Montgomery, Alabama for approximately \$3,600,000. Taft's Chairman, Charles S. Mechem. has announced the shares were acquired for investment purposes. Kinder-Care which operates 195 day-care centers in 21 states plans to use about \$2 million of the proceeds to reduce its bank debt and increase working capital.

FTC Calls L.A. Times' Ad Structure Illegal

The Federal Trade Commission has attacked the Los Angeles Times newspaper for its display advertising rate structure, in a move that could have impact on the entire industry. The FTC says that the Times has a practice of giving discounts to advertisers who buy a specific amount of ad lines each year, and that practice is discriminatory to the smaller advertiser. Numerous newspapers use such an ad structure, so the Times should be considered a test case. A hearing is scheduled for next month.

FCC Fights Back At Civil Rights Report

Last week, the Commission on Civil Rights strongly criticized the FCC for its supposed failure to do enough for females and minorities in television. FCC Chairman Richard Wiley has counterattacked the civil rights group by stating that the FCC would illegally act as a censor if they complied with the group's wishes. The group's suggestions to the Commission included taking regulatory action to correct sexual and racial stereotyping in television programming, and regulation of the major network's hiring practices. Wiley also backed up the ~ FCC's current equal opportunity employment rulings, which the report also attacked.



R&R CALENDAR OF EVENT

August 1977

West Virginia Broadcasters Association Fail Meeting. The Greenbrier, White Sulphur Springs, August 25-28

International Radio & TV Exhibition, Berlin Exhibition

Grounds, Berlin, Germany, August 26-September 4

Northeast Secondary Radio Conference (Anti-Muscola), Mariott Hotel, Providence, August 27-28

Radio Television News Director Association, Region 11

Sheraton-Waylarer, August 27

September

WEA National Sales Meeting, Diplomat Hotel, Miami, September 5-11 Michigan Association of Broadcasters, Mackinac Island, Sep

tember 6-9

Radio Music Report Convention (Ron Brandon), Royal Coach Hotel, Atlanta, September 8-10

Gavin Report Regional Meeting, Sheraton Hotel, Portland, Oregon, September 10-11

lim Halsey's International Country Music Festival. Tulsa September 10-11

Illinois Broadcasters Association, Marriott Lincolnshire Resort, Chicago, September 11-13

National Association of Broadcasters "Managing the Nonunion Station", Wake Forest University, Winston, Salem,

September 11-14 Ohio Association of Broadcasters Fall Convention, Columbus

Sheraton, Columbus, September 14-15

Metromedia Radio Management Annual Meeting, Sonesto Hotel, Key Biscayne, September 14-17 Radio Television News Director Association International

Conference, Hyatt Regency Hotel, San Francisco, September 15-17 Maine Association of Broadcasters Annual Convention

Samoset-by-the-Sea, Rockland, Me., September 16-18 National Religious Broadcasters Western Annual Conven

tion, Marriott Hotel, Los Angeles, September 18-209 Minnesota Associaton of Broadcasters Fall Meetings, Holidoy

Inn, Worthington, September 21-23 Nevada Broadcasters Association Annual Convention. Hyatt

Lake Tahoe, Incline Village, September 25-27 National Association of Broadcasters, Seminar on station

license-renewal procedures, Site to be announced, September 27

October

Gavin Report Regional Meeting, Louisville, October 1-2 Indiana Broadcasters Association Fall Meeting, Marriott Inn, Fort Wayne, October 5-7

National Radio Broadcasters Association Convention, New Orleans Hilton, New Orleans, October 9-12

North Carolina Association of Broadcasters Annual Con vention, Pinehurst Hotel, Pinehurst, October 9-11

Country Music Association Awards Show, Nashville, Octo ber 10

Chellman-Twitty D.J. Golf Tournament, Nashville, October 12 Kentucky Broadcasters Association Fall Convention. Hyatt Regency, Lexington, October 12-13

Natonal Association of Broadcasters Fall Regional Meeting Engineering, Hyatt Regency Hotel, Chicago, October 13-14 Illinois News Broadcasters Associaton Fall Convention. Champaign-Urbana, October 14-16

National Association of Broadcasters Fall Regional Meetings Engineering, Hyatt Regency Cambridge, Cambridge, Mass., October 17-18

Tennessee Association of Broadcasters Annual Convention, Read House, Chattanooga, October 19-21

National Association of Broadcasters Fall Regional Meetings Engineering, Peachtree Plaza Hotel, Atlanta, October 20-21

Arbitron Survey Period, October 20-November 16 Pittsburgh Chapter, Society of Broadcast Engineers Regional Convention, Howard Johnson Motor Inn, Monroesville, Pa., October 21

North Dakota Broadcasters Association Fall Meeting, Holiday Inn, Fargo, October 23-24

Musexpo '77-International Record & Music Industry Expo

Doral Hotel, Miami Beach, October 28-November 1 Floridg Association of Broadcasters Fall Conference, The Beach Club Hotel, Naples, October 29

November

National Association of Educational Broadcasters Convention, Sheraton Park Hotel, Washington, November 13-16

January 1978

Country Music Association Board Meeting, Acapulco, Mexico, January 10-11, 1978

March

R&R CONVENTION 78. FAIRMONT HOTEL. DALLAS, MARCH 2-5, 1978

Country Radio Seminar, Nashville, March 17-18, 1978 National Association Of Recard Merchandisers Annual Con-

vention, Hyatt Regency, New Orleans, March 8-11, 1978

April

National Association of Broadcasters Annual Convention Las Vegas, April 9-12, 1978

National Association of Broadcasters Radio Program College, Las Vegas, April 12-14, 1978

Country Music Associaton Board Meeting, Washington D.C. April 18-19, 1978

June

Associated Press Broadcasters Annual Meeting, Stouffer's, Twin Towers, Cincinnati, June 1-3, 1978

Country Music Association Fan Fair, Nashville, June 7-11, 1978

July

Country Music Association Board Meeting, Fremont Hotel, Dallas, July 11-12, 1978

Broadcasters Promotion Association Annual Seminar, Radisson St. Paul, St. Paul, June 17-20, 1978

Storer Broadcasting has announced it has reached an agreement to purchase WLAK-FM

In what may be the biggest dollar valued sale of an FM outlet, Meredith Broadcasting

FCC Executive Director Richard D. Lichtwardt has projected that licensed broadcast

The Drake/Chengult organization worked for 48 straight hours immediately following the

Washington Post Nearly Out Of Radio

The final radio property held by the Washington Post Co.'s Post-Newsweek group, WTOP/ -

Music Can Be An Awesome Emotional Experience!



Sometimes it shows that

He Ain't You, Babe...No, He Ain't You, Babe

He Ain't You, Babe

I think he knows that

Kirshner Songs, Inc. (ASCAP) Don Kirshner Music, Inc. (BMI)

Lynn Anderson performs a hearttearing reading of a GREAT song.

WE ARE STILL A BUSINESS OF HIT SONGS.

Lynn Anderson's "He Ain't You" will involve your audience in your radio station more than any song out today.



What's New?

Rolling Stone Acquires Kennedy's Eivis Exclusive

Budding journalist **Caroline Kennedy** will have an article in the next issue of **Rolling Stone** on **Elvis Presley**'s funeral, thanks to a missed deadline at the **New York Post**. The Post reported that former **Datly News** copyperson Kennedy had missed their schedule and then decided to sell the story to Rolling Stone. At our deadline, Rolling Stone editors were keeping quiet about the story. Ms. Kennedy was apparently the only press person allowed to spend some time at Presley's Graceland Mansion, and outlines details of her visit in her article.

Women Work Harder Than Men

Women are more conscientious about their jobs than men, according to a **University** of **Michigan** time use study. The average employed man spends 11% of his working day not working—on scheduled coffee breaks, unscheduled breaks, and in longer lunches. Women, the study found, spend only 8% of their time in such pursuits. Put another way, the effort devoted to the job by women is 112% of men's efforts.

Single Households, Childless Couples On The Rise

20.6% of all households in the U.S. consist of just one person, while two-person families account for 30.6%, according to the **Census Bureau**. The single-household figure is more than double the 1960 number, while the childless couple figure represents a 50% increase. The Census Bureau attributes the increase to "low fertility, postponement of marriage...the ability of young singles and the elderly to finance and maintain (a household)...and marital dissolution." Demographic specialists, take note.

Revell Toys With Billy Carter

Billy Carter signed a licensing agreement with **Revell Inc.**, the Venice, California model and toy-kit firm, for a **Billy** Carter toy, the exact nature of which was not revealed. An October preview was scheduled, with an on sale date of January 1978. In the signing picture photo, beside Carter there appeared an easel drawing of a truck captioned "Billy Carter's Redneck Power Pickup," so obviously some initial ideas toward the toy are brewing.

TV And Teaching Blamed For Low Student Testing

A government panel investigating the drop in Scholastic Aptitude Test scores has proclaimed that television and "relaxed" teaching are to blame for the drop. During the two year study, the committee also found that changes in the family's role and the disruptive political scene of the 1960's contributed to the drop in test scores. The panel noted that the addition of many elective courses available to students may have caused some of the decrease in their ability to read and write properly. Also noted was that many students spend more time watching TV than they do in school, which "detracts from homework, competes with schooling and has contributed to the decline in SAT scores."

Elvis Merchandising To Continue

Acting on behalf of **Elvis Presley**'s father **Vernon. Col. Tom Parker** has announced that he has concluded an agreement with **Factors Etc.**, **Inc.**, which grants the company exclusive worldwide rights to all Elvis Presley merchandising, excluding any agreement with RCA Records. Factors Etc. merchandises posters, heat transfers, buttons, badges and other articles. Col. Parker said that the agreement was made to eliminate unauthorized merchandise using Elvis' name.

New Rollercoaster World Record

For nearly 104 hours, medical student **Richard Rodrigues** of New York City whirled down the slopes of **Coney Island's** "Cyclone" rollercoaster, successfully breaking the world's record for length of time riding on Monday night (22). According to an amusement park spokesman, Rodriguez managed to sneak in some sleeping time after the rollercoaster's crew tied him down to his seat. Reportedly, Rodriguez could have kept going after his 103 hour, 55 minute ride, but "the operating crew was exhausted." The previous Guinness record was set last June in Virginia.



Elvis Tribute Rates High

Overnight Nielsen ratings for **ABC**'s special network tribute to **Elvis Presley** showed large viewing audiences in the three markets surveyed. Last Tuesday's show (16) had an estimated 1.84 million viewers in New York City, 1.5 million in Chicago, and 1.06 million in Los Angeles. In all three cities, ABC scored higher or tied other late-night network programming during the special...Frank Sinatra will guest host the "Tonight Show" for Johnny Corson on November 14. Sinatra will make his first appearance on the show since late last year... A January kick-off date has been set for an ABC series project "Star Worlds." The network said that nearly \$500,000 will be used to design sets and special effects for the science fiction series...Robert E. Mulholland has been appointed President of the NBC TV Network. Mulholland had most recently served as head of NBC Network News and coordinator for the network's 1980 Olympic presentation...Bette Midler and comedian Steve Martin have been signed to appear on Rolling Stone magazine's two hour CBS special, set to air November 25...; Rod Stewart will appear on Ms. Midler's own NBC "Bette Midler Special" which will air this fall.

Rerun "Angels" Stays On Top

"Charlie's Angels" are just as popular with reruns as they were during the new season, as witnessed by the show taking the number one position in Nielsen ratings for the week ending August 14. **ABC** held the overall lead with a 15.3 rating, followed by **CBS** with 14.4, and **NBC** at 14.3. The rest of the top 10 shows were: NBC Monday Movie "The Family Way," "Three's Company," "Barney Miller," "Laverne & Shirley," "MASH," "One Day At A Time," "Baretta," "What's Happening" and "Barnaby Jones." Two new shows debuted during the week, ABC's "Sugar Time" came in well at 13th, while CBS' "Keane Brothers" showed in 64th place.

Technical Worker Shortage

In the age of unemployment, a government study has shown that many employers are finding it hard to fill draftsmen, engineering and other technical positions. Of 381 firms surveyed, one third have problems hiring for these jobs, and 30% of them expect to hire even more workers in the early fall.

Rock `N' Roll At New York's Radio City Music Hall

Radio City Music Hall will be the site for the Pop Music Festival scheduled to run from September 16 to November 2. Motown recording artist Marvin Gaye will open the series. Some of the other artists slated to appear at the festival include Kris Kristofferson. Rita Coolidge, Frankie Valli and the Four Seasons, B.B. King, Bobby "Blue" Bland, Helen Reddy, Albert King, and more.

Help On The Way For Dieters

A new diet fork is being marketed which will make eating difficult if not impossible. The prongs of the fork are bent into curlicues making it hard to spear those munchies. The distributor expects the fork to appear in Christmas catalogs, with a retail price of about \$6.95.

CBS Radio Celebrates 50th Anniversary

CBS Radio will celebrate its 50th anniversary with a special three hour broadcast scheduled for airing September 18th. The program "CBS Radio at 50—An Autobiography in Sound" will be narrated by **Walter Cronkite.** The special will review the evolution of news, sports, entertainment, music and drama on the network and will include voices of many of CBS' personalities including **Jack Benny, Bing Crosby, Lowell Thomas, Edward R. Murrow, Amos 'n Andy** and many more.



FCC Revokes License Due To Fraudulent Billing

FCC continues its "hard line" on fraudulent billing practices, by revoking the license of WLLE, Inc. for AM station WLLE/Raleigh N.C. due to such activities over an extended period of time. In so ruling, FCC stressed the fact that station restitution "after-the-fact" was not a mitigating factor and overruled an earlier ALJ decision that a one-year license was a sufficient sanction. Other stations have of course "escaped" with just such lesser sanctions so that this regulatory area remains a particular one of uncertainty and indecision.

FCC Grants Station Assignment Over Labor Objections

FCC has granted an Assignment of License of a Cleveland station although local labor unions objected that the Assignee would not assume union agreements previously entered into with the assignor. The FCC held that the questions raised as to labor agreements were for the NLRB to resolve and not a proper basis for it to deny the role. It had in the past taken a variety of different positions, including some directly contrary to this one rejecting FCC jurisdiction.

Court Orders Renewal Rehearings On EEO Matters

As a prime example of the growing regulary significance of matters involving "equal employment" issues, a Federal Appellate Court has decided to rehear two cases involving License Renewal Applications which FCC had previously granted for stations KONO/San Antonio and KCBS/San Francisco. The question as to the availability of pre-hearing "discovery" procedures in EEO complaints before FCC is also at issue in both cases and will likely be decided by the Court, which could well overrule the FCC position that such procedures were not warranted in these instances.

Court Cites Service Disruption In Affirming Renewal Grant

The Court of Appeals has affirmed an FCC decision granting a Renewal of License for a Gaffney S.C. FM station over a competing proposal claiming that the losing station's proposed service out of Asheville N.C. would better serve area listeners. The court upheld the FCC's ultimate finding that many N.C. listeners had grown accustomed to the S.C. station service and that a serious disruption would result from its replacement by the new service from the station challenging the renewal.

FCC Denies Legal Assistance To Citizens Group

FCC denied a request by a Citizens Group that it assign a member of the Communications Bar or an FCC Staff Attorney to assist it in proceedings before the FCC. The Court upheld the FCC's conclusion that it had no legislatively-granted jurisdiction to make provision for such legal representation, and to spend public monies in this manner. However, it's not unlikely that some effort will be made in any modification of the Communications Act to provide for some such legal representation, that would of course complicate and make more difficult almost all FCC Hearings on Station Applications, etc.

FCC Allows Move Resulting In New City Coverage

A Leesburg, Florida Class C FM station, WDBJ, has been allowed by FCC to move its transmitter 21 miles from Leesburgh (and to set up an auxiliary studio there), with the result that principal city coverage was provided to Orlando, Fla. FCC noted substandard technical service provided by the facility at Leesburgh justified the move notwithstanding that questions had been raised as to station motive to relocate to a larger community at the expense of the smaller city of license.

FCC Denies Stay In Format Change

FCC denied a request for a "stay" pending a Court appeal of an approved transfer of control of station WKLY/Portsmouth, where the buyer proposed changing the station's format. FCC held that a "significant" minority had not voiced discontent over the change and that the existing format had proved financially unsuccessful, which it held were the basic elements to raise any format issue, and that absent them the Appelant had little chance of prevailing on the merits, and no basis for the requested "stay."

FCC On Failure Of Station Sale Deal

A party's failure to consumate a contract for the sale of a Florida station authorized by the FCC, was held by the Commission to be a matter of private controversy to be settled by a court instead of by the FCC. Thus, FCC refused to take jurisdiction over the matter, or to comment on the need for specific performance on the proposed sale/purchase, although it may have approved the transaction as being in the public interest.

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From the album, "I'm In You"



Best Promotions Of The Week

98Q/Vidalia celebrated their second birthday last week (18), by inviting former Q jocks back for on-air stints. Included in the homecoming were WLEE/Richmond PD Ken Curtis, WERC/Birmingham's John Shomby, and Jim Dunaway. Giveaways of silver dollars, jeans, radios, sporting equipment and much more also highlighted the birthday party...KFXM/San Bernardino's Jeff Salgo designed an original "Star Wars" promotion, inviting listeners to call in and "speak" to R2D2, the lovable robot from the film. The listeners' mission is to set the "torpedo trajectory" for a direct hit on the "Death Star" enemy spaceship. R2D2 tells the contestant whether his guess is too high or too low, and the listener continues to guess for 15 seconds. If he makes the direct hit, he scores \$59 cash... Across the street at KMEN/San Bernardino, listeners are trying to

find "Star Wars" character Princess Lea somewhere in the city. Clues are aired each hour to help those vying for the grand prize of a \$1000 bill. The first listener to find the Princess and recite the phrase "I Go For It On KMEN" wins...KROY/Sacramento's PD Dave Michaels reports on two movie tiein contests, the first with "Star Wars." Half of the station's phone lines were blown out when they offered free passes to the movie and copies of the Meco LP. The second featured a promotion with "The Spy Who Loved Me", the James Bond thriller. Callers won pairs of tickets to the movie, soundtrack albums and a certificate deeming them honorary "007" agents...WBBF/Rochester gave one listener a chance to be "James Bond For A Night" in honor of the same movie. Call-in listeners were entered in a drawing for a free dinner for two at one of the city's finest restaurants, limo service and VIP treatment at the theater during opening night of "The Spy Who Loved Me."...KBEQ/Kansas City's latest promotion also helped out Muscular Dystrophy charity. 23 local roller rinks held "Rollathons" to raise funds for the cause, and KBEQ jocks were there handing out tickets to the Bay City Rollers' concert, albums and iron-ons ... WANS/Anderson recently held a week-long "Kiss-O-Meter" contest. Callers got a chance to break the Kiss-O-Meter by giving the jock on the air the loudest kiss they could. If the smacker registered over 100% on the "meter," that listener won a Kiss album...KSFT/ St. Joseph, Missouri, has kicked off their "FM 105 Sunset Club." Listeners who register for the club and answer a phone call from the station with the slogan "Fly FM 105" win numerous prizes including 2 tickets anywhere they want to fly in the continental United States...WAVZ/New Haven staged a multi-faceted celebration to welcome Bad Company and the Climax Blues Band to their local concert. Prior to the show, callers won both groups' latest and catalog albums plus tickets to the concert. Band members went on the air with several WAVZ personalities, and the station broadcast extensive Bad Company interviews right before concert time. WAVZ and its listeners welcomed the touchdown of the Bad Company jet with a party at the airport...



FLYING HIGH—A high-flying competitor in WGLF "GULF104"/Tallahassee's First Annual Southeastern Skateboard Championship" is captured midflight here. Some of the finest skateboarders in the South participated in an exhibition during the event, which also featured competition between local skateboarders. Over 4000 spectators watched 52 entrants from Florida vie for the champion titles.



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EVENING CLOTHES FOR MORNING MAN—A slightly befuddled James Michael Wilson, morning man at newly format changed WWDC-AM/Washington D.C., is pictured here in the act of making a transition from his former late day shift to the new early morning slot. Wilson warmed the afternoon drive chair for three years and when PD Dwight Douglas told Mike he wanted him to show up at "Six" bright-eyed and ready for work, Mike must have misunderstood. He rented After-Six formal wear, complete with white gloves, top hat and cane for the premiere of his 6 10am shift.

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Director, Newby reportedly stated that a significant increase in the television license fee (a public tax which funds BBC broadcasting) would be necessary for expansion to take place.

The local managers sent a stern letter to top BBC executives protesting the apparent change of policy, stating that if they received no satisfactory answer they would publicly announce that in their opinion the BBC had been misrepresenting the truth about local radio costs. A possibility existed that the managers would come out in agreement of a recent government committee recommendation that local radio be taken out of the hands of the BBC and placed in the care of a new independent authority who would supervise both governmentsponsored radio and independent commercial stations, a potential major blow to the BBC. A meeting at the end of August of all 20 local BBC radio managers was scheduled to discuss the problem and determine a course of action. (Courtesy of Radio & Record News, London).

New Wave Of Violence In Punk Rock

A number of violent incidents have broken out involving members of "New Wave" or "punkrock" bands in England. The situation is strikingly reminiscent of the violence unleashed when rock & roll first came to Britain in the mid-50's, and of "Mods & Rockers" conflicts around the time the Beatles first emerged in the early 60's.

In recent incidents both the lead singer and drummer of the most controversial new wave band, the **Sex Pistols**, were attacked in the streets; and a recent violent police confrontation halted a private Sex Pistols gig on a pleasure boat. The singer of Irish band the **Boomtown Rats** was recently punched in the face by a stranger in mid-song, and bottlethrowing incidents have also been frequently reported.

Much of the violence is apparently instigated by "Teds," devotees of 50's rock music and attire with a strong antipathy toward the flamboyant and sometimes politically radical punk groups and their followers. Ironically, it was an earlier generation of Teds who tore up theater seats when **Bill Haley** introduced rock & roll to England and shocked the cultural establishment; now they are playing the role of defenders of the status quo against the musical/cultural assault of the New Wave. As punk rock continues to display impressive sales strength and ability to inspire extensive press copy, further controversy is expected.

To get your station's news, promotions, and pictures in R&R, send them to: Radio & Records "News Desk," 6430 Sunset Bivd., Suite 1221, Hollywood, CA 90028, or call (213) 466-9561.



Fred Ruppert, National Promo Director at Polydor, has resigned to open his own indie/production firm.

Rumor is that a number of **ABC Radio** GM's will play musical chairs in the coming weeks.

Playboy Records Assistant National Promotion Director Marc Nathan has resigned to accept a position as National Director at Mushroom, along with Susie Gershon.

Congrats to Gene Mahler who is now doing promotion in Atlanta for Chrysalis Records. Gene was formerly in the chart department at Cashbox.

Rumors about **Stan Monteiro** leaving his VP/Promotion gig at **UA** to head up **Blue Note Records** as President are not true. I understand that it had been tossed around a few weeks ago, but then was nixed by Stan himself.

Congrats to Jim Taylor who has been appointed National Promotion Director at Mercury replacing Dave Carrico. Jim and I first met when he was doing local in Buffalo back in 1973 and walked around imitating a duck. You've come a long way, baby...

What West Coast PD was read the riot act several weeks ago by his GM to shape things up?

Michael St. John is the new PD at WTIC-FM/Hartford.

Mushroom Records got the green legal light to release its "Magazine" album by **Heart** A single is being rush-released and the album follows shortly.

I hear that **Tom Birch** has cleaned up the air sound of **WQAM**/ **Miami**. Probably the best thing he did was to finally drop the echo.

Rich Sargent and Barry Fiedel over at Chelsea Records have put together weekly PD conference calls to discuss programming and, of course, music. Neither Rich or Barry get involved in the calls: rather, they leave it up to the PD's participating. Major, secondary and small markets are represented and if you want more info on the set up call Rich or Barry for details at (213) 650-5040.

Is Dave Carrico going to offer a NYC female Promotion Person at another label the position of National Singles Director at Private Stock?

Congrats to buddy **Jimmy lenner** and his crew at **Millennium Re** cords for the label's first million-dollar sales month.

The L.A. Times ran an interesting story last Sunday (21) on the fashion world of record company jackets. If you're wearing one and it's of limited quantity then you're dressing chic.

Harriet Lapidas is the new Music and Research Director at WHBQ/ Memphis. Former station MD Judy Smithart has exited the station after a number of years.

What Top Six market PD is said to have changed girlfriends with every job in every city? I just heard that he took this one from his old East Coast station where she really got a promotion.

Cleveland is to get a new Pop/Adult station on the AM dial with a big signal.

Michael Papale is now doing National Marketing for a number of artists on Warners, UA and Bearsville. Michael can be reached at (805) 927-8284 or at 400 Cambridge, Cambria, CA 93428.

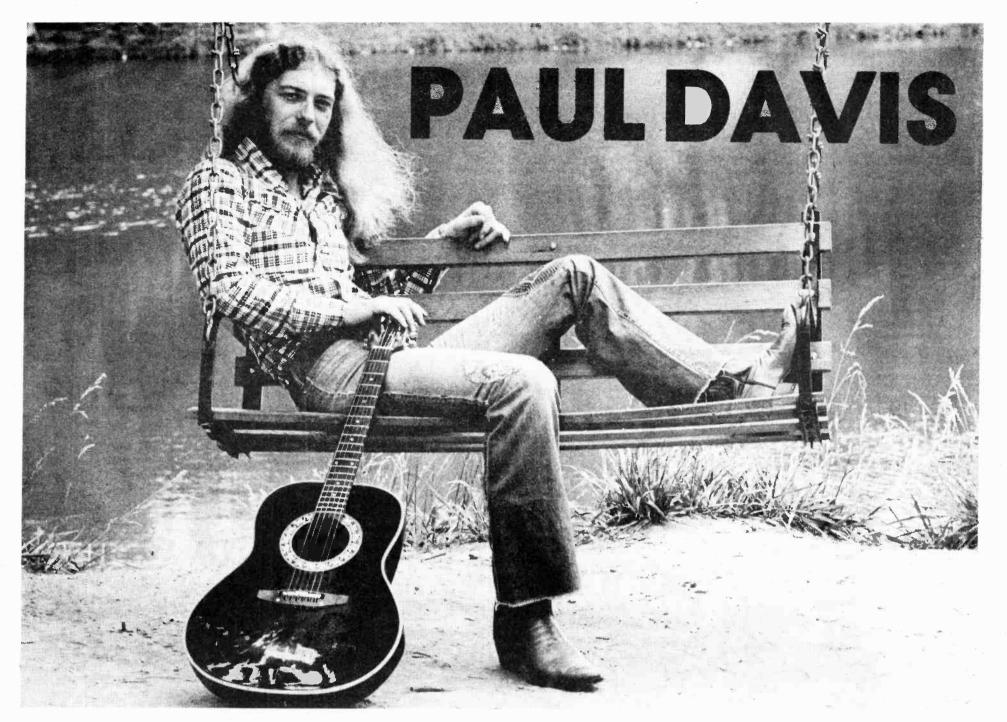
Otis Smith from ABC Records to Motown.

Almost every station in the country did something last week in conjunction with the death of **Elvis**. Most stations played Elvis records in high rotation the day he died, plus many stations ran produced Elvis Specials which they either bought or produced themselves.

I'm still hearing from PD's who still find it hard to believe that the man is gone. I guess one of my dearest friends, George Klein, former PD at WHBQ, finds it the hardest to believe...George was Elvis' high school class president.



This week's photo flashback is from 1962 and shows a live WMCA! New york broadcast remote in progress. Pictured left to right are Bob Kanner, present Chief Engineer at KFRC; Hal Brown, WMCA engineering, WMCA "Good Guys" Jack Spector and Harry Harrison. Harry, of course, is and has beendoing AM drive on WABC since he left WMCA back in the early sixties.



The artist that everyone admires, has his biggest hit to date...

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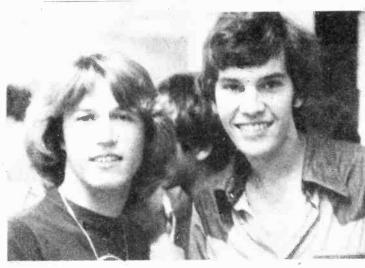
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GIBB HITS MILESTONE WITH WBBF---WBBF/Rochester hosted Andy Gibb's first local public appearance at a record store. Coincidentally, as Andy was signing autographs and chatting with WBBF air personalities, word came through that his "I Just Want To Be Your Everything" had just gone Gold. Pictured here with a copy of the million-selling single are Gibb (left) with WBBF evening jock Scott Fisher.



ED & RITA—KRKE/Albuquerque was paid a visit by Rita Coolidge while she was in town during husband Kris Kristofferson's filming of the movie "Convoy." Rita is pictured here with KRKE's Ed Barrett.



GOLD DELIVERED IN PROVIDENCE—JB105/Providence Program Director Todd Chase (left) recently accepted a Gold record for the station's help in breaking David Soul's "Don't Give Up On Us." Making the presentation was Private Stock's New England representative Dom Silvi.



