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American Flyer

KILLER CUTS

(See Consensus Cuts for More)

American Flyer - "Lady Blue Eyes"
Bonnie Bramlett - "Hold On I'm Coming"
England Dan/
John Ford Coley - "Westward Wind"
Grand Funk Railroad - "Just Couldn't Wait"
John Mayall - "Sunshine"
Christine McVie - "Crazy 'Bout You Baby"
Gino Vannelli - "Love of My Life"

CONCERT RAVES

(See Concertizing for Details)

Barry & The Remains/Cambridge, Mass.
Beach Boys/St. Louis, Mo.
Gary Burton/Cambridge, Mass.
Eagles/Philadelphia, Pa.
Heart/Northampton, Pa.
Janis Ian/New Haven, Conn., Phila., Pa.
Doug Kershaw/Jackson, Wyoming
Maria Muldaur/Seattle, Portland
Loudon Wainwright III/New Haven, Conn.
Yes/Lincoln, Nebraska

REGIONALS

NEW RETAIL ACTION

Northeast

Bachman-Turner Overdrive
Grand Funk Railroad
Linda Ronstadt

South

Go
Grand Funk Railroad
Christine McVie

Midwest

Go
Gino Vannelli

West

Go
David Sanborn

RADIO PROOFS

Northeast

Jefferson Starship
Steve Miller Band
Rod Stewart
Crosby/Nash
Jeff Beck
Steely Dan
James Taylor

South

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Steve Miller Band
Crosby/Nash
Jeff Beck
James Taylor
Heart

Midwest

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Rod Stewart
Average White Band
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RADIO FUTURES

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American Flyer
Orleans
Linda Ronstadt
Paris
Hall & Oates
Joan Armatrading

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Midwest

Linda Ronstadt
Grand Funk Railroad
American Flyer
Orleans
Paris
Hummingbird
Gino Vannelli

West

Linda Ronstadt
Joan Armatrading
American Flyer
Hall & Oates
Grand Funk Railroad
Orleans

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CONSENSUS CUTS

Consensus cuts are derived from information obtained by special survey of our contributors. The albums spotlighted are selected from available new releases. Tracks are listed in order of preference. An underline denotes an overwhelming choice.

American Flyer "Lady Blue Eyes" "Love Has No Pride" "Let Me Down Easy" "Light of Your Love" "Queen of All My Days" "Woman in Your Heart"	Jimmy Dawkins Band "Feel So Bad" "Ode to Billy Joe"	Group With No Name "Baby Love" "Virginia"	Delbert McClinton "It's Love, Baby"
Roy Ayers "The Third Eye" "Golden Rod"	Michael Dinner "Promised Land" "Silver Bullets" "Tom Thumb"	High Cotton "Going Up to Get Down" "It All Feels the Same"	Country Joe McDonald "Oh No" "It Won't Burn" "Love is a Fire" "Who's Gonna Fry..."
Bonnie Bramlett "Hold On, I'm Coming" "Two Steps From the Blues" "You Send Me"	Mike Finnegan "Baby I Found Out" "Southern Lady" "Ace in the Hole"	Peter Ivers "I'm Sorry Alice" "Child in a Chair" "Eighteen & Dreaming"	Christine McVie "Crazy 'Bout You Baby" "I'd Rather Go Blind" "No Road..."
Burning Spear "Man in the Hills" "No More War" "People Get Ready"	Flamin' Groovies "Shake Some Action"	La Seine "You've Let Me Down"	The Meters "Trick Bag" "Suite For 20G"
England Dan/John Ford Coley "Westward Wind" "I'd Really Love to See..."	Grand Funk Railroad "Just Couldn't Wait" "Out to Get You" "Pass it Around" "Can You Do It" "Crossfire"	Barry Manilow "This One's For You"	David Sanborn "Indio" "Concrete Boogie" "7th Avenue" "Smile"
Tommy West "I'll Sing For You" "I Know" "Old Radio"	Sundance w/Byron Berline "Storm Over Oklahoma" "Lea" "Best Friends" "It Hurts So Much" "Laid Back Day"	John Mayall "Sunshine" "You Can't Put Me Down" "Fantasy Land" "Lady" "Turn Me Loose"	Corky Siegal "1/2 Asleep at the Wheel" "Roomate"
		Gino Vannelli "Love of My Life" "Fly Into This Night" "A New Fix For '76"	

SIGNIFICANT SINGLES

Earth, Wind & Fire
Bryan Ferry
Elton John/Kiki Dee
Stills/Young
Straws
War
ZZ Top

IMPORTANT IMPORTS

Automatic Man
Kevin Ayers
Brand X
Curved Air
Henry Cow
Bob Marley & Wailers
Santana
Secret Oyster
Soft Machine
Phil Spector

POWER AND/OR MARKET LIMITED CONTRIBUTORS

(Record listings provided by the following stations are used, along with all other stations, in our front page compilations.)

KBLE/Des Moines, Iowa	- RON SORENSON
KCR/San Diego, Calif.	- MORT MARCUS
KDVS/Davis, Calif.	- TIM ARNOLD
KFJC/Los Altos Hills, Ca.	- FRED LEVY
KFSR/Fresno, Calif.	- KEITH CHAMBERS
KLCC/Eugene, Ore.	- MIKE CANNING
KMTN/Jackson, Wyo.	- JEFF SCHLESINGER
KNMS/Las Cruces, N. M.	- ERWIN AGUILAR
KPEL/Lafayette, La.	- CONRAD MAXWELL
KUSC/St. Cloud, Minn.	- STEVE APPLIN
KZSU/Stanford, Calif.	- JOHN JEANES
WAZY/Lafayette, Ind.	- STEVE KNIGHT
	- MIKE DELANEY
WBCR/Brooklyn, N. Y.	- KEVIN HAREWOOD
WBRS/Waltham, Mass.	- PETER MORK
WCBN/Ann Arbor, Mich.	- MICHAEL KREMEN
WFPR/Hammond, La.	- DON GOBLOWSKY
WTR/Rochester, N. Y.	- KEVIN PATRICK
WMHW/Mt. Pleasant, Mich.	- STEVE BYRD/MARK KLIEM
WMIR/Lake Geneva, Wisc.	- GORDON MILLS
WMMR/Minneapolis, Minn.	- JOHN WAHL & JOHN PRATT
WMUH/Allentown, Pa.	- DAVID DEARDEN
WNUR/Evanston, Ill.	- CHUCK SCHWARTZ
WPGU/Urbana, Ill.	- GREG EASTERLING
WRPL/Charlotte, N. C.	- CHRIS HENSLEY
WRSU/New Brunswick, N.J.	- IRV LUKIN
WTSR/Trenton, N. J.	- JOHN CHOJNOWSKI
WTUL/New Orleans, La.	- SHEPARD SAMUELS
WVBR/Ithaca, N. Y.	

WALRUS STATISTICS

Our statistics are a quantitative reflection of current Lp acceptance based on our contributors' reports. Progressive Retail Reaction is derived from Top 15 retail reports while New Retail Action is derived from New Reaction reports. Both are weighted to compensate for the size of the store chain. Radio Emphasis is computed by counting radio reports of Audience Reaction and Heavy Airplay. (Heavy Airplay new additions are not included.) New Releases to Watch is calculated by counting all indicated New Additions and weighing them according to heavy or moderate play. All calculations are first done regionally then combined to form the national totals.

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BOX SCORE	
Album Count:	
THIS ISSUE	69
YEAR TO NOW	1222
LAST YEAR AT THIS TIME	1086

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NATIONALS

PROGRESSIVE RETAIL REACTION

Aerosmith
Average White Band
Beach Boys
Beatles
Jeff Beck
George Benson
David Bowie
Chicago
Commodores
David Crosby/Graham Nash
Eagles
Firefall
Fleetwood Mac
Peter Frampton
Heart
Jefferson Starship
Gordon Lightfoot
Marshall Tucker Band
Steve Miller Band
Leon & Mary Russell
Boz Scaggs
Rod Stewart
Steely Dan
James Taylor
Wings
Wild Cherry
Gary Wright

RETAIL FUTURES

Jon Anderson
Atlanta Rhythm Section
Roy Ayers
Bachman-Turner Overdrive
Norman Connors
Go
Grand Funk Railroad
Hummingbird
Al Jarreau
Waylon Jennings
Christine McVie
Orleans
Point Blank
Cliff Richard
Linda Ronstadt
Roxy Music
David Sanborn
Dwight Twilley Band
Gino Vannelli
Johnny "Guitar" Watson

Non-Progressive Sales:

Neil Diamond
Dr. Buzzard's Savannah Band
Barry Manilow
Lou Rawls
Helen Reddy
Diana Ross

RADIO EMPHASIS

Aerosmith
Average White Band
Beach Boys
Jeff Beck
George Benson
Blue Oyster Cult
Chicago
City Boy
Alice Cooper
David Crosby/Graham Nash
Firefall
Fleetwood Mac
Peter Frampton
Go
Heart
Jefferson Starship
Gordon Lightfoot
Mark-Almond
Marshall Tucker Band
Steve Miller Band
Andy Pratt
Boz Scaggs
Carly Simon
Southside Johnny/Asbury Jukes
Steely Dan
Rod Stewart
James Taylor
Triumvirat
Dwight Twilley Band

NEW RELEASES TO WATCH

American Flyer
Joan Armatrading
Bonnie Bramlett
Michael Dinner
Flamin' Groovies
Grand Funk Railroad
Hall & Oates
Hummingbird
John Mayall
Country Joe McDonald
Christine McVie
Orleans
Paris
Linda Ronstadt
Gino Vannelli

NEW RELEASES

Below is a catalogue of new releases. They are divided into categories designed to give you an idea of their relative musical worth. These first impressions are not meant to relate in anyway to past, present or future sales, nor should they be taken as the word of God.

SPECIAL MENTION ALBUMS

(These recordings which, in our opinion, deserve special mention because they come closest to perfecting their musical genre regardless of progressive radio application.)

Linda Ronstadt/HASTEN DOWN THE WIND/Asylum 7E-1072
(The magical combination of Linda Ronstadt, Peter Asher and Ethan A. Russell spins another classy album. They make no mistakes, musical or otherwise.)

STRONGLY MERITORIOUS

(The following Lps are Merit Albums which we feel have an extra edge.)

(None)

MERIT ALBUMS

(Our recommendations for serious progressive radio consideration, recognizing that not all Merit Albums are suitable for all stations.)

Ambrosia/SOMEWHERE I'VE NEVER TRAVELLED/20th Century T-510 (Carefully mounted. Impressive arranging and recording quality enhances what is, on average, only a fair batch of melodies. Still, the album holds up and two songs, "Runnin' Away" and "Can't Let a Woman" need no apology.)

Artful Dodger/HONOR AMONG THIEVES/Columbia PC 34273 (Solid material gets a good rocking from Artful Dodger. Though a power band, they don't use it gratuitously. This second Lp shows some maturity.)

The Buckeye Politicians/LOOK AT ME NOW/Utopia BUL1-1823 (Backed by the densest kind of rock/R&B music, the frog-throated lead vocals drive. A few terrific tunes spice things as the Buckeye Politicians make an impressive recorded debut. Mighty playmanship.)

Chocolate Milk/COMIN'/RCA APL1-1830 (Allen Toussaint's name insures an acceptable level of competence in all musical areas. He can make it work if need be. Here we are presented with another good, modern R&B band - no more, no less.)

The Deadly Nightshade/F & W/Phantom BPL1-1370 (Though there is an element of a summer camp revival in these grooves, The Deadly Nightshade isn't deadly anymore. This album unifies around rarely heard, lead female vocal harmonies. An enjoyable album, with some weird twists in it, emerges.)

MERIT ALBUMS CONTINUED

Flo & Eddie/MOVING TARGETS/Columbia PC 34262 (As the closest thing the U.S. has to the music hall musicians of England, Flo & Eddie occupy a special place. They have fun and it comes through the loose music. Distant cousins to the Kinks.)

Gasolin'/Epic PE 34149 (We've heard all of this music before on two imports. This Lp combines those Lps and redoes the vocals in English, where necessary. All of the reorganizing yields a worthwhile American rock and roll release.)