ROLLERS AT WHB—The Bay City Rollers paid a casual visit to WHB/ Kansas City to chat with Noon-4 man Kris Kelly. Pictured with the group are; (bottom) WHB's Greg Austin, (under "H") Kris Kelly, and Ms. Becky Tinsley of MS Distributors.



SACRAMENTO PERSONALITY GETS INVOLVED—KROI/Sacramento PD and 6-10pm jock Robert John (left) has gotten involved with numerous community projects lately.John hosted several hours of the city's recent Cerebral Palsey telethon, helping to raise funds for the charity drive, as well as providing his services as a member of the Cerebral Palsey business advisory committee. Also shown with John is Phillip McKeon, star of television's "Alice," John and McKeon will take each other on in a tennis tournament to support young athletes activities.



STICK IT AND WIN—KEWI/Topeka sent in their latest bumpersticker being used in their "Stick It And Win" promotion. The KEWI Super Spotters will cruise the city awarding prizes to listeners displaying their KEWI stickers. The station plans to incorporate the new bumpersticker in many upcoming promotions.



CELEBRITY SOFTBALL—CJFM (FM-97)/Montreal, Canada, entertained the city in a celebrity softball game with the touring cast of "Oh Calcutta!". During the game a hat was passed for donations for the upcoming Muscular Dystrophy Telethon. (L to R) Peter Shurman, Station Manager and VP, Paul Nadeau, Quebeck Muscular Dystrophy President, and road manager of "Oh Calcutta!" Dyke Spear.



THIS "LITTLE DARLIN" DELIVERS— KLIF/Dallas Program Director Jim Davis (left) and Music Director Charlie Van Dyke (second from right) were treated to delivery of the Doobie Brothers' "Little Darlin" single by a literal little darlin', Miss Dallas, Barbra Haran. Also pictured (at right) in front of the KLIF studios is Warner Bros. Promotion Manager James Lewis.



KEEPING COOL IN CANADA—CJBK/London, Canada helped listeners beat the heat during the hottest day of the summer. The promotion began when midday man Jim Connell asked everyone to bring something "cool" to the station. From 10am-2pm listeners brought by all kinds of cooling ideas, from miniature swimming pools to a giant size fig leaf. At the close of the show, Connell awarded \$25 to the listener who he judged had the best cool devise, a "frozen T-shirt." Later that afternoon, the "Cool Promotion" continued, when Connell and Mike Sheppard stood by a busy downtown corner passing out 600 popsicles from their "Mr. Frostie" van.

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WVLK/Lexington, Ky. Jim Jordan

WISM/Madison, Wi

Jonathan Little

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WTRU/Muskegon, Wi. Jon London

KLMS/Lincoln, No Gary Collins

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Dorothy Moore Commodores "Brick" Eric Carmen HOTTEST: Commodores 2-1 Emotions 3-2

Johnny Rivers KC & Sunshine

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Crystal Gayle Brownsville Stn. Commodores "Brick" Chilliwack (DP) HOTTEST: James Taylor 2-1 Johnny Rivers 5-2 Heatwave 8-5 Floaters 10-7 Supertramp 11-8 Leo Sayer 12-9 WEAQ/Eau Claire, Wi Scott Christenson

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Floaters	HC & Sunshine	Paul Nicholas	Poca
Commodores "Brick"	Floaters	Stevie Wonder	Kenny Rogers
Eric Carmen	Elvis Presley Johnny G. Watson	Alan Parsons	Rose Royce
KC & Sunshine	"Jones"	Poco	Little Feat
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Fleetwood Mac 20-15		KILE/Galveston, Tx,	Donna Summer 28-19
Foreigner 22-16	Cric Carmen	Dave Coilins	Mink DeVille
	Peter Frampton	Dava Collins	"Mixed Up" 29-21
WKNX/Saginaw, Mi.	"Signed"	Peter Frampton	
Ken Morgan	Firefall Chilliwack	"Signed"	KKXL/Grand Forks, N.D.
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WISE/Asheville, N.C. Ray Williams Sam Neely (DP) Paul Nicholas Dornothy Moore Donna Summer HOTTEST: Johnny Rivers 3-2 Elvis Presley 8-5 ELO 9-6 Fleetwood Mac 13-8 Meco 14-10 Shaun Cassidy 17-12 Foreigner 27-20 WLCY/Tampa, FL Ron Parker

WFEA/Manchester, N.H. Paul Barrette

KC & Sunshine Eric Carmen Heatwave HOTTEST: Leo Sayer 5-3 Ram Jam 9-4 Fleetwood Mac 7-5 Shaun Cassidy 13-8 Donna Summer 15-11 Emotions 21-15 Stephen Bishop 23-18 Elvis Presley 25-20 WHHY/Montgomery, Al. Lanny West

Lenny LeBlanc Eric Carmen Sweet Shaun Cassidy Seals & Crofts HOTTEST:

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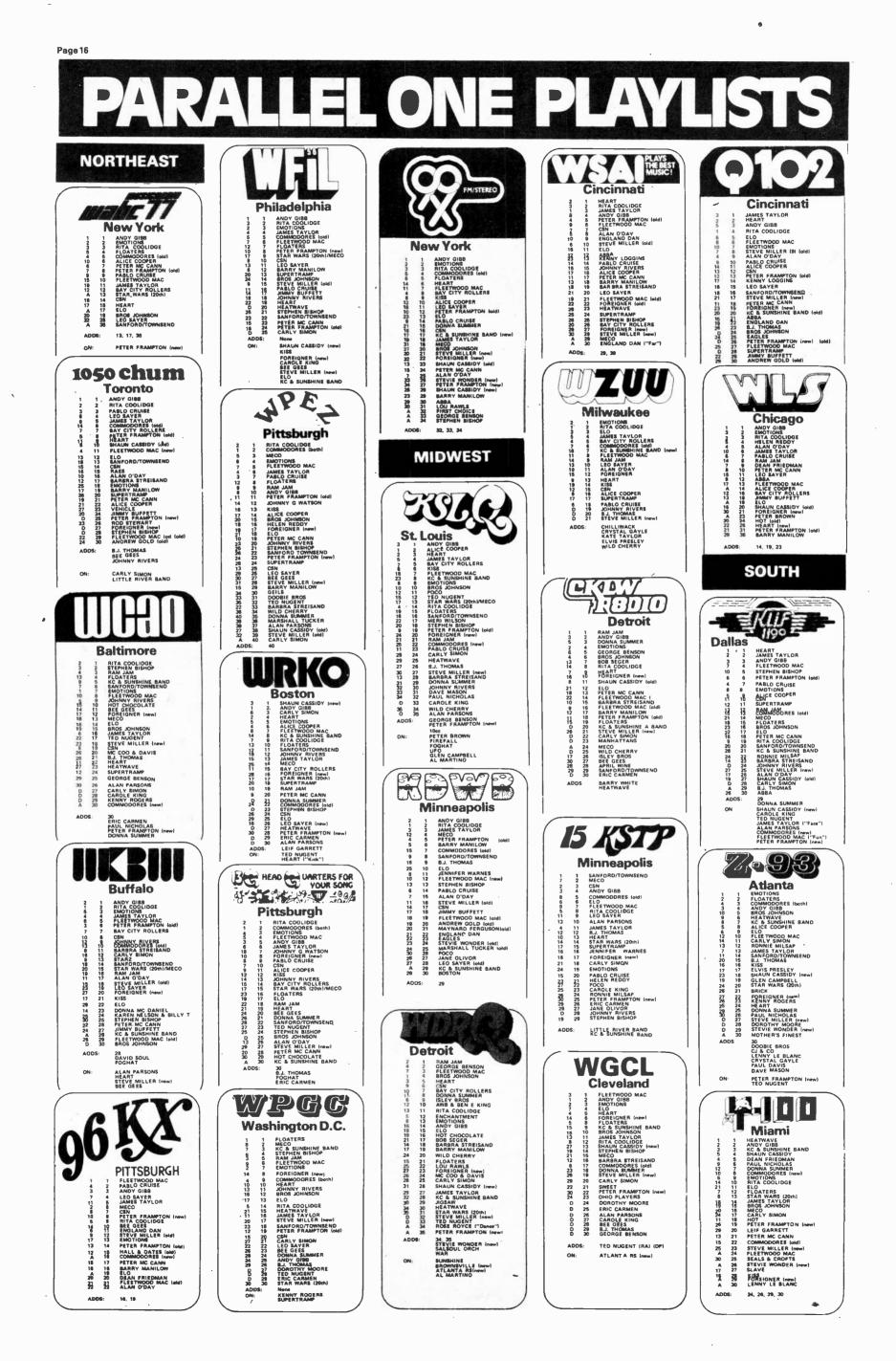
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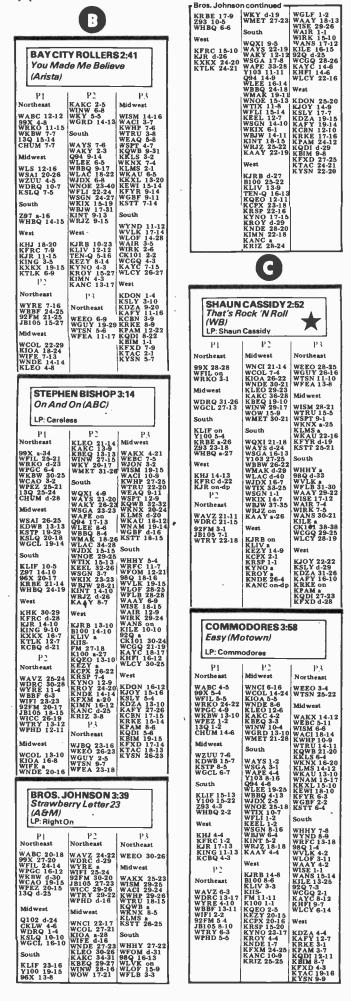
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13	5	THIN LIZZY/Dancing In The Moonlight (Vertigo)
20	6	ELVIS PRESLEY/Way Down (RCA)
5	7	DENIECE WILLIAMS/That's What Friends Are For(CBS)
2	8	MINK DEVILLE/Spanish Stroll (Capitol)
11	9	FOUR SEASONS/Down The Hall (WB)
12	10	STEVE GIBBONS BAND/Tulane (Polydor)
11	11	DONNA SUMMER/I Feel Love (GTO)
4	12	SHOWADDYWADDY/You Got What It Takes (Arista)
9	13	BROTHERHOOD OF MAN/Angelo (Pye)
10	14	JIGSAW/If I Have To Go Away (Splash)
6	15	RITA COOLIDGE/We're All Alone (A&M)
8	16	CANDI STATON/Nights On Broadway (WB)
-	17	TOM PETTY & HEARTBREAKERS/American Girl (Island
22	18	CAROLE KING/Hard Rock Cafe (Capitol)
16	19	COMMODORES/Easy (Motown)
-	20	ELKIE BROOKS/Sunshine After The Rain (A&M)
19	21	DANNY WILLIAMS/Dancin' Easy (Ensign)
-	22	RUMOUR/Do Nothing (Vertigo)
_	23	FRANKIE MILLER/Love Letters (Chrysalis)
-	24	EDDIE & HOT RODS/Do Anything (Island)
26	25	REAL THING/Love's Such A Wonderful Thing (Pye)
-	26	BEACHBOYSEP(Reprise)
23	27	FLEETWOOD MAC/Dreams (WB)
-	28	JONATHAN RICHMAN/Road Runner (Berserkley)
_	29	RAH BAND/The Crunch (Good Earth)
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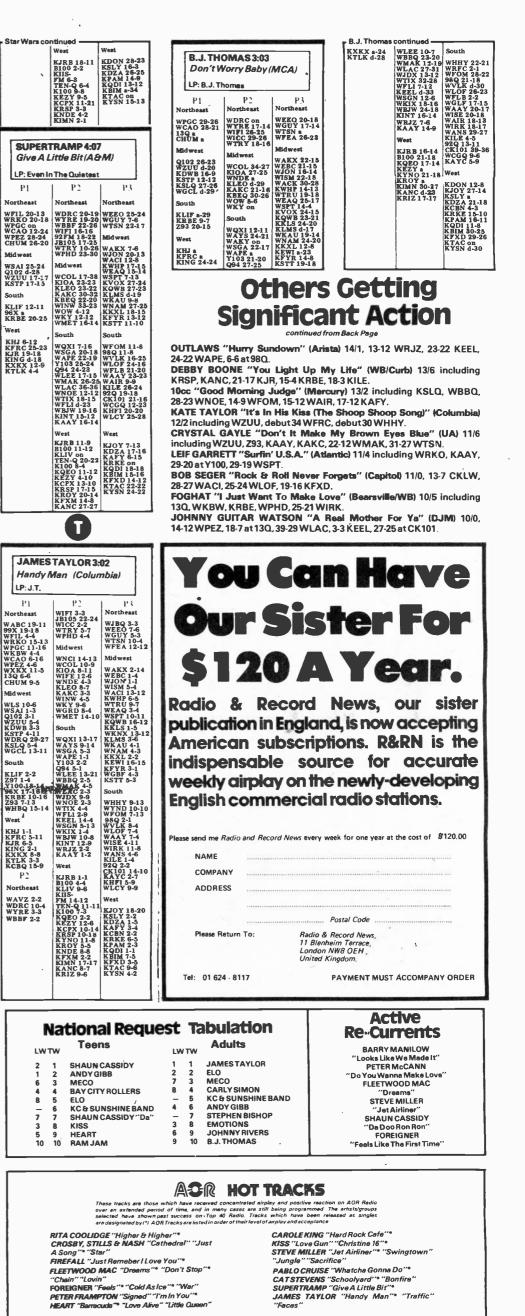
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Rar: How long have you been in the Portland market? O'Brien: A total of about 10 years. I've been here since '67 with about a year and a half off for good behavior. I spent a year in CKXL in Calgary, Alberta, Canada and then 6 months in Winnipeg, Manitoba, but really I guess almost 5 years with Don Burdon at KISN and here for 4½ years.

RER: Where does KPAM figure Top 40 wise in the Portland market?

O'Brien: Well, let me start by saying 4½ years ago when I came here we were really a predominantly teen oriented station. We were playing a lot of, I hate to use the term 'bubblegum', but we were playing a lot of teen oriented music, with no thought really to anybody over 24 years old. Our ratings reflected it at the time. Then within I guess about a year or so, we sort of turned it around and really 'found' ourselves, got our bearings, and then directed ourselves to one demographic, 18-34, with really the teens being secondary. We are an FM radio station predominantly, our AM is only a daytimer, so we really never lean heavily on it. But, our direction and our target audience is 18-34. Figuring in the market right now we are number 1 in men 18-34 and we are number 2 in women 18-34 and 18-49 we are number 2, so we have a hell of a lot of clout in the market and we also have direction. R&R: What was the Portland radio market like when you first

went over to KPAM?

O'Brien: At that time, KISN radio was pretty much on its last leg. That was in January of '73 they were going through sort of the death throws, the death rattle if you will, they'd gone through numerous PD's, they were tied up in litigation so darn much that a lot of guys were afraid to stay there and they had a big turn-over. KGW was probably at its peak at that time, or just approaching their peak, so the market was really kind of fragile at the time and people weren't really in FM. In fact, KPAM as it was known years ago, was a radio station that played damn near anything. They played a lot of progressive, they played records that nobody ever heard of at that time, and have never heard of since, and they were sort of just starting to get their feet wetas a real contender in the Rock market. **R&R:** Were you always KPAMAM & FM?

O'Brien: Originally in 1948 this radio station was KPFM, KPAM and up until 1969 they had been a Jazz station. They played Classical music and then went to Jazz and then in '69 there was a half-hearted attempt to make it a Rocker. Then in 1970 they dropped the call letters KPFM and then they became KPAM-FM and KPAM. They used the call letters as the word K-PAM. KPAM at that time had sort of a stigma about it because it was not a top contender sounding radio station. It really didn't have any direction, we tried to kill that image in 1973. To kill the image of KPAM we just called it K-P-A-M. We never used the term K-PAM and we found that we created a lot of confusion. We then called it K97. We went through a lot of bullshit you know, just a lot of confusion with calling it K97 so we finally threw the whole thing out and decided to call it K-PAM again, with the image that we have created now, and that's what we call it, we call it K-PAM.

RER: And you're finding the old image of a teenybop radio station is over.

O'Brien: It's gone. It is definitely gone. The teens like our station, in fact we're second in teens. But we have a hell of a lot of older teens that really like us, we appeal to the older teen. We have the 15-17 that really enjoy our station, but the pre-teens, all the gummers tend to go to KGW. I know, I saw it in Beltsville, I looked at the diaries, I went through every one of them and I read them, and 12, 13 and 14 year old kids love KGW.

R&R: When you went over to KPAM, did you go over as Program Director?

O'Brien: No, I came over as morning man and then became Program Director 6 months later, after Gary Stevens had left. When Gary Stevens came here in 1972, he did a lot of good for the station. He turned it around. He stopped it from what it was, a second rate contender, and really gave it class. He gave it a new image all of a sudden. He started hitting it hard, they hyped it pretty good, as I said, made it into the beginning of a real contender.

R&R: How big is the FM penetration in Portland?

O'Brien: They say that we're about 98%, but FM is still

in its infancy, there is no question about it. **R&R:** Besides being VP of Programming, you've kept your

morning show all these years. O'Brien: Right. I do the mornings, in fact, its, I guess what, I do best.

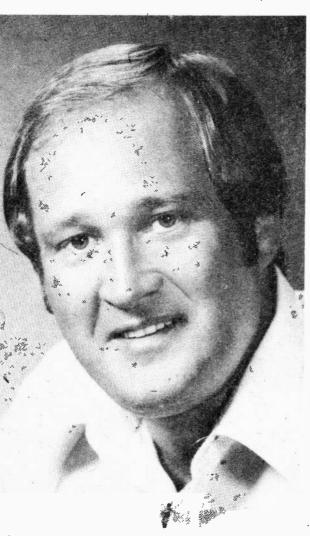
R&R: It sounds as if you are a firm believer in jock identity at a radio station.

O'Brien: Definitely. It's to the point where I think the disc jockeys are no longer just that gap between the records, you know yelling the time and temperature and the call letters. People today not only want to be entertained, but they want to be informed and they like to be friends with the person they're listening to. I really identify with my audience and they identify with me. I'll tell you what, I think that the Top 40 hype radio of the Q type radio has its place, and I think it is definitely with the teens. But, as far as 18-34 demographics are concerned, it's communication. There's no question about it. We've proven it, and we've proven it with a handicap, and I call FM here in Portland a handicap, it really is.

R&R: Do you believe that the jock identity is important, not only in the morning show, but in all time slots?



MICHAEL O'BRIEN



KPAM Portland

by J.J. Jordan R&R/Friday, August 26, 1977 O'Brien: Yes and no. Let me say that I think the most, of course, is in the morning. Then mid-days where you have a

course, is in the morning. Then mid-days where you have a lot of guys that are listening at work, a lot of housewives that are listening at home, and afternoon drive, but I think 7-12midnight you're starting to get away from it. There, then again, we get into a little bit more of an up situation. The jock doesn't say too much, he plays a lot of music. But definitely, jocks are cast in the day-parts.

R&R: How would you define the format of KPAM?

O'Brien: What we're doing is playing Top 40 music with an adult approach, a middle-of-the-road approach. When we introduce a record it is not with a hype approach, but we do it with a great deal of enthusiasm.

R&R: Is the station formatted in such a way where your jocks are locked into giving the call letters first or anything like that? **O'Brien:** No. Absolutely not. As long as they get the call letters in that's the main thing. I think as long as the call letters are given, and given in such a way that they're remembered instead of having them blown off the first one second out of, you know, into the set, because I think a lot of times, the minute the guy, they almost expect it then it gets lost in the shuffle. I think if a guy comes on the air and he says 'good morning, this is Michael O'Brien, it's Friday morning, its a beautiful day here on KPAM' Boom! You drop it in there and you leave it in'obvious places and they're going to remember it. I think it makes more of an impression instead of coming on saying 'KPAM good morning' etc., it's already gone, it's blown over their heads.

R&R: Let's talk about Portland and the morning show.

O'Brien: I think that Portland is really kind of a provincial town. It's a big country town, and people are still real downhome folks here and they still have their favorite jock every morning that they get up and shave to and eat their breakfast with. It's not one of these big cosmopolitan cities where people get up and they're totally incognizant of what the hell is going on. I think maybe that in some markets, radio is just sort of in the background. I think maybe in New York City, like WABC, half those people that listen to WABC, honest to God could not tell you that it's Harry Harrison and he's been there a hundred years you know, but I think in Portland that the pace is slower, people take their time more, they get up and they listen to their morning man's names, stand on a street corner and take a poll and I guarantee you that every person that they stop on the corner will be able to identify with one of those guys.

R&R: Who is the morning personality in Portland that's probably been there the longest?

O'Brien: Barney Keep. Barney has been at KEX for, I guess over 30 years.

R&R: Who else besides Barney and yourself have been in the city a long time doing the morning show?

O'Brien: Don Wright, who has been at KGW, KISN and KYTE. He's over at KYTE now. But Don has been here 7 or 8 years anyway. I think really there are only 3 morning men in Portland that people identify with. The rest of them are kind of in lesser magnitude.

R&R: Do you think the success of KPAM can in any way be attributed to the fall of KISN radio?

O'Brien: No. We knocked KISN off a long time ago. In fact, I think probably in total numbers we beat them back in '74. They were, as I said, they were in their death throws probably from '73 to '74. It was just the beginning of the fall.

R&R: What can you attribute the success of KPAM to then?

O'Brien': I think just really good radio. People just finally switching over. They found that they enjoyed hearing their favorite Top 40 music in stereo, with fewer commercial interruptions.

R&R: How many commercials does KPAM run?

O'Brien: 12 units per hour. Every half hour we have 3 commercial breaks with 2 units only. We play the long versions of records too. In fact, we have a little station liner at the top of the hour that goes 'KPAM Stereo 97 playing longer versions of all of your favorites with fewer commercial interruptions.' Says a lot. In fact, it's really odd. We take surveys on the telephone every now and then and we ask them what they like about KPAM, and are you ready for this, they always say 'well we like KPAM because they play it in stereo and they have fewer commercial.' Some of them say 'well we like it because they have fewer commercial interruptions.' They're actually mimicking our line at the top of the hour.

RER: Do you think radio listeners believe all the lines etc. that they keep hearing on the radio about how great something is or what?

O'Brien: Most definitely. The line was an experiment. About a year ago I said to the owner of the station, 'I'd like to put a line at the top of the hour,' and I read it to him. He didn't really care for it at first because he thought maybe the sponsors would think we were knocking the commercials. I said 'no, let me try it and I will prove to you that we are going to tell the people our chief attributes and you wait and see, we'll hear about it.' And we did. We put it on the air and it wasn't long, we started asking people and sure enough, they said, 'yeah, we like KPAM because...' etc., and it worked. It's not that people don't know what is going on, it's just that I think they're so preoccupied a lot of times that if you want somebody to know something you

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HOUND DOG MAN

When I was a little boy Your records were my pride and my joy Hey Hound Dog Man My old friend, play it again

I can still see that girl scream You know it felt so good to me They still look for someone To show them what their lives could be Everyone still looks to you They still don't know what they wanna do Hey Hound Dog Man My old friend, play it again Hey Hound Dog Man My old friend, play it again

Do you think about James Dean Sammy Cooke and your Teenage Queen Doo ron de ron doo ron Marilyn Monroe and Hot Rod Fun Do you think about these words Do you still have your Thunderbird

> Hey Hound Dog Man, my old friend, play it again Hey Hound Dog Man, my old friend, play it again

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have to tell them about it. It's that simple. We wanted people to know why we thought we were better than the competition so we told them and they say 'hey, that's right.'

R&R: Who owns KPAM?

O'Brien: Walter Rossman,

R&R: And it's a one-owner situation.

O'Brien: Right, independently owned by a man that has been in Portland radio for about 35 years. He's worked at several stations, in fact, I have to tell you this funny story, this is great. In 1958 he applied for a job with Don Burdon, at then the beginnings of KISN. Don Burdon told him that he was too old to work for him. Well, Wally kind of thought around for a little bit and he continued working at the station he was working and he thought 'hell, I'll beat that sonofabitch, I'll go out and buy my own.' So he did. So he went out and bought his own radio station and beat him, which is pretty good I thought. Only in America.

R&R: Do you find that it's a lot easier to work and relate to one owner as opposed to working in a corporate situation?

O'Brien: Very definitely. I am very happy working in a one-owner station. When you want something you go downstairs and say 'here it is, this is what I need, let's get it, what do you think?' It's either yes or no, where in a corporate structure you have to go through all the red tape and bureaucracy and it's a waste of time. This way we get things done a lot faster, and if the guy really wants to win, then he'll sit down and rap to the Program Director and you get it worked out in a matter of minutes instead of a matter of weeks.

R&R: Are you running jingles at all?

O'Brien: Yes. We started jingles about a year ago.

R&R: What type of jingles are you using?

O'Brien: They're the Century 21 Croma Key Two and we find that they work beautifully. We ran for about 4 years without jingles. About a year ago I said, you know we were looking for something, something to add a little more excitement to the sound because as I said, we are not a hyped crew, we do it with a middle-of-the-road approach, sort of a low profile personality, and we needed some excitement besides the music and the jock and the commercials so we thought, well let's try jingles. It really works.

R&R: What was the reason that you ran so long without jingles?

O'Brien: We tried to stay away from any Rock image, and we thought because KGW and a few of the others were sitting there playing Top 40 music and using jingles, we'll be different. We won't play jingles. We'll play the music and we'll have the jock on and we'll eliminate the jingles.

R&R: What do you want to be known as?

O'Brien: Well, we want to be known as an FM radio station that plays Top 40 music, but without all the teen appeal. That may sound a little crazy, but it's working. You know, it's kind of funny, but 18-25 year old people, or even 18-34 people, let me rephrase that a little, listen to us because they think it's classy. Because we're FM and we're playing their kInd of music, but they sort of, maybe it's not cool to say that you listen to KISN because they're a Rocker, they like to feel sophisticated.

R&R: Do you think FM helps you because it's hip to listen to FM?

O'Brien: Definitely. It's very cool to say that you listen to an FM station. I'm surprised. You would think that FM would appeal to the female more because of the being home, etc. We are strong in men. We're number 1 in men. Women, as I said, we're second, but building. I think we appeal to the men because we play the longer versions and we play the hard stuff, they listen, don't get me wrong, we daypart a little bit, but we still play the hard stuff.

R&R: How much do you daypart your music?

O'Brien: Very little to be honest with you. I wouldn't play a real heavy old "Alice Cooper" or a real heavy, like say "Steppenwolf" middays. I would play it afternoons and night time.

RGR: Well, now that summer is here, and school is out, has the approach in the programming of your music changed at all?

O'Brien: Definitely. We'll heavy up middays, but a little later on, say like after 12 o'clock noon. We still hold in the morning guite a bit.

R&R: During the school year?

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O'Brien: During the school year very definitely we daypart. R&R& When would you start playing more of the heavier 'music? O'Brein: After 3 o'clock. Anywhere from, I'd say after 2 o'clock. R&R: You mentioned earlier that periodically you do some

research on the phone talking to listeners and so forth. What type of questions do you ask?

O'Brien: The main question is why do they listen to KPAM number one, and number two we ask them what they don't like about it. Then we ask them what other radio stations they listen to, what they like about that station and what they don't like about it. Just very basic questions. We never really get into the music research like some radio stations.

R&R: You don't do any music research?

O'Brien: Well we ask them what their favorite song is and what song they dislike the most.

RER: Who are the people you call? Do you take them randomly out of the phone book or are they strictly KPAM listeners?

O'Brien: We'll take them out of the telephone book, and then a lot of times we'll ask our request line listeners the same thing. **R&R:** Does KPAM promote on the air heavily?

O'Brien: No, not a lot. But I'll tell you every promotion we do, we try to do it with class. We try to stay away from the small ones. We try to get in for the bigger ones, and ones that really serve the mass instead of just going after, like a teen promotion or strictly male promotion. We try to hit the whole works.

RGR: In other words, you don't have promotions every weekend giving away albums, etc.

O'Brien: No. We do not give away albums on the air. We never give away tickets to shows on the air. We will give away cars. We give away trips, but we never give away the little piddley stuff. If we're going to give it away it's got to be big.

R&R: How often do you promote?

O'Brien: About once a month we have a station promotion that sort of moves in and out.