The Mike Greene Band/MIDNIGHT MIRAGE/Mercury SRM 1-1100 (Mike's second Lp delightfully improves on his first halting effort. Where the first record lacked unity, this one ties together. Where the first Lp showed some immature songwriting, this one takes giant strides. Mike's a good singer and the band plays admirably well.)

Daryl Hall & John Oates/BIGGER THAN BOTH OF US/RCA APL1-1467 (Their internal debate, whether to use their R&B essence or to expand on a rock & roll desire, continues. Face one more reflects the former while two reflects the latter. Somehow Hall & Oates bring it together under an umbrella of good songs. Side one edges out side two.)

Herbie Hancock/SECRETS/Columbia PC 34280 (A master of the funky groove. Herbie demonstrates what disco music should be doing. The melody isn't dropped and musical intricacy isn't sacrificed yet, the almighty groove flows.)

Larry Hosford/CROSS WORDS/Shelter SRL-52003 (Larry's slightly used face implies that behind it is a man of some experience. Translated into country songs that results in basic truth. The album is real fine but, it is James Dallesandro's liner notes which get a rave.)

Freddie Hubbard/WINDJAMMER/Columbia PC 34166 (If you view this album in terms of where Freddie should be this R&B-disco groove is a sellout. But, if you are charitable you might view it as a very advanced form of that sound. He stretches it to the point of fusion. Carefully mounted.)

Albert King/ALBERT/Utopia BUL 1-1731 (There is nothing quite as satisfying as organically sown blues. Albert's music rings true even through some new-fangled arranging ploys. Enjoyable.)

Klaatu/Capitol ST-11542 (A pleasant throwback. Klaatu completely absorbed George Martin, The Beatles and Pink Floyd resulting in a dense, spacey, Sgt. Pepperish record. Even without the production commotion their songs hold up most of the time. Inadequate credits is annoying even if purposefully omitted.)

MERIT ALBUMS CONTINUED

- Azar Lawrence/PEOPLE MOVING/Prestige P-10099 (Lawrence updates his be-bop sax with hot rhythm, string synthesizer and modern production technique. He is a winning combo of jazz and R&B as fusion music persists.)
- Mother's Finest/Epic PE 34179 (For years the blues derived rockers have been trying to sing black. Mother's Finest joins whitey drumming and guitar playing with real black vocals. It's a natural. Their writing nails it.)
- Orleans/WAKING & DREAMING/Asylum 7E-1070 (Super sonics make this Orleans album a pleasure to listen to even before considering its music. Smooth presentation helps the O. K. songs and propels the special ones. Their contrast of acoustic and electric sound is cleverly manipulated. Side two is very strong.)
- Paris/BIG TOWNE, 2061/Capitol ST-11560 (Vast Parisian improvement is evident from the very first musical phrase. Songs, even some rather striking songs, replace the inarticulate blur of a first album. Good show.)
- Herb Pedersen/SOUTH BY SOUTHWEST/Epic PE 34225 (Pedersen comes out from behind the entire West coast country-rock scene in his first solo effort. Not really a lead singer Herb's vocals get by. His writing and his choices ring true in a full, countryish production.)
- The Noel Redding Band/BLOWIN'/RCA APL-1863 (Going back to the basics, Noel's band plays it safe & secure. Though they never try anything, the songs, as performed, do the job. Further, the Lp's basicness generates a style of its own.)
- John Reid/FACADE/Columbia PC 34298 (Style-injected arrangements which tend toward the overdone and John's foggy vocal sound define this rocker. Pretty good songwriting builds a firm base from which Reid starts. Above average sound appeal.)
- Jerry Reed/BOTH BARRELS/RCA APL 1-1861 (Jerry does what he can to make gritty country music. His music comes from a rural folk tradition and intertwines with the beat of the city. He's a country-rocker who approaches from the country side.)
- Marty Robbins/EL PASO CITY/Columbia KC 34303 (Marty's album is not country and not so much Texas, it is more a Western album. It is filled with fine songs, fine performances and the easy feeling of a prairie Rambler.)
- D. J. Rogers /ON THE ROAD AGAIN/RCA APL 1-1697 (Rogers' Lp appears to have been thrown together at certain points. Gigantic productions are used to intercede for a few weak songs. Still, there is enough enjoyment included to qualify.)
- The Rowans/SIBLING RIVALRY/Asylum 7E-1073 (The Rowans are beginning to reach the musical heights which were projected for them earlier. This recording is filled with bright, pretty melodies delivered spiritually.)
- Ruby Starr/SCENE STEALER/Capitol ST-11549 (Though not always couched in a convincing musical setting Ruby has a knack for survival. Both her vocals and her attitude win praise elevating some underdeveloped arrangements. Side two is better.)
- Supercharge/Virgin PZ 34293 (Their recently reviewed import was a hodge-podge of good ideas poorly organized. As prepared for U. S. release a real Lp is made by dropping a few tracks, adding several new ones and reordering the whole thing. Now they unify under the blue-eyed soul banner they are best at. Good show both by the group and the unnamed reorganizer.)
- Kevin Westlake/STARS FADE/Utopia BUL 1-1388 (Kevin hears in his head how he wants to deliver his stylized vocals, but lacks the voice to completely bring it off. His blues, country, music hall feelings are nonetheless genuine. Good writing.)
- Deniece Williams/THIS IS NIECY/Columbia PC 34242 (Deniece's lilting voice adds a new color to the vocal spectrum, while Maurice White and Charles Stepney provide just about everything else. Together they float this Lp which is based on equivocated material. The tunes are O. K. but, often the lyrics take the easy way out.)

SATISFACTORY ALBUMS

(Albums of acceptable quality which, of themselves, require only secondary progressive radio consideration.)

- Arizona/RCA LPL 1-5123 (Arizona, as presented here, is a gathering of pretty fair musicians but, not a band. Juxtaposing hot R&B music and acoustic folkiness doesn't work. Versatility in music, as in most art forms, tends to offend rather than appeal to anyone.)
- Rhythm/RCA APL 1-1846 (This Sly derived R&B requires lots of movement in the arrangements. Like mental depression these arrangements often lay there needing a stimulant. A straight song like "Find Yourself Somebody to Love" does best.)
- Voudouris & Kahne/STREET PLAYER/Capitol ST-11554 (You can hear the work which went into David Kahne's songs. But, really good tunes sound effortless. The touch of unnaturalness in most of his tunes forces compensatory production overkill. That has the effect of accentuating the problem. The foundation simply has to be right.)

FRINGE ALBUMS

(Good albums which are not progressive, yet hold some interest for progressive audiences.)

- Brigati/LOST IN THE WILDERNESS/Elektra 7E-1074 (The thrust of the Brigati album is toward the fringes. But, a minority of meritorious music sustains interest in side one. Try "100% Absent," "Made in Spain" and the title track.)
- Brownsmith/Capitol ST-11534 (Brownsmith is organically sweetened as opposed to artificially sweetened. Their light, acoustic folk setting supports pretty vocal harmonies. Good songs absorb this clean-cut approach.)

FRINGE ALBUMS CONTINUED

- Norman Connors/AQUARIAN DREAM/Buddah BDS 5672 (This promising young jazz drummer has detoured. Trading off future credibility he can underachieve and still succeed working this pop style.)
- John Denver/SPIRIT/RCA APL 1-1694 (Riding on the musical shoulders of Denver's middle of the road are the remnants of his folksy past. Those tracks can be used easily though they are softened by the arranging emulsifiers which John has adopted.)
- Crystal Gayle/CRYSTAL/United Artists UALA-614-G (Crystal has potential which goes largely unrealized in an album which chickens out of every decision. It never commits itself either to its country roots or to its rock roots.)
- Thad Jones-Mel Lewis & Manuel De Sica & The Jazz Orchestra/Pausa PR-7012 (De Sica's writing and arranging demands an energetic performance. However, the big band sound is out of phase these days. Good all around.)
- Lady Flash/BEAUTIES IN THE NIGHT/RSO RS-1-3002 (Barry Manilow has to be written off as a progressive. He and his partner, Ron Dante, are talented but, totally pop directed. The set order isn't well thought out because the extraneous songs which open side two break the pop flow, causing disunity. They should have ended the side.)
- Wade Marcus/METAMORPHOSIS/ABC Impulse ASD-9318 (This jazzy, lush disco music signals not only a metamorphosis for Wade Marcus but, also a change in the Impulse label. Of course, that's been coming on for two years. The Lp is so out of bounds that it normally would not have been given space.)
- Gerry Mulligan/MEETS ENRICO INTRA/Pausa PR-7010 (Mulligan is a favorite because he never gets tiring, he manages freshness always. Again, lots of invention keeps this recording interesting. The end of side one and Mulligan's "Rio One" get feisty.)
- Dolly Parton/ALL I CAN DO/RCA APL 1-1665 (The word has been circulating that Dolly was moving out from under the Nashville country pile. An accomplished songwriter in her own right, she takes this beautiful step in a transcendent direction. A fine recording.)
- Houston Person/PURE PLEASURE/Mercury SRM 1-1104 (A pleasant disco cruise as promised in the title. Houston finds a commercial place for himself by using stock back-ups and blowing second nature riffs.)
- Twiggy/Mercury SRM 1-1093 (Twiggy's vocal talent will surprise you. She's very comfortable in this soft countryish setting, though her voice could have mixed a smidgen higher. Excellent material was chosen too. The positive overall impression is popishly light.)

SPECIAL PROGRAMMING

(Spoken, poetry-comedy and extraneous musics.)

- Barry Altschul, Paul Bley & Gary Peacock/VIRTUOSI/Improvising Artists, Inc. IAI 373844 (Devoid of any obvious structural logic these accomplished players steer through merky waters. Both pieces, by long absent Annette Peacock, are obtuse to put it mildly.)
- The American Brass Quintet & Morris Lang/ELLIOT CARTER'S BRASS QUINTET & EIGHT PIECES FOR FOUR TIMPANI/Odyssey Y34137 (Avant-garde classists, Elliot Carter included, seem to have given up on writing melodies to match the masters. Instead they concentrate on the technical, the irregular and the obtuse. Of course, someone has to do it.)
- George Crumb/MAKROKOSMOS VOL. II/Odyssey Y34135 (A challenging suite of pianistic ramblings. Melody is the foster child of the modernists who are attempting to get outside the historic bounds of their instruments. Difficult.)
- David Grisman/THE ROUNDER ALBUM/Rounder 0069 (The conscious pacing of this Lp moderates the normal jubilation associated with bluegrass music. Almost a somber tone is set. Nice music.)
- Bill Keith/SOMETHING AULD.../Rounder RB-1 (Bluegrass, especially played well, is an exuberant experience. Bill's banjo playing is unusually fluid. He gets well beyond the dazzling showboat style, he's musical.)
- Max Morath/JONAH MAN/Vanguard VSD-79378 (Morath is an achiever. He catalogs tin-pan-alley of 50 years ago. A regular diet of this music might be difficult on the system but surely a "Willie the Weeper" can find a place.)
- Mark O'Connor/PICKIN' IN THE WIND/Rounder 0068 (Mark is one mean fiddle player. At age 14 he is not only an accomplished musician but, he has developed a distinctive style. Mature beyond his years and maturing. Look out.)
- Poor Richard's Almanac/Ridge Runner RRR000-2 (Lots of energetic hillbilly pickin' is always a treat. Here you must listen through some hazy recording sound. Though that doesn't diminish the musical talent involved, it might affect your appreciation of it. Ridge Runner is available at 3035 Townsend Dr., Fort Worth, Texas 76110.)
- Michael Rabin/PAGANINI/Seraphim SIB-6096 (If you have not discovered the dynamic passion of Paganini you are missing a 19th Century man invested with the spirit of rock and roll. It takes an extraordinary violinist to even get near playing a Paganini composition.)
- Gunther Schuller/THE INVENZIONI & CONTOURS/Odyssey Y34141 (Schuller's name has been linked to more accessible projects in the past. Here his own writing is displayed. It is generally set in the current avant style of spaced obscurity. Lots of low-key noodling, less melody.)
- Various Artists/ELECTRONIC MUSIC WINNERS/Odyssey Y34139 (These well studied electronicists have won prizes in the International Electronic Music Competition. They have lots of wild ideas but, no soul. Mind altering.)
- Various Artists/MORTON FELDMAN: ROTHKO CHAPEL & FOR FRANK O'HARA/Odyssey Y34138 (Feldman writes in eery pastel tones. Though played on normal acoustic instruments, those associated with the standard orchestra, the music sounds like electronic experiments. Difficult.)

REISSUES

The Band/THE BEST OF.../Capitol ST-11553("Twilight" is new.)
Woody Herman/DOUBLE EXPOSURE/Chess 2ACJM-402
Howlin' Wolf/BLUES MASTERS SERIES/Chess 2ACMB-201
John Klemmer/MAGIC MOMENTS/Chess 2ACMJ-401
Little Milton/BLUES MASTERS SERIES/Chess 2ACMB-204
Little Walter/BLUES MASTERS SERIES/Chess 2ACMB-202
James Moody/MOODY'S MOOD/Chess 2ACMJ-403
Various Artists/THE ALL-STAR SESSIONS/Milestone M-47037
Various Artists/NEWPORT-GREAT BLUESMEN/Vanguard
VSD-77/78
Various Artists-Soundtrack/SLUMBER PARTY/Mercury
SRM 1-1097
War/GREATEST HITS/United Artists UA-LA 648-G
Muddy Waters/BLUES MASTERS SERIES/Chess 2ACMB-203

NOTABLE SINGLES

Boston/MORE THAN A FEELING/Epic 8-50266
Boxer/HEY BULLDOG/Virgin ZS89509
Manfred Mann's Earth Band/BLINDED BY THE LIGHT/
Warner Bros. WBS 8252
Strawbs/I ONLY WANT MY LOVE./Oyster OY702

IMPORTS

(Our imports are provided with the help of Intergalactic Trading Col, Portland, Ore.; Jem Records, P.O. Box 362, South Plainfield, N. J. 07080 - (201) 753-6100.)

Dirty Tricks/NIGHT MAN/Polydor 2383 398 (Using the fuzz as punctuation instead of as saturation Dirty Tricks improves on lesser hard rockers. Of course, this band doesn't have to slur their well crafted songs. The makings are here for an important new band. Merit.)

IMPORTS CONTINUED

Martin Garthy/GROWN OF HORN/Topic 12TS300 (Just his guitar and voice paint pictures of an old England of charm and grace. Though he works in the narrow space of traditional music his performances make it usable in broader contexts. Merit.)
Goblin/PROFONDO ROSSO/Ariola 27387 OT (Powerful instrumentalists. These are not street musicians, their level of play implies training. Goblin is solid at every level including writing. Merit.)
Simon Jeffes/MUSIC FROM THE PENGUIN CAFE/Obscure 7 (Simon Jeffes' music provides an alternative to current directions. It explores the inner envelope very successfully. All properties of style and melody are included but, they are somehow inverted and eerie. Special Programming.)
Lucifer's Friend/MIND EXPLODING/Vertigo 6360 633 (Hot. Absolutely searing vocals are driven by standard Lucifer's Friend instrumental overdrive. Consistently strong material distinguishes them. Merit.)
Michael Nyman/DECAY MUSIC/Obscure 6 (Nyman operates on a different set of musical assumptions than the rest of us. His music is obviously the work of the devil, otherwise it would be understandable. Vague. Special Programming.)
Jan Steele-John Cage/VOICES & INSTRUMENTS/Obscure 5 (Each man uses a whole side for several compositions. As the label states the music is obscure but, not experimental. These men are in command. Special Programming.)
Tanned Leather/SADDLE SOAP/EMI C062-29651 (This group wants to come to the States. Their lead singer, presumably he is also the lyric writer, is playing to the U.S. market. The music supports his effort. Tanned Leather may emanate from Germany but there is no way to tell from what comes out of the speakers. Smooth. Merit.)

CONCEPTS

Total Marketing

Stimulated by recent comments made in our retail section we would like to expand on a standard theme of ours and reinforce the ideas suggested in that section.

Our basic idea has been that the record industry must take a wholistic view in order to best deliver its artists to the public. Presuming of course that their artists are worth delivering.

By our emphasis on radio we indicate where we think the main thrust is. Likewise, by our coverage of the concert scene we imply the importance of putting an artist on stage, in front of an audience. Touring augments and compliments and even, stimulates radio play.

Finally, our concern for the realities of the retail business, including the effect of in-store-play expands even further the suggestion to view the whole rather than the pieces.

An expansion of this idea emanates from some old, dusty ideas resurfacing. As reported here some documented success with store appearances and old-fashioned autograph sessions can develop the best possible good will for everybody. Personal contact with an artist is an obvious stimulant to both record buyers and business.

The lesson is that marketing isn't simply putting up posters, getting good bin position and distributing co-op money. The lesson is that there are several more stops to be made after the radio interview. Finally, the lesson is that total marketing isn't easy.

Jobs

WIBA-FM is now accepting tapes and resumes for part time announcers and future full time openings. Send to Dave Benson WIBA-FM, P. O. Box 99, Madison, Wisc. 53701.

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Effective as of August 12, 1976 Michael Leventon left Pye Records where he served as National Promotion Director for a period of one year. Prior to working for Pye Records he worked for four years for A&M Records as local promotion man in Chicago, and National Lp coordinator. Mr. Leventon can be reached at (212) 873-6948.

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I'm looking for new avenues of creativity. Your station could be it! Currently running a Free Form cable FM station and I'm ready to move back to the real world of broadcasting. Six years experience in all aspects of radio. Management, programming, production, extensive musical knowledge plus a first phone. Willing to relocate anywhere in the West or Southwest. Make an offer to T. Scott Brineman (505) 585-2977 or (505) 437-8519. Tape and resume available on request.

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Music Director - production, jock, years experience with free form AOR. Soft rocker needs relocating. More room to grow. Contact J. McCutcheon, RR 1, Carbondale, Illinois 62901.

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Looking for AOR, progressive, or jazz position in California area. Six years experience with the last 2 at WAAL-FM, Binghamton, New York. Number one ratings, 7pm-mid, Sun-Fri., April/May '76 ARB's. Creative programming and production. If interested contact Ron Lakis, (415) 824-3726; 411B Fair Oaks, San Francisco, Calif. 94114.

Miscellaneous

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RECORD SERVICE

KCR/San Diego, Calif. - Fantasy
KFSR/Fresno, Calif. - Mercury; RCA
KLGJ/Breckenridge, Colo. - Mercury
KPEL/Lafayette, La. - Asylum
KSFJ/Sacramento, Calif. - Info on replacement policies
KTMS/Santa Barbara, Calif. - Island; Columbia; Warner Bros.
KUSC/St. Cloud, Minn. - ABC; Dunhill
WBCR/Brooklyn, N. Y. - Mango; Warner Bros.
WBRW/Waltham, Mass. - TK; GNP Crescendo
WFME/Baton Rouge, La. - Furay Band
WFPR/Hammond, La. - Capricorn; Columbia; Warner Bros.
WHCN/Hartford, Conn. - Mango; Merrimac; Great Northwest; Lydian; Chinook
WITR/Rochester, N. Y. - Private Stock
WJKL/Elgin, Ill. - Janus
WKDD/Akron, Ohio - ABC
WNYU/New York, N. Y. - Warner Bros.
WOOR/Oxford, Miss. - London
WRNW/Westchester, N. Y. - Dharna

NORTHEAST RADIO

(Plus (+) indicates Audience Reaction & Asterisk (*) indicates New Addition)
 Boston Continued... Providence Continued...

BOSTON

WBCN-FM
NORM WINER/PROGRAMMING
ELLEN DARST/

MUSIC CO-ORDINATOR

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

- Aerosmith
- Atlanta Rhythm Section
- Average White Band
- Jeff Beck
- Blue Oyster Cult
- Doobie Bros.
- Duke & The Drivers
- Fleetwood Mac
- Peter Frampton
- J. Geils Band
- *Grand Funk Railroad
- *Peter Ivers
- Jefferson Starship
- Nils Lofgren
- Ian Matthews
- *Christine McVie
- Steve Miller Band
- *Orleans
- Pousette-Dart Band
- Andy Pratt
- *Linda Ronstadt
- Roxy Music
- Boz Scaggs
- Southside Johnny/Jukes
- Steely Dan
- Stephen Stills
- James Taylor
- Thin Lizzy
- Dwight Twilley Band
- Warren Zevon

MODERATE AIRPLAY:

- *American Flyer
- Jon Anderson
- *Joan Armatrading
- *Back Street Crawler
- Beach Boys
- *Beckies
- *Jorge Ben
- George Benson
- *Gary Burton
- Chicago
- City Boy
- *Jessi Colter
- Alice Cooper
- Crosby/Nash
- Rick Derringer
- *Michael Dinner
- Earth Quake
- *Mike Finnigan
- Firefall
- Richie Furay
- Go
- John Handy
- Jan Hammer
- *Heath Bros.
- Freddie Hubbard
- Al Jarreau
- Waylon Jennings
- *Mark-Almond
- Bob Marley/Wailers
- John Mayall
- *Country Joe McDonald
- *Meters
- Pat Metheny
- Jonathan Richman
- Monkees
- Ohio Players
- Quire
- Leon & Mary Russell
- Carly Simon
- Rick Springfield
- Starz
- Rod Stewart
- Streetwalkers
- Tubes

SINGLES:

- Band
- Bee Gees
- Blondie
- Earth, Wind & Fire
- Bryan Ferry
- John Fogerty
- Andrew Gold
- Grand Funk
- Elton John/Kiki Dee
- Webster Lewis
- Little Feat
- Orleans
- Pilot
- Bob Seger
- Bunny Sigler
- Stephen Stills-Neil Young
- Strawbs
- War
- ZZ Top

- Plus Locals:
 American Standard Band
 Cap'n Swing
 Foxpass
 Remains
 Thundertrain

WBCN-FM

SPECIAL PROGRAMMING:

- Live in Studio:
- Flying Burrito Bros.

IMPORTS:

- Andy Fraser
- World of Phil Spector
- Vols. 1-5 (thanks to Ritch Bloom at Jem)

NOTEWORTHY NEW ADDITIONS:

- Asleep at the Wheel
- Roy Ayers Ubiquity
- BTO
- Byron Berline
- Bonnie Bramlett
- Brigati
- Burning Spear
- Philip Catherine
- Curtis Bros.
- Eric Dolphy
- Flamin' Groovies
- Group with No Name
- Freddie Hubbard
- Hummingbird
- Kris Kristofferson
- John McLaughlin
- Paris
- Graham Parker
- Powerhouse
- David Sanborn
- La Seine
- Ray Thomas
- Johnny "Guitar" Watson
- Wild Cherry
- Deniece Williams

NEWS & PUBLIC AFFAIRS:

Recent programs included a half hour special on the resistance to nuclear power plants: how citizen groups are fighting against the nukes. It's a Susan Sprecher report with an interview with Sam Lovejoy, the man who won fame (but not fortune) by knocking down a nuclear-plant planning tower some years back. (He was acquitted)... Also I did a thirty minute community report on the Fight for the Free Beach -- a look at the issues involving nudity on the beautiful federal seashore at Cape Cod... We also did a thirty minute report on the Boston-South Africa connection, a look at the local corporations who are investing in South Africa and how those investments help prop up the apartheid system... Speaking of which, Newsweek reports that a song about SOWETO by the South African jazz pianist-singer Dollar Brand is the big underground seller in the African townships. Supposedly it is already out on an existing record. Could anyone help me find it? If it can be found, we might want to play it here as it seems more authentic -- although no less angry than Gil Scott-Heron's song. Recent Womens shows included a special on rape and the efforts by women to raise consciousness about this pernicious crime. Also a special on women who live in public housing.

- Danny Schechter
 News Dissector

COMMENTS:

Recently returned to the proverbial fold: Steve Clean, ex-KWST, KMET, KPPC, WBCN. Currently (and initially) working fillins and weekends.