R&R: When you come up with these promotions, do you structure them for ratings alone or pure entertainment? O'Brien: Oh definitely for ratings and entertainment. We have

a promotion every month and of course, I'd be a fool to say that I wouldn't put a big promotion in during the survey period. The bigger ones fall toward the Spring and the Fall, of course. We report that to ARB. We say we ran a promotion during that time, but yes, very definitely, all of our promotions are geared to make the person listen to the radio station. The last promotion we ran was a postcard write-in. The promotion went like this: 'We want you to send us a postcard with your name, address, age and telephone number on it and I want you to take that postcard around to 5 more of your friends, have them do the same thing on the card and send it to us, because we're going to be drawing cards out every hour and in order to win then one of those people on the cards must call.' Then we had them qualified and once we got this big barrel full of qualifiers we said 'ok, now we're going to be drawing out winners, and in order for you to win, all 6 names must call within 10 minutes.' That means they had to listen and we've done two big promotions like that and God they've been just absolutely phenomenal successes.

RER: Do you find that a listener will take the time to sit down and fill out something and then take the time to walk down to the mailbox and mail it?

O'Brien: If they want to win they will. We give them prizes big enough to want to win. We did the same thing with an Elvis Presley promotion. We had 60 tickets to give away to Elvis. We had 24,000 entries. Are you ready for that? For 60 tickets we had 24,000 respondents and it was incredible. Probably the most successful promotion that we've ever done, but we found that if the prize warrants it, then I guarantee you that they will respond and respond immediately. We had incredible response right off the bat. **RSR:** Does KPAM do any live remotes at all?

O'Brien: No. Definitely not. Let me give you a little background on the station. We have tried to take all the irritations out of radio. We took surveys to trý to find out what people didn't like about radio. That old expression about good programming is not what you put on it's what you keep off. That's pretty much my theory and what we've done is taken all the irritations out of the radio. Number one the people hate most a disc jockey who yaks all over the beginning and all over the ending of his records. Number two, they hate too many commercials, so we've eliminated both of those right there. We also thought that doing remotes was a little weak and we found that KISN had done it so much that it burned the town out on remotes, so we don't even touch it. We watch our commercial content. If a commercial is tacky it will not get on the air. If it is

a little too heavy it won't get on the air. We try to keep everything in good taste.

R&R: How do you define tacky?

O'Brien: I think really some of the X-rated movies that are on the radio are a little heavy, that's a little tacky. Cruex and O.B. Tampons to me are a little tacky too, to be honest with you. But I understand that they're advertising prophylactics in New York City so I guess maybe that's the coming thing, but to me, I think that's tacky.

RSR: A number of stations in Los Angeles are running commercials for 'adult entertainment motels'. If anything like that came into KPAM would it be turned down immediately? **O'Brien:** Definitely. I think that the listener response would be such that we wouldn't be able to continue. As I said before, at the beginning, Portland is a big country town. They're very very provincial down here. You really have to be careful what you say on the air because people really respond immediately. I had a guy on the air call me one time and said that he didn't really approve of what I had just said and he had a 16 year old daughter and he didn't want her to hear that and I thought to myself 16 years old, my God she probably knows more than he does.

R&R: How does the Programmer either fight against or work with the Sales department to keep these kinds of commercials off the air?

O'Brien: Well, I think it all boils down to how much clout the programming department has with the ownership. The number one priority in this radio station is to make it number 1. The guy that owns this radio station wants to be number 1. He wants to make money doing it, but first he wants to be number 1. As the ratings go up, so does the income. This radio station has, in the last two years doubled each year, as far as proceeds are concerned. We've made a ton of money.

R&R: You and I have both worked for a station, in Portland that basically sold anything just to get the dollar flow into the station. Do you find that this is changed overall?

O'Brien: I really can't speak for any of the other stations in Portland, but I do know that they're very credible operators as far as, King Broadcasting and Golden West are concerned, but as far as KPAM is concerned, if a salesman thinks that copy is a little questionable, perhaps the content of a movie commercial, he calls me. I'll tell you what, if he puts that commercial on without letting me know first, he's in trouble. I mean it's very simple, he's really in trouble. We've had commercials come in and I've nixed them right now, that's it. In fact, I just had one come in yesterday and it was for a movie that had a tag that read something like 'I'll bet it's an eyeful', and she says 'no it's a mouthful'. Well that's ridiculous. The salesman said 'do you think we can run that?' and I said 'absolutely not.' So out it went. What we'll do in that case is we will rewrite the copy.

R&R: In other words, you do try to save the account. O'Brien: Oh yeah, we'll definitely try to save the account, but if the guy refuses and wants that commercial on the air, well so much for him.

RGR: And do you have the final say as to what goes on the radio?

O'Brien: Exactly. I have the final say.

R&R: Explain to me a little bit about how you go about doing your music research weakly, and how you physically compile your weakly playlist.

O'Brien: Well first of all let me say that I don't have the time to get into any real deep research. Number two, I am not one to rely heavily on requests. I think that there was a statistic out not too long ago that said 2% of the population will request a record. 2% of your radio listening audience. Well to me, I've never been able to understand how I could justify 2% of the population determining what 98% of the people will hear. I think that the request line is fine for an instant response on a particular record, but I think in the long haul it is not really that significant so I'm not really into requesting. As far as my music research goes, I believe wholeheartedly in sales. If the single is not selling well but the album is doing well that's good enough for me, I think it's probably a hit record, no two ways about it. I check all single sales. I read R&R. I check it against Gavin, and I have my special record stores that I check with every week.

R&R: Approximately how many record stores do you call? O'Brien: About 4.

RER: Do you have the relationship where you feel that these 4 record stores are giving you honest and unbiased information?

O'Brien: Very definitely. I ask for numbers. I say to them 'how many singles this week?' and they tell me. I believe,



If you're cherry pickin' the hits, you oughta be pickin' Wild Cherry...

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found anybody that I would consider suitable for the air. I've gotten a lot of tapes too.

R&R: What are on the tapes that you're receiving?

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and I've talked to them all at length and they know that if they're hyping me on it they're doing a tremendous diservice and they're cheating no one but themselves because if I ever thought for one minute that they were lying it would be over. It would be over immediately.

R&R: So in other words, you get piece counts.

O'Brien: Right.

R&R: How do you do your survey?

O'Brien: The number one song, I mean it doesn't have to be number one that week to have sold the most records for that week, I think just sort of an average. For an example, as I look in Gavin and I look in R&R and I can see that "Dreams" is number one, it may not be number one with me because it's still coming up. It may be "I'm Your Boogie Man" for example, or maybe "Sir Duke". I may be a little early and I may be a little late, but I think in the long haul that National trends prevail here in Portland. What happens in Portland is pretty indicative of what happens nationally.

R&R: When you take your four stores, and you have a piece count on each record that you inquire about, then what's the procedure to come up with your final list?

O'Brien: As I said, it's just sort of an average you know, I just come up with total points and I put a number behind each one on my previous list, for example "Dreams" has sold 487 copies this week as opposed to like 420 last week, well it's still going up in sales so it continues to go up on the chart, etc. I take the combination of all those four stores as far as singles sales are concerned, plus gut feeling. You know if a single is not selling really well and I see that the album sales, as I said, from all four also is going up, but the single sales are not doing that well, the record is obviously doing quite well.

R&R: What's your major criteria to add a record at KPAM?

O'Brien: We go out on very few records, but if I can see that it is doing well in R&R, and I get a lot of honest feed-back from a record promoter, I'll got out on the record. Maybe if it's a past artist, track record means a lot.

R&R: Do you ever utilize your gut feeling?

O'Brien: Yes, sometimes. I have an aluminum ear, but I have picked a few.

R&R: Is there anybody else at the station that you utilize in helping with the music?

O'Brien: Oh yeah, sure. Tom Michaels has been here for 3 years so I bounce things off of him. Jim Rose who just joined us, used to work at KISN and Bill Stevens who has just gone into his private production company, I used to bounce things off of him. We sort of work it among ourselves, I mean like I do all the work, but I bring it along to them and I say 'look, what do you think of this? What's your opinion on that?

R&R: Do you think Top 40 radio has lost the excitement of adding music because you just got so excited about a record you had to hear it on the radio, in comparison to the old days?

O'Brien: Definitely. You know, I was talking to somebody the other day and I said 'you know it's amazing that I can remember when I was a kid when the '53 Chevy's came out and the '54's, etc., every year you looked forward to a new car coming out. God they built it all up to an explosion. here it comes.' I find the same way with exclusives. Remember we used to do exclusives all the time when some major artist came out with a record, you all tried to get it on right away. I find myself taking records that I would have maybe 5, 6 years ago put on immediately, just listen to it and throw it on the radio. Today I pick it up and I file it away. I wait for information on the record. Remember when the Carpenters, their next record came out, you put it on. Nowadays, you take your Carpenters record and you put it over, and in your 'possible' stack and see what's going to happen.

R&R: Well, do you think you'll ever get to the point where you'll once again start adding records that are exclusives or whatever, just because of the excitement factor?

O'Brien: I think if the Beatles were ever to get together again, yeah, I would. But no, I'll tell you what, the thing is today, there are so many new stars, there are so many one shot artists coming out, that it's really hard to do that anymore. Some of the old stand-by's, well, they're always in there, but there's so much new product coming from new stars, the up and coming stars that are so damn good. Look at Alan O'Day, "Undercover Angel" for example. You can go right down your music list and find things like

"Aeriel" is a big record but by a new kid. Shaun Cassidy, look at that monster. Peter McCann, and it goes on and on and on.

there a difference between being a morning personality and just being a jock?

O'Brien: Definitely. I think a jock is a guy who can be just bright and give the time and temperature and say 'get up get up get up' and play the hits and never really let people find out what he's like. I think they're all right in their own right, but to me I've always been a person who's had to relate to his audience and I found the more I related to them, the more they related to me. Pretty soon you not only got a large audience, you've got an audience that would respond immediately. If you ask them to do something, boy they did it like right now because you belong to them. That's the way it is. I think it isn't so important as to have large numbers as it is to have an intelligent audience that can fill out a book and say, 'we listen to Michael O'Brien at KPAM.' If you were to have, you know, like an audience of 10,000 people and 9,999 of them didn't know who the hell they were listening to, but they listened to you, boy, that's pretty dangerous stuff. I'd rather have like about 7,500 of them know who I am, because when those ARB diaries are passed out they'll write your name down just as sure as hell.

R&R: How does one like yourself put two jobs together and still come out on top?

O'Brien: Well, my wife says I think about radio only once a day, from morning until night. I get up at twenty after four every morning and I'm down here at the studio by 5 o'clock. From 5 o'clock until 6 o'clock | read three newspapers and I really Evelyn Woods it, you know, and I go through all sorts of things and I read joke services, and I write down things, but I write notes down all day long. If I hear something funny I write it down. By 6 o'clock I feel good. I get on the radio and I just immediately at 6 o'clock let it come out. By 10 o'clock I'm tired and I get downstairs and I unwind a little bit and I get into the music and I take telephone calls and carry on. I get out of here about 2 o'clock every afternoon, but then I'm involved in something else.

R&R: Have you ever been home at night and had nothing prepared in your mind for the next morning and did you ever get to the panic point where you wondered, what am I going to do tomorrow?

O'Brien: It's kind of funny, but during the daytime, from 10 o'clock on I'm always taking notes. It's kind of crazy, but I get a lot of people who tell me funny jokes, or funny experiences. Not everthing has to be funny, you know, but I will take notes, and mental notes a lot of times, so by nighttime I sort of have an idea, a little outline, I can probably lay 10 bits down right now and then of course I take my papers, I read the night paper when I get home, but then I read 3 in the morning. So, in one hour I can kind, of lay it all down on a legal pad and I use notes. It's kind of funny, but I never used to prepare until maybe about five years ago I really started to get into show preparation. Before it was all spontaneous. I find now I feel so confident going in there, sitting down with my little newspaper clippings and my little punchlines, or whatever, I feel very confident.

RER: Do you feel that jocks in general need to have more show preparation than they've ever had before?

O'Brien: Definitely. If you're going to do a half-way credible job I still believe that one hour preparation for at least a couple hours of work. When you get down to the point where you are going on the air maybe 8 times an hour, as we do here in the station, that's how many times we can really get down and say something, God, those eight things better be good. They have to be good. If you can, in one hour, sit down and write 16 things that you know will appeal to your audience, relate to them anyway, you're home free.

RER: Do you make all of your jocks do one hour show preparation?

O'Brien: We try to get them to. We have joke services for them that we subscribe to. I don't think joke services are to be used word for word, but I think it sort of jogs your mind a little bit and makes you think funny.

R&R: Have you found in your experiences as a Programmer, that finding new talent is not the easiest thing in the world? O'Brien: I have been looking for a weekend personality here for about 2½ months, are you ready for that? I have not

O'Brien: I'm hearing a lot of bush-league talent. I'm hearing a lot of guys that read one-liners. I'm hearing a lot of guys with the "sshh" S problem, who says 'sheven' instead of seven. You can just tell that there's no class or polish there at all

R&R: Do you feel that colleges that do have broadcast courses really help or hurt somebody who's entering the broadcast field and wants to be on the air as a disc jockey?

O'Brien: Well, I think that broadcast colleges probably help. I think broadcast schools probably hinder. I've heard some pretty poor talent come out of broadcast schools where the tuition is \$2500.00 for a few short months of wham barn thank you mam. Whereas, where you get into a two year course, if the guy hasn't got it by then, I think that the instructor of the college has either gone crazy trying to give it to him, or leveled with him and said 'look, you'll never make it.' Really. R&R: Let's talk about being a morning air personality. Is _ R&R: Portland has had some colorful broadcasters in it's history. Not excluding Michael O'Brien, Don Steele, and I'm sure you could probably name others...

O'Brien: Paul Oscar Anderson, and the world famous Tom Murphy

R&R: Why is it that Portland was the place these people got their start?

O'Brien: I think it's the people. I think it's the way the people respond. As I said, in New York City, probably a lot of people couldn't name Harry Harrison's name, but here in Portland, when you say something funny, boy they call you, they tell you right now, 'boy, that's the funniest thing I ever heard in my life. You're crazy boy, you're really crazy.' You know. They make you feel good and they feed your ego so you try to be funnier next time, and pretty soon you find yourself really being pretty damn funny, you know.

R&R: Do you find that Portland is a small enough big city, that being on the air is somewhat of a star trip where people recognize you?

O'Brien: Yes, very definitely. I go, in fact let me say I can't go anywhere without being recognized. I do a lot of television too.

R&R: What type of television do you do?

O'Brien: Well, I do commercials. I've done a morning show on Channel 2 whenever I'm invited. I do the Muscular Dystrophy Telethon every year and various and sundry other things. But, the voice will give you away. I have a rather unique voice, if you'll remember. Well, let me say this about my voice. A manager told me one time, he said, 'O'Brien, you will last a long time in radio because you have the voice of a 16 year old and the brain to match. Anyway, R&R: Where is that manager today?

O'Brien: He's out of work.

R&R: Do you see Top 40 programming expanding and going after bigger demographics, or do you think it's going to stay where it is, and take the audience that it has and leave the Pop/Adult stations there to entertain the older audience?

O'Brien: I find that another Top 40 station in this market is not so much our competitor, as is the Pop/Adult. They're the ones that are reaming us for the 18-34. That's why we said 'hey, let's forget trying to get the teens, let's go after the 18-34 with the low profile approach.' So, instead of KGW being so much the competitor, it's the KEX's and then the KOIN's and a few of the others that were playing the music except they weren't shoving it down your throat. So, what we did, as I said, we avoided the high pitched disc jockey and tried to give it to them in an intelligent manner, and we found out that we could win. Definitely, radio is becoming more and more fragmented all the time.

R&R: Does Country music influence your playlist at all in the Portland area?

O'Brien: Well, not really. Portland is not a real Country town, I mean in the sense that they like Country music, however, the Country station is big, don't get me wrong. Portland is still a Top 40 town. It's obvious according to the ARB's

R&R: Does Black music sell in that area?

O'Brein: No. It sells, but not heavy, let's put it that way, and not to say that because we have 2.8% Black, that has nothing to do with it. I know a heck of a lot of white people that like black music. But, there was once a soul station and they bellied-up. We play a lot of R&B, but not to the extent that it's making up a large portion of our playlist.

R&R: One last question. Many people during a period will say 'ratings are on, so we're tightening up.' Do you find this helps your ratings at all?

O'Brien: No. You know what I do during a rating period? The same thing that I do during a non-rating period. I still play the same amount of commercials per week. We probably will have a bigger promotion, but nothing changes. In fact, I tell the guys when the ratings start, I say, 'hey look, the book is on, just keep what you've got but don't tune anybody out. That's the main thing,' Because I think we have a lot, and I think that sometimes a station will over-react to the point where the audience says 'hey, what the hell is going on?' Everything all of a sudden is changed, and they may not like it and they'll leave you. My philosophy is if they're there in the first place, they're going to stay.

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Boston Blue



Rocket Records' Blue appeared at Paul's Mall in Boston. Pictured during an after concert party are: (left to right from back row): Stew Ross, MCA Salesman; Sue Pellerin, Kevin Grace, Music World; Tommy Hadgyes, PD WBCN; Matt Siegal, WBCN; Ilyse Gottlieb, WAAF; Alan Mandell, WCAS; Tom Daniels, PD, WAAF; Lee Michaels, Burkhart/Abrams; Clark Smidt, WEEI-FM; Rob Dollinger, Backstage Ltd.; Jeri Baker, MCA, Boston; Pat Griffith, Backstage Ltd.; Jack Diamond, WACQ. Middle row: (L-R) Robin Young, WBZ-TV; Ray Paul Klimek, Strawberries; Mat Shaffer; Judith Brackley, WCAS; Neela Smith, WEEI-FM; Jimmy McMann, WBZ. Front row: (L-R) Kevin Wydell, Strawberries; Lynn Adam, National Promotion Rocket Records; Tracey Roach, WBCN; Charlie Smith, Blue; Nancy Saavedra, MCA Promotion, Boston; David Nicholson, Blue; Hugh Nicholson, Blue; Paul Brousseau, MCA Sales Manager, Boston; John Poole, MCA Salesman.

Styx Together



A&M Records recording artists Styx headlined at the Santa Monica Civic and then were feated at a reception after the concert. The reception, which featured appearances by fire-eaters, trapeze artists, jugglers and magicians, offered the opportunity for some of the celebrants to pose in front of a large Styx sign placed on the lawn of the hotel where the event was staged. Shown (from left) are A&M CHAIRMAN Jerry Moss; Styx members John Panozzo, Dennis DeYoung, Tommy Shaw and James Young, A&M Vice Chairman Herb Alpert; Styx Manager Derek Sutton; A&M President Gil Friesen; and Styx member Chuck Panozzo.

Gibb In Canada



RSO recording artist Andy Gibb recently kicked off his thirty city tour of the U.S. and Canada with a performance at the Place de Nations in Montreal. Featured from left to right are: James Dayley, Personal Manager to Gibb; Bob Ansell, Regional Promotion Manager, Polydor, Canada; Tony Messina, Personal Assistant to Andy Gibb; Peggy Colston, Program Director CHUM/Montreal; Andy Gibb, Janis Lundy, Executive Assistant to the President, RSO Records; and Jay Levy, Executive Assistant to the President of The Stigwood Group, Ltd.

Moore In San Francisco



Caught backstage after a Bay Area performance are (L·R): Rip Pelley, E/A National Artist Relations Coordinator; Jo Interrante, KFRC News Director; Moore; and Bryn Bridenthal, E/A National Publicity Director.

On Board With The Little River Band



The Little River Band recently attended a party hosted for them by WDGY/ Minneapolis and Capitol Records. The party was held on board the paddlewheel riverboat "Joshua Sneeling." Pictured (front row L-R) are: Bruce E. Garfield, Capitol's Director, Press & Artist Relations; Shelly, and Bobby Hattrick, WDGY; and Cliff Schultz, Capitol's Minneapolis Promotion Manager. Pictured in the middle row (L-R) are: Ellie Seibert; Mike Seibert, Capitol AOR Promotion; Ron Richards and Greg Lindahl, WDGY; band, member David Briggs; Gary Bridges, WDGY; and Jim Larkin, KQRS. Seen in the top row (L-R) are: band members Graham Goble, Derek Pellicci, Glen Shorrock, George McArdle and Beeb Birtles; and Jimmy Reed, WDGY.

Say Cheese



Pictured at a recent Warner Bros./Bearsville wine and cheese party in Miami are (Left to Right) Dave Burgess, WQAM; Rob Walker, Y100; Chuck Browning, Warner Bros. Promotion, Joel Denver, 96X, and Jack Forsythe 96X.

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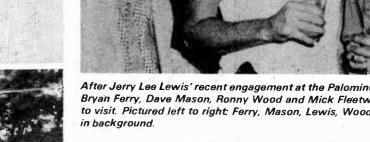
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Capricorn Picnic





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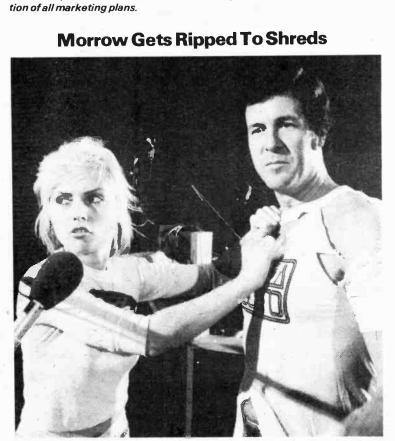


Seen at Capricorn Records annual picnic are (at top) Keith Stroup (left) National Director of NORML, and Capricorn President Phil Walden (right) chat at the barbeque. Above, left to right Doug Gray of The Marshall Tucker Band; Pam Souders, Miss Georgia 1977; Cindy Blackan, Miss Atlanta 1977; and George McCorkle of The Marshall Tucker Band.





Shown are U.F.O. members celebrating bassist Pete Way's birthday, held following their performance at New York's Palladium Theater. Joining in the celebration are: (L-R) Terry Ellis, President of Chrysalis Records; Paul Raymond, Phil Moog, and birthday boy Pete Way of UFO; Chrysalis recording artist David Dundas; and Andy Parker of UFO.



Blondie's Debra Harry enacting "Rip It To Shreds," a song from their first Private Stock LP, "Blondie," with Bruce Morrow of WNBC television for a news feature earlier this month at Plaza Sound Studios in New York where Blondie are currently at work on their second album.

A Visit With The Killer



Bryan Ferry, Dave Mason, Ronny Wood and Mick Fleetwood stopped by to visit. Pictured left to right: Ferry, Mason, Lewis, Wood and Fleetwood



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Cassidy In Denver

Chapin At Greek



Shaun Cassidy stopped by KTLK/Denver. Joining Shaun at the station were (from left) Fred Scotti of Scotti Bros. Entertainment; Music Director Rick Brady; Shaun; Program Director C.C. McCarthey; and Warner Bros. Promotion Manager Dick Merkle.

Gold In Columbus



In appreciation of the efforts made by WCOL AM/FM/Columbus on behalf of 10cc, Phonogram, Inc./Mercury Records presented a Gold record to the station. Seen left to right at the presentation are: Mike Rizk, Phonogram/Mercury Local Promotion Manager for that area; Dave Bishop, Music Director of WCOL-AM; Bob Gooding, Station Manager of WCOL AM/FM; Bryan McIntire, WCOL Director of Research; and Sandy Lingardo, Local Salesman for Phonodisc, Inc./Mercury's distributor.

Fogelberg Goes Gold



Dan Fogelberg's latest Epic/Full Moon LP, "Nether Lands," has been certified RIAA Gold. Pictured above at L.A.'s Universal Amphitheatre during the first of his two sold out shows are (I to r): Carol Miller, air personality at WPLJ; Dan Fogelberg; Maggie Slaymaker; Irving Azoff, Manager; Bud O'Shee, Director of Marketing, Epic Records West Coast.



Elektra/Asylum recording artist Harry Chapin played the Greek Theatre in Los Angeles recently. Gathered together to congratulate Chapin after the opening night performance were (L-R): Denise Sheehy; Mike Sheehy, KNX Music Director; and Chapin.

Emotions At Sound Warehouse

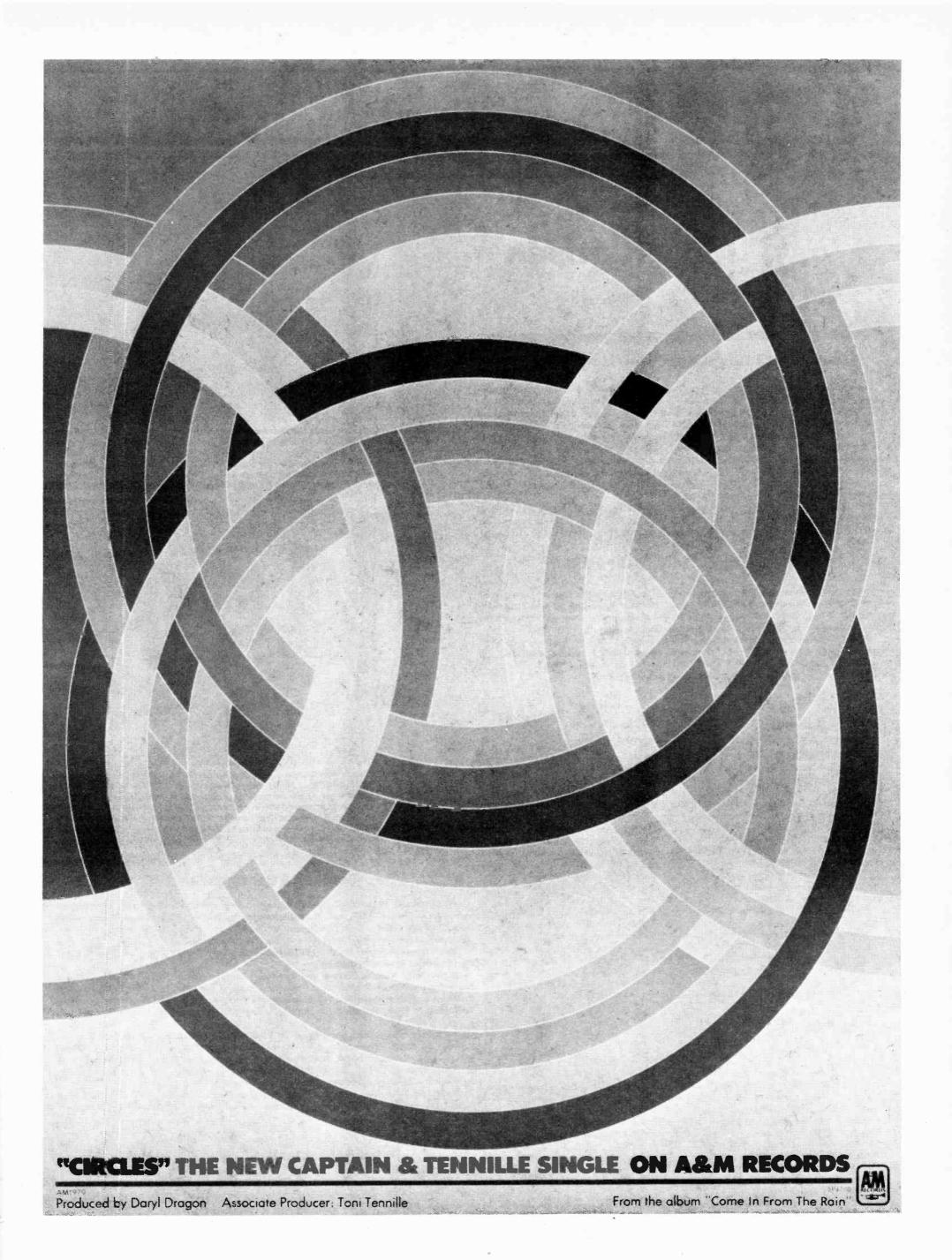


Columbia recording artists The Emotions made an in-store appearance recently at Sound Warehouse. On hand to welcome them were, left to right, back row: Terry Worrell, Sound Warehouse Manager; John Madison, FieldsSales Manager, CBS Records; Norm Ziegler, Branch Manager, CBS Records; Curtis Mobley, Special Markets Promotion Manager, CBS Records. From left to right, front row: Pamela, Wanda, and Sheila, The Emotions; Robert Chiado, CBS Sales Representative.

Libby Titus Signs Management Pact



New Columbia recording artist Libby Titus visited the label's new Century City offices in Los Angeles on the occasion of her signing an exclusive management pact with the Fitzgerald-Hartley Co. Pictued at the signing are (L-R) Mark Hartley, Larry Fitzgerald, Libby Titus and Don Ellis, National Vice President, A&R, Columbia Records.





(ALBUM ORIENTED ROCK)



Mike Harrison

Lee Abrams To Consult KPOL-FM/Los Angeles

Lee Abrams of the radio consulting firm Burkhart/Abrams has informed R&R that his company has reached an agreement with the management of Capitol Cities Broadcasting's KPOL-FM/Los Angeles to consult programming operations. Jack Popejoy, currently News Director of the station, will be upped to Program Director in the new Abrams consultancy.

According to Abrams, KPOL-FM will not be a "Superstars" station but rather something new and different. "We're not going to try and go after the 16-28 group as we do with the Superstars stations. KPOL-FM will be geared toward the 22-32 group." He revealed that a massive research project was underway in Los Angeles and it will determine upon completion in the fall the exact programming directions the station will take. Until then, everything will basically remain status quo.