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PROVIDENCE

WBRU-FM/JEREMY BUTLER
 (for vacationing Ilyse Gottlieb)

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

- Bonnie Bramlett
- Linda Ronstadt
- Orleans
- American Flyer
- Hummingbird
- Meters
- Andy Pratt
- Paris

WBRU-FM

MODERATE AIRPLAY:

- Rick Derringer
 - Lou Courtney
 - Roxy Music
 - Grand Funk
 - Lowell Fulson
 - Gino Vannelli
 - Modern Lovers
 - Aerosmith
 - Jefferson Starship
- SINGLES:
 Thundertrain
 Attitudes
- SPECIAL PROGRAMMING:
 Thanks to Warners for an hour and a half of Leon & Mary Russell live. Also, ELO from the BBC. Coming up, Loggins and Messina live from Tanglewood.

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HARTFORD/WESTERN MASS.

WHCN-FM/
COUNTRY PAUL PAYTON/MD
MIKE SHALETT/PD

- NEW BIN:
 Hall & Oates
 Linda Ronstadt
 Country Joe McDonald
 Band
 Orleans
 Curved Air (import)
 Graham Parker
 Rowans
 Earth Quake
 Peter Tosh (esp. 1-1)
 Gary Burton
 Burning Spear
 American Flyer!!!!
 Meters (espt. 1-2)
 Tom Snow
 England Dan/John Ford Coley
 Grand Funk (esp. 1-2)
 Morning Sky (local)
 Dion
 BTO
 Rare Tracks (import)
 Byron Berline
 Hummingbird
 Asleep at the Wheel
 David Sanborn (esp. 1-2)
 Paris (esp. 1-5)
 Powerhouse
 Thijs Van Leer (import)
 Free Beer (esp. 1-3)
 Artful Dodger
 I Don't Care
 Mott (esp. 2-1)
 Peter Ivers
 Bonnie Bramlett
 Michael Mantler et al
 James Brown (esp. 2-2)
 Michael Dinner
 Gasolin'
 Quire
 Roxy Music
 Jess Roden
 KBPI (2-5)
 KWST (1-2)
 (both should be 45's)
 John Mayall
 Kris Kristofferson
 John Miles

EMPHASIS BIN:

- Spirit
- Christine McVie
- Al Jarreau
- Crosby/Nash
- Heart
- Average White Band
- George Benson/CTI
- NRBQ
- Dwight Twilley!!!
- Go (esp. 2-7)
- Joan Armatrading
- Mark-Almond
- Jay Ferguson
- Back Street Crawler
- Doc Watson
- Ben Sidran!
- Rod Stewart
- Solution!
- City Boy!
- Gino Vannelli (esp. 1-3)
- Jonathan Richman
- Ian Gillan (esp. 2-1)
- Flamin' Groovies (esp. 1-5)
- Leon Redbone
- Nighthawks
- Richie Furay
- Alice Cooper
- Chicago

Hartford Continued...

WHCN-FM

- Silverado
 - Bobby Bland/B. B. King
 - Heptones (esp. 1-4)
 - Pat Metheny
- NEWLY ELEVATED TO ESTABLISHED BIN:
 Keith Jarrett
 Duke & The Drivers
 Triumvirat
 Diga Rhythm Band
- SPECIAL PROGRAMMING:
 Living Room Concert (8/12):
 Roger McGuinn (one hour of pure delight)

Live interviews with Firefall (Roberts & Burnett); American Flyer (Katz & Yule); Janis Ian; Loudon Wainwright III; Chuck Mangione

NEWS & PUBLIC AFFAIRS:
 Conventionizing... Ed Barks is covering the Republican's in KC for us this week. Belated thanks to Mike Linder, Scoop Nisker and Mark Scheerer for happy days covering the Democrats at MSG last month. It was real education.

Is the Woodstock generation dead? Two local promoters (Koplink & Finkel) were forced to cancel outdoor series of rock shows seating 30,000 because of non-ticket holder fan violence. Not an isolated phenomenon, witness Jersey City, N. J., Cincinnati, Detroit. What's happening in your city?

Completing month's trial of AP Audio and very impressed with results. When properly and sparingly programmed, audio can quadruple news credibility. Check it out with an open mind. Finally, hearty thanks for a great summer to Mike Luery, volunteer-apprentice extraordinaire. Really busted his chops with and for us, and we all shared the learning experience. Luery heads back to GM KSPC at Pomona College in Calif. Keep an eye on this kid!!

Vacation time nears. More soon.

- Jim Cameron & Gabby
 Newstalkers

COMMENTS:

Thanks to all the people we asked for Lucky Loser Contest prizes. The 500 winners will get off mightily.

Thanks to Ritch Bloom at Jem for the goodies, esp. the rare 45's.

For those who came for the stag party, it was great seeing you.

I'll be vacationing the week of Sept. 13; to do business, ask for Mike or my sub. And watch this space for the announcement of the party of the year. Meanwhile, things are hectic but cooking, and we're all happy. It'll be a good fall.

- Paul

Same staff, new schedule:

- 6 - 10 am - John Labella
- 10 - 2 pm - Mike Shalett
- 2 - 7 pm - Ray White
- 7 - mid - Charlie Hotpartz
- Mid-6 am - Stu Kaufperson
- Weekends & Overnights:
 Jim Shanahan
 Part Time: Scott Hartley, Pam Merly, Ed Barks, Firefly, Fred Moore
 News: Jim Cameron & Gabby, plus Scott, Ed, & Mike Luery

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Hartford Continued... WCCC-AM&FM/BILL NOSAL

HEAVY AIRPLAY: Jefferson Starship Steve Miller Band Rod Stewart Jeff Beck James Taylor Crosby/Nash Chicago Steely Dan Average White Band George Benson Ritchie Furay Band Blue Oyster Cult Wings Orleans Silverado Asleep at the Wheel MODERATE AIRPLAY: *Country Joe McDonald Southside Johnny/Jukes Boz Scaggs Jon Anderson Mark-Almond Heart Triumvirat Spirit Alice Cooper Marshall Tucker Band Gordon Lightfoot Doobie Bros. Alan Parsons Project Andy Pratt Jay Ferguson Billy Joel Jethro Tull *Ruby Starr Jerry Jeff Walker Neil Diamond Ray Thomas Solution *The Band *Grand Funk Tom Snow Gino Vannelli *Paris *Joan Armatrading Hummingbird Linda Ronstadt SINGLES: *The Band *Strawbs Stills-Young Band Bee Gees Little River Band Jasper Wrath (local) Earth, Wind & Fire Elton John/Kiki Dee

NEW HAVEN

WPLR-FM/ GORDON WEINGARTH HEAVY AIRPLAY: +*Hummingbird +Aerosmith +George Benson - Breezin' +Steve Miller Band +Jefferson Starship +Bob Marley/Wailers +Grateful Dead +*Linda Ronstadt *Orleans +Christine McVie +Dwight Twilley Band *American Flyer +Boz Scaggs (all) +Fleetwood Mac (all) +Beatles (all) +Beach Boys (all) +Ian Hunter +Point Blank +Southside Johnny/Jukes +Andy Pratt (all) Alan Parsons Project +Mark-Almond Crosby/Nash +Heart MODERATE AIRPLAY: George Benson Good King Bad *Meters *Paris *Gino Vannelli *Joan Armatrading *Sundance *Michael Dinner John Mayall Mott +Firefall +Average White Band Peter Frampton Thin Lizzy Nektar Jon Anderson Ben Sidran Jethro Tull Pousette-Dart Band

New Haven Continued... WPLR-FM Starz Jonathan Richman Back Street Crawler SINGLES: Rick Dees/RSO "Disco Duck" (A (q)wacky spoof and a great novelty record.) Jasper Wrath "You" (A very fine local group.) War - "Summer" SPECIAL PROGRAMMING: Interview with Katz and Yule of American Flyer 8/15. (Thanks, Stu Sank of U. A.) Interview with Bob Weir wearing his Kingfish hat, late July. Interview with Rick Derringer 8/8. (Thanks Dave Pike at Epic.) We did a studio concert with Duke and the Drivers which aired 8/8/76. Thanks Bill Beamish. Good-time honest funky rock & roll lives when these jivin' boys hit the stage. See them live if you can. IMPORTS: Be-Bop Deluxe (single) "Kiss of Light" COMMENTS: Hieronymous Anonymous WPLR thrives! our spring ratings for Connecticut were so good that management offered all regular air staffers a princely \$4/wk. raise no later than 1979. (Just a joke, boss.) Lessee, thank Messrs. Tuscan & Sirotta of Capitol for the chance to talk and the concern. Messrs. Colquitt of Columbia and Leeds of Epic too. Also Dave Demers of Columbia for the Boz Scaggs concert. And everybody. Listen, this damn train is screwing up my writing. Congratulations Country Paul & Wendy! That's it. Regards, Weingarth

NEW YORK

WNEW-FM/VIN SCELSA HEAVY AIRPLAY: *American Flyer *Linda Ronstadt *Orleans *Bruce Springsteen *Rod Stewart *Live at CBGB's (various artists) *Hall & Oates *Byron Berline *Paris Fleetwood Mac (still) Jefferson Starship Boz Scaggs Southside Johnny/Jukes Joan Armatrading Rowans Ian Matthews Chicago City Boy Rolling Stones Billy Joel MODERATE AIRPLAY: *Michael Dinner *Trooper *Tom Snow *Hummingbird *Tommy West *Larry Hosford *England Dan/John Ford Coley *Bottle Hill *Artful Dodger *Brigati *I Don't Care *Fania All-Stars NEWS & PUBLIC AFFAIRS: A six month test period is underway allowing reporters to interview inmates of Federal maximum security prisons. See Broadcasting July 19, page 46. We are taking advantage of it - found a health care scam right away. Lennon finally beats Feds - a pleasure to see him looking so well and in keen wit at Immigration Court where Gloria Swanson, Norman Mailer and John Cage spoke in his

New York Continued... WNEW-FM

George Harrison nursing a liver ailment in Sweden was unavailable for comment on a 5th anniversary special on the concert for Bangla Desh, but Alan Klein talked about how the show came together. The Muckrakers here in the FM Newsroom discovered that 46 million dollars from the record and film royalties never reached the starving people of that unfortunate country. It's sitting in Apple bank accounts right now, waiting for an IRS tax decision. Nice to see the Feds allowing people to starve while they decide how big a tax bite they'll take. Thanks to Jack Anderson's staff for help in this expose. - Michael Linder WKTU-FM/MARK CICHON HEAVY AIRPLAY: James Taylor Linda Ronstadt Tommy West Barry Manilow Neil Diamond England Dan/John Ford Coley John Dawson Read Peter Allen Dion American Flyer Firefall Carpenters Gordon Lightfoot Ian Matthews MODERATE AIRPLAY: Billy Joel Meisburg & Walters Cliff Richard Andy Pratt Crosby/Nash Lulson Beach Boys Chicago Rod Stewart Blood, Sweat & Tears Warren Zevon Ray Thomas Peter Pringle Movies Brigati John Reid Carly Simon SINGLES: Stills-Young Band George Benson Spirit Liverpool Express John Travolta Frankie Valli Rupert Holmes L. D. Pearl Keith Carradine Dr. Hook Wings David Frizzell Fleetwood Mac War City Boy Seals & Crofts Loggins & Messina Gallagher & Lyle Amazing Rhythm Aces Andrew Gold Elton John/Kiki Dee Splinter Sammy Johns Guess Who Joni Lee Rich Billay Manhattans Jefferson Starship Curtis Bros. WPLJ-FM/ CORINNE BALDASSANO HEAVY AIRPLAY: *Crosby/Nash *Jon Anderson *Average White Band *Cliff Richard *Linda Ronstadt