KPOL-FM is currently a part live/part automated soft AOR. Abrams told R&R that in all probability the station will remain both taped and live but he added, "I would have to say at this point that we are not going to make a conscious effort to keep it soft."

KZOK/Seattle Spreads To The AM Dial

One of the Northwest's leading bastions of AOR radio, KZOK-FM/Seattle, will expand their programming to sister station KUUU-AM/Seattle. On September 12th at 6am KUUU will become KZOK-AM. KZOK-AM will simulcast the FM programming Monday through Friday from 6-10am and 3-7pm; Sunday from 6-9am and 9pm-12midnight.

KZOK Program Director Norm Gregory will become PD of both stations with Duff Johnson as AM Operations Manager. During the non-simulcast hours, KZOK-AM will run an automated format similar to KZOK-FM with the FM jocks taping the programming. KUUU is currently running an automated syndicated soft-Rock format.

Evolution

Shelley Stile has resigned the Music Directorship of WMMS/Cleveland. Shelly told RGR, "It's breaking my heart to leave the people at WMMS because I love them, but the time has come for me to meet new challenges." Shelly will be, as she put it, "taking a short respite" and then will announce her future plans. Shelly Stile is one of AOR's most active and colorful participants. She can be reached at (216) 283-4853 Beth Rosengard is no longer National FM Coordinator for Atlantic Records. Judy Lebow has been upped to the position from National College Promotion Bob Geims is the new Music Director of WXRT/Chicago. He had been doing the 7-11pm shift, but will now be on 4-7pm. Shell Lustig will now do 7-11pm Kelly Randall is the new Music Director of WIOT/Toledo On September 1st, KFMH/Muscatine, Idaho will expand their programming from 20 to 24 hours per day. Randy Ralley joins the station's airstaff Iva Lea Worley Barton, Chairperson of KOKE, Inc. has announced the appointment of Jim Ray to the post of General Manager of KOKE-AM-FM/Austin. He was formerly the station's Sales Manager, serving in that capacity since 1971, According to Ray, "There will be some staff and personnel changes and an announcement concerning some major changes in programming format will be made within the next thirty days."....Gary Rodriguez has been named General Manager of WIVY/Jacksonville Shake-up At Triad: Rob Gilles is no longer General Manager and Rick Brown is no longer Program Director of Triad, the 5 hour a night AOR program on WXFM/Chicago. Word is that Triad owner Dan Bacin sold the company to former WXRT'er Don Bridges who will be taking over operation of the organization ... Peter B. Collins is no longer doing noon to 4pm and a Sunday talk show on KOME/San Jose.

Color

To Help Avoid Traffic Problems KGOT/Anchorage is sponsoring a series of busses to the Alaska State Fair being held 40 miles out of town in Palmer. On the busses, listeners will be given free tickets to rides, etc., at random.

A Contest To Find The Best Guitar Player In The City was held by WJKL/Elgin. The acoustic winner received a Rickenbacker guitar, free studio time, air time, and the opening spotata local club.

KMOD/Tulsa and WIBA-FM/Madison both gave away tickets to their local premiers of "Fantastic Animation Festival."

Chicken On The Street Y93/San Francisco gave away tickets on the street to the movie "Kentucky Fried Movie."

WNOR-FM/Norfolk gave away Peter Frampton albums and concert tickets as well as giving a lucky listener limo, dinner and tickets for two to the local concert appearance of George Benson.



While playing four SRO shows at the Bottom Line, Robert Gordon and Link Wray celebrate backstage between shows with some of New York's radio people, and members of Private Stock Records. Pictured from left to right: Neil McIntyre, WPIX-FM; Josh Blardo, Director of Album Promotion at Private Stock; Vince Scelsa, WNEW-FM; Dave Herman, WNEW-FM; Link Wray; Roxy Meizel, 99X; Rob Stoner, bass player in Gordon's band; Robert Gordon; Jody Uttal, Director of Publicity, Private Stock; Steve Scharf, Director of A&R, Private Stock Records.



Polydor artist Pat Travers co-headlined a benefit concert for the Muscular Dystrophy Association sponsored by WSHE-FM/Miami-Ft. Lauderdale. The day-long Rock show, called "A Day For The Kids," drew over 13,000 admissions, with all the proceeds going to MDA. Pictured backstage prior to the performance are (I to r) Bill Kennedy, Local Promotion Manager for Polydor; Tommy Judge, air personality WSHE; Pat Travers; Gary Granger, Program Director WSHE; Gary Drexler, Southeast Marketing Manager for Polydor; Jerry Jaffe, National Album Promotion Manager, Polydor; and Tim Monnig, Miami Branch Manager for Phonodisc, Inc.

Concerts & Conversation

Presentations: WCOL-FM/Columbus presented a summer concert with Andy Pratt to raise money for handicapped children....WKQQ/Lexington (the home of PD Dick Hungate) presented their First Annual Kentucky Bluegrass Festival on the banks of the Kentucky River. 10,000 people enjoyed Bluegrass music and country cooked food.

Radio Concerts: Andy Pratt on WKDF/Nashville....Jesse Colin Young, Kenny Rankin, and David Sanborn on WDVE/Pittsburgh.

Interviews: Jackson Browne and Gov. Jerry Brown on KNX-FM/Los Angeles....Climax Blues Band on WNOR-FM/Norfołk....Derringer and Peter Wolfe on WIBA-FM/Madison....Bad Company on WF.DF/Nashville....Tim Weisberg on WQDR/Raleigh....David Sanborn and Sanford Townsend on WDVE/Pittsburgh....John Hartford on WKQQ/Lexington....Minnie Ripperton on

WGVL/Gainesville....Climax Blues Band on WLIR/Long Island....Larry Merideth and Susan Howard on KRST/Albuquerque....Yes on WAAF/Worcester....Aztec Two Step on WBLM/ Maine....Rick Wakeman on WCOZ/Boston....Peter Wolfe on WYXE/Madison....Dennis Wilson on WXRT/Chicago....PFM on KOME/San Jose....Tom Petty and the Jefferson Starship on KSJO/San Jose...Andy Pratt and Sanford-Townsend on WYDD/Pittsburgh.

Available: Interviews with Southside Johnny and Ronnie Spector on Disc. There are a limited number of these one hour shows available. Call Rick Swig at Epic Records. (212) 975-5283.

Danny Schechter To Study At Harvard

Let's hear it for Danny Schechter! Danny, WBCN/Boston's News and Public Affairs Director since 1970, will be leaving the airwaves for the next year: to undertake a prestigious Nieman Fellowship at Harvard University. The "News Dissector" (as he's known in Boston) was the only Boston journalist and radio person among the eleven Americans honored by the Harvard award.

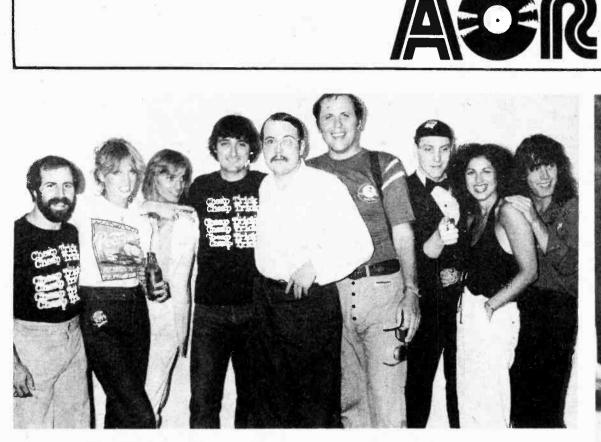


The prophet of rock returns to take up where he left off on his classic album "Sunshine Superman." His brilliant new album "Donovan" soars past anything he's ever done. Donovan's back. And the world sounds right again.

"DONOVAN" ON ARISTA RECORDS.



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Epic's Cheap Trick is currently doing a national tour with Kiss promoting their second LP "In Color." After a tour of Canada, the group's first U.S. stop was in Seattle, Washington where local radio friends stopped in after the show to congratulate the group on their performance. Pictured L to R are: Michael Alhadeff, Epic Promotion; Cindy Dobbs, CBS Promotion; Robin Zander, Cheap Trick; Bill Bartlett, PD, KISW; Bun E. Carlos, Cheap Trick; Norm Gregory, PD, KZOK; Rick Nielsen, Cheap Trick; Mavis Mackoff, MD KZOK; Tom Petersson, Cheap Trick.



The Hues Corporation just back from a world wide tour, stopped off at the new studios of Trans American Audio news in L.A. for an interview with Dave Forman. The interview will soon be heard on the TAAN Radio Network. Pictured (top): Left to right, Dave Forman; H. Ann Kelley, St. Clair Lee and Karl Russell, the Hues Corporation.



Greg Lake visited radio stations in New England recently. Shown at the studios of WAAF/Worcester are, from left: air personality Frank Kelly; Atlantic's Assistant National Pop Album Promotion Director Steve Leeds; Program Director Tom Daniels; Greg Lake, air personality Joe B.; and air personality Paul Lemieux.



Austin stations KLBJ-FM and KNOW recently faced each other in a game of broom hockey for the benefit of the fight against diabetes. Shown here are KLBJ PD Steve Smith (left) and KNOW PD Bill Mayne in a fleeting moment of friendship before the competition began. KNOW won 6-5.



Shown peacefully discussing the playing of the Stranglers' new A&M album, on WQFM/Milwaukee are (from left) Rich Girod, A&M Milwaukee Promotion Man and Joe Benson, WQFM Music Director.

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Radio & Records Album Airplay/ 40

1	CROSBY, STILLS & NASH	Crosby, Stills & Nash (Atl
2	YES	
3	STEVE MILLER.	
4	JAMESTAYLOR	
5	ALAN PARSONS.	
6	GRATEFUL DEAD.	
7	FIREFALL	
8	HEART	
9	STEVE WINWOOD	
10	FLEETWOOD MAC	
11	PETER FRAMPTON	
12	DAN FOGELBERG.	
13	STYX	
14	CAROLE KING.	
15	ROGER DALTREY	
16	CRAWLER	
17	GEILS.	
18	ERIC CARMEN	Boats Against The Currer
19	NEIL YOUNG	
20	SUPERTRAMP	Even In The Quietest Mom
21	ANIMALS	
22	FOREIGNER	
23	<i>TED NUGENT</i>	
24	LEADON & GEORGIADES	
25	DENNIS WILSON	Pacific Ocean Blues (Cari
26	ELVIN BISHOP	
27	LAKE	
28	LITTLE RIVER BAND	
29	ANDY PRATT	
30	BEBOP DELUXE	
31	RUMOUR	
32	KISS	
33	UFO	
34	KENNY LOGGINS	
35	COMMANDER CODY	
36	CAT STEVENS.	
37	СІТҮ ВОҮ	
38	RITA COOLIDGE	
39	STILLWATER	
40	PABLO CRUISE	A Place in The Sun (A&M

..... "Stories" "Parallels" "Turn" "Face" "LA" "Handy" "Traffic" "Wouldn't" "Breakdown" "Day" title "Long""Love" "Even" lead "Barracuda" "Love" Title "Chair" "Time" "Hold" "Stop" "Chain" "Signed" "Heart" "Friend" Noon)..... Title "Love" "Promises" 1)...... "Foolin" "Castle" "Superstars" "Cafe" "Hold" title "Annie" "Sav" lead "Sober" "Sold" lead "Surrender" leads ent (Arista). . Title "She" "Marathon" (WB)..... "Hurricane" leads nents (A&M). "Fools" lead Jet)..... "Bit" "Bill" lead "Ice" "War" lead Title "Hard" ylum)..... "Calling" "Rotation" "Live" B)...... "Shoes" "Fooled" "Rock" rvest) "Help" "Home" nperor)..... "All" "Faint" "Rainbow" vest)...... "Ships" "Shine" title "Looking" "Face" "Airplane" Title "16" "Human" ta)..... "Road" "Danny" "Bonfire" "School" "Star" Mercury). . . Variety of cuts . M)..... "Alone" "Higher"

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Chart Summarv Eight weeks in a row now for CS&N in the number one national turntable position. The album received hot reports at 86% of our AOR reporters. YES inched back into the number two position with hot reports at 65% of our reporting stations. MILLER nudged back up to number three and TAYLOR remains strong at number four. PAR-SONS and the DEAD both inched up to powerful positions on the chart. FIREFALL and HEART also showed positive movement and are solid among the biggies. MAC pushed back into the top ten. FRAMPTON and FOGELBERG maintained. STYX inched up. KING was stable. DALTREY inched up. CRAWLER was the week's highest debut gathering adds at 42% of our reporting stations. GEILS nudged up. CARMEN debuted impressively with adds at 42% of our reporters. AN-**IMALS** maintained. FOREIGN ER moved up. NUGENT enjoyed a heavy increase in airplay. LEADON made positive progress. WILSON debuted with adds at 37% of our reporters. LAKE continued to grow. KISS and UFO maintained. LOGGINS resurged a bit. CODY maintained. CAT inched back. CITY debuted with adds at 23% of our reporters. RITA bounced back onto the chart. STILL-WATER debuted with adds at 19% of our reporters. **CRUISE** is hanging in there. **MURRAY McLAUCHLAN** almost made the chart.

This chart is based solely on airplay and does not attempt to fabricate a trend. The artists in italics are those receiving the most rapid gain in airplay.



RY COODER Show Time (WB) ROBERT GORDON With Link Wray (Pvt. Stock) MYLON LE FEVRE Weak At The Knees (WB) MARLEY & WAILERS Exodus (Island) MURRAY McLAUCHLAN Hard Rock Town (True North) SANFORD-TOWNSEND Sanford Townsend Band (WB) TIM WEISBERG Tim Weisberg Band (UA)

The albums listed In The Bin are those which received enough AOR reports to come significantly close to qualifying for this week's trendless Album Airpley/40 chert. Also included are albums that made the chart last week, but did not receive enough continued airpley to make it again this week. These albums continue to get airpley on enough stations to be potential chart 'bouncbacks.' In The Bin albums are listed in alphabetical order. MOST ADDED

CRAWLER Crawler (Epic)—Added at 42% of our reporters

ERIC CARMEN Boats Against The Current (Arista)-Added at 42% of our reporters

DENNIS WILSON *Pacific Ocean Blues (Caribou)*—Added at 37% of our reporters

CITY BOY Young Men Gone West (Mercury)-Added at 21% of our reporters

STILLWATER *Stillwater* (*Capricorn*/WB)—Added at 19% of our reporters.

THE HOTTEST

CROSBY, STILLS & NASH Crosby, Stills & Nash (Atl)-Hot at 86% of our reporters

YES Going For The One (Atl)-Hot at 65% of our reporters

STEVE MILLER Book Of Dreams (Capitol)-Hot at 62% of our reporters

JAMES TAYLOR JT (Col)—Hotat 59% of our reporters

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ALAN PARSONS / Robot (Arista)-Hot at 57% of our reporters

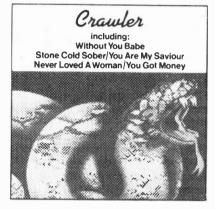
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PROGRESSIVE SINGLES **DOOBIE BROTHERS** 1 "Little Darlin""(WB) **THIN LIZZY** "Dancing In The Moonlight" (Merc) CARLY SIMON "Nobody Does It Better" (Elektra) SANFORD-TOWNSEND BAND "Smoke From A Distant Fire" (WB) **KATE TAYLOR** "It's In His Kiss" (Col) **RAMJAM** "Black Betty" (Epic) BALCONE'S FAULT TIE "Take Me Home" (Cream) SPARKS "Over The Summer" (Col) **STEPHEN BISHOP** 8 "On And On" (ABC) GENESIS 9 TIE "Spot The Pigeon" (Charisma-Imp) 9 STAR WARS "Main Theme" (20th)

Progressive Singles: Those 45rpm records receiving significant airplay by our AOR reporting stations. These singles are either not on an album or may be on an album not currently qualifying for the Album Airplay/40. They are listed in order of total reports received. This chart represents airplay only and does not attempt to fabricate a trend.

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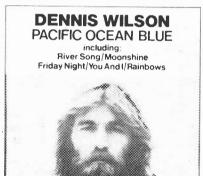




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(Friday Morning Quarterback)



DENNIS WILSON

"Pacific Ocean Blue"-Dennis Wilson (Caribou) An automatic add for Beach Boy aficionados. After their atrocious album released this spring, one of the guys had to put out something to reclaim their good name. Although a "solo" effort on Dennis' part, "Pacific Ocean Blue" retains the essence and style of the Beach Boys. Neavy-handed production throughout, with a nod to the progressive album oriented programmer, is apparent to even the most calloused ear. The understandable curiosity surrounding a Beach Boy "solo" should be satisfied after listening to YOU AND I, RIVER SONG, FRIDAY NIGHT, DREAMER and RAINBOW.

(Album Of The Week, reviewed by Ron Fell-Gavin Report)





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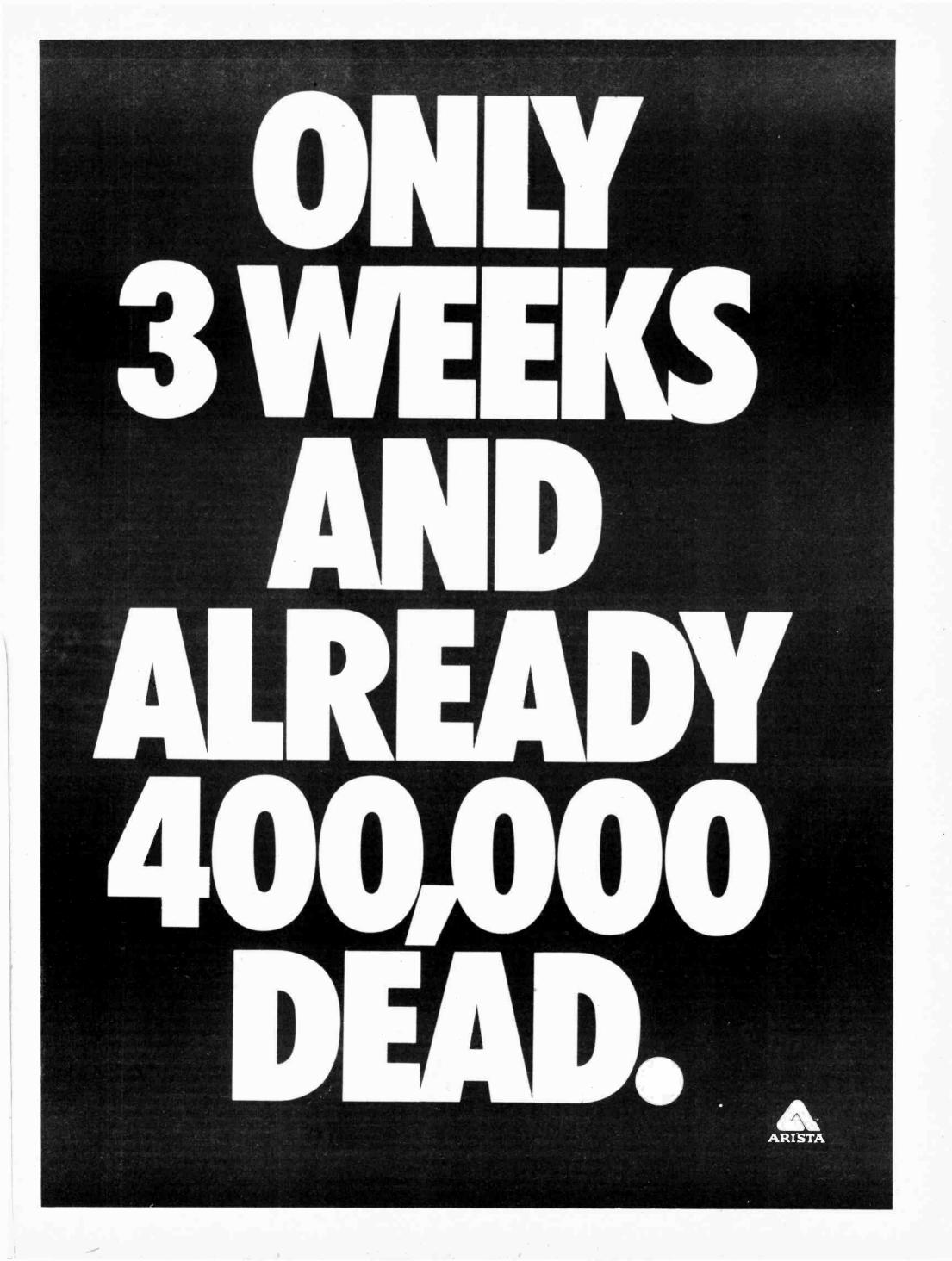


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INNER CIRCLE

Inner Circle is one of the top bands to emerge from the exciting and prolific Jamaican music scene. After proving themselves playing native Reggae rhythms they have gone deeper to their roots in Soul. Their second album, Ready for The World, is a natural broadening of their distinctive sound.

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show.Shown (left to right): Steve Greenberg, New York Promotion Mana-

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Michael Sheehy has been Music Director of KNX-FM/Los Angeles for the past year. During this period, the station has continued to firm up its position and reputation as one of the nation's leading mellow AOR outlets. KNX-FM is number one in Los Angeles in adults 18-34, number one in women 18-34, and number 2 in adults 18-49 (April-May '77 Arbitron/ Quarter Hour Share, Mon.-Sun., MSA).

Prior to joining the CBS-FM O&O (where he is also an air personality), Sheehy was on the airstaffs of KGB-FM/ San Diego, KPOI/Honolulu, KSFM/Sacramento, KAUM/Houston, KSRO/Santa Rosa, and KNDE/Sacramento as well as others.

RER: How do you account for the fact that although the concept of "soft" or "mellow" AOR radio is tremendously successful in the Los Angeles ratings, its success in other parts of the country is spotty?

SHEEHY: I would imagine the number-one thing would be the interpretation of it, and number-two, the other conditions, the other factors in the market. Who's doing what. I mean we're not where we are so much by what we're doing but by virtue of what other people are doing, their market position, their rank. So as they keep trading around they just left us in a very good spot, in addition to the fact that we had a large audience to begin with.

R&R: Do you think that Los Angeles lends itself to the mellow sound more than most other markets, in terms of the population as opposed to the market breakdown of the radio stations?

SHEEHY: Yes. Especially in terms of the climate. In Hawaii, you're going to do much better with a mellow type of format because of the climate than you would by going there and doing radio as you would in Detroit, where they're oriented towards more gutsy Rock and Roll. So in that sense, in terms of climate, you can customize it. It fits a lot better out here. It's programmed as an environment and must be adjusted in each separate market to the actual environment there.

R&R: Could you elaborate on what you mean by it's programmed as an environment?

SHEEHY: Alright, it's the opposite of going in and saying these records were hits so if we program these records we're going to have hit radio and due to the fact that they were hits, bang, no matter what, we're going to have a hell of an audience. We go in with the concept of who are we programming for and how can we become a part of their life. We create an environment that they can live with, something they can get up with in the morning and go to bed with at night, something that becomes part of their lifestyle. We develop the station as an institution in that regard.

R&R: Do you think that KNX-FM's listeners are mostly passive or active in terms of how they relate and/or react to the radio station?

SHEEHY: Oh, I would say the majority of them are passive as are most radio listeners. We do get on a one-to-one basis with people when they call. When they don't like what they hear they let us know. When they do like what they hear, occasionally, they'll let us know. The majority of the correspondence we get, and you can tell by the way it's written and what they are saying, is from a better educated, for the most part, possibly higher income bracket of people. That's not to say we don't have any dummies, because you should see some of the other letters. I would say, however, the majority of them are a little brighter or a little more educated and more in tune with everyday happenings. They're more successful than most Rock radio audiences. We don't even run contests or for that matter anything remotely associated with that kind of thinking. The audience we reach cannot be bought. Their intelligence level is beyond that. They listen for great music and excellence in programming.

R&R: If this is indeed the case, does your audience demand more in non-musical programming to supplament some of their other intellectual needs from a radio station? Do you meet that kind of pressure?

SHEEHY: Well, I think you'd have to first take into consideration the people that we have doing the non-musical aspects of the programming because they are the best. Chris Ames who does the majority of our interviews is incomparable. In the years that I've put in radio I haven't run across anybody that can do better than he does. That's why he is where he is. So in that respect he is dealing with them on an intelligent level as opposed to saying these listeners are over here (indicates "low") so we're going to have to step it down so they can understand, he's going to put it across in the most fluid manner without getting overly wordy or intellectual. He's going to present it in such a way that they can understand it easily and still retain its level of intelligence. We are certainly not a 24 hours a day jukebox. Far from it. What goes in between the music is as important as the music itself. What we do offer is specials, and they are just what the name implies, special. We'll do a massive amount of research on the careers and lives of some of our more well known artists and then get together with them for an in-depth interview. Then, that conversation is integrated into a presentation incorporating music, dialogue, narration, special effects, and other warrant-

THE ASR INTERVIEW:

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MICHAEL SHEEHY

KNX-FM/Los Angeles



by Mike Harrison

ed production devices to create a unique and total experience of the artist. Chris Ames is mainly responsible for the writing and voicing of these specials. He, along with one of our best production engineers, Tony Klima, put together the entire package.

R&R: Do you have any problem figuring out a compatible way to program the news and public affairs into what is still basically a station known for its music?

SHEEHY: No, because it's presented in an environmental type of form and it's presented in such a way that you don't make a big "to-do" of it. Once again) one thing slides into another thing and you're giving them the information without beating them over the head with "this is 20-20 news." It's a very natural feel You just slide from one thing to the next thing and before they know it they're back into music. If there's one thing that we are stubborn or set in our ways about, it's the sound of the radio station and the goal we strive toward the most is retaining the sound. R&R: What criteria do you use in determining which records to add to the radio station?

SHEEHY: Okay, there are basically, fundamentally, two kinds of music—good and bad. You can take a good piece of music, let's say some really screaming Rock and Roll, that's not really relating to us, I'm just talking about music in general, and play it at the wrong time 6, 7 or 8 o'clock in the morning, and by doing so you make it bad. But once again, on a basic and fundamental level you can't do anything with bad music because inherently it's no good. So from that standpoint you've got good and bad music.

R&R: So you are concerned to a great degree with musical quality.

SHEEHY: Absolutely, that's part of retaining the sound. Good music will stand up on the record and yell right at you, and say here I am, deal with me. Bad music does exactly the same thing and you can needle drop a record and go through it and the good ones will stand up and



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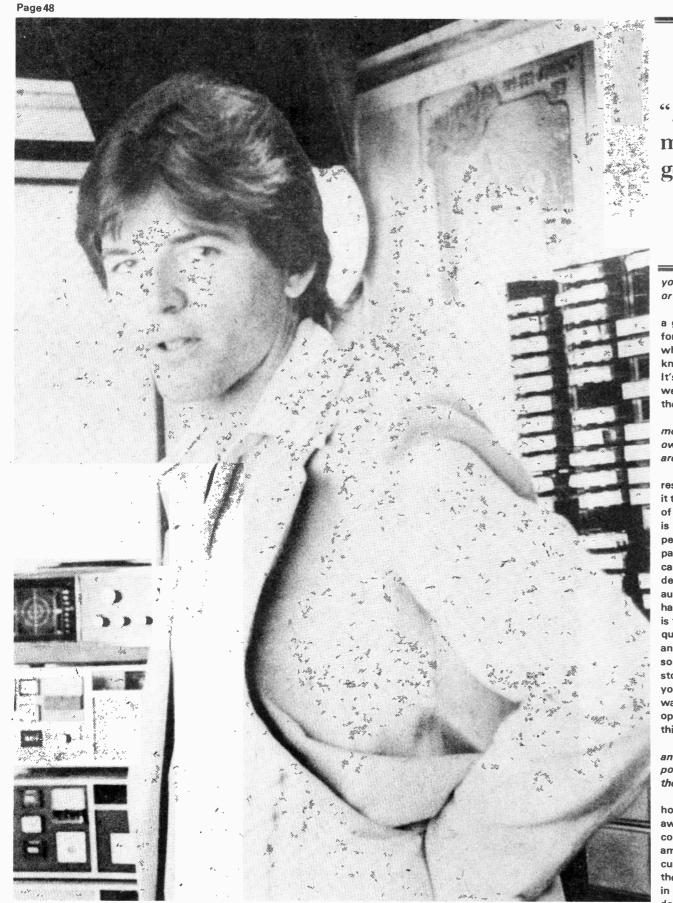
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yell at you and the bad ones will say just pass. Obviously, there's going to be a gray area in between and you pick up those as you're going through and you go back and give them a serious listen.

R&R: And in the determination of good and bad, you rely on your own experience and ear?

SHEEHY: You have to. You have to be responsible for your own actions.

R&R: How many people at the station share in that responsibility with you?