Long Island Continued... WLIR-FM

Steve Miller Band Leon & Mary Russell Andy Pratt Firefall Earth Quake *Rowans Rod Stewart *Linda Ronstadt Blue Oyster Cult Atlanta Rhythm Section MODERATE AIRPLAY: *Paris Dwight Twilley Band Country Joe McDonald James Taylor Michael Dinner Gordon Lightfoot *Hall & Oates Spirit Charlie Daniels *I Don't Care *Brigati *Flamin' Groovies *Artful Dodger *Gino Vannelli *Deniece Williams *John Denver *Kris Kristofferson *Tommy West *La Seine *Byron Berline Grand Funk *CBGB (various artists) Rolling Stones Joan Armatrading England Dan/J. F. Coley City Boy Back Street Crawler Chicago Isley Bros. BEST OF'S: *Bachman-Turner *The Band IMPORTS: *O Curved Air *Druid SINGLES: *ZZ Top Stills-Young Attitudes War Bryan Ferry *Be-Bop Deluxe (import) *Strawbs Pilot INTERVIEWS: Kiki Dee Outlaws CONCERTS: Flying Burrito Bros. Duke & The Drivers COMMENTS: Thank You's To Dept: Gil Colquitt for the Burritos and their history... Ren Grevatt and Mickey Wallach for Duke etc... Ray Dariano for the Kiki Dee interview... Michael Leone for an afternoon with the Outlaws. - Denis * * * * BUFFALO WBUF-FM/ERIC TRAVER A DDED 7/26-8/16: *Johnny Guitar Watson *Linda Ronstadt *Paris *Hall & Oates *Orleans *Grand Funk Railroad *Jesse Roden Band *American Flyer *Richie Furay Band *John Mayall *The Band (reissue) *Christine McVie (reissue) HEAVY AIRPLAY: Spirit Go Jefferson Starship Blue Oyster Cult Jeff Beck City Boy Steve Miller Band Rod Stewart Gino Vannelli Back Street Crawler Jon Anderson Steely Dan Tubes Crosby/Nash Flamin' Groovies

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Buffalo Continued...
WBUF-FM

Peter Frampton
Beatles
Jay Ferguson
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Leon Redbone
George Benson
Jonathan Richman
Beach Boys
Joan Armatrading
Triumvirat
James Taylor
Fleetwood Mac
Electric Light Orchestra
Average White Band
Johnny & Edgar Winter
Southside Johnny/Jukes
Thin Lizzy
Wild Tchoupitoulas
Gordon Lightfoot
James Cotton
Gary Burton
Little River Band
Alice Cooper
Grateful Dead
Mark-Almond
David Bowie
John Miles
Seals & Crofts
Toots & The Maytals
Roxy Music
Bob Marley/Wailers
Natural Gas
Wings
Aerosmith
Widowmaker
Felix Pappalardi & Creation
SINGLES:
Little Feat
*ZZ Top
*Strawbs
Stills-Young
War
IMPORTS:
Brand X
Bob Marley & Wailers
COMMENTS:

Many sincere thanks to the people at Epic for the beautiful framed print commemorating the Southside Johnny broadcast. A very nice touch.

Thanks also to Ed Hines and the folks at Columbia, along with Joel Fein, for both the Janis Ian and Boz Scaggs broadcasts from Central Park. Excellent sound quality and an excellent idea.

Though it's always sad when someone possessing the quality of humanity departs a region, our (belated) best wishes go out to James Heathfield in his new environment.

Finally, Elton John recently performed for over 50,000 people in a stadium just outside of Buffalo. Having long been non-admirers of E. J. (due to his popularity being beyond the realm of rationality), some of us here very hesitantly went to see him. We came away convinced that anybody whose enthusiasm and music could keep 50,000+ people clapping and dancing and singing in a stadium while being literally drenched by rain certainly deserves accolades.

And that's it --

Take care,

Eric

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LONG ISLAND

WBAB-FM/BERNIE BERNARD

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
*American Flyer
George Benson
Stanky Brown
+Crosby/Nash
+Doobie Bros.
Go
Grand Funk
Jefferson Starship
Mark-Almond
Christine McVie
John Miles
Steve Miller Band
+Boz Scaggs
Carly Simon
+Southside Johnny/Jukes
+Steely Dan
Rod Stewart
James Taylor
Country Joe McDonald
John Mayall

- Joel Martin
News & Public Affairs
Director

COMMENTS:

A few new faces at WBAB... Lisa Glassberg joined the news staff as a reporter. She has worked for WNEW-FM and WQIV. Sandy Fagin 'The Space Angel' is our new part-timer. He's from WENT in exciting Gloversville, N. Y. By the way, it was Sandy who inspired a song by Tom Dampier called "Mr. Radio Man." It seems that Tom was listening to the radio in upstate N. Y. and was enjoying Sandy's show so much, that he wrote the song. It's his current single - give a listen!

Long Island Continued...
WBAB-FM

*Linda Ronstadt
*Orleans
*Hall & Oates
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Jon Anderson
Average White Band
*The Band
Beach Boys
Blue Oyster Cult - "The Reaper"!
*Budgie
*Michael Dinner
England Dan/John Ford Coley
Jose Feliciano
Firefall
Richie Furay
Becky Hobbs
Billy Joel
*La Seine
Barry Manilow
MTB
*John Reid
*Reverberi
Cliff Richard
Rick Springfield
*Ruby Starr
*U. S. Radio Band
Year One
*Rowans
*Gino Vannelli
*Lady Flash
*Wailers
*April Wine
SINGLES:
Sherbet
Tom Dampier
SPECIAL PROGRAMMING:
Innerview -
Ian Andersen
Backstage -
Marshall Tucker Band
IMPORTS:
Kevin Ayers
NEWS & PUBLIC AFFAIRS:

It continues to be a busy and productive summer here. The flexibility of the progressive format was very evident when hurricane Belle hit Long Island on the night of August 9. By evening, most other stations were off the air. WBAB remained on with fifteen continuous hours of hurricane-related news and information. Mixed with music, the combination was apparently an effective way of reaching many before and during the storm. In addition, several other stations around the nation called WBAB for feeds about the storm's effects on Long Island.

Elsewhere... we had coverage of the Republican National Convention in Kansas City thanks to the fine news team at KBEQ-FM. Back in July, we provided them coverage from the Democratic Convention in New York. Among the major authors stopping by for WBAB interviews on "Long Island Spectrum" the past few weeks... Burt and Phil Ross "The Bribe," John Sepe and Lou Telano "The Cop Team," and Donald Bain "The Control of Candy Jones" (that's the best-seller about the C. I. A. and drug experiments).

Otherwise, we recently sponsored a pigeon in a race in New York City (really!) and co-sponsored a guitar-pickin' marathon that has broken the record in the Guinness Book of World Records.

Long Island Continued...
WBAB-FM

Speaking of single, the term no longer applies to 'Jetman' Alan Duke. He got married this past weekend! Best of luck to Alan and his lady, Margo. (Alan does the 10pm-2am show.)
See you next issue.

Bernie

PHILADELPHIA

WIOQ-FM/ALEX DEMERS

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
+*American Flyer
Paris
Orleans
Linda Ronstadt
Grand Funk Railroad
+Valdy
+Gino Vannelli
+Steely Dan
+Jefferson Starship
+Mark-Almond
+Jethro Tull
+Aerosmith
+Jeff Beck
+Heart
+Triumvirat
+Billy Joel
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
*Mike Greene
*Delbert McClinton
*Michael Dinner
*Mike Finnigan
*Peter Ivers
*Gasolin'
*The Rowans
+Artful Dodger
+Jon Anderson
+George Benson
+John Handy
+City Boy
+Thin Lizzy
Go

Christine McVie
PFM

Joan Armatrading
Jess Roden
Jonathan Richman
Jan Hammer
Roxy Music
Ian Matthews
Mott
Blue Oyster Cult
Gordon Lightfoot
Earth Quake
Ian Gillan
Average White Band
U. S. Radio Band
Hummingbird

LIGHT AIRPLAY:

*Jane Olivor
*David Sanborn
*War - Hits
*The Band - Hits
*Chess Series
*Bob Marley & Wailers/Calla
*Ruby Starr
*Bonnie Bramlett
*Burning Spear
*High Cotton
*Meters
*Tommy West
*Sundance/Byron Berline
Wild Cherry
Flamin' Groovies
Country Joe McDonald
COMMENTS:
New line-up next issue.
-Alex

WYSP/DENNY SOMACH

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
*Linda Ronstadt
Jeff Beck
Chicago
Fleetwood Mac
Jefferson Starship
*John Denver
+Go
Wings
Queen
+John Handy
+Gino Vannelli
Beach Boys
Gordon Lightfoot
Steve Miller
James Taylor
Crosby/Nash
Aerosmith
George Benson
*Paris
*American Flyer
*Grand Funk
*Boz Scaggs

Philadelphia Continued...
WYSP

Peter Frampton
*Hall & Oates
+*Orleans
Steely Dan
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Carly Simon
Triumvirat
Southside Johnny/Jukes
Wild Cherry
Thin Lizzy
City Boy
Alan Parsons Project
Widowmaker
Ian Gillan
Little River Band
Mark-Almond
Alice Cooper
Asleep at the Wheel
Hummingbird
U. S. Radio Band
Roxy Music
Average White Band
Jess Roden
Bob James
Richie Blackmore
Richie Furay
Chris Hillman
Cheech & Chong

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PITTSBURGH

WYDD/STEVE DOWNES

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Aerosmith
Atlanta Rhythm Section
Barefoot Jerry
Blue Oyster Cult
Crosby/Nash
Heart
Steve Miller
Poco
Boz Scaggs
Jefferson Starship
Steely Dan
Rod Stewart
Stephen Stills
Gino Vannelli
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Amazing Rhythm Aces
Mark-Almond
Jon Anderson
Average White Band
Back Street Crawler
George Benson - Breezin'
Jeff Beck
Richie Blackmore
Chicago
Derringer
Doobie Bros.
Fleetwood Mac
Firefall
Peter Frampton
Michael Franks
Genesis
Al Jarreau
Outlaws
Roxy Music
Seals & Crofts
David Sanborn
SS Fools
Southside Johnny/Jukes
James Taylor
Go
SINGLES:
Bryan Ferry
Stills-Young Band
SPECIAL PROGRAMMING:
Rock Around the World
BBC Rock Hour
Innerview
King Biscuit
New World of Jazz
Lp feature every night at midnight.

NEWS & PUBLIC AFFAIRS:
During my travels this summer, I had the opportunity to meet with different radio people in other markets, and the learning experience was phenomenal. I would like to personally thank John Gorman and Dan Garfinkel of WMMS-FM in Cleveland and Duff Roman of CHUM-FM in Toronto for their time and hospitality.
ATTENTION ALL RECORD COMPANY PUBLICITY DEPARTMENTS!!!! WYDD is in the process of formulating a news and public affairs program... would appreciate it if you could send me any and all bio-info on upcoming artists... along

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Pittsburgh Continued...

WYDD
with as much info on established artists as you can dig up. The information will be used for recorded phone interviews. Send all information to: WYDD News Dept., Suite 16M, Gateway Towers, Pittsburgh, Pa. 15222.

Rhonda L. Gelman
Public Affairs & News Dir.
COMMENTS:

Interviews with Larry Graham, Al Jarreau, and David Sanborn.

We've gotten an overwhelmingly positive response to a new concert syndication program from Agency Recording called The New World of Jazz, aired Sunday nights at 11:00 PM. We sold it out immediately, and the audience loves it. Best initial reaction to any syndication we've ever aired.

WYDD is playing an important role in finally developing a club scene in Pittsburgh that features national acts. So far WYDD has sponsored 4 sold out shows with Michael Franks, 4 shows (2 sold out) with Pat Martino, 6 sold out with David Sanborn at the Evergreen Hotel, with 4 shows with Ian Matthews coming up. Thanks to Dan Kelley from W. B. for his major contribution in getting the acts together. We hope that other record companies will take note that Pittsburgh now has a showcase bar that can spotlight up and coming acts and there's a radio station that is wholeheartedly behind them.

Very glad to hear that Frank Dileo will now be working ABC Records out of Pittsburgh.

Two new albums by new artists that we think will be absolute monsters: The new Lp by American Flyers, and the new Lp by Automatic Man. Some of the best new music we've heard in a long time. WYDD listeners will be getting something that they (and we) have wanted for a long long time. More on this in our next report.

Stevie Guitar

WDVE/STEVE HANSEN

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

- Beach Boys
- Chicago
- Crosby/Nash
- Fleetwood Mac
- Peter Frampton
- Jefferson Starship
- Steve Miller
- James Taylor
- Linda Ronstadt

MEDIUM AIRPLAY:

- Alice Cooper
- Average White Band
- Jeff Beck
- George Benson - Breezin'
- Blue Oyster Cult
- Heart
- Rod Stewart
- Southside Johnny/Jukes
- Stills/Young (single)
- Thin Lizzy
- Gino Vannelli
- Wild Cherry
- Go

LIGHT AIRPLAY:

- Jon Anderson
- City Boy
- Richie Furay
- Gordon Lightfoot
- Mark-Almond
- Point Blank
- Roxy Music
- Marshall Tucker Band

ADDS:

- Bonnie Bramlett
- Eric Carmen (single)
- Dwight Twilley Band
- England Dan & J. F. Coley
- Orleans
- Linda Ronstadt
- Rick Springfield (single)
- Hall & Oates

Pittsburgh Continued...