SHEEHY: Basically Steve (Steve Marshall, PD) and myself. I will go through and do the preliminary things and, for the most part, add the majority of the music. If I feel I need a second opinion, or I just want him to hear something, or I just need a sounding board, I'll bring it to him. He'll occasionally do just the opposite-he'll hear something and ask me what I think about it and we'll just go bac forth, but generally it's very obvious. It's an easy job. At least for me it's easy because it's very obvious what should be and what shouldn't be played. It's only the gray area that you get into that gets you people trying to promote you. They're trying to convince you that this is good or this is that or this is going to appeal to those people. In many cases we've passed on number one hit records because they didn't fit within the criteria that we're looking for. Sound cannot be dealt with on a high pressure level. One must be able to properly relax and be in control of one's energy daily in order to be fully receptive to the quality of music in terms of how it will sound on the radio. Without sounding too spacey or metaphysical, we often deal with music in this business from a surface level of intelligence and not from the soul-where it counts.

R&R: You believe that most people tune in to the station to hear a sound rather than to hear any particular song.

SHEEHY: I think it's a combination of both. When you program great music, you're going to have a great radio station if it's presented right. There's that flux in-between. But if it's hit or miss, the majority of the time your audience is going to be hit or miss and they're going to be with you or they're going to be going. If you're consistently playing what you think is the music they want to hear, you're going to hit something that they don't want. But if they're familiar with the consistent sound and know if they hang around a couple of more minutes they're going to be hearing something once again that they do like, they'll stay. If you go 85 percent of the time like that, the people are going to ignore that one song occasionally that they don't care for.

R&R: How do you handle the phones at the station, considering, much of the time, the jocks are on tape? Are the phones heavy in your format?

SHEEHY: There are 3 or 4 people who actually deal in answering questions and stuff and I will get questions thrown my way all the time. Actually, we don't keep a running total of how many phone calls we get, we try to do as much as we can, but it's a small staff so that means everybody has to be multi-talented or multi-facetted in terms of doing as much as they possibly can.

R&R: Do you do any type of research?

SHEEHY: You mean in terms of watching the charts going back and doing a Lee Abrams type of thing, where you watch the store reports and things like that?

R&R: In terms of looking for outside information to help

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you know whether a record should or shouldn't be played, or how much it should or shouldn't be played.

SHEEHY: We don't use research as a bible, we use it as a guideline to fit within the criteria of what we're looking for. Most of it comes from the gut. Once again, you know when a record is there or whether it isn't and if you don't know, God dammit, then you don't belong in that job. It's as simple as that, and you're going to run back and say we lost because of this record, but it was number 30 on the charts, I don't understand it.

R&R: Do you think people in radio who rely more and more on science and research and less and less on their own ability as musical appreciators, observers, and listeners, are selling themselves short in the long run?

SHEEHY: I think so, by and large. The capabilities of research are being expanded daily. You have more forms of it to deal with and with that increase there's going to be more of a reliance on getting as much input as you can and this is probably due to the fact that there are more and more people relying on it. I certainly wouldn't say that you shouldn't pay attention to it or you shouldn't use it the best you can, but you can't let it use you, you have to use it. In dealing with an automated situation, just because you're automated doesn't mean that the automation runs you. You have to run the automation and dealing with that I think is the same as dealing with research. So to get back to your question, each year there's a new wave of people in radio and they're introduced to what is happening now and if somebody tells them well you have to check these 180 stores over Southern California, and you have to do this and you have to do that, this is what it's all about, well they walk into the business saying this is what it's all about as opposed to a couple of years ago when it was strictly 'Hey, this is a hit,' or this possibly or this, no. I think it's that simple.

RER: We've discussed how you go about adding records and I assume we're talking about "current" records at this point in our conversation. How do you go about dropping them?

SHEEHY: As they're running, you listen to them and see how they fit within the sound and if it's not fitting right away you snap it off. Under normal circumstances, when it comes to the end of its run, basically we have a certain amount of alotted carts to deal with, because all of our current stuff is carted up, and it's just a matter of replacing them. Generally I give it a good shot, six, eight weeks and in some cases two or three months for a current piece depending upon what it is. I'll look at the album charts to get a general overview of things. Some first time out artists probably won't last as long as Steve Miller, who's hanging in, say, the number 5 spot and came out last February. Using that criteria, some of the bigger people get on a lot easier and stay on a lot longer.

R&R: You play it as it feels.

SHEEHY: Yeah, it's a maintenance based on your gut feeling and that's taking all the input that's coming to you, including the phones. If you're playing something once or twice a day and all of a sudden you start getting calls on it, well, hey, maybe you'd better speed it up a little bit and give it a little more visibility.

RER: How about older material? How do you go about maintaining it, programming it, dropping, adding, picking up new ones, and cooling burned ones? Do you have any boundaries in terms of a time framework?

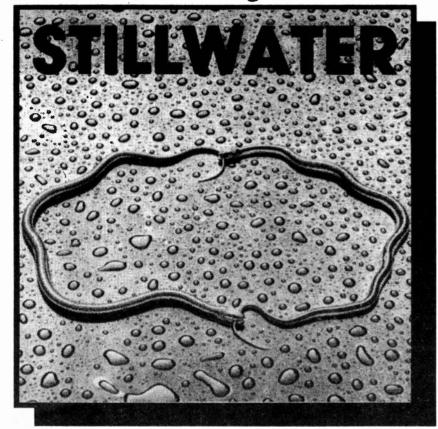
SHEEHY: It all goes back to the same question. We have stuff that has been on for God knows how long but it still fits the sound, it's the gut feel, gut level type of thing, it still works, whereas some records worked last year but this year they stick out to you and so you say maybe we better reevaluate where that record's coming from and if it's too good to drop you may want to use it a little less or you may want to blow it out completely. So in keeping with that...

R&R: So that's also in keeping with playing it as it feels.

SHEEHY: Right. Here's an example that has to do with record length. Gordon Lightfoot's "The Wreck Of The Edmund Fitzgerald." Due to the fact that it's an almost 7 minute record the burn factor, the factor of it burning out quick, is going to happen a lot faster than a 2 minute and 6 second Crosby, Stills & Nash "Just A Song Before I Go" which you can leave on a lot longer.



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R&R: How much actual control do you have with the placement and rotation of music, working within an automated set-up?

SHEEHY: Absolute control. Once again the automation doesn't run us, we run it.

R&R: How do record promoters go about promoting you? SHEEHY: Record promoters, there seem to be two basic kinds, pros and cons. The good promotion people try their best to help you do your job as best as you can. They are there to help you, not to slip one past you. The whole thing is based upon trust and honesty, because you both know it is not the last record they are going to be presenting to you. If someone comes on like a used car salesman and is trying to sell you a bill of goods; you shouldn't be buying-I just cruise through the situation because I know what I'm looking for. However, I'll keep that in mind and the next time that person comes to see me their job is twice as hard because I've seen where they're coming from. A con will come to me with a record and say, "This is mellow. You should be playing it." Well, baloney...You wouldn't take a Rock and Roll record into KMET and say, "This is Rock and Roll. You should be playing it." Fortunately, I'm not confronted with too many back slappin' glad handers. The people in L.A. are pros. I would really be hard put to think of someone I didn't like here.

R&R: Not being research oriented do 'you ever play the "wait and see" game with them?

SHEEHY: Oh absolutely. Usually when it's in a gray area, and not so obvious, because they love us in the sense that we'll give their artists exposure because we don't care whether it's going to jump on the charts or not, we only care whether it's great music. Our job is not to sell records. Our job is to program great music and in doing so, we don't care if it's LeBlanc & Carr, we're going to put them on the air because it's really good music. The mellow thing has grown to such proportions that the record companies are aware of it, and as a result, there is much more mellow music to choose from. A demand was created and now the demand is being filled.

R&R: Do you find many record people are so fact oriented as a result of the way radio is that they don't care about the sound of their records, by your standards?

SHEEHY: They care about the sound of their records, but I think they're forced into that position. They have to play the numbers game because so many stations around the country do. They aren't encouraged to care what they sound like, I honestly believe that...At any rate, yes they do care, I think a lot of times they're forced to look at what's on paper as opposed to what's coming across their speakers. That will change.

R&R: As Music Director of KNX-FM what do you do with most of your time? Based upon all you've said, you must listen to a lot of records.

SHEEHY: If I could break it down into percentages, I'd say easily 50 to 60 percent of the time is based on actual listening. We listen to everything that walks in the door. I spend the majority of my time just going through records and trying to feel things.

R&R: What percentage of your records are album cuts as opposed to big hit singles?

SHEEHY: All of them, just about all of them. My biggest problem in facing that is that a lot of the time we'll take something and due to the fact that we cart it, we're almost too good at pulling singles off of albums, and put it on the air, two weeks later they pull that for the single and you've got to go back and rearrange all the things you originally put on the air. I would say 85 percent of what we play are album cuts. I definitely look at the albums before I open the singles, but chances are 60 percent of the singles have already been on albums that you've listened to.

R&R: Musically, your station is right near the borderline between AOR and Pop/Adult, but you are on the AOR side of the fence. How would you describe that borderline? What would be different about KNX-FM the way it is now and CBS-FM O&O WEEI/Boston the way it has been up until recently?

SHEEHY: The only way I could juxtapose the two is look at where the station was when I walked in the door and where it is now. And that is that we've become more contemporary. Maybe we've brought our age, the target area, a little lower in the demographics and those other people are still up there, the people up in the 44 and 49. It's amazing to me that somebody who's almost my father's age is listening and I'm programming music for this guy but it seems to work. What we basically did was take all the stuff that got missed on the by and by and brought it up to date. Boz Scaggs had seven albums out prior to Silk Degrees, Fleetwood Mac had God knows how many albums, and when I came in I just brought my progressive knowledge to date among the stuff that was on those albums that we could play. So in doing that, we've come a much more progressive way and probably slacked off on more of the Pop sounding type of people.

R&R: In the Los Angeles market structure which stations do you think you share listeners with?

SHEEHY: I think we share listeners with KMET, with KLOS, with KPOL-FM, probably KGIL out in the Valley, too.



Probably on a smaller degree even TEN-Q, very definitely KHJ and possibly KFI. Strictly on an age basis they're all looking for different targets and different types of listeners but I think probably all those people punch back and forth depending upon where they are, whether they're home or whether they're in their car. I think, however, the basis of our audience is our loyal core audience. There's a great loyalty factor and based on the fact that it's an environment, they don't think twice about punching around. The only thing I hear occasionally and I do this myself, you've got to listen to something else because it's ludicrous to think people just want to listen to mellow music all the time. I don't expect people to do that. But it's so comfortable, it's so much a part of their lives that they'll constantly come back and they'll stay with you 80 or 90 percent of the time and bang they'll go out, so yeah, in that sense we share listeners.

R&R: Do you sell records?

SHEEHY: Absolutely, not so much for the virtue of pumping something to death that they're going to go in and buy it. But, by giving those artist who get played nowhere else in town visibility we sell a hell a lot of records. I can give you examples of where we didn't go on something and it was a wait and see game and the album was very flat all the way across the board and we add the record and the next two weeks they sold thousands and thousands of it, and there's no place else to attribute it but us.

R&R: Do you think you sell product for your sponsors in a mellow environment?

SHEEHY: Absolutely, the two go back and forth. The one feeds the other, because just like the music, the sponsors are part of the program. In many cases there are different types of commercials we won't accept because they don't fit the environment. A raceway spot with motorcycles going and stuff like that coming out of music or whatever is going to be irritating as hell so we just don't accept the business. This is true to a large degree, I mean you have to leave

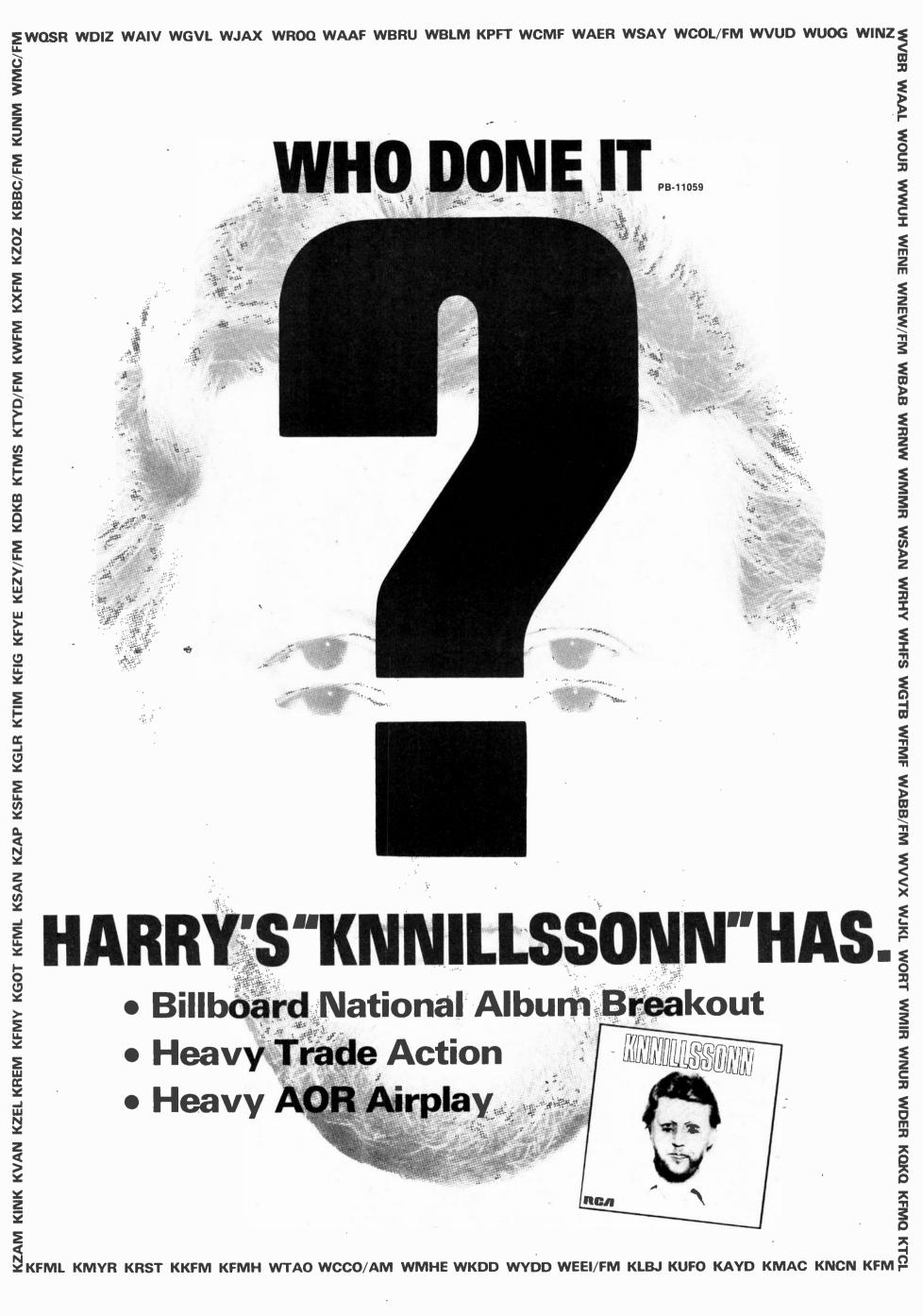
some lee-way in there. You know who your audience is, so you deliver the product to the audience you have. It's that simple.

R&R: In the world of mellow AOR, and undoubtedly you're in communication with other people who are music programmers of that particular approach, what are some of the latest controversies among you as to what to play and what not to play in terms of the perfect mellow radiostation?

SHEEHY: It's a hard question to answer because I can only speak for myself. I can't really think of any real issues. What we'll do and this is in speaking with the other stations that I talk to every week and basically they're CBS stations; San Francisco, Chicago, Boston and St. Louis. Each market is different as is L.A. and we can do things here that Boston could never ever think of and they can play stuff there that I'd never touch with a ten foot pole, because regionally they fit. It doesn't always work, I think people always say, well regionally this, and regionally that, and I think that's over-blown to a certain degree, but they'll take a shot with something that may be too Pop for us to play and we can play something that's much more progressive than they'd ever want to get into. It has to be done on an individual leve and I can't think of any controversies. If I hear Steve Walker in San Francisco is doing something in particular, I'll ask him to report back to me and let me know what's happening with that, if you're gonna get any phones on it, and that will help me. I can use that as an extra guideline for my criteria in determining what I want to put on the air. You give it equal weight with everything else, all the input you can get.

R&R: How do you handle fluctuations in the ratings? When the ratings drop a bit, as this past book took a slight dip but is within the healthy zone, how do you determine how to go about recouping losses or fortifying weaknesses?

SHEEHY: That's easy, the salesman should definitely answer that question because they've got all the data on it.



"You can either be a leader or a follower, and if you're going to be a leader, lead, if you're going to be a follower, follow."

We're striving for consistency not only in the sound of what we're doing, in the commercials we're programming, in the general intellectual level of what we're doing but also in our ratings. So if you can go back over the past 4 books and average them out, they're all within our target zone. Last Fall we had a book, my first book, that just shot way up there and then we came back to where we were and then we went down just a hedge, but if you average them all out, we're far above where we were last year at the same time. So consistently on the average basis, on averaging 3 or 4 of the 8 books or whatever you want to do you'll see this steady climb or the steady maintainance.

R&R: So there's no immediate pressing of pahic buttons. SHEEHY: No. That's the one thing that I can see with CBS, that is by far the best, they're long range thinkers. It takes a little longer to get a little action out of them but when they do it they do it right and they're thinking 3 or 4 and 10 years ahead. I can show you graphs for 1984. They're thinking on a long-range scale.

R&R: Being an adult Rock station in Los Angeles, a major music center of the world, undoubtedly you have a lot of people in the music business listening to you. I've heard it said that a lot of artists listen to KNX-FM and are influenced by the station.

SHEEHY: That is true. It's absolutely amazing that you can sit there and program this or that and you'll have artists, they won't necessarily call you themselves but they'll have people call you. They're constantly searching for new material, and if you're playing music that is good music and then key into that ... A lot of times I feel like I should get a fee for finding material for people (kidding). I was just telling someone about Glen Campbell who first heard the Larry Weiss version of Rhinestone Cowboy on KNX-FM, put it out on his own and bang. I don't know whether this is true or not, but I know when I came up here last summer I brought one of my favorite artists, Alan Toussant, with me on record and amazingly enough Glen Campbell this year has gotten Southern Nights as a hit. I'm not claiming anything about that but it's an amazing coincidence. We have, everybody, I don't want to give you a whole lot of names...supposedly Joni Mitchell's office constantly has the station on and rightly so, because God knows how much, we have 50, 60, 70 Joni Mitchell songs on the air. But it's not only from that aspect. Yeah, we are the artists' station, I think we can safely say that.

R&R: Who are some of your most played artists?

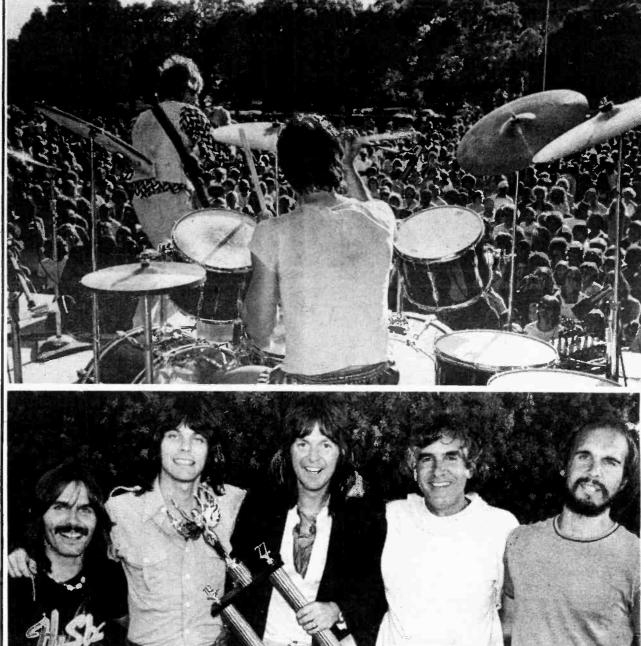
SHEEHY: Jackson Browne, most definitely, Eagles and Doobie Bros., Judy Collins, Bonnie Raitt has just recently become one of our more important people, obviously the Beatles, but not the Rolling Stones on the other hand because it's a difference in texture. The Phoebe Snow's, the Paul Simon's, the Simon & Garfunkel's, the Moody Blues, there is a wealth of stuff in the Moody Blues, people like that. People that deal on an intelligent level, speaking-wise talking about lyrically and very melodic-wise and put in a very palatable form music-wise.

R&R: If you were to program music on an all-purpose AOR or a hard AOR station, would you use basically the same methodology?

SHEEHY: Absolutely. Exactly the same, because there are only two kinds of music, good or bad. Who cares if it's in the first column on the album charts, if it's good music. You've got to create a demand for something, then it's going to go up the album charts. You can either be a leader or a follower, and if you're going to be a leader; lead, if you're going to be a follower, follow. The leaders are always going to be out in front.

R&R: Do you think that radio in general is losing sight of its role as a leader? Do you think its strength in that area is a self-imposed diminished one?

SHEEHY: I think radio spends entirely too much time looking over its shoulder and covering its ass and not enough time checking out what's coming up in the future and dealing with it before it's too late. So I think there's danger of the future of radio being limited. God knows where it's going to be in ten years, if it is indeed existent then. I guess the future is all of our responsibility.



Over 5,000 music fans attended KSAN's & Don Wehr's Music City's "The Big Playoff," in Provo Park, Berkeley, CA, recently to see the five finalist bands battle it out for "Best Band In The Bay Area." The Big Playoff Winners were "Hush." Pictured left to right "Hush" members Paul Keller, Bob Berry, Gene Perrault; Jerry Graham, General Manager, KSAN; and "Hush" member Roger Bonasera.



Jeff "Skunk" Baxter and Keith Knudsen of the Doobie Brothers took the DC101 Model A to the streets of Washington D.C. Pictured left to right: DC101's Dave Brown, and all-night jock Howard Page. Skunk said, "The Model A does not handle as well as his Bricklin, but then DC101 plays hit albums instead of recording them."

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Elvis Tributes

The entire radio industry certainly deserves to take a bow for the many hours of time and energy most took to turn out fitting final tributes to ELVIS PRESLEY. We had reports of some station personnel staying up more than 24 hours gathering information and music for their own specials. It would be impossible in this column, or anywhere, to mention everyone and every radio station that produced Elvis memorial shows. You know who you are, and this reporter salutes you all.

...And Now The News

Effective September 24, "Diamond Jim" BRADY will resign his position as Music Director and afternoon personality of WHK/Cleveland. Jim is returning to his home and will be doing the morning show, as well as the music, at WLYV/Fort Wayne, Indiana. He has been with WHK for two years. Brady told me he plans to be involved in some syndication work in the Contemporary Gospel field.He believes it will soon become one of the top radio formats of the future. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Jim for his help as an R&R reporter and, mostly, his friendship. Good luck, Jim...TOM MILLER, formerly of WCAW/Charleston, West Virginia, has been appointed PD of WWVA/Wheeling. The announcement was made by Station Manager, RICHARD HOWARD...MIKE BURNETTE has been selected PD of Z-104 (KOZN)/San Diego, by GM BERT WHALEN. BOB DARNELL will do the music chores. From B-100/San Diego comes CHRIS LANCE to do a weekend shift...PAUL WARNER, formerly of KSL, has joined WALT TURNER and staff as morning personality of WIL-FM. Current morning man, BILL COFFEY, will continue to do a morning show on WIL-FM...JIM DE MARCO, most recently at WTHI/Terre Haute is the new afternoon driver at WKDA/Nashville according to PD LES ACREE...

Country Record Industry Changes: Here is the latest regarding Capitol Record's Country Division. ED KEELEY has been named National Country Promotion Director. He will relocate from Nashville to Hollywood. (213) 462-6252. FRANK JONES will continue to head up the Nashville office and will be in charge of A&R. CHUCK FLOOD will also be working in the A&R division, as well as in the area of artist acquisition...JIM KEMP has been selected by RICK BLACKBURN, VP of Marketing, CBS Records, Nashville, to head the newlycreated position of Product Manager, Epic Records and CBS Associated Labels. SUSAN BINFORD joins the Nashville CBS staff as Manager, Press and Public Information. She will be working with Press Director MARY ANN McCREADY...ED PENNEY joins the staff of Acuff-Rose publishing in Nashville ..

More Radio News Notes: WXKW-FM/Allentown, Pennsylvania, owned and operated by Rust Communications Group, who also owns Allentown's WAEB, will change music formats to Country, effective September 1. The announcement was made by Station Manager SAMMY ANDERSON ... KMAS/Shelton, Washington, will soon be moving their offices and studios to a new "broadcast house." JACK ROLLINGS of the station dropped a note asking for artist salutes to the new facility. For information contact Rollings at (206) 426-4404...KRAK, our Sacramento, California, reporter, will participate, along with many other area radio stations, in the Radio Sales Executives of Sacramento Seminar. The first seminar for this newly formed organization will be held September 13, with special guest speakers to include CHUCK BLORE, "the King of radio commercials," according to many, and BOB WEED, RAB Vice President. I make mention of this event to remind you of a new R&R feature, our "Industry Calendar of Events." If your area broadcast association, state or local, are having a meeting or seminar, please keep us informed for use in the calendar section...More than 20,000 persons attended the recent KVOO/Tulsa sixth annual "Big Country Picnic."..

Job Openings: WWOK/Miami is looking for some full-time and part-time air talent. Contact RON TATAR with a tape and resume, 1699 Corral Way, Miami, 33145. By the way, the station is no longer for sale...KEED/Eugene needs a night personality with at least two years experience. Check with PD TOM EDWARDS (503) 344-1457 ... Entercom, Inc. is looking for a Country Program Director for a major-market station they are buying Contact SAM SHERWOOD at WAYL/Minneapolis (612) 633-9667...JOHN STEVENS, News Director of WVMI/Biloxi needs a newsperson (601) 388-2323.

RCA Artists & Product Dominate CMA Finalists

RCA Records' artists and much RCA product lead the list of nominees in the 1977 Country Music Association's annual awards, RCA' artist WAYLON JENNINGS headed the list with nominations in four categories and his single, "Luckenbach, Texas," was nominated as single of the year. In all, RCA artists and product were nominated fourteen times. The winners in each category will be announced on the CBS-TV special October 10 in Nashville. The show will be hosted by JOHNNY CASH from the Grand_Ole Opry. The following is a list of the finalists in each category:

Entertainer Of The Year: Merle Haggard, Waylon Jennings, Ronnie Milsap, Dolly Parton and Kenny Rogers Male Vocalist: Larry Gatlin, Waylon Jennings, Ronnie Milsap, Kenny Rogers, and Don

Williams. Female Vocalist: Crystal Gayle, Emmylou Harris, Loretta Lynn, Barbara Mandrell, and

Dolly Parton. Single Of The Year: "Margaritaville" by Jimmy Buffett; "Southern Nights" by Glen Campbell; "Luckenbach, Texas" by Waylon Jennings; "It Was Almost Like A Song" by Ronnie Milsap; and "Lucille" by Kenny Rogers.

Albums: "I Don't Want To Have To Marry You" by Jim Ed Brown and Helen Cornelius;

"OI" Waylon" by Waylon Jennings; "I Remember Patsy" by Loretta Lynn; "Ronnie Milsap Live" and "Kenny Rogers.

Vocal Duo: Anderson and Turner; Brown and Cornelius; Jennings and Nelson; Lynn and Twitty; Wynette and Jones.

Vocal Group: Asleep At The Wheel; Dave & Sugar; the Eagles; the Oak Ridge Boys; and the Statler Brothers.

Instrumentalist Group: Asleep At The Wheel; the Charlie Daniels Band; Danny Davis and the Nashville Brass; the Marshall Tucker Band; and the Original Texas Playboys Instrumentalists: Chet Atkins, Roy Clark, Johnny Gimble, Charlie McCoy, and Hargus

"Pig" Robbins Song Of The Year: This category honors the songwriters. Roger Bowling and Hal Bynum for "Lucille;" Hal David and Archie Jordan for "It Was Almost Like A Song;" Bobby Emmons and Chip Moman for "Luckenbach, Texas;" Kent Robbins for "I'm A Stand By Your Woman Man;" and Allen Toussant for "Southern Nights."

I am really beginning to hate Tuesdays. Last week it was Elvis. This week a grand lady and friend passed away. For many years, before joining R&R, I was proud to be one of her weekly reporters. This year in New York and Tulsa we worked together for the good of the Country radio industry through the CMA. On a midnight panel at this year's Country Radio Seminar we had a chance to compare notes on the industry. She gave so much to this business. JANET GAVIN: You will be missed by all.