WDVE

SINGLES:

- Beach Boys
- George Benson
- Fleetwood Mac
- Hall & Oates
- Boz Scaggs
- James Taylor
- Thin Lizzy

COMMENTS:

Linda Ronstadt album is very impressive--not a weak track on it. Pittsburgh is kicking up its heels for a couple of tunes--Wild Cherry and George Benson, the latter of which put on an incredible WDVE show along with Al Jarreau. The 4000 seat Syria Mosque was sold out with the audience half-white, a 50% change from an earlier spring concert.

One word to the record-wise, most of whom are unfortunately centered in Cleveland. We refuse to be impressed because "WMMS went on the record the first day and is getting great response." With all due respect to a great radio station, WMMS doesn't mean shit to a tree in Pittsburgh. We invite you your next time through to spend a little time in the Burgh, get to know the great radio here and understand better what we're into. We are not educating--we learn from our listeners, play what they want, give them live concert events and have a good time. And as you can tell, we've got it down cold.

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CAMBRIDGE

WCAS-AM/DON COHEN MD
MOE SHORE PD

EXTRA HEAVY AIRPLAY:

- +*Jade & Sarsaparilla!!! (local)

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

- *Joan Armatrading
- *American Flyer
- Asleep at the Wheel
- Jorge Ben
- *Byron Berline/Sundance
- +*Dorothy Carter (local)
- Leslie Duncan
- Steve Goodman (re-issue)
- *Bill Keith
- Gordon Lightfoot
- +*Mark-Almond
- *Christine McVie
- Andy Pratt
- Esther Satterfield
- James Taylor
- Peter Tosh
- Jerry Jeff Walker

NEW ADDITIONS:

- Burning Spear

MODERATE AIRPLAY:

- *Band X (local)
- *Brewer & Shipley - Best of
- +*Gary Burton
- *City Boy - "Haymaking Time"

- Commander Cody
- Country Cooking
- Crosby/Nash

- *Jim Dawson (reissue)
- *Michael Dinner
- Dion
- Steve Gillette

- *Dan Huckabee
- *Hummingbird
- Al Jarreau
- Jefferson Starship +

- "With Your Love"
- Waylon Jennings

- *Larry Keen
- Doug Kershaw
- Yusef Lateef
- Ian Matthews

- *John Mayall
- *Country Joe McDonald
- Roger McGuinn
- Mighty Diamonds

- Tom Mitchell
- Poco
- Doug Sahn
- Nina Simone

- *Tom Snow
- Rod Stewart
- Valdy

Cambridge Continued...

WCAS-AM

- Doc Watson
- Wild Tchoupitoulas

SINGLES:

- Stills-Young Band - "Long May You Run"
- Mike Turk - "Roly Poly"

SPECIAL PROGRAMMING:

- Live at Passim's
- Guests in the Studio: Dion

NEWS & PUBLIC AFFAIRS:

While everyone else was on vacation, we were busy negotiating a contract with our new owners, Wickus Island Broadcasting, Inc. As we reported earlier, we won our union election overwhelmingly, and now all non-management personnel are represented by U. E. In a relatively painless 4 sessions, we negotiated a contract with some compromises on both sides, but the end result: a vastly improved "package" with an excellent health plan and benefits, and improved wages.

One of the most important aspects of the contract, though, is inclusion of regular staff input policy; we hope to utilize that clause and keep the lines of communication open between mgt. and staff.

Speaking of staff, ours has doubled since Wickus took over. Cheers to them for recognizing we were sorely understaffed.

-Judith Brackley,
News Director

COMMENTS:

Thank to Mike Brannon, Larry Baunach, ABC/Dot and Doug Sahn for Nashville... congratulations to Roger Lifeset (Island) and Greg Kimmelman (Independent) and their wives for their new family additions.

--Don

And congrats to Kurt Nerlinger, Elektra/Asylum's promotion man of the year. Best wishes to Martha, Kurt.

A couple of big promotions coming up next month. Sept. 12 will find WCAS broadcasting live from Boston's new waterfront park as the Boston Flea Market presents over 125 exhibits (live music too). Then on Sept. 18, WCAS stages "The Great Cambridge Frisbee Throw" at the Christian Herter Center on the Charles River with frisbee contests, frisbee giveaways, live music and frisbee demonstrations from world champs Dave Johnson and John Kirkland. If it doesn't rain, we'll be in great shape for the annual fall scramble for new listeners.

--Moe

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PITTSFIELD, MASS.

WGRG-AM/FM/DAVE CALABRESE

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

- Average White Band
- Blue Oyster Cult
- Crosby/Nash
- *Firefall
- +Peter Frampton
- Heart
- +Marshall Tucker Band
- *Alan Parsons

MODERATE AIRPLAY:

- City Boy
- Michael Franks
- Hummingbird
- Mark-Almond
- Andy Pratt
- Southside Johnny/Jukes
- Warren Zevon

SINGLES:

- Roy Ayers
- Back Street
- James Cotton Band - Live
- Dancer

WGRG-AM/FM Continued...

- John Mayall
- Christine McVie
- Jess Roden Band
- Ray Thomas
- Orleans
- Linda Ronstadt

ROCHESTER, N. Y.

WCMF/BERNIE KIMBLE

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

- *American Flyer
- Blue Oyster Cult
- Jess Roden Band
- Go
- Derringer
- *Mother's Finest
- Flamin' Groovies
- Budgie
- Johnny Guitar Watson
- Wild Cherry
- Triumvirat

*Paris

- Starz
- *Hall & Oates
- Natural Gas
- Michael Dinner
- Barefoot Jerry
- Roxy Music

- *John Mayall
- Christine McVie
- City Boy

- *John Reid
- Gino Vannelli
- Jeff Beck

SINGLES:

- Bryan Ferry

TROY, N. Y.

WRPI/HOWARD GOLDMAN

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

- *Joan Armatrading
- Jeff Beck
- Jefferson Starship
- Pat Metheny

*Orleans

- Santana
- Steve Miller Band

MODERATE AIRPLAY:

- *American Flyer
- Angel
- Commander Cody
- *Jimmy Dawkins
- Nick Drake
- Jan Hammer
- Marshall Tucker
- Pat Metheny
- Roger McGuinn
- Tom Mitchell
- *Christine McVie
- Andy Pratt
- Southside Johnny/Jukes
- Spin
- *Peter Tosh
- McCoy Tyner
- Duke & The Drivers
- Go

NEW YORK, N. Y.

WNYU/CHRIS LONG

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

- *Peter Allen
- *Joan Armatrading
- Angel
- *Asleep at the Wheel
- *American Flyer
- Byron Berline/Sundance
- Amazing Blondel
- Beach Boys
- Alice Cooper
- Dwight Twilley Band
- Diga Rhythm Band

- *Derringer
- *England Dan & J. F. Coley
- Don Harrison Band

- *I Don't Care
- Judas Priest
- *John Mayall
- *Orleans (single)
- *Reverberi
- *Jonathan Richman
- *Savoy Jazz Collection
- *Tom Snow

- Rod Stewart
- James Taylor

- *Triumvirat
- *ZZ Top

HARTFORD, CONN.
WUHF-FM/MARSHA LASKER
HEAVY AIRPLAY:
 David Sanborn
 Asleep at the Wheel
 George Benson
 Average White Band
 Ben Sidran
 Mark-Almond
 Crosby/Nash
 Chicago
 Jefferson Starship
 Rod Stewart
 Sons of Champlin
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
 Ian Matthews
 Al Jarreau
 Alan Parsons Project
 Grant Green
 Jess Roden
 Christine McVie
 Free Beer
 Southside Johnny/Jukes
 Loudon Wainwright III
 Poco
 James Taylor
 Jessi Colter
 Atlanta Rhythm Section
 Roland Prince

WESTCHESTER, N. Y. C., N. Y.
WRNW/O, K, LUMBERJACKS
HEAVY AIRPLAY:
 +*Paris
 Natural Gas
 Orleans
 Linda Ronstadt
 Rod Stewart
 *American Flyer
 *Hall & Oates
 Peter Tosh
 ++Jonathan Richman
 Christine (Perfect) McVie
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
 Joan Armatrading
 ++Live at CBGB's
 +Flamin' Groovies
 +Michael Dinner
 Sundance/Byron Berline
 Movies
SINGLES:
 Straws
 ZZ Top
 Pete Wingfield
 Bryan Ferry
IMPORTS:
 O
 ++Secret Oyster
 Dave Edmunds (single)
 Count Bishops
 Be Bop Deluxe (single)

LEWISTON/PORTLAND, ME.
WBLM/JOSE DIAZ
HEAVY AIRPLAY:
 *Joan Armatrading
 ++Go
 ++Jonathan Richman
 City Boy
 Triumvirat
 Richie Furay
 Steve Miller
 Andy Pratt
 *Christine McVie
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
 Boz Scaggs
 *Peter Ivers
 PFM
 +Linda Ronstadt
 Sir Doug Sahn
 Back Street Crawler
 Bonnie Bramlett
 *Pat Metheny
 *Gary Burton
 Dwight Twilley Band
 James Cotton
 Warren Zevon
 *Paris
 Jefferson Starship
 Crosby/Nash
SINGLES:
 Boston

PHILADELPHIA, PA.
WXPN-FM/JOHN DILIBERTO
HEAVY AIRPLAY:
 +Klaus Schulze
 +Diga Rhythm Band
 +Go
 +Jon Anderson
 +Henry Cow (import)
 +Brand X (import)
 +*Picchio dal Pozzo (import)
 *Karl Berger
 *Jean-Luc Ponty
 *Rashed Ali/Leroy Jenkins
 *Shakti
 Mike Mantler
 Teramaso Hino
 Edward Vesala (import)
 Jimmy Giuffre
 Dave Holland/Sam Rivers
 +Mark O'Conner
 +Norman Blake/Red Rector
 +Toulouse Engelhardt
 Tibetan Buddhism
 The Starboard List
 +Dan Huckabee
 *Jimmy Dawkins
 *Christian Wolff

NEW HAVEN, CONN.
WYBC-FM/PEYTON MAYS MD/
BILL CHRISTMAS/BLACK
SPECTRUM M. D.
HEAVY AIRPLAY:
 Duke & The Drivers
 Southside Johnny/Jukes
 +Jonathan Richman
 *Bonnie Bramlett
 Graham Parker
 Scoop's Last News Show
 Billy Swan
 Meters
 Phillip Catherine
 Charlie Blean
 +David Sanborn
Black Spectrum:
 +Al Jarreau
 Emotions
 Hannibal Marvin Peterson
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
 Guthrie Thomas
 Solution
 ++*Christine McVie
 Earth Quake
 ++*Flamin' Groovies
 ++Jeff Beck
 *Joan Armatrading
 *Artful Dodger
 *Mother's Finest
Black Spectrum:
 Carmen McRae
 Roland Prince

BINGHAMTON, N. Y.
WAAL-FM/STEVE BECKER
HEAVY AIRPLAY:
 +Christine McVie
 +Gino Vannelli
 Jefferson Starship
 Rod Stewart
 +Steve Miller
 +Chicago
 +Alice Cooper
 Crosby/Nash
 +City Boy
 Andy Pratt
 Linda Ronstadt
 +England Dan & J. F. Coley
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
 +Roxxy Music
 +Judas Priest
 +Starz
 Orleans
 Grand Funk Railroad
 +Go
 Ray Thomas
 +Jon Anderson
 Rick Springfield
 Bonnie Bramlett
 Triumvirat
 Hummingbird
 Country Joe McDonald