Kathy Morgan (center), proprietor of the now famous Luckenbach, Texas, was the highest bidder (\$450) for a quart of first place chili at the First Annual KKYX/San Antonio, "Great Country Good Ol' Summertime Picnic and Chili Cook-off." The event drew an estimated 15,000 people. Entertainment was provided by Brian Collins, David Houston, Ronnie Sessions, Stonie Edwards and many other Country performers. Proceeds for the event went to the Turtle Creek Optimist Club youth center project. Pictured (back row, left to right) Max Gardener, KKYX Music Director; Ted Scofield, Teardrop Records; Paul Morgan, Program Director; and Pat Tallman, morning man. (Front row, left to right) members of the winning chili cook's family; Kathy Morgan; and KKYX General Manager, Bill Rhode.

Inside Nashville

HEADLINES & FOOTNOTES: MARTY HAGGARD, 19 year old son of MERLE, is recovering from that bullet wound in the stomach he suffered when robbed by a hitchiker. The culprit netted \$4 from the armed robbery...Rolling Stone's interview with DULLY PARION revealed some things you might not have known about her. Like the endless question as to whether Dolly puts up a false front; as to whether or not her husband CARL DEAN has ever seen her perform...Dolly says let them figure it out for themselves...The movie premiere in Nashville of "For The Love Of Benji" benefitted the Nashville Humane Shelter and featured the star of the movie, BENJI, the lovable, huggable, tug-at-your-heart. Chairman (?) of the event was MRS. HENRY CANNON (MIN-NIE PEARL)...TED JOHNSON, WSM morn-

ing jock for the past ten years, left his hometown to move to a production job in Dallas..."The West Virginia Prison Blues' this week when JOHNNY CASH played the State Fair there but didn't have time to fit it into his schedule. He was there 1972 for the inmates and sai it next time he's through there...

JACK STAPP and BUDDY KILLEN, heads of Tree International are getting set to install a 16-track recording facility on the ground floor of Tree's Music Row office building. The 2,800 square foot installation will cost \$150,000 and will be used exclusively for recording demonstration tapes of Tree's 50 contract writers. Tree International is said to be the largest publisher of Country music in the world. The studio should be completed and in operation by January, 1978. Continued on page 57

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TWO WEEKS

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"Breakers" are those newer records that have the greatest level of station activity on any given week.

FREDDY FENDER

If You Love Me (Why Don't You Leave Me Alone) (ABC/Dot)

Starting to pick up in all markets. Chart activity: 34-27 WIRE, 30-24 KIKK, 21-14 WWVA, 29-24 KGBS, 39-30 KLAC, 25-20 WAME, 25-19 KGA, 33-24 WHOO, debut 19 WRCP, 28-20 KRZY, 31-19 WONE, debut 30 KNEW, debut 30 KNIX. Added at WJJD, KCUB, KHAK.

JERRY REED

East Bound And Down (RCA) Very strong phone record. New adds include: WDEE, WPIK, WSUN, KAYO, KRAK, and others. Charted: 20-11 KRMD, 37-28 WWVA, debut 31 WHK, debut 27 WPLO, 32-22 KNIX,

28 WWVA, debut 31 WHK, debut 27 WPLO, 32-22 KNIX, 22-15 WWOK, debut 30 WDAF, debut 29 KGBS, debut 28 WSLR.

MEL TILLIS

I Got The Hoss (MCA)

Strong request action. Added at: KGBS, WHK, WWVA, WPIK. Charted: 28-9 KJJJ, 28-22 KAYO, 38-26 WMC, 35-29 KCKC, 31-24 KRZY, debut 28 KNEW, debut 19 WDAF, debut 29 KMPS, debut 27 WSLR.

THE KENDALLS

Heaven's Just A Sin Away (Ovation) The number-one request song in the country. New adds include: WHN, KLAC, WDEE,KENR, WUBE, KCUB, KAYO, WDAF,WONE, WWVA, KNIX, WIXZ, and others. Chart activity includes: 34-26 KCKC, 27-21 WSLR, 24-10 WWOK, debut 29 KNEW, debut 30 WPLO, 36-26 KRMD, 19-11 WWJO, debut 22 KMPS, debut 17 WAME.



EDDIE RABBITT "We Can't Go On Living Like This" (Elektra) A "Most Added" record. Stations include WHK, KRMD, WHN, KNEW, WONE, WDEE, WAME, WVMI, WIXZ and many more. Charted: 40-22 KJJJ, debut 27 WWOK, debut 29 WSUN, 31-23 KFOX, 30-12 KCKC.

DON WILLIAMS "I'm Just A Country Boy" (ABC/Dot) Instant add at most stations. The "Most Added" record of the week. Some stations include KCUB, WPLO, WHK, WMC, KNEW, KLAC, KCKN, KMPS, WWVA, WWOK, KGBS, KFDI, WHOO and many others.

REX ALLEN, JR. "Don't Say Goodbye" (WB) Strongest week yet. Added at KENR, WUBE, WDAF, WJQS. Charted: 28-23 KGBS, debut 29 WJJD, 28-19 WSUN, debut 27 KNEW, 29-23 KRZY, 51-40 KLAC, debut 23 KCKN, 35-25 KRMD, debut 26 KMPS.

BILLIE JO SPEARS "Too Much Is Not Enough" (UA) Continues to pickup. Added at WSM, WPIK, WHK, KHEY, WSLR; KHOS, KEED, WAME, KGA, KCKN, KXRB, WJQS and others.

KENNY DALE "Shame, Shame On Me" (Capitol) Adds include KNEW, WRCP, WDEE, KGA, WWOK, WPOR, KEED, KRZY, WONE. Chart activity: 21-16 KAYO, 31-23 KRMD, debut 27 KMPS, 33-27 KNIX.

BARBARA MANDRELL "Hold On" (ABC/Dot) Good early response. Added at KIKK, KCUB, KFDI, KENR, KKYX, WPLO, WIRE, WIL, KNIX, KRZY, KMPS, WWVA, WTHI and others.

GENE WATSON "The Old Man And His Horn" (Capitol) Chart action: 27-18 KAYO, 24-18 WSM, 18-10 KIKK, 17-7 KENR, debut 25 KLAK, debut 24 WWOK. New stations include KLAC, KGA, KRZY, WAME, KRAK.

LYNN ANDERSON "He Ain't You" (Columbia) Good start. Added at WSM, KENR, KCUB, KFDI, WIRE, WTSO, KMPS, WLOL, KKYX, KFGO and more. STELLA PARTON "The Danger Of A Stranger (Elektra) Charted: 29-20 KNEW, 28-23 KCKC, 37-25 KNIX, 35-28 KLAC, debut 29 WAME, debut 26 KAYO, debut 28 KMPS. New adds include WUBE, WSUN, WVMI, WRCP, WTHI.

JIM ED BROWN & HELEN CORNELIUS "If It Ain't Love By Now" (RCA) New adds include WHK, KLVI, KIKK, KENR, KHOS, WJJD, WIRK-

FM, KRMD, KLAC, WFNC and more. Early chart 36-27 WNYN. BOBBY BORCHERS "What A Way To Go" (Playboy) First week adds include WIRE, KCUB, KGBS, KJJJ, WWOK, KAYO, KGA, KFDI, KEED, KLAK, KWMT, WTSO and others.

NARVEL FELTS "To Love Somebody" (ABC/Dot) Beginning to gain. Added at WSLR, KFOX, WUNI, KRMD, KGA, WJQS, WSM, KWMT, KEED, WFNC. Debut 30 WHK.

JOHNNY RODRIGUEZ "Eres Tu" (Mercury) Strong first week. Added at WPLO, WIRE, KLAC, KFDI, WSM, KIKK, WMC, KKYX, KWMT, WMUS-FM, KHAK, KCUB and others.

TANYA TUCKER "Dancing The Night Away" (MCA) New stations include KCUB, WPIK, WPLO, WUNI, WRCP, WSLR, KLAC, WTHI, WPIK, WTLB. Early charts: debut 27 KAYO, 30-26 KNIX.

JIM REEVES "Little Ole Dime" (RCA) Good early phone response reported. Added at WPLO, KFDI, WMC, WIL, KNIX, KRMD, WIRK-FM, WSM,

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4	1	0	CRYSTAL GALE/Don't It Make My Brown Eyes Blue(UA)	
6	4	Õ	GLEN CAMPBELL/Sunflower (Capitol)	
3	2	3	MERLE HAGGARD/Ramblin' Fever (MCA)	
7	6	0	VERN GOSDIN/Till The End (Elektra)	
2	5	5	ELVIS PRESLEY/Way Down/Pledging My Love (RCA)	
17	9	0	CONWAY TWITTY/I've Already Loved You In My Mind (MCA)	
1	3	7	CHARLIE RICH/Rollin' With The Flow (Epic)	
15	8	8	GEORGE JONES & TAMMY WYNETTE/Southern California (Epic)	
13	11	0	DOTTSY/(After Sweet Memories) Play Born To Lose Again (RCA)	
25	20	0	KENNY ROGERS/Daytime Friends (UA)	
20	15	0	DAVE & SUGAR/That's The Way Love Should Be(RCA)	
9	7	12	JOHNNY PAYCHECK/I'm The Only Hell (Mama Ever Raised) (Epic)	
10	13	13	JOHNNY DUNCAN/A Song In The Night (Columbia)	
23	19	0	JOE STAMPLEY/Baby, I Love You So (Epic)	
11	14	15	LARRY GATLIN/I Don't Wanna Cry (Monument)	
29	22	Φ	OAK RIDGE BOYS/Y'all Come Back Saloon (ABC/Dot)	
24	21	Ø	DON GIBSON/If You Ever Get To Houston (Look Me Down) (ABC/Hick	(ory)
_	31	Ο	WILLIE NELSON/I Love You A Thousand Ways (Columbia)	
32	26	Ð	FREDDIE HART/The Pleasure's Been All Mine (Capitol)	
5	16	20	RONNIE MILSAP/It Was Almost Like A Song (RCA)	
34	25	Ø	ANDERSON & TURNER/Where Are You Going Billy Boy (MCA)	
12	12	22	MICKEY GILLEY/Honky Tonk Memories (Playboy)	
8	10	23	BILLY "Crash" CRADDOCK/A Tear Fell (ABC/Dot)	
_	34	0	LORETTA LYNN/Why Can't He Be You (MCA)	
- 33	27	25	DICKEY LEE/Virginia, How Far Will You Go (RCA)	
19	17	26	MEL STREET/Barbara, Don't Let Me Be The Last To Know (Polydor)	
40	36	0	TOM T. HALL/It's All in The Game (Mercury)	
38	29	28	FARON YOUNG/Crutches (Mercury)	
_		0	FREDDY FENDER/If You Love Me (Why Don't You Leave Me Alone) (AE	C/Dot)
14	18	30	LYNN & TWITTY/I Can't Love You Enough (MCA)	
16	23	31	MEL McDANIEL/Gentle To Your Senses (Capitol)	
-	38	0	JERRY REED/East Bound And Down (RCA)	
39	33	33	JERRY WALLACE/I Miss You Already (BMA)	
18	24	34	MOE BANDY/Cowboys Ain't Supposed To Cry (Columbia)	
-	-	0	MEL TILLIS/I Got The Hoss (MCA)	
-	-	00	THE KENDALLS/Heaven's Just A Sin Away (Ovation)	New
36	35	37	TANYA TUCKER/You Are So Beautiful (Columbia)	Entries
_		38	REX ALLEN, JR/Don't Say Goodbye (WB)	
-		39	MUNDO EARWOOD/Behind Blue Eyes (True)	
_		40	KENNY DALE/Shame, Shame On Me (Capitol)	
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KWMT, KKYX and others

STATLER BROTHERS "Silver Medals And Sweet Memories" (Mercury) Beginning to pickup. Added at KNEW, WVMI, KERE, WJJD, WWOK, WDEE, WHK, WONE, WPOR and others. Charted: 35-29 WSM. SUSIE ALLANSON "Baby Don't Keep Me Hangin' On" (WB) Some very good regional phone response. Added at WILD, WILPE, KCILB, WIL

good regional phone response. Added at WJJD, WUBE, KCUB, WIL, WEAT. Charts include 28-23 WHK, 37-29 KRMD, 38-28 WONE, 20-15 WLOL, debut 30 KFOX.

GEORGE JONES "If I Could Put Them All Together" (Epic) Adds include KCKN, KGA, KEED, KHEY, WHBF, KJJJ, WWVA, WAME and some others.

RONNIE SESSIONS "Ambush" (MCA) Gaining. Added at KRAK, WPOR, WNYN, WJJD. Charts include debut 23 KERE, 31-22 WWVA, 29-20 WLOL, debut 30 WSLR, 21-14 KLAK.

BOB LUMAN "I'm A Honky Tonk Woman's Man" (Polydor) Chart activity: debut 28 WAME, 36-29 KRZY, 40-29 KENR, debut 29 WSLR. Added at KCKN, WTHI, WTSO.

CRISTY LANE "Let Me Down. Easy" (LS) New adds include KFOX, KRMD, WJQS, WIRK-FM, KERE, KFGO, KLAK.

Others Getting Significant Action

ED BRUCE "When I Die Just Let Me Go To Texas" (Epic) Added at: WIRK-FM, WLOL, KCEY.

DORSEY BURNETTE "Things I Treasure" (Calliope) New adds include: KAYO, WUNI. Charted debut 30 WSUN, 33-23 WLOL, 35-28 KRZY, debut 20 WPLO.

JOHNNY CASH "Lady" (Columbia) New stations: WRCP, KERE, KRAK, WSLR, KMPS. 29-23 KNIX. ROY CLARK "We Can't Build A Fire In The Rain" (ABC/Dot) Adds

include: KLAK, KGBS, KRAK, WHBF. MUNDO EARWOOD "Behind Blue Eyes" (True) Just added at KCKC.

23-17 KSON, debut 25 WSUN. MERLE HAGGARD "A Working Man Can't Get Nowhere Today" (Capitol)

Added atWIRE, WUNI, KEED, KGA, KJJJ, KMPS. Debut 27 KCKC. SHERRI JERRICO "Thanks For Leaving" (Gusto-Starday) Some regional response. Added at KCKC, KFDI.

MARGO & NORRO "So Close Again" (WB) Just added at WPLO, WONE, KLAK, WLAS, Continued on page 56



DON WILLIAMS Country Boy (ABC/Dot) EDDIE RABBITT We Can't Go On Living (Elektra) BILLIE JO SPEARS Too Much Is Not Enough (UA) LYNN ANDERSON He Ain't You (Columbia) BARBARA MANDRELL Hold Me (ABC/Dot)

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1	ELVIS PRESLEY (RCA)				
2	THE KENDALLS (Ovation)				
3	JERRY REED (RCA)				
4	KENNY ROGERS (UA)				
5	CRYSTAL GAYLE (UA)				
6	GLEN CAMPBELL (Capitol)				
7	OAK RIDGE BOYS (ABC/Dot)				
8	CHARLIE RICH (Epic)				
9	MEL TILLIS (MCA)				
10	CONWAY TWITTY (MCA)				

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Others Getting Significant Action

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ROGER MILLER "Baby Me Baby" (Windsong) Adds include WSM, KFDI, KFOX.KKYX MARY MacGREGOR "For Awhile" (Ariola-America) Adds include WPLO,

KENR. WILLIE NELSON "You Ought To Hear Me Cry" (RCA) Added at KCKC,

KCUB, KFDI, NICK NIXON "Love Songs And Romance Music" (Mercury) Number one

at WIL. Added WHK. BUCK OWENS "Our Old Mansion" (WB) Added at KFDI, KFOX.

PAL RAKES "Til I Can't Take It Anymore" (WB) Chart activity: 38-29

WWVA, 26-22 WHK, debut 30 KLAK, 38-34 WPIK. Added at WSUN. SUSAN RAYE "It Didn't Have To Be A Diamond" (UA) New stations

include KRZY, KRMD, KLVI, WPOR, WHBF. 38-31 KHEY. JOHN WESLEY RYLES "Once In A Lifetime Thing" (ABC/Dot) Added

at KRMD, KLAK, WLOL, KJJJ, WFNC. Charted 32-25 WHK, debut 30 WSUN. RAY SANDERS "I Don't Want To Be Alone Tonight" (Republic) Added at WTSO, KRZY, KRMD, WHBF.

SUNDAY SHARPE "Hold On Tight" (Playboy) Debut 30 KERE. Added at WIRE, WTSO, KFOX.

JACKY WARD "Fools Fall In Love" (Mercury) New stations include KIKK, KCUB, KFDI, WMUS.

JIM WEATHERLY "All That Keeps Me Going" (ABC) Added at WSUN. Charts 30-20 KAYO, 34-28 WLOL, debut 29 KFOX, debut 25 KMPS. FREDDY WELLER "Nobody Cares But You" (Columbia) Added at KFDI, WHOO, KMPS, WIRK-FM.

HANK WILLIAMS, JR. "I'm Not Responsible" (WB) Added at KLAK, WLOL, WLAS, XUGR.



WFMB/Springfield, Illinois, recently held their First Annual Country Music Festival in Petersburg, Illinois. The crowd was estimated at 12,000 covering three acres of land. On the show were Don Williams; Jody Miller; Nick Nixon, and the Oak Ridge Boys. Pictured backstage are Larry Neal, WFMB air personality; Jody Miller; Greg Brown of WFMB and Jay Matthew, the all-night personality of WFMB.

Country Albums

Album cuts receiving airplay and activity:

BILL ANDERSON (MCA): "Still The One" and "Velvet And Steel" BOBBY BORCHERS (Playboy): "All That's Good In Life" "Lunchtime Lovers" "Shawn" and "There's More To Her Than Meets The Eye"

BROWN & CORNELIUS (RCA): "Here Today And Gone Tomorrow" "It "Ready To Take My Chances" and "Between A Man Takes So Long" And A Woman

JOHNNY CASH (Columbia): "Hit The Road And Go" "If It Wasn't For The Wabash River" and "No Earthly Good"

CRYSTAL GAYLE (UA): "Green Door" and "I Want To Come Back To You" VERN GOSDIN (Elektra): "First Time Ever I Saw Your Face" "Mother Country Music" and "It Started All Over Again"

MERLE HAGGARD (MCA): "Love Somebody To Death" "Set Me Free" and "When My Blue Moon Turns To Gold Again"

TOM T. HALL (Mercury): "Time Takes Care Of Few Things" "And I Love You So""Goodbye Cowgirl" and "Little Green Flowers"

BARBARA MANDRELL (ABC/Dot): "How Long Does It Take" "After The Lovin" and "Lovers, Friends & Strangers"

ROGER MILLER (Windsong): "Oklahoma Woman"

WILLIE NELSON (Columbia): "Mom & Dad Waltz" and "That's The Way Love Goes

STELLA PARTON (Elektra): "Standard Lie Number One" JOHNNY PAYCHECK (Epic): "You're Gonna Be The Cowboy" "You're Still On My Mind" "The Right Thing" and "She's Still Looking Good"

JERRY REED (MCA): "Westbound And Down" and "Smokey & Bandit" KENNY ROGERS (UA): "Ghost Of Another Man" "Sweet Music Man"

"Desperado" and "My World Begins And Ends With You" HANK SNOW (RCA): "I'm Still Movin' On" "I've Done At Least One

Thing" and "Breakfast With The Blues" BILLIE JO SPEARS (UA): "Seeing Is Believing" "Heartbreak Hotel" "That's

. What Friends Are For" and "She's Out There Dancing "Summer" STATLER BROTHERS (Mercury): "Star" "Some i Wrote"

and "Saturday Night Setback" TWITTY & LYNN (MCA): "Hey Good Lookin" "We're Much Too Close"

"Try It One More Time" and "Where Love Gathers Dust" DOTTLE WEST (UA): "By Your Side" "Save A Little For The Morning"

"Till I Can Get It Right" and "All Night Long"

Active Re-currents

WAYLON JENNINGS/Luckenbach, Tx. (RCA); KENNY ROGERS/Lucille (UA); EDDIE RABBITT// Can't Help Myself (Elektra); BARBARA MANDRELL/ Married But Not To Each Other (ABC/Dot; DONNA FARGO That Was Yesterday (WB); JIMMY BUFFETT/Margaritaville (ABC); JOHNNY DUNCAN/ It Couldn't Have Been Any Better (Columbia)

WIRE WGTO Cypress Gardens, Fl. Indianapolis, In. Don Williams Loretta Lynr Rex Allen, Jr. Roy Clark Billie Jo Spears David Houston John W. Ryles WONE Narvel Felts Gene Watson Bobby Borchers Eddie Middleton Don Williams John W. Ryles Dayton, Oh. Kenny Dale Kendalis Kendalis Statler Bros. Narvel Felts Margo & Norro Eddie Rabbitt Ibuquerque, N.M. Susan Raye Barbara Mandrell KERE Denver, Co. Cristy Lane Statler Bros, Johnny Cash KLAK Denver, Co. Don Williams Tanya Tucker Barbara Mandrell Hank Williams, Jr Cristy Lane Bobby Borchers Anderson & Turner Margo & Norro Johnny Rodriguez Mary MacGregor Margo & Norro John W. Ryles Roy Clark WDEE KUZZ Bakersfield, Ca. Detroit, Mi. Kenny Dale Kendalle Jerry Reed Eddie Rabbitt Statler Bros KHEY El Paso, Tx. Oak Ridge Boys Loretta Lynn Peggy Forman Glen Campbell Elvis Presley George Jones Freddy Hart Billie Jo Spears Dave & Sugar Brown &Cornelius Billie Jo Spears KEED. Eugene, Or Kenny Date George Jones Narvel Felts Merle Haggard (Cap) Billie Jo Spears Don Williams Gene Watson Bobby Borchers Cindy Hansberry KFGO KFGO Fargo, N.D. Jim Reeves Del Reeves Merle Haggard (Cap) Lynn Anderson Cristy, Less Ronnie Sessions Stella Parton Cristy Lane Barbara Mandrell Robbin Stretton WFNC Fayetteville, N.C. KHAK Cedar Rapids, Iw. Eddie Rabbitt Johnny Rodriguez Freddy Fender Statler Bros. Jerry Reed Brown & Cornelius Gene Watson Jim Reeves John W. Ryles Narvel Felts KWMT Fort Dodge, Ia. Don Williams Jim Reeves Bobby Borchers Narvel Felts Ronnie Sessions Freddy' Fender Susie Allanson Statler Bros. Brown & Cornelius Lynn Anderson Johnny Rodriguez WBAP Ft. Worth, Tx Gene Watson Statler Bros. Tom T. Hall Jennifer Warnes Narvel Felts Moe Bandy Kendalis Pal Rakes Jim Mundy KUGR Green River, Wy Mel Tillis Jim Reeves Hank Williams, Jr Susie Allanson Don Williams KENR Houston, Tx. Kendalls Rex Allan, Jr. Lynn Anderson Barbara Mandrell Brown & Cornelius Brown & Cornelius Mary Mac Gregor Con Hunley KIKK KCEY Colorado Springs, Co. Houston, Tx. Jacky Ward James Pastell Barbara Mandrell Brown & Cornelius Johnny Rodriguez Kate Taylor

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Akron, Oh.

Tanya Tucker Johnny Cash Billie Jo Spear Narvel Felts Sam Neely

WOKO Albany, N.Y.

KRZY

Ray Sanders Kenny Dale Gene Watson

WPLO Atlanta, Ga

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Susie Allanson Jim Reeves

Eddie Rabbitt Statler Bros. Darrell McCall George Jones

WPOC-FM Baltimore, Md.

KLVI Beaumont, Tx.

Eddie Rabbitt

Loretta Lynn

Faron Young

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Jerry Wallace

Freddie Hart

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Roy Clark John W. Ryles

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KRDR Portland, Or.

Willie Nelson

KBET Reno, Nv.

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Rock Island, III.

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George Jones Susan Raye Eddie Rabbitt

Ray Sanders

Sacramento, Ca.

Jerry Reed Johnny Cash Ronnie Sessions

St. Cloud, Mn

Eddie Rabbitt

St. Louis, Mo

Susie Allanson

Barbara Mandrell

WSUN St. Petersburg, Fl.

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KKYX San Antonio, Tx.

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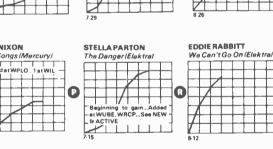
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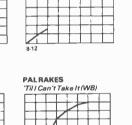
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	The "Most Added" record of the week. See NEW & ACTIVE	Added a WSUN, 22



During a recent appearance in Seattle, RCA artist WAYLON JENNINGS and his wife, Capitol's Jessi Colter took out time to greet members of the radio and record community. Pictured (left to right) Ben Peyton, Program Director of KAYO/Seattle; Jack reynold, Capitol Records, Seattle; the obviously very happy Carson Schreiber, RCA Records, Hollywood; Adrienne Huffine, capitol, Seattle; Bo Wiley, evening personality at KAYO; Ol' Jessi; Stan Forman, Capitol, Seattle; and Ol' Waylon.



Pueblo, Colorado, Country station KIDN sent along the artwork used on the station's window stickers. The station is doing various promotions around the use of the stickers.

Biff Collie

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WAYLON JENNINGS' Road Manager (former!) JOHN YURIC's \$100,000 suit does not include, Yuric says, the more than \$10,000 Waylon owes him under a contract for January 1975 to July 1976, nor does it include his half of the \$5,000 finder's fee for Yuric's arrangement to have Jennings handle the soundtrack for the ROY ROGERS movie "McIntosh & T.J." Oh yes, and that car Jennings was to furnish his former manager under the terms of their agreement...Since ROY SMITH, Manager of Opryland Productions since January 1975, resigned a couple of weeks ago, street talk about the reasons have prompted discussions of the nearly \$150,000 in losses during the first quarter of 1977. Opryland spokesmen say "only portions of it were the result of increased manpower, production and manpower costs and larger staff. Opryland Productions has been active in taping national TV specials and re-

gular shows such as "Dolly," "Pop Goes The Country" (Ralph Emery's show), "Marty Robbins Show," "Porter Wagoner Show," "Nashville On The Road," "Candid Camera," and others, plus specials like the Ann-Margaret "Rhinestone Cowgirl" special with Bob Hope. Smith says he will announce plans shortly which include new projects. ROY SMITH is a brother of KNEW/ Oakland GM HALSMITH.

REALLY: Next time you plan a get-together at the house, invite JACK GREENE over, and ask him to bring chili omelets! He's one of the world's greatest backyard gourmets. His specialties: Green chili omelet, Taco Con Queso ("Sho' Nuff!"), Hillbilly Beans, and ovenbaked cabbage! (Pass the cornbread!!), Jack is a country boy from East Tennessee, worked all his life to get off the farm; finally "Hit A Lick Or Two," and the first thing he bought was...a farm!

POP/ADULT



3	5	6	ANDY GIBB/I Just Want To Be Your Everything (RSO)
9	7	7	COMMODORES/Easy (Motown)
11	11	0	STEPHEN BISHOP/On And On (ABC)
7	6	9	GLEN CAMPBELL/Sunflower (Capitol)
16	13	O	CARLY SIMON/Nobody Does It Better (Elektra)
6	8	11	RITA COOLIDGE/Higher & Higher (A&M)
18	12	12	FLEETWOOD MAC/Don't Stop (WB)
2	2	13	BARBRA STREISAND/My Heart Belongs To Me (Columbia)
20	14	14	LEO SAYER/How Much Love (WB)
21	18	O	RONNIE MILSAP/It Was Almost Like A Song (RCA)
25	20	Φ	CAROLE KING/Hard Rock Cafe (Capitol)
26	17	17	MAC McANALLY/It's A Crazy World (Ariola America)
24	22	Φ	JENNIFER WARNES/I'm Dreaming (Arista)
8	15	19	BARRY MANILOW/Looks Like We Made It (Arista)
37	26	0	KENNY ROGERS/Daytime Friends (UA)
17	21	21	ALICE COOPER/You And Me(WB)
14	19	22	PETER FRAMPTON/I'm In You (A&M)
40	33	0	CRYSTAL GAYLE/Don't It Make My Brown Eyes Blue(UA)
35	32	0	SANFORD-TOWNSEND BAND/Smoke From A Distant Fire(WB)
13	16	25	ELVIS PRESLEY/Way Down (RCA)
32	27	26	NEIL SEDAKA/Alone At Last (Elektra)
36	28	27	BEE GEES/Edge Of The Universe (RSO)
_	36	0	MECO/Star Wars (Millenium)
33	31	29	YVONNE ELLIMAN/I Can't Get You Out Of My Mind (RSO)
15	25	30	ENGLAND DAN & J.F. COLEY/It's Sad To Belong (Big Tree)
22	24	31	PETER McCANN/Do You Wanna Make Love (20th)
19	23	32	BAY CITY ROLLERS/You Made Me Believe In Magic (Arista)
	40	33	FIREFALL/Just Remember Love You (Atlantic)
39	34	34	JOHNNY MATHIS/Arianne (Columbia)
30	37	35	CHARLIE RICH/Rollin' With The Flow (Epic)
. –	38	36	EMOTIONS/Best Of My Love (Columbia)
 34	30	37	ELO/Telephone Line (UA/Jet)
_	-	38	JIM WEATHERLY/All That Keeps Me Going (ABC)
-	-	39	GEORGE BENSON/The Greatest Love Of All (Arista)
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Most Added

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ment from the majority of our reporters

CRYSTAL GAYLE Don't it Make My Brown Eyes Blue (UA) MARILYN McCOO& BILLY DAVIS JR. Look What You've Done To My Heart (ABC) KATE TAYLOR

It's in His Kiss (Colum STARLAND VOCAL BAND The Light Of My Life (Windson

The Hottest

JAMES TAYLOR

Handy Man (Columb Still locked into the number one slot...11 WSM. 1-1 WORG, 1-1 WSIX, 1-1 14RKO, 1-1 WAKR, 1-1 WCRV, 5-1 WBT, 3-1 WTRX, 8-1 WOWO, 2-1 WATR, 4-3 KUKI, 8-5 WDAE, 10-5 14FBL, 43 KSD, 98 KDWN, 32 KULF, 43 WFAR. plus hot reports from KMBZ, WMAL, KOB, WASH, WEEI-FM, KXLY, KVI, KGIL, KCRA, WHAM, WTAE, KEX, KNBR, WIP, WNEW, WTMJ, WQUD, WLVA, KHOW, WGR, WCBM.

B.J. THOMAS

in't Worry E by (MCA) Continues to be one of the strongest ... 1-1 KAKE. 2-1 KRMG, 3-2 WATR, 16-12 KSD, 4-3 KBLF, 3-2 WORG, 8-7 KDWN, 9-4 KULF, 14-11 WTRX, 3-2 14RKO, 13-9 WFYR, 7-5 WCHV, 7-5 WAKR, 3-3 WSIX and reporting hot at WASH, WSJS, WHIZ, KXLY, KVI, KGIL, KCRA, KEX, WIP, WNEW, WQUD, WLVA, KOB.

JOHNNY RIVERS

Swayin' To The Music (Big Tree) 16-6 KAKE, 12-9 WATR, 7-4 KUKI, 11-8 KSD, 12-7 WORG. 11-7 WCMB, 18-12 WFTL, 20-14 WFDF, 15-10 14RKO, 10-6 WCHV, 12-10 WAKR, and hot reports from WIP, KCRA, WIP, WMAL, WASH, WSJS, WNEW, WTMJ, WQUD and WGR.

STAR WARS

Main Theme (20th) Real strong in the hot department...14-7 KMPC, 26-17 KULF, 6-3 WSM, 12-6 KRMG, 7-3 WATR, 10-5 KAKE, 14-11 WFTL, 19-15 WTRX, 22-15

WFDF, 16-9 14RKO, 16-11 WFYH and reporting hot at WIBW, KNBR, WLVA, WTMJ, WNEW, KEX, 14RKO, 16-11 WFYR and reporting hot at WIBW, KNBR, WLVA, WTMJ, WNEW, KEX, KCRA, KVI, WSJS, WKIQ, WYMC

BROTHERS JOHNSON/Strawberry Letter 23(A&M)

This chart is based solely on airplay compiled from our reporting stations. Black circled numbers indicate continued upward

Others Getting Significant Hot Reports: STEPHEN BISHOP/On And On (ABC); CROSBY, STILLS & NASH/Just A Song Before I Go (At lantic); CARLY SIMON/Nobody Does It Better (Elektra); RONNIE MILSAP/It Was Almost Like A Song (RCA).



Marilyn McCoo & Billy Davis, Jr. are currently scoring with their latest release (see New & Active) and recently visited with staff members of WNEW-AM/New York. Pictured left to right: Mickey Wallach, NY Promotion Man for ABC; Dean Tyloer PD; Billy; Bill Dalton GM; Marilyn; Bob Fitzsimmons, station personality. The duo was kept extremely busy with the radio station visit, a press interview and an autograph signing session at E.J. Korvettes' 5th Avenue store that drew a crowd of 700 people.

NEW & ACTIVE

CRYSTAL GAYLE

Don't It Make My Brown Eyes Blue (UA) Very strong Pop/Adult spread now...Adds include WHAM, KGIL, WSJS, WEELFM, WYMC, KMRJ, WBT, WAKR, 14RKO, WTRX, WGGA, KRMG, WIP, KOB.

MARILYN McCOO & BILLY DAVIS, JR.

Look What You've Done To My Heart (ABC) Biggest week so far...Add KNBR, WQUD, WIOD, WTMJ, WTAE, WMAL, WATR, KRKK, WORG, WTRX, KMRJ, WSJS, WIBW.

KATE TAYLOR

It's In His Kiss (Columbia)

Lots of talk from Pop/Adult programmers on this one... Adds include WGR, KMBZ, WNEW, KEX, WTAE, WGY, WMAL, WASH, WEEI-FM, KDWN, WATR.

STARLAND VOCAL BAND The Light Of My Life (Windsong)

Add WTMJ, WIOD, KXLY, WYMC, KMRJ, WHIZ, 14RKO, WSIX.

BROTHERS JOHNSON "Strawberry Letter 23" (A&M) Add WCBM, WASH, WYMC, WCHV, WFDF, WCMB, WGGA. NEIL SEDAKA "Alone At Last" (Elektra) Add KOB, WDAE, WCMB,

WFTL, WFDF, WCHV, WAKR. PAUL NICHOLAS "Heaven On The 7th Floor" (RSO) Add WIP, KEX.

KGIL, KVI, WMAL, WSJS. KC & THE SUNSHINE BAND "Keep It Comin' Love" (TK) Add KAKE, 14FBL, KRKK, KMPC, 14RKO, WLVA.

FIREFALL "Just Remember I Love You" (Atlantic) Add KRMG, WCMB, WTRX, WOUD, WLVA.

PETER FRAMPTON "Signed, Sealed, Delivered" (A&M) Add WGR, KHNY, WYMC, WCHV, KUKI. KENNY ROGERS "Daytime Friends" (UA) Add WBEN, KAKE, KRMG,

WAKR, WLVA. ERIC CARMEN "She Did It" (Arista) Add KEX, KRKK, KHNY, KUKI.

DON WILLIAMS "I'm Just A Country Boy" (ABC/Dot) Add WHIO, WIOD, KCRA, WGY.

CLIFF RICHARD "Try A Smile" (MCA) Add KMBZ, WSJS, KMRJ, KKYK. JACK JONES "Dixie Chicken" (RCA) Add WHIO, WSIX, WHIZ.

DAVID SOUL "Silver Lady" (Private Stock) Add WCCO, WSM, KUKI.

MECO "Star Wars" (Millenium) Add WTMJ, WTRX, 14RKO. SANFORD-TOWNSEND BAND "Smoke From A Distant Fire" (WB) Add WTAE, WCMB, WHIZ.



Reactions of disbelief continue to come in more than a week after Elvis' death. Most Pop/Adult programmers and air personalities were around to feel the initial impact the man had on the business in the mid-fifties. All P/A stations offered some sort of salute last week ranging from "in-house" or outside syndicated Elvis specials to playing nothing but his music through last Sunday. Dave Darin, PD of KCRA, opened up his phone lines and went all request Elvis for five days and was amazed as to how many requests he got for obscure soundtrack album cuts from the variety of Elvis' movies.

His passing is one of the most tragic in Rock music history, especially in view of his age ... 42. It's been reported that Elvis said he would not live longer than his beloved mother, who also died at 42. He did. By two days.

"Strawberry Letter 23" by Brothers Johnson is now making a strong bid at P/A stations...see New & Active.

The Country side of music is currently being well represented at Pop/Adult stations by Ronnie Milsap's "It Was Almost Like A Song" and now Crystal Gayle crosses over with her UA recording "Don't It Make My Brown Eyes Blue."

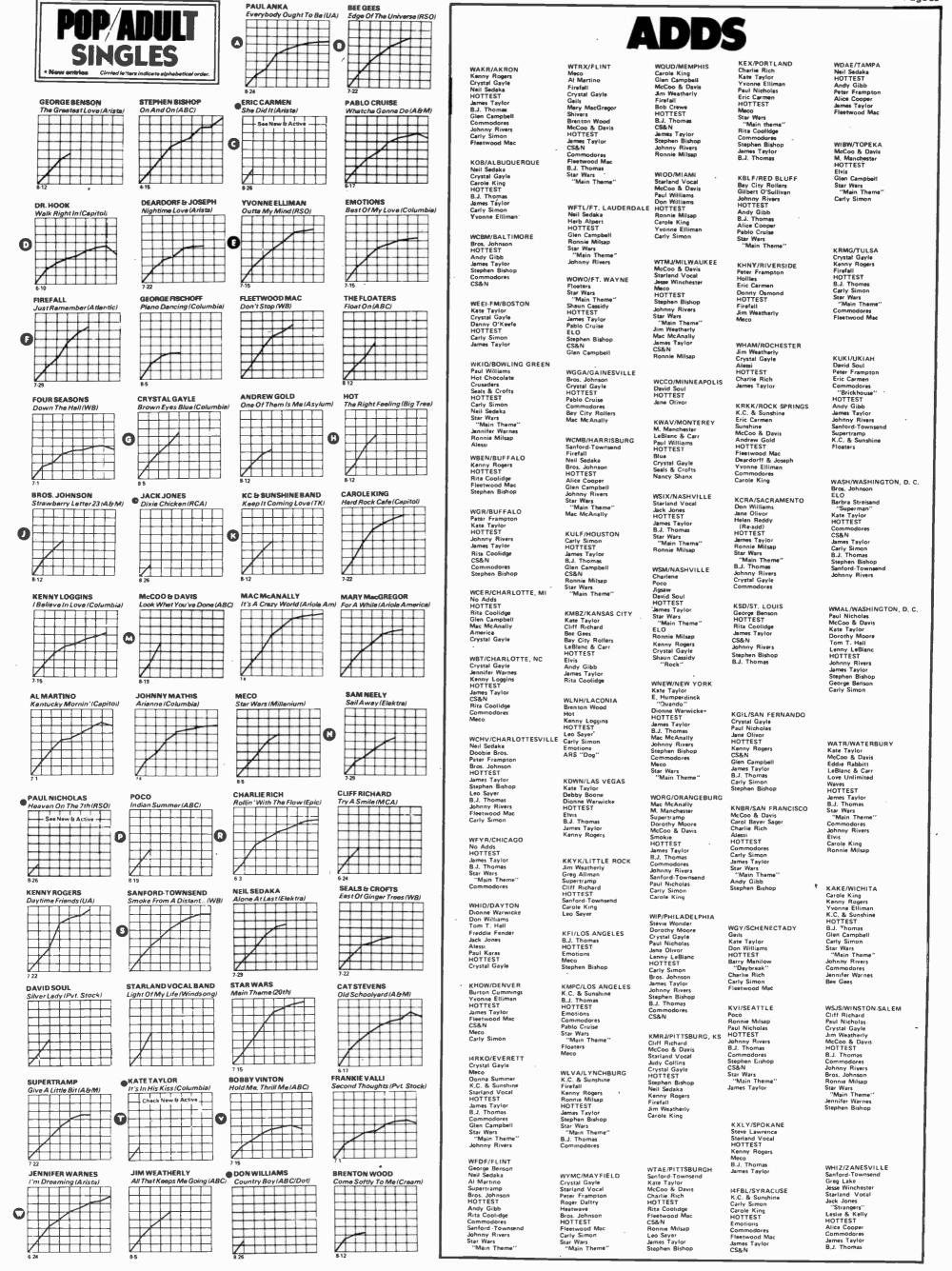
Tom T. Hall also starting to get some support with his latest "It's All In The Game." It went right on WMAL, WHIO and WBAL.

Bruce Holberg, PD of WIP, is playing, and getting great reaction, on a Big Tree rush-release by Lenny LeBlanc called "Hound Dog Man." The tune was originally written for the group Sailcat in 1974. Holberg feels that they lyric and performance by LeBlanc amount to a very sincere tribute (unintended as it was) to Elvis.

The Meco version of "Star Wars" is looking stronger and stronger. it reports hot already at KEX, KFI, WNEW, KHOW, KHNY, WBT, KXLY and KMPC.

Charlie Rich rebounded a little this week with some key additions for his "Rollin' With The Flow" single ... add KNBR, WTAE, KEX. It's also among the hottest at WGY and WHAM.

Sweet Baby James may be wondering how he could shimmy like his sister Kate. Her initial release on Columbia is off to a fast start. Check New & Active for initial airplay spread.



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Openings

WKTM/CHARLESTON is looking for the right person to flll ncing position with market's number-one Rock station. If you're bright and up-tempo without being a scream er, if you sound mature can relate more to adults than tenny-boppers, and looking for a stable permanent position with growing company, we want to hear from you. Tapes and resumes to Booby Nash, PD, WKTM, Box 5758, No. Charleston, SC 29406 or call (803) 544-7154. (8-15)

Looking for a radio communicator who knows the 18-49 bunch, but can deal with teens. Send tapes and resumes to Doug Montgomery, WROD Radio, Box 991, Daytona Beach, FL 32015. (8-15)

Canada's fastest growing and most Progressive Rock (not Bubblegum) radio station is looking for not one, but two great personalities. Successful epplicants will love our kind of Rock radio. Will work hard to make their air time perfect and will work to a proven format. Top working conditions and salary to right person. Send tapes and resumes and anything else you want to, Chuck Camroux, VP Programming/Station Manager, CFTR, 25 Adelaide St. East. Toronto, Ontario, Canada. No calls please. (8-15)

KUKI/UKIAH has immediate opening for News Director. Tapes and resumes to Randall Kalton Box 638, Uklah, CA 95482. EOE. (8-15).

Two job openings available: 1. Continuity Director with possible 30 minute talk show telephone cell-in host, 2. News Director. Make all inquiries to KMKF, Lowell Jack, Box 1017, Manhattan, KS 66502. EOE. (8-15)

56-KLZ/DENVER is currently accepting applications for fulltime air talent. Send tapes end resumes to Hal Widsten 2149 So. Holly, Denver, Co 80222. No calls please. EOE. (8-15)

J13/GREENVILLE looking for dynamite air talent, for a dyna mite new 24 hour Top 40 radio station. Good pay. Tapes and resumes to Dave Clark, PD, WJPR, Box 540 Greenville, MS 38701, or call (601) 378-2617. Needed yesterday. EOE. (8-15)

Level-headed Top 40 jock must have production skills, good voice, no screamers. Willing to dig In. Call WINW (216) 492-5630, EOE, (8-16)

FAIRBANKS BROADCASTING, INC. now looking for great personalities. EOE. Tapes only to Chris Conner, c/o Fairbanks Broadcasting Co., 2835 No. Illinols St., Indianepolis, IN 46208, EOE, (8-16)

KWSL/SIOUX CITY seeks warm, friendly, morning man for Top 40 format. Willing to get involved in community ac tivities. \$10,000 plus for the right man. No beginners, KWSL Box 1230, Sioux City, Iowa 51102. Doc Holliday (402) 987-3477

WANS/ANDERSON, S.C. has an immediate opening for the all night slot. Info to Jim Graham, Box 211, Anderson, SC Or Call (803) 224-3424, EOE. (8-15)

Two positions for anchor reporters for state news network or flagship station. Must be super strong on air. Will halp with polishing, writing/reporting skills. Starting salary ranges from \$180-\$230 weekly. Annual reviews. Great benefits. EOE. Contact General Manager, Box 17000, Raleigh, NC 27609 (8-16)

KIIS-AM/FM/LOS ANGELES needs newsperson. Tapes and resumes to Gary McKenzie, 6255 Sunset Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90028. EOE. (8-16)

Newsperson-Pittsburgh oriented. Tapes and resumes to Lee Douglas, WPEZ, One Allegheny Square, Pittsburgh, Pa. 15212. (8-16)

WPHD/BUFFALO looking for female News Director: Tapes and resumes to Harv Moore, 425 Franklin, Buffalo, NY 14202.

Openings

Young, experienced, first phone engineer in Central Oklaarea, multi-station. Must know FM equipment the roughly. Contact Mike Murphy (405) 341-8441, (8-16)

KMEN/SAN BERNARDINO needs night Top 40 communicator for 10pm-2em shift. No beginners, Tapes and resu to Mike Matthews, Box 1290, San Bernardino, CA 92410. No calls please. First phone required. EOE. (8/17)

Chuck Reid, Program Director, looking for good talent an nouncer and newsman. Contact WSID/BALTIMORE (301) 358-9600 or send tapes and resumes to Chuck Reid, 6623 Reisteratown Rd., Baltimore, MD 21215. (8-18)

50 KW Bay Area station looking for experienced strong personality oriented announcer for afternoon drive, immediate openings, Male or female. Send tapes and res to Ronni Richerds, KLOK Redio, Box 21248, San Jose, CA 95151. An equal opportunity employer. (8-15)

KIMN-FM/DENVER looking for production man/announcer Experienced only, Tapes and resumes to Scott Kenyon, KIMN, 5350 W. 20th, Denver, CO 80214. EOE. M/F. No calls ase. (8-18)

KGEN & KBOS is now taking applications and interviewing DJ's. We need good readers with quality voices. Contact Jack Alpers, Operations Manager, KGEN/KBOS, Box 444, Tulare, CA 93274. Or phone (209) 686-3406. EOE. (8-11)

WIFI/PHILADELPHIA needs 6-10pm night entertainer who's bright, relateable but not a screamer. Send tapes and resumes to Steve Rivers, WIFI, One Bala Cynwyd Plaza, Philadelphia, PA 19004, EOE, (8-11)

Looking for air talent heavy on production. Experienced only. Tapes and resumes only to Gene Rump, KAKE, Box 1240, Wichita, KS 67201. (8-11)

KPRI/SAN DIEGO FM Rocker looking for strong retail AOR sales person. Must have fundamental knowledge of AOR programming and sales with background to match. Base plus commission. Only experienced apply to General Manager, Dex Allen, KPRI 11585 Sorrento Valley Rd., San Diego, CA 92121, EOE, M/F. Resume and salary requirements also (8-11)

Mature voice professional wanted by top rated Pop/Adult in medium market. Great place to live and work for major broadcast group. Cail WSBA-FM, PD at (717) 764-1155. EOE. (8-11)

WOVV-FM/FT, PIERCE has immediate opening for minority Top 40 jock looking toward AOR. No jive. Tapes and re sumes fast, no calls, to Dave Brewer, Box 3192, Ft. Pierce, FL 33450. (8-11)

KAFY/BAKERSFIELD seeking adult entertainer. Ability to relate within mass appeal Top 40 format and strong production. Looking for pro to stay and grow with station Tapes and resumes to Richard Invin, KAFY, Box 6128, Bakersfield, CA 93306. (8-11)

Top rated FM in Las Vegas, KFM-Stereo 102 has a full time and part-time production opening. Good creative production a must. EOE. Tapes and resumes to Tom Walker, Box 15223, Las Vegas, NV 89114. (702) 732-7753. (8-11)

Looking for dependable announcer/production combination. Must have 1st phone! You'll be joining an underpaid, overworked but professional small market staff. EOE. Tapes and resumes to J. David Slone, KBIM, Box 910, Roswell, NM 88201. (505) 622-2120. (8-10)

WFRL/FREEPORT needs a unique nighttime personality for Top 40 format. Young aggressive company. EOE. Tapes and resumes to Harvey E. Blain, Box 200, Freeport, IL 61302. (815) 235-4113. (8-11)

KDAC/FT BRAGG looking for full or part-time experienced air talent. Contact David A. Stone, KDAC Box 1248, Ft. Bragg, CA 95437. (8-9)

Openings

KMCM/McMINNVILLE, OR needs qualified full time newsperson. DJ and sports play-by-play experience helpful. Good starting salary. Send tapes and resumes to Ron Ross, KMCM, Box 207, McMinnville, OR 97128. (8-11)

WPTR/ALBANY has an immediate opening for an experienc ed newsperson for an afternoon drive shift. EOE. Tapes and resumes only to Roy Frank, Box 1540, Albany, NY 12205 (8-10)

WDAK/COLUMBUS needs news people. Send tapes and resumes to Dan McGowan, P.O. Box 1640, Columbus, GA 31902 EOE. (8-1)

13DMS/EL DORADO, AR needs bright creative morning man Must be able to work within format. Production a must. Great facilities and good bucks. EOE. Tapes and resumes to Chris Hayes, 13DMS, Box 1565, El Dorado, AR 71730. (501) 863-5121. (8-11)

KOZA/ODESSA-midland market seeking air talent with creative production habits. Excellent working conditions. EOE. Tapes and resumes to Steve Nelson, Box 351, Odessa, TX 78760. (915) 332-4301. (8-11)

Market 36 station looking for Contemporary jocks for future full and part time openings. Morning people with an act to show and jocks with ability to follow format. Rush tapes ASAP to Top Jock, 480 Greenleaf Meadows, Rochester, NY 14612. EOE. (8-11)

My News Director going...other news person going back to school. If you can dig for news as well as these two folks have—I've got good bucks and a good market for you. Contact WRCV, Box 92, Mercersberg, PA 17236. Or call (717) 597-9000 and ask for Ted. Opening is immediate. EOE (8-8)

WXIL/PARKERSBURG looking for salesperson. \$10,000-\$12,000 minimum guarantee, 15-20% commission. Experienc ed selesperson only for 50kw number-one Rock station Contact Devid Strock (304) 485-7425. EOE. M/F. (8-8)

WORD/SPARTANBURG looking for night communicator with production abilities, and part timers that live in the area Send tapes and resumes to Steve McCoy, WORD, Box 3257 Spartanburg, SC 29304. (8-8)

KZEN-FM/SEASIDE needs three sales people (m/f), Jr. Manager, one full time female announcer and one part time annou Contact Steve Moreno of Booker Thomas (408) 394-8525 or send information to KZEN, 1998 Freemont Blvd., Seaside, CA 93955. (8-8)

KCPX/SALT LAKE CITY has morning jock openings. The last guy lasted 8 years. We're looking for someone who will stay. 1st phone. Contact Gary Waldron at (801) 972-3030 or 1760 Fremont, Salt Lake City, UT 84104. (8-8)

MONEY! And lots of it, several new sales positions now open at number-one Southern California radio station. Cal Rick Painter, (714) 737-1370. (8-8)

WLIT/STEUBENVILLE is looking for an experienced air personality with good voice and creative production ability. Send tape and resume to WLIT, Box 1798, Steubenville, OH 43952. Phone (614) 264-7771. EOE. (8-8)

KKJO/ST. JOSEPH, MO now accepting tapes and resumes for two near-future openings: 7-12mid cooker and 12mid-6am Should be strong on creative production. Market of 100,000 beautiful city, good \$\$ for market size, pro-sounding station 50 miles north of Kansas City. Tapes and resumes to Dave Knight, PD, Box 166, St. Joseph, MO 64502. (8-8)

One of our drive-time personalities is going into Real Estate full-time. Need 1st phone pro with great production. You'll be an hour away from Ram games and the World Series. good bucks to score your own tickets. Tapes and resumes no calls to Bill Tanner, KACY, Box 1520, Oxnard, CA 93034. EOE. (8-1)

Openings

WCOL/COLUMBUS is in need of an experienced large market pro for afternoon drive. Salary open, we want the best. Write or call Jerry Dean, WCOL, 22 S. Young St., Columbus, OH 43215 or (614) 221-7811. (8-8)

KLEO/WICHITA needs lata night crazy. Tspes and resumes to Ken Clifford, 5610 East 29th, Wichita, KS 67220. EOE. (8-10)

KINT/EL PASO's number one Rocker needs a salesperson. Must have proven trade record. Send resume and references to Chuck Ashworth, KINT-98, 5959 Gateway West, El Paso, TX 79925, EOE, M/F, (8-10)

KINT/EL PASO in need of Chief Engineer. Contact Rish Wood t (915) 779-6454, (8-10)

WSPT/STEVENS POINT needs 4 air talents for present and future openings. Good pay and fringe benefits...Tapes and resumes to Pat Martin, WSPT, Box 247, Stevens Point, WI 54481. EOE. M/F. (8-10)

know there's someone out there that fits this bill: Preferably from the East coast...A good Pop/Adult mature sound, good production, good organization, knows music, knows programming and knows radio and very importantly relates efforts to sales. Right person gets good job in Portland with decent money, security and good future. Call Jim at (207) 775-2336. EOE.(8-11)

WLOB/PORTLAND, ME looking for personality oriented, mature Adult Contemporary midday person and Operations Manager, Secure market with decent bucks, Contact Ryan Cote, WLOB, 779 Warren Avenue, Portland, ME or cell (207) 775-2336. (8-11)

FRANK N. MAGID ASSOC. TALENT SEARCH ROSTER: Newsperson who can handle street work and anchor for medium market in Rocky Mtns...PM drive person for medium market in Midwest, Pop/Adult communicator. Contact Frank N. Magid Assoc., One Research Center, Marion, IA 52302. (8-11)

Top 40 jock needed. Tapes and resumes to Mike Lincoln, c/o K101 Radio, 700 Montgomery, San Francisco, CA 94111. No calls. (8-11)

Newsperson for top Contemporary station in Texas. Must excell at creatively written feature material and use professional voice in a bright person-to-person delivery. EOE. Send tapes and resumes to: Anne Schiller, KTSA, Box 18128. San Antonio, TX 78218, (8-11)

KUPD FM/AM and Magic 91 would like tapes for future openings in San Diego and Phoenix. Please include resume, references and production sample and brief description of your formatic background. Great money for specialists in "Mass Appeal Music" radio. EOE. Ladies or gentlemen address: Jay Stone, PD, KMJC, Box 2908, San Diego, CA (8-11)

KSO/DES MOINES looking for hard working self-starter news person. Must be able to gather, write and deliver local news at people oriented station. Contact Ed Anderson, KSO, 3900 N.E. Broadway, Des Moines, IA 50317. EOE. (8-8)

KAOK/LAKE CHARLES looking for experienced Production Director end jock. Tapes and resumes to Ken Rice, PD. P.O. Drawer, Lake Charles, LA 70602. Or call (318) 436-7541. EOE. (8-1)

WBVP & KISS 106.7 Metro Pittsburgh, are now accepting tapes for future full time/part time openings in all areas. If you can do Pop/dult or AOR let me hear what you have to offer. No beginners please. Tape or cassette to Bill Keily, WBVP/WWKS, Box 719, Beaver Falls, PA 15010. (412) 761-6600 9am 12noon EST. No collect calls. EOE. M/F. (8-1)

KENI/ANCHORAGE is looking for intelligent human sounding Top 40 talent for immediate, and future openings. Send tapes and resumes to Gary Donovan, PD, KENI, Box 1160, Anchorage, AK 99510.



RON MORGAN joins KNUS/Dallas morning show, formerly in St. Louis.

MIKEL HUNTER from KMET and KNEW to KOME/San Jose as Program Director. LARRY JACOBS from KBPI/Denver to KOME/San Jose as News Director. JEFFREY JAY WEBER air personality at WAZ' Lafayette promoted to Music Director.

JAY STONE from PD at KUPD/Phoenix to PD at "Magic-91"/San Diego.

DAVE WILMONT from KUPD/Phoenixe to "Magic-91"/San Diego.

DEBBIE STONE from Program Coordinator KUPD/Phoenix to Research & Music Director at"Magic 91"/San Diego.

DON CRISTI promoted to Program Director, KUPD/Phoenix.

JIM ROSE from KTRM/Beaumont to DJ and Music Research at KIKK/Houston.

AL CARSON joins KUPD/Phoenixe doing 6pm-10pm air shift.

RANDY JAY from KYSN/Colorado Springs to KTLK/Denver as Production Director. DAN COOLEY to WANS-FM/Anderson, S.C. as Music Director.

TIM CUNNINGHAM new Music Director at WFLI/Chattanooga.

CARY PALL joins 130/Pittsburgh to do 6-10pm shift, formerly with WSAI/Cincinnati. BOB DEARBORN joins WTAE/Pittsburgh as air personality, formerly with WCFL/Chicago. SUSIE BARBOUR joins WTAE/Pittsburgh as air personality, from WXKX-FM/Pittsburgn JOHNNY WILLIAMS takes over 6-10pm shift at WTAE/Pittsburgh, was doing afternoon

drive. BOBBY OTIS from weekends to 6pm-10pm at KMEN/San Bernardino.

JON SINTON new PD at WIOT/Toledo.

KELLY RANDALL new MD at WIOT/Toledo.

GREG SHER appointed Retails Sales Supervisor at WFYR/Chicago. KPUR/AMARILLO LINE-UP: 6am-10am J. Mike Davenport & Charlie, 10am-3pm Shotgun Kelly, 3pm-7pm Dan Wilson PD, 7pm-12mid Mark (Todd) Shannon (from KWSL), 12mid-6am Bob Mason (from KRIZ). Weekends: Kris King, Gene Key, Levonne Edwards.

WMET/CHICAGO LINE-UP: 6am-10am Greg Brown, 10am-2pm Mike O'Brien, 2pm-6pm Chris Allan, 6pm-1pm Capt. Whammo, 10pm-2am Bill Brannigan, 2am-6am F.J. Bailey. Weekends: Dave Morgan.