PRINCETON, N. J.
WPRB-FM/GEORGE KORVAL
HEAVY AIRPLAY:
 Ian Hunter
 Linda Ronstadt
 Mark-Almond
 Ronnie Laws
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
 Akiyoshi-Tabackin
 Art Ensemble of Chicago
 Asleep at the Wheel
 Back Pocket
 Byron Berline
 Rickie Boger
 Benny Carter
 Clifton Chenier
 Eric Dolphy
 England Dan/J. F. Coley
 Grant Greene
 Hummingbird
 I Don't Care
 Robin Kenyatta
 Mark Lang
 Mike Mantler
 Roland Prince
 Jess Roden Band
 Buddah Reissues
 Savoy Reissues
 Verve Reissues
SINGLES:
 Ronnie Spector

ELMIRA, N. Y.
WXXY-FM/MARK EDSALL
HEAVY AIRPLAY:
 *Orleans
 Wings
 Jeff Beck
 Steely Dan
 Aerosmith
 Jefferson Starship
 Rod Stewart
 Chicago
 Firefall
 Steve Miller Band
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
 Spirit
 Crusaders
 Crosby/Nash
 Average White Band
 Renaissance
 Doobie Bros.
 Alice Cooper
 Dwight Twilley
 Blue Oyster Cult
 Santana
 Rick Derringer
 Rick Springfield
 James Taylor
 Peter Frampton
 Gino Vannelli

SOUTH RADIO

ATLANTA

WRAS-FM/BOB BAILEY

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
 +Renaissance
 Crosby/Nash
 Mark-Almond
 Chris Hillman
 +PFM
 Gordon Lightfoot
 +Commander Cody
 Jan Hammer
 +Roxxy Music
 +Charlie
 +Blue Oyster Cult
 Roger McGuinn
 Flying Burrito Bros.
 Peter Tosh
 +Southside Johnny
 +Jeff Beck
 +Gong
 +Solution
 +Jerry Jeff Walker
 Graham Parker
 +Doc Watson
 +Jefferson Starship
 *Jimmy Dawkins Band
 +James Cotton Band
 +Nighthawks
 *Greg Kihn
 +Holly Near
 Mark Lang
 Kevin Odegard
 +City Boy
 +Heart
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
 +Steely Dan
 +Amazing Rhythm Aces
 +Bobby Bland/B. B. King
 Dwight Twilley Band
 John Mayall
 Valdy
 Hummingbird
 Joan Armatrading
 Warren Zevon
 Richie Furay Band
 *Orleans
 *Rowans
 *Linda Ronstadt
 Toots & The Maytals
 Jess Roden Band
 Go
 John Payne Band
 Loudon Wainwright III
 Side of the Road Gang
 Asleep at the Wheel
 Tom Snow
 C. M. Lord
 James Taylor
 Beach Boys
 Rod Stewart

Al Jarreau
 Phillip Catherine
 Mike Finnigan
 +Marshall Tucker Band
 Grinderswitch
 +Bonnie Bramlett
 +Jon Anderson
 Back Street Crawler
 Average White Band
 England Dan & J. F. Coley
 Ian Matthews
 *Mother's Finest
 Johnny & Edgar Winter
 Mighty Diamonds
 +Trooper
 Byron Berline
 Pat Metheny
 Spirit
 +Grateful Dead
 Waylon Jennings
 Cannonball Adderley
 Michael Johnson
 +Doug Lucas
 +George Benson
 +Earth Quake
 +Rick Springfield
 Tommy West
 Back Pocket
 Michael Stanley Band
 *American Flyer
SINGLES:

Darryl Rhoades & The
 Hahavishnu Orchestra -
 "Surfin' Shark"

IMPORTS:

Druid
 Secret Oyster
 Curved Air

COMMENTS:

Live broadcast of Burrito Bros. last week from the Great Southeast Music Hall with over-all good response. Thankx to Patti Oates of the Hall, Eddie Esserman of CBS, and everyone else involved. Recent interviews have included Graham Parker, Roy Ayers, Craig Fuller, Rick Springfield and Mike Quatro. Keep your eyes open for the new Mike Greene Lp on Mercury and the long-awaited single from Atlanta's answer to whatever the question is, Darryl Rhoades. See everyone in Macon.

Charlie forever.
 ---Bob

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(Plus (+) indicates Audience Reaction & Asterisk (*) indicates New Addition)

NASHVILLE

WKDA-FM/JACK CRAWFORD

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
+Peter Frampton
+Heart
+Average White Band
+Steve Miller Band
+Jefferson Starship
+Rod Stewart
+James Taylor
+Alice Cooper
+Carly Simon
+Boz Scaggs
Jeff Beck
Crosby/Nash
*Linda Ronstadt
Marshall Tucker Band
Gordon Lightfoot
Aerosmith
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
*Grand Funk Railroad
*Orleans
*Gino Vannelli
*American Flyer
Norman Connors
Mark-Almond
Dwight Twilley Band
England Dan & J. F. Coley
Rick Springfield
Go
Ray Thomas
Triumvirat
Richie Furay
Kris Kristofferson
Back Street Crawler
Point Blank
City Boy
Beach Boys
Chicago
Barefoot Jerry
Waylon Jennings
Blue Oyster Cult
Jon Anderson
Thin Lizzy
Spirit
SINGLES:
*Chris De Burgh
*The Band
Amazing Rhythm Aces
Camel
Stills-Young
Earth, Wind & Fire
* * * *

MIAMI

ZETA 4/DAVID SOUSA

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Jeff Beck
Chicago
Firefall
Heart
Billy Joel
Little River Band
Steve Miller
Carly Simon
Jefferson Starship
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Jon Anderson
Steve Winwood
Atlanta Rhythm Aces
Average White Band
Blue Oyster Cult
City Boy
Jay Ferguson
Chris Hillman
Gordon Lightfoot
Ian Matthews
Mark-Almond
Andy Pratt
Southside Johnny/Jukes
Paris
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NEW ORLEANS

WNOE-FM/SCOTT SEGRAVES

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Gino Vannelli
Johnny Guitar Watson
Rod Stewart
Steve Miller
Jefferson Starship
Carly Simon
Gordon Lightfoot
James Taylor
Chicago
Heart
Wild Cherry
George Benson

New Orleans Con't....

WNOE-FM
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
American Flyer
Bonnie Bramlett
Meters
Mother's Finest
Average White Band
Firefall
Go
Blue Oyster Cult
Crosby/Nash
Al Jarreau
Flamin' Groovies
SINGLES:
Stills-Young Band
COMMENTS:
Bryon Nichols resigns
jock/M. D. position, to take
2 month European vacation
before fatherhood arrives.
Scott Segraves new M. D.
in office (504) 529-1212 Tuesdays
12N-6 p. m. central time...
will return calls as production
time allows...
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DALLAS

KFWD/TIM SPENCER

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Jeff Beck
Peter Frampton
Aerosmith
James Taylor
Steve Miller
George Benson
Jefferson Starship
Crosby/Nash
Gino Vannelli
Heart
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Linda Ronstadt
Blue Oyster Cult
Alan Parsons Project
Rod Stewart
Alice Cooper
Beach Boys
Chicago
Triumvirat
Rick Springfield
Orleans
City Boy
Marshall Tucker Band
Paris
Grand Funk Railroad
Point Blank
Average White Band
Johnny & Edgar Winter
Tom Snow
Richie Furay
Hall & Oates
David Sanborn
Mark-Almond
SINGLES:
The Band
Elton John & Kiki Dee
War
COMMENTS:
FM102 welcomes back
Gary Shaw to afternoon drive
beginning Sept. 1st.
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HOUSTON

KPFT-FM/LARRY FOSTER

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Mark-Almond
Gino Vannelli
Johnny Guitar Watson
Philip Catherine
Go
Duke Ellington
Jeff Beck
Roy Ayers
Gary Burton
Jefferson Starship
Average White Band
Bob James
Southside Johnny/Jukes
James Cotton
Al Jarreau
Brand X (import)
B. B. King & Bobby Bland
Ronnie Laws
Steely Dan
McCoy Tyner
Michael Dinner
Esther Satterfield
David Sanborn
Country Joe McDonald

Houston Con't...

KPFT-FM
Crosby/Nash
Last Poets
Average White Band
Yusef Lateef
Grateful Dead
Doug Sahm
David T. Walker
Terry Reid
Rick Springfield
Jan Garbarek
Archie Shepp
Chico Hamilton
Tommy West
Flight
Automatic Man
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Bryan Ferry
Frank Strazzie
Chico Hamilton
Grant Greene
Pearl Bailey
Gordon Lightfoot
Tom Snow
Helen Merrill
Ahmad Jamal
Rahsaan Roland Kirk
Asleep at the Wheel
Harry Nilsson
Beach Boys
Azar Lawrence
Judas Priest
David T. Walker
Leon Redbone
Roger McGuinn
Bonnie Bramlett
Can-Unlimited
Back Street Crawler
Rod Stewart
+I Don't Care Band
+Burning Spear
+John Mayall
+John McLaughlin
+Christine McVie
Lusia Gasca
SPECIAL PROGRAMMING:
KPFT still in the midst
of its Future Think Marathon
enlisting 5000 new supporters.
Any help will be appreciated.
It will run till Sept. 30.
Address: KPFT-FM, 419
Lovette Blvd., Houston, Tex.
77006.
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DALLAS / FT. WORTH

KZEW/MARK CHRISTOPHER

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Gino Vannelli
Heart
Alan Parsons Project
Jefferson Starship
Thin Lizzy
Average White Band
Fleetwood Mac
George Benson
Steve Miller Band
James Taylor
Poco
Crosby/Nash
Joan Armatrading
Blue Oyster Cult
Rod Stewart
Alice Cooper
*Linda Ronstadt
Jeff Beck
Aerosmith
Jon Anderson
Andy Pratt
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Point Blank
+Herbie Hancock
*Freddie Hubbard
Grand Funk Railroad
Chris Hillman
Richie Furay
Sons of Champlin
Hummingbird
Jay Ferguson
Derringer
Grateful Dead
*La Seine
Paris
Moxy
+*Fania All-Stars
American Flyer
Go
Bachman-Turner
SINGLES:
Stills-Young
ZZ Top
War
Jim Capaldi
Little Feat

NEW ORLEANS

WRNO/TOM OWENS

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Rod Stewart
The Band
James Taylor
George Benson
Alice Cooper
Aerosmith
Rick Springfield
Boz Scaggs
Chicago
Wings
Marshall Tucker Band
Jeff Beck
Average White Band
Steve Miller
*Johnny Guitar Watson
Brothers Johnson
Jefferson Starship
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Beach Boys
Rick Springfield
Heart
Hummingbird
Go
Al Jarreau
Bonnie Bramlett
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OXFORD, MISS.

WOOR-FM/SHANNON TURNER

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
*Bonnie Bramlett
*Gino Vannelli
*American Flyer
Angel
*Grand Funk Railroad
James Taylor
++Average White Band
+Mark-Almond
+Boz Scaggs
Crosby/Nash
George Benson-Breezin'
*Joan Armatrading
+++L. A. Jets
+++Jefferson Starship
*Hummingbird
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Point Blank
Tommy West
*Jess Roden Band
Trooper
*John Mayall
*Budgie
*Byron Berline/Sundance
*Dancer
*I Don't Care
*Valdy

MOBILE, ALA.

WABB-FM/LEE STAMP/

MAJA MUFFETT
HEAVY AIRPLAY:
+Heart
+Jefferson Starship
++Steve Miller
+Southside Johnny/Jukes
+Atlanta Rhythm Section
+Boz Scaggs
+Thin Lizzy
America
The Tubes
Carly Simon
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
*England Dan & J. F. Coley
*Gino Vannelli
*Richie Furay
*Bonnie Bramlett
*Triumvirat
Blue Oyster Cult
Renaissance
Michael Franks
City Boy
Dwight Twilley
Go
Andy Pratt
Bob Seger
George Benson

(Plus (+) indicates Audience Reaction & Asterisk (*) indicates New Addition)

CHARLESTON, W. VA.

WVAF/TOM OWENS

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Gordon Lightfoot
Rod Stewart
Jefferson Starship
Chicago
Jethro Tull
Steve Miller
Crosby/Nash
Gino Vannelli
Average White Band
Carly Simon
James Taylor

MODERATE AIRPLAY:

*Starbuck
England Dan & J. F. Coley
Andy Pratt
Blue Oyster Cult
Neil Diamond
Firefall
*Hummingbird

FORT KNOX, KY.