WIOT/TOLEDO LINE-UP: Pat Still 6-10am, Terry Sullivan 10am-2pm, Jon Sinton 2-5pm, Kelly Randall 5pm-9pm, Tom Joyce 9pm-1am, Scott Jameson 1am-6am.

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KRBE	WAKY	WFEA	KKLS	WIRK
Z93	Q94	WAKX	WKAU	KHFI
KJR	WMAK	WEBC	KKXL	KDON
WA VZ	WKIX	WISM	WGBF	KSLY
92FM	KJRB	WACI	WHHY	KCBN
JB105	KLIV	KWHP	WRFC	KRKE
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### **Openings**

WQCM/HAGERSTOWN has just lost a super, weekend personality. If you're from the Baltimore/Washington/Frederick/Harrisburg areas and would like to fill this rare opening send tapes and resumes to Pete Wilson, 1250 Downesville Pike, Haggerstown, MD 21740. (301) 797-7300. (8-1)

WHAG/HAGERSTOWN looking for extremely talented morning person, excellent pay. A great opportunity. Tapes and resumes to General Manager, WHAG, 1250 Downesville Pike, Haggerstown, MD 21740. No calls please. (8-1)

14RKO/EVERETT needs Engineer/part-time jock. Call (206) 355-1144 or send tapes and resumes to Dave Corbin, 14RKO, Box 1227, Everett, WA 98206, EOE, (8-11)

### Country

KCUB/TUCSON is seeking tapes and resumes for a future opening. Send material to Operations Manager Jim Arnold, KCUB, Box 5006, Tucson, Arizona 85703, EOE, (8-15)

WWOK/MIAMI is accepting tapes and resumes for full and part-time air work. Send material to Ron Tatar, WWOK, 1699 Coral Way, Miami, FL 33145, EOE, (8-15)

Our group is looking for professional, talented, and mature news people. We're a rapidly expanding group offering above average income, benefits, and opportunities for advancement, We are seeking individuals that accept and meet every challenge in News and Public Affairs. Send resumes, air check and recent photo to Mark Mathew, Hunter Broadcasting, 2414 So. Leonard Rd., St. Joseph, MO 64503, EOE.

WRNS/ANN ARBOR is accepting tapes and resumes for immediate openings. For more information contact ALLAN JACKSON at (313) 662-2881. Write Box 5, Ann Arbor, MI 48107. EOE. (8-11)

### **Miscellaneous**

KRLA/LOS ANGELES MD Guy Zapoleon will take music calis Monday-Friday after 3pm. (213) 681-2591. (8-17)

KHOS/TUCSON changing format September 1st. Dropping Country after 13 years and going Adult/Contemporary. Need service from all labels, oldies and currents. Contact Gary Hamilton, Box 5946, Tucson, AZ 85703. (8-17)

WOFE/ROCKFORD needs service from all labels on Rock and Country product. Contact WOFE. Box 387, Rockwood, TN 37854 (8-18)

KQIZ-AM going Soft Rock, playing about 80 percent album material and some Progressive singles. Need record service on both old and new albums from all record labels Contact Bo Jeffries, MD at Box 7488, Amarillo, TX 79109. Or call (806) 353-6663. (8-8)

KCPI-FM needs record service from all labels...Accepting music calls 9am-5pm Monday thru Friday Central Time. Contact KCPI-FM, Box 971, Albert Lee, MN 56007 or call (507) 373-2338. (8-11)

WRNL/RICHMOND needs record service on both LP's and 45's from all labels for Adult/Contemporary format. Contact Ed Fennessy at (804) 282-9731. (8-11)

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### **Positions Sought**

Black, Programming Asst. (NYC) 1st phone, B.A. Communications, Youth, desire to excel, needs air talent/MD/PD position, looking for CHALLENGE. Ready when you are. Call Eric, evenings at (212) 523-6048, (8-11)

Female contemporary jock with experience in all facets of radio, ready to move. Presently working afternoon drive. Callanytime (518) 374-2495. EST. (8-15)

DJ with 3rd endorsed, looking for first break, good voice, sound production, tight board. For tape, write Rick Mansell, 232 Pringle Circle, Apt. E. Green Cove Springs, FL 32043. (8-15)

JACK MANDOO is looking for MD or PD gig with morning of afternoon drive show, Formerly WIOT, WIXY. Looking for a serious Rock outlet in a 1,000,000 plus market. Cleveland born and raised. I don't mind playing records, but I'm tired of playing radio, Call (419) 865-9541, (8-15)

BILL SMITHSON announcer 12 years experience, first ticket, good voice. Pop/Adult. Country, or Adult/Contemporary formats. Would like to stay in Florida, Georgia or Alabama area. Call (305) 448-1260. (8-16)

Young energetic announcer looking for promotional minded station as Promotion Director in radio or a chance to break into record promotion, I'm waiting for you at (601) 378-2094.(8-17)

Sultry voice with super ratings seeks AOR. Ace mixer. Currently employed with same company for 3 years. Call Collete Vaughn (317) 253-7060, (8-16)

Available immediately...LEE ADAMS formerly with WJDX and KAYC. Call (601) 373-4169. (8-15)

Country jock/MD desires to move to Florida-but will consider all. Currently employed. Experience. College graduate. Call Ray (404) 834-0649 after 3pm Eastern time for tape and resume, (8-16)

Hard working newsperson/Director with five years experience, AOR and contemporary, seeks a position of challange in medium or major market. Contact Peter Kelley (203) 649-9103. (8-16)

KEN TOWNSEND looking for secure position. 12 years in radio-first phone. Looking for major market jock or PD gig. High energy, very much into music research. Ready now! Formerly with KLIF, KROY, KEZY-AM and KWIZ. Call (714) 772-4754. (8-17)

CHUCKER MARTIN formerly with WCOL/Columbus looking for medium market PD or Music Director gig or major market cookin' Top 40 gig. Available immediately call (419) 229-3711. (8-18)

Newsman who can provide good conversational delivery, strong writing and reporting. A hard worker with strong references looking for a good challenge. Medium market, Midwest or West, Formerly with WIBC, WFLI, WMEE, Call Greg. (312) 328-5676 evenings. (8-8)

### AOR

Y95/ROCKFORD needs newsperson. AOR station in secon dary market on its way up. Call Alan Young at (815) 877-6064.(8-11)

WSAN/ALLENTOWN needs morning drive person with good voice and strong production. Please apply by mailing tapes and resumes to WSAN, Box 568, Allentown, PA 18105, Attn: Rick Havey, No calls please, EOE, M/F. (8-3)

### **Positions Sought**

CHUCK JAXON formerly with KMEN and KACY looking for jock or PD position. 5 years medium and major market experience in and around L.A. BA from USC. 1st phone. Good pipes ala Charlie Van Dyke. Salary open. Prefer Ken tucky, Indiana, or Ohio. Tired of the L.A. scene. (714) 653-5502 (8-8)

CORKY MILLS looking for air talent and production gig at Top 40 or Adult Contemporary station. 3rd phone. Good pipes. Willing to relocate. Call (216) 221-2435 (8-8)

RANDY SUMMERS currently at KRML/Monterey, looking for Adult Contemporary, Rock or AOR gig. Have worked hare 7 months, but upcoming ownership transfer leaves future uncertain, Have 1st. (408) 624-2666 afternoons. (8-8)

Creative ten-year pro seeks meaningful relationship with virginal wealthy automation system at new station. Complete access to contemporary stereo quality Rock, and total control of station sound a must. Major market only, Tell all first call. Ron (602) 276-5694. (8-8)

Experienced news anchor/reporter, formerly with WIFE and WNDE/Indianapolis, Looking for large medium or major markets only. Call collect Doug Weedman at (317) 247-5875 (8-11)

In last week's R&R, an ad was erroneously placed in the Positions Sought for KINT/El Paso Program Director Johnn Kaye. This ad was not placed by Kaye and is false informa tion. R&R contacted Kaye who informed us he is extremely happy at KINT. R&R extends its apologies to all conce for the error.

GIL HERNANDEZ is looking for a job. Would like AOR, but will consider all offers. Write Box 761, Santa Maria, CA 93454 or call (805) 481-1878, (8-11)

Hava worked myself out of a job, and the GM's daughter is too young...Looking for morning drive slot in professional secondary market to continue growing. 1st phone. In depth small market and programming experience. Radio fanatic with track record to back it up. Call J. David Stone (505) 623-4135. (8-11)

CRAZY CHARLIE hard working, creative, Operation and Pro gram Manager 9 years at the Gilcom stations is now look ing for a medium market programming or jock opening. Have worked at some heavies including WPEZ/Pittsburgh Call (304) 748-0564 or (304) 723-2273 or (614) 283-2936. (8-11)

Former ABC-FM PD/Operations Manager with 7 years ex perience with RKO General, available for major programming/ Operations position. Call (415) 434-1530, (8-11)

JOE McCOY (NBC Radio) looking for major market air gig Program Director or Operations Director in Northeast. Call

PAUL LACKEY, young, enthusiastic Top 40 DJ looking for a start in radio. Have FCC 3rd license. For tapes and resumes call Paul Lackey at (816) 765-0327, (8-10)

sonality oriented jock ready to move up to a larger Midwest market from 100,000 market outside of Kansas City Midday and PM drive experience plus great production over past 2 1/2 years. I want the right station in the right market, and I'm willing to wait ... Have also worked Peoria and su burban Chicago. Ted Erikson, KKJO, (816) 279-6346. (8-8)

### **Positions Sought**

Experienced contemporary jock looking for stable gig. excellent references. Major and medium market background Formerly WIFI, WFIL, and WOLF. Contact Walt Cooper at (315) 451-2036. (8-11)

CHRISTOPHER O'NEIL one of Central Florida's hottest jocks former MD of CK101 is available. If you want to boost your nighttime numbers, please call collect, (305) 892-3925. (8-10)

BOBBY MAGIC, KYA, KTSA, WIXY & KUTE looking for programming/management and/or air work. Presently weekends at KUTE-102/Los Angeles. Call (213) 396-9368 or write 3111 Fourth St., 302, Santa Monica, CA 90405, (8-3)

Production Director/Announcer, 6 years in contemporary and AOR,writing and production. Great stuff, good references. Formerly WIIN/Atlanta, Currently employed, Contact Burt Krabz, 134 North Jefferson, Savannah, GA 31401, (8-11)

On Sept. 15th, CFOX is changing ownership. Program Director and air staff will be let go, if you'd like to get in touch with any of these jocks (station's format was Adult/Contemporary) or the PD please give DAN O'NEIL

JEFF BAKER formerly mornings/PD at WIFI/Philadelphla, mornings at KSOQ/St. Louis and mornings at WDGY/Minneapolis, would like to lock into a PD or good lock slot. All offers welcome, call (618) 894-1387 or (212) 355-2773, (8-2)

a call at (514) 697-1470, (8-11)

CHUCKER ROBERTS looking for PD job. Small, medium, major or overseas market only. Previously with RKO, Storz and Bartell, Call (314) 839-0429, (8-11)

Young enthusiastic DJ looking for start in radio. Have 3rd license. For further information contact Paul Lackey at (816) 765-0327. (8-8)

JAY STEVENS formerly Production Director and AOR personality at KNCN/Corpus Christl and WBUF/Miami looking for good AOR gig. Good references. Contact (512) 992-3526. (8-8)

5 years/top ten markat...easy going professional seeks large or major market. Contemporary music station.. employed now...refarences.(713)771-6703.(8-8)

BOB RAY available as air talent or programming. Formerly KLIV/San Jose. Call (408) 629-8247. (8-11)

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NOTE: Local, regional and national changes should be reported to R&R (213) 466-9561.

HANK ZAREMBSKI new Los Angeles Promotion Representative/RCA Records, held similar position in Cleveland.

ELLEN FELDMAN appointed Assistant National Director of Artist Development/Chrysalis Records.

CRISTY RUNDQUIST appointed Artist Development Coordinator/Chrysalis Records. MIKE RANDELL appointed Southeast Regional Promotion Manager/Capricorn Records. MICHAEL BARACKMAN appointed Publicity Editorial Writer/ABC Records. BRUCE HARRIS appointed Director, A&R East Coast/Epic Records.

RITCH BLOOM appointed Supervisor, College Program/CBS Records. RANDY BIMSLAGER appointed Local Promotion Manager, Dallas Branch/Columbia Records.

JUDY PEREMUTTER appointed Director of National Promotion and Publicity/Tomato Records. CARL GRIFFIN appointed East Coast Director of Professional Activities/Jobete Music Co. FRED BOURGOISE named Professional Manager/Bug Music Group.

PETER PASTERNACK named General Manager/United Artists Records.

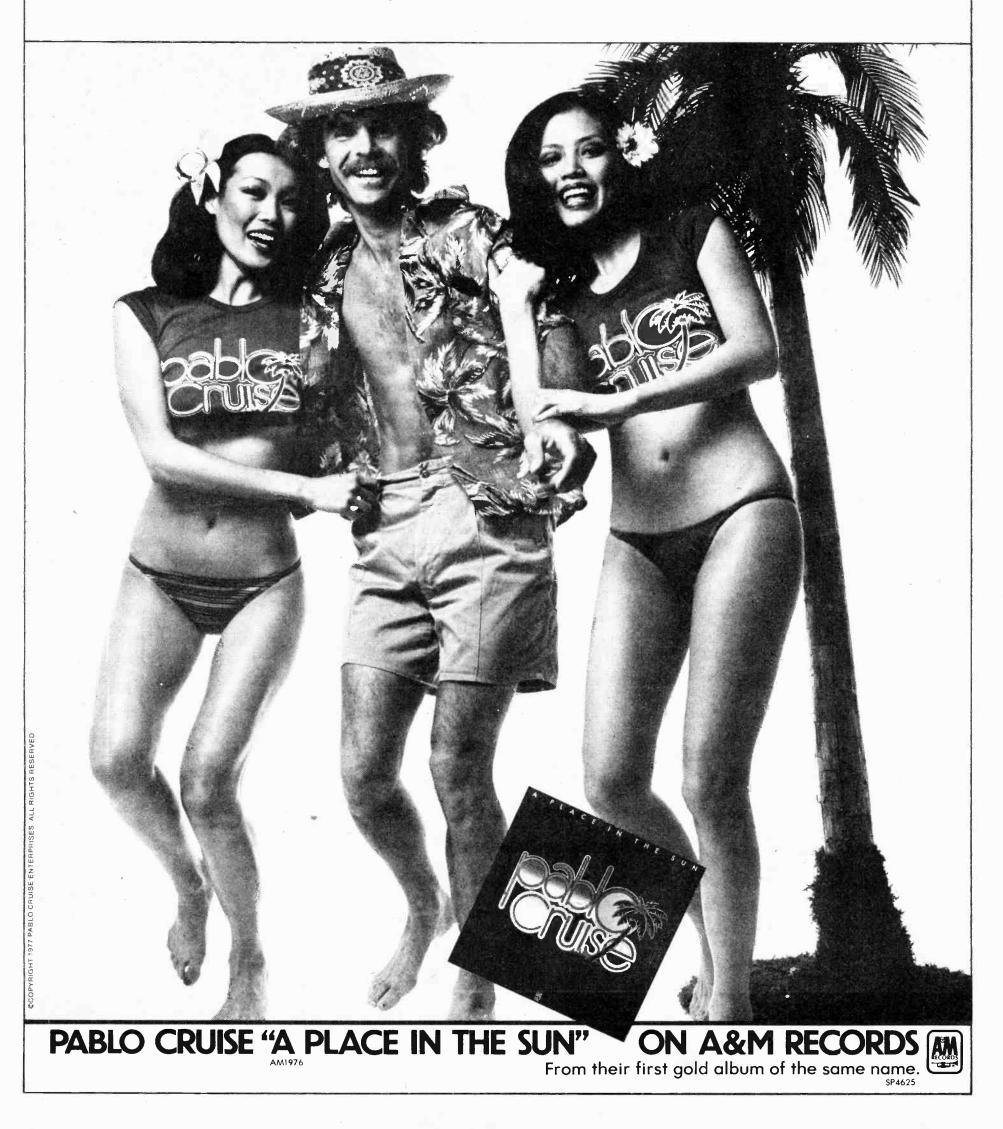
IRIS ZURAWIN named Director of Advertising and Artist Campaigns/United Artists Records. MITCH COHEN named Publicity Writer/Arista Records.

BILL BENNETT appointed Regional Album Promotion Manager, Southeast/Columbia Records.

(212) 664-3684 (8-11)

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"Back Page Breakers" are those newer records that have the greatest level of station activity on any given week."

### STEVE MILLER

### **Jungle Love (Capitol)**

73% of our reporters on it, 13 adds including Z97. Key moves; 23-18 WCAO, 20-17 WPGC, 26-21 CKLW, 26-19 WGCL, 25-23 at Y100, 28-23 WCOL, 31-25 WAVZ, 32-24 WAPE, 26-20 KEEL, 16-11 KNDE, 37-26 WBJW, 24-19 at CK101, 28-17 WSPT, 24-19 at 92Q, see Parallels, charts at number 29.

### PETER FRAMPTON

### Signed, Sealed, Delivered (A&M)

68% of our reporters on it, 38 adds including WCAO, WDRQ, KSLQ, Z97, WJDX, WLEE, WQXI. Key moves; 34-27 at 99X, 10-8 WFIL, 10-8 WXKX, 30-22 WGCL, 26-19 at Y100, 24-21 KHJ, 25-19 KCPX, 18-13 at B100, 36-25 WBJW, 34-25 WTRU, 39-33 WLOF, 15-5 KSLY, see Parallels.



All other new and recent releases getting substantial airplay. These are listed in order by their activity levels at our reporting stations. You'll notice two numbers immediately follow each song title below (example 30/5). The first

represents total number of our reporting stations ON the record this week. The second is the total number of stations ADDING the record this week.

BEE GEES "Edge Of The Universe" (RSO) 85/5. Key moves; 14-11 WCAO, 14-10 WXKX, 26-23 WPGC, 30-27 CKLW, 28-24 KRBE, 29-19 at 92FM, 12-11 WOW, 11-8 WLEE, 33-24 WBJW, 27-23 KRIZ, 18-15 KFYR, 21-16 WSPT, 15-10 KVOX, 17-14 KDON, 16-13 KQDI.

SHAUN CASSIDY "That's Rock 'N Roll" (WB) 84/12 including WHBQ. Key moves; 3-1 WRKO, 27-13 WGCL, 5-4 at Y100, 2-1 KCPX, 16-7 WJDX, 1-1 WSGN, 26-22 WBBQ, 16-13 WSGA, 21-14 WNCI, 30-21 WNDE, 3-1 at 92FM, 21-15 WDRC, 26-16 WGUY, 15-5 WTRU, 9-1 WSPT, 29-22 WAAY, 16-10 KAFY, see Parallels, charts at number 30.

HEATWAVE "Boogie Nights" (Epic) 81/12 including CKLW, KHJ, KFRC. Key moves; 28-23 WSAI, 21-15 WPGC, 9-6 at Z93, 1-1 at Y100, 13-3 WNCI, 12-9 at Y103, 2-1 WLEE, 27-17 WSGN, 2-1 WBJW, 13-9 WCGQ, 8-2 WLOF, 7-1 WANS.

DONNA SUMMER "I Feel Love" (Casablanca) 74/23 including KLIF, KHJ, WCOL, KLEO, KAKC. Key moves; 21-15 at 99X, 5-3 CKLW, 23-18 WGCL, 11-8 WDRQ, 10-4 at 96X, 28-15 WQXI, 20-13 WJDX, 29-16 WTIX, 25-15 KHFI, 28-19 KJOY, 27-20 WGLF, 20-15 WFLB, 15-11 WFEA.

KENNY ROGERS "Daytime Friends" (UA) 64/8 including WHBQ, KTLK, WLAC. Key moves; 26-23 at Z93, 24-21 WYRE, 28-24 WLEE, 27-22 WRFC, 16-9 WHHY, 20-16 WEAQ, 30-26 WGUY.

RONNIE MILSAP "It Was Almost Like A Song" (RCA) 61/10. Key moves; 24-22 KLIF, 8-1 WAKY, 19-15 WOW, 10-4 WSGN, 25-19 KILE, 16-10 WNAM, 10-6 KFYR, 9-6 WJON, 15-10 WAKX.

TED NUGENT "Cat Scratch Fever" (Epic) 60/15 including WIFI, KAKC. Key moves; 22-17 WCAO, 15-12 KSLQ, 28-25 at TEN-Q, 30-20 at B100, 18-16 KNDE, 19-11 KJOY.

COMMODORES "Brickhouse" (Motown) 54/16 including WXKX. Key moves; 10-8 at Y100, 4-3 at Z93, 10-6 KCBQ, 12-8 KFRC, 34-21 WAVZ, 7-4 WNCI, 7-1 WNOE, 12-4 KIIS-FM, 17-9 WIRK.

DOOBLE BROTHERS "Little Darling (I Need You)" (WB) 45/3 including Z93. Key moves; 16-14 KJR, 20-15 WTRY, 17-11 KANC, 20-15 WTRY, 24-20 WISM, 18-14 WHHY, 10-8 WGLF, 13-8 KVOX.

CAROLE KING "Hard Rock Cafe" (Capitol) 45/2 including KCBQ. Key moves; on WFIL, debut 28 WCAO, 25-23 KSTP, 29-27 KRBE, 27-25 KTLK, 23-19 at Q94, 20-15 WBJW, 27-22 KKXL, 19-14 WSTP, 16-12 KBIM.

ERIC CARMEN "She Did It" (Arista) 44/23 including WCAO, 13Q, KTLK, KQEO, KFXM, Q94, WCOL, WAVZ. Key moves; 30-25 WTRY, 30-26 KCPX.

PAUL NICHOLAS "Heaven On The 7th Floor" (RSO) 44/10 including WSGA, KEEL, WYRE. Key moves; 34-32 KSLQ, 9-6 at Y100, 30-26 at Z93, debut 25 KING, 21-18 KJRB, 25-19 KCBN, 26-19 WGLF.

ALAN PARSONS "I Wouldn't Want To Be Like You" (Arista) 32/9. Key moves; debut 30 WRKO, 30-26 WCAO, 13-10 KSTP, debut 19 WIFE, 27-24 KBEQ. 21-15 KJOY.

ELVIS PRESLEY "Way Down" (RCA) 29/12 including WZUU, WHBQ, KIMN, Re-add KCPX, WAPE. Key moves; 26-10 KRBE, 26-1 WLAC, 40-30 KAKC, 15-10 WFOM, 15-6 WFLB, 29-20 KILE, 12-11 KWHP.

FIREFALL "Just Remember I Love You" (Atlantic) 28/7 including KLEO. Key moves; 29-25 WYRE, 28-25 WPHD, 16-11 KBEQ, 24-19 WEBC, 20-13 KVOX, 31-26 KDON, 30-27 KQDI.

STEVIE WONDER "Another Star" (Motown) 27/12 including WDRQ, Y100, WAVZ, Q94, WISM, WFLB. Key moves; 33-26 at 99X, debut 29 at Z93, 40-33 WCOL, 27-24 WSGA.

LITTLE RIVER BAND "Help Is On Its Way" (Harvest) 26/7 including KSTP, KCBQ, KNDE. Key moves 16-14 KTLK, 27-24 WTIX, 40-34 WBJW, 35-26 WFOM, 17-15 WJON, 13-12 KKLS.

### **Others Getting Significant Action**

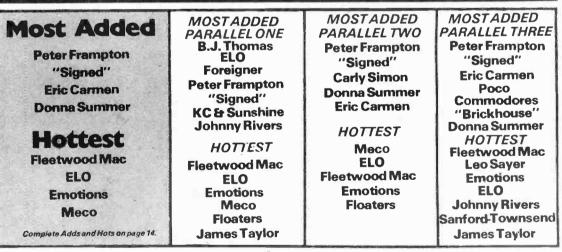
HELEN REDDY "You're My World" (Capitol) 25/0, 5-4 WLS, 23-21 KSTP, 7-5 KRBE, 26-24 KHJ, 30-25 WSGN, 9-6 KILE, 16-11 KFXD.

7-5 KRBE, 26-24 KHJ, 30-25 WSGN, 9-6 KILE, 16-11 KFXD. JENNIFER WARNES "I'm Dreaming" (Arista) 27/1 including 92FM, 28-24 KAAY, 24-22 KBEQ, 35-31 WFRC, 24-21 KRIZ, 6-3 KQWB.

# Radio & Records

August 26, 1977 THREE TWO WEEKS WEEKS LAST AGO AGO WEEK 0 EMOTIONS/Best Of My Love (Columbia) 1 4 3 2 **JAMES TAYLOR**/Handy Man (Columbia) 5 4 2 3 FLEETWOOD MAC/Don't Stop(WB) 3 7 11 ANDY GIBB/I Just Want To Be Your Everything (RSO) 4 1 1 4 2 2 5 5 RITA COOLIDGE/Higher & Higher (A&M) 6 COMMODORES/Easy (Motown) 10 9 6 ELO/Telephone Line (UA/Jet) 14 7 0 16 SANFORD-TOWNSEND BAND/Smoke From A Distant Fire (WB) 8 13 22 17 LEO SAYER/How Much Love (WB) 0 19 13 9 **HEART/Barracuda**(Portrait) 8 10 8 6 FLOATERS/Float On (ABC) 0 17 23 CROSBY, STILLS & NASH/Just A Song Before I Go (Atlantic) 10 12 15 11 13 STEPHEN BISHOP/On And On(ABC) 16 27 25 FOREIGNER/Cold As Ice (Atlantic) 0 29 26 22 BROTHERS JOHNSON/Strawberry Letter 23 (A&M) Ð 26 28 MECO/Star Wars (Millennium) 0 24 KC & THE SUNSHINE BAND/Keep It Comin' Love (TK) Ø 25 \_ JOHNNY RIVERS/Swayin' To The Music (Slow Dancin') (Big Tree) 0 21 30 27 SUPERTRAMP/Give A Little Bit (A&M) 20 19 22 24 PETER FRAMPTON/I'm In You (A&M) 11 20 5 3 BAY CITY ROLLERS/You Made Me Believe In Magic (Arista) 8 14 21 6 19 22 RAM JAM/Black Betty (EPic) 16 18 PABLO CRUISE/Whatcha Gonna Do (A&M) 12 23 7 10 ALICE COOPER/You And Me(WB) 12 15 24 9 CARLY SIMON/Nobody Does It Better (Elektra) 25 KISS/Christine Sixteen (Casablanca) 17 15 18 26 STAR WARS/Main Theme(20th) 27 29 27 B.J. THOMAS/Don't Worry Baby (MCA) 28 STEVE MILLER/Jungle Love (Capitol) 29 SHAUN CASSIDY/That's Rock 'N Roll (WB) 30

This chart is based solely on airplay statistics compiled weekly from our Top 40 reporting stations. Black circled numbers indicate continued upward movement from at least 60% of our reporters.



### The National Request Tabulation can now be found on page 20.

DAVE MASON "We Just Disagree" (Columbia) 25/5 including Z93, WFLI, 33-31 KSLQ, 12-11 WRJZ, 10-6 WRFC, 2-2 WFOM. HOT CHOCOLATE "So You Win Again" (Big Tree) 24/2, 15-10 WCAO, 19-16 WDRQ, 21-19 WAKY, 15-9 WBBQ,

17-12 WCGQ, 31-23 WKNX. GLEN CAMPBELL "Sunflower" (Capitol) 24/0, 19-19 at Z93, 16-11 WAKY, 17-15 KCPX, 16-15 WKIX, 16-11

WAKY, 13-10 WJON, 15-14 KILE, 12-9 WGUY. MARSHALL TUCKER BAND "Can't You See" (Capricorn/WB) 23/2, 38-36 WPEZ; 32-28 WFOM, 25-18 KJOY, 23-19 WGUY.

POCO "Indian Summer" (ABC) 21/14 including KTLK, WBBQ, WJON, KJOY, 12-11 KSLQ, 27-22 KSTP, 25-22 WACI, 25-20 WSPT, 34-30 WFOM.

DOROTHY MOORE "I Believe You" (Malaco) 18/7 including WYRE, debut 27 WPGC, debut 24 WGCL, 27-20 at 96X, 34-29 WRFC. PAUL DAVIS "I Go Crazy" (Bang) 18/6 including Z93, WAAY, 20-15 WFLI, 30-22 WKAU, 22-12 WFOM,

PAUL DAVIS "I Go Crazy" (Bang) 18/6 including 293, WAAY, 20-15 WPLI, 30-22 WRAG, 22-12 WRA

42 WDRQ, 29-23 at 96X, 24-20 WRFC. LENNY LeBLANC "Hound Dog Man (Play It Again)" (Big Tree) 14/12 including Y100, Z93, WRJZ, WAKY,

WAPE, KNDE, BROWNSVILLE STATION "Martian Boogie" (Private Stock) 17/5 including KCBQ, 98Q, 29-24 KNDE, 16-15 WANS, 11-8 WKNX.