WSAC-FM/HAPPY DAZE CREW

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

*American Flyer
*Joan Armatrading
*Arrogance
*Fania All-Stars
*Flying Island
*Hickory Wind
*Mark Lang
*Peter Lang
*John Mayall
+Roadhog Moran
+Vangelis
*Terry Reid
*Jess Roden Band
*Rosehip String Band
*Sundance with Byron Berline
*Tut Taylor
*Jukka Tolonen
*Stomu Yamash'ta
*Mike Shrieve
+Yes

IMPORTS:

Curved Air - Airborne
John Stevens - Away
Chris McGregor -
Brotherhood of Breath
Mike Osborne Trio -
All Night Long
Fairport - Gottle o' Geer

LOUISVILLE, KY.

WLRS/AUSTIN VALI

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

+Peter Frampton
+Ted Nugent
+Aerosmith
Alan Parsons Project
Fleetwood Mac
Steve Miller Band
+Leon Redbone
Wings

MODERATE AIRPLAY:

George Benson
James Taylor
*Gino Vannelli
Firefall
Bad Co.
Blue Oyster Cult
Mahogany Rush
Rainbow Rising
Jon Anderson
Gordon Lightfoot
Jeff Beck
*Cliff Richard
*Grand Funk Railroad

SINGLES:

Jefferson Starship
England Dan/J. F. Coley
Aerosmith
Foghat

JACKSONVILLE, FLA.

WAIV/B. BARTLETT

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

*Gino Vannelli
*Wild Cherry
Go
Grand Funk Railroad
American Flyer
Jeff Beck
Jefferson Starship
Alan Parsons
Steve Miller
Country Joe McDonald
Peter Frampton
George Benson
Rod Stewart
Little River Band

MODERATE AIRPLAY:

Michael Dinner
Group with No Name

WAIV Continued...

Jamie DeFrates
James Cotton
Rick Springfield
Cliff Richard
Le Seine
Mother's Finest
Waylon Jennings
Andy Pratt
Crosby/Nash

BATON ROUGE, LA.

WFME/MIKAL THORESON

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

George Benson
Chicago
Jefferson Starship
Little River Band
Boz Scaggs
Gino Vannelli
Mark-Almond
Crosby/Nash
Johnny Guitar Watson
Rod Stewart
Bonnie Bramlett
Jess Roden
Toots & The Maytals
American Flyer
Christine McVie
Go

MODERATE AIRPLAY:

Flamin' Groovies
John Mayall
Delbert McClinton
Joan Armatrading
Triumvirat

RICHMOND, VA.

WGoe/DAVE RITZ

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

*Tony Williams
*Country Joe McDonald
Go
*I Don't Care
+Firefall
+Solutio
+Point Blank
+Heart
Steve Miller
Atlanta Rhythm Section
Jess Roden
Budgie
Jeff Beck
+Southside Johnny
Meters
Jan Hammer
Powerhouse
Bonnie Bramlett
+*Linda Ronstadt
David Sanborn
Crosby/Nash

MODERATE AIRPLAY:

*American Flyer
*Mike Finnigan
*Orleans
Mark Lang

DURHAM, N. C.

WDBS/STEVE TULSKY

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

Joan Armatrading
Bonnie Bramlett
Commander Cody
Flamin' Groovies
Grateful Dead
Hall & Oates
Mark-Almond
John Mayall
Christine McVie
Orleans
Linda Ronstadt
Roxy Music
Go

MODERATE AIRPLAY:

Barefoot Jerry
Sundance/Byron Berline
England Dan & J. F. Coley
Mike Finnigan
Flight
Hummingbird
Mike Lesley
Sir Doug & Texas Tornadoes
Triumvirat
Dwight Twilley Band
Valdy
Gino Vannelli

BIRMINGHAM, ALA.

WERC-FM/

MICHAEL ST. JOHN

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

+Mark-Almond
+Gino Vannelli
+Jefferson Starship
+Rod Stewart
James Taylor
Chicago
+Michael Franks
Linda Ronstadt
Rick Springfield
Steve Miller
+Earth Quake
+Alan Parsons Project

MODERATE AIRPLAY:

*Group With No Name
*Hall & Oates (RCA)
*American Flyer
*Go
*Widowmaker
*Average White Band
Jon Anderson
+City Boy
*Norman Connors
*Johnny Guitar Watson
Hummingbird

SINGLES:

Stills-Young Band
War

MIDWEST

RADIO

CHICAGO

WXRT-FM/JOHN PLATT,

BOB SHULMAN, SETH MASON

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

+Heart
+Boz Scaggs
+Firefall
UFO
+Steve Miller Band
+Blue Oyster Cult
+Alan Parsons Project
Marshall Tucker Band
+Atlanta Rhythm Section
+Jeff Beck
Waylon Jennings
+Rod Stewart
+Jefferson Starship
+Crosby/Nash
City Boy
Mark-Almond
Earth Quake
Triumvirat
Corky Siegel
Jay Ferguson

MODERATE AIRPLAY:

*Meters
*Bonnie Bramlett
*Point Blank
*Linda Ronstadt
*Rowans
*Paris
*Klaatu
*Mother's Finest
*American Flyer
*Dave Sanborn
*Byron Berline
*Labelle
*Flo & Eddie
*The Band
*Pat Metheny
Solutio
Curtis Brothers
Spin
Spirit
Toots & The Maytals
Jon Anderson
Graham Parker
Southside Johnny/Jukes
Roxy Music
Christine McVie

SINGLES:

ZZ Top
Stills-Young
NEWS & PUBLIC AFFAIRS:
Live reports from WXRT
reporters Sandy Kolichman &
Dan Wise at the Republican Con-
vention in Kansas City.

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

+Gino Vannelli
+Go
+City Boy
+Dexter Wansel
+Jeff Beck
+Steve Miller Band
Jefferson Starship
Triumvirat
+*Automatic Man
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Spin
+Angel
+Mark-Almond
+Gene Harris
+Budgie
Lewis Furay
Keith Jarrett
Reverberi
Donovan
Kay-Gees

MODERATE AIRPLAY:

+*Paris
+*Klaatu
*Country Joe McDonald
Mike Green
IMPORTS:
+Kraan

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MILWAUKEE

WQFM

NEWS & PUBLIC AFFAIRS:

In conjunction with Muscular
Dystrophy, WQFM is raising
money for the cause through a
marathon. Bob Reitman is at-
tempting to break the world's
record for announcing on-the-
air. WQFM is asking for
monetary donations from record
companies. Send to: WQFM,
606 West Wisconsin Avenue,
Milwaukee, Wisc. 53203.

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DETROIT

WRIF-FM/GLORIA JOHNSON

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
+Jefferson Starship
+Steve Miller Band
Chicago
+Alice Cooper
Wings

MODERATE AIRPLAY:
*Gino Vannelli
*Starz
*John Miles
Grand Funk Railroad
Linda Ronstadt

SINGLES:
War
Jefferson Starship
Fleetwood Mac
Boz Scaggs
Seals & Crofts
COMMENTS:
Mike Collins has joined
WRIF as Morning Show Host
(6-10 AM). He comes to us
from M105, Cleveland.

WWW/KAREN SAVELLY

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
+Alice Cooper
Jon Anderson
+Average White Band
+Beach Boys
+Jeff Beck
+Blue Oyster Cult
City Boy
Crosby/Nash
Derringer
+Jay Ferguson
Richie Furay Band
+*Grand Funk Railroad
Jan Hammer Group
+Jefferson Starship
L. A. Jets
+Steve Miller Band
*Paris
+Roxy Music
Spirit
Starz
Rod Stewart
Triumvirat
+Dwight Twilley Band
+Gino Vannelli

MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Back Street Crawler
Budgie
*Curved Air (import)
Duke & The Drivers
*Flamin' Groovies
+Hub
*Hummingbird
*I Don't Care
*Peter Ivers
*John Mayall
Mott
+Point Blank
*Tony Ray
Jess Roden Band
Trooper
Widowmaker
Go

*Mother's Finest
SINGLES:
-Bryan Ferry
Lashlee & Friends
Orleans
Linda Ronstadt
Stills-Young Band
Pete Winfield
Ronnie Spector
Bliss
Earth, Wind & Fire
IMPORTS:
Curved Air

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MINNEAPOLIS

KORS/JIM LARKIN

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
+Jon Anderson
+Mark-Almond
+Go
Bonnie Bramlett
*John Mayall
*Hall & Oates
*Christine McVie
*Linda Ronstadt
*Corky Siegel
*Arlo Guthrie
*Herbie Hancock

Minneapolis Cont.

KORS

MODERATE AIRPLAY:
*Jess Roden Band
*American Flyer
*Orleans
*Joan Armatrading
*Nina Simone
*Hummingbird
*Michael Dinner
*Gino Vannelli
*David Sanborn
*Country Joe McDonald
*Roy Ayers

TOLEDO

WIOT-FM/GREG GILLISPIE

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
+Steve Miller
+Jefferson Starship
Beach Boys
+Steely Dan
Chicago
+Alice Cooper
+Rod Stewart
+Thin Lizzy
Crosby/Nash
+*Grand Funk
Carly Simon
+Jeff Beck
+Average White Band
James Taylor
+*Linda Ronstadt
Jethro Tull

MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Richie Furay
+Spirit
Curtis Bros.
+Southside Johnny/Jukes
+Alan Parsons Project
Felix Pappalardi
Dwight Twilley
*Hummingbird
Billy Joel
+Natural Gas
Grateful Dead
Marshall Tucker
+Starz
+Rick Springfield
Back Street Crawler
+Roxy Music
Jess Roden
+Chris Hillman
Terry Reid
*Go
City Boy
+George Benson (W. B.)
+Trooper
Graham Parker
+Gordon Lightfoot
Isley Bros.
Atlanta Rhythm Section

*Hub
Sons of Champlin
+Wild Cherry
*Gino Vannelli
*Mark-Almond
*Budgie
Ohio Players
*Orleans
*Paris
*American Flyer
*Widowmaker

SINGLES:
+Blue Oyster Cult
War
+Heart
+Aerosmith
Earth, Wind & Fire
Boz Scaggs
Henry Gross
*Back Pocket
*Stills-Young Band

SPECIAL PROGRAMMING:

Feature Lps - Sundays
at 7:00 PM.
Average White Band,
Grand Funk, Linda Ronstadt.

IMPORTS:
Electric Light Orchestra-
Live

NEWS & PUBLIC AFFAIRS:
When the summer news
doldrums hit here in Toledo...
they hit hard. Locally, other
than a bit of political infighting
to fill a few empty slots on the
November ballot, and the resig-
nation of one of the city's most
progressive city managers,
there's not much happening.

Toledo Cont.

WIOT-FM

On the state level, a big
motorcycle helmet law protest
resulted in a few arrests for
riding without helmets and
drug violations. The A. P.
and others have played that
aspect up... but bikers we've
talked to say it was mostly a
case of harassment.

Nationally, of course,
there's the GOP convention...
we're working hard to keep
tabs on our local delegation
and are trying to structure our
coverage from that angle.

That's all for now.

Craig Kopp and Rick Bird
COMMENTS:

Lana Jones - weekend jock
and host for Slam Jams is
leaving WIOT. Lana is being
replaced by John Fischer.

WIOT is planning part 2
of the 4th Annual Feast of the
Outrageous Hasty Pudding.
More details as the time ap-
proaches.

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MILWAUKEE

WZMF-FM/STEVE STEVENS

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
*Linda Ronstadt
*Electromagnets
*Ruby Starr
*Gino Vannelli
*Grand Funk Railroad
*England Dan & J. F. Coley
+Aerosmith
+Movies
+Gordon Lightfoot
+Alice Cooper
+Derringer

MODERATE AIRPLAY:
*Waylon Jennings
Starz
Point Blank
Blue Oyster Cult
Runaways
Atlanta Rhythm Section

SINGLES:
Orleans - "Still the One"

COMMENTS:
6-10 AM Tom Kohl
10-2 PM Michael
2-6 PM Steve Stevens
6-10 PM Jim Roberts
10-1 AM Mike Wolf
1-6 AM Jay El

Weekends

Marty Racine
Don Rockwell
Bill Bruckner
Dan Hansen
Dale Kuhlman

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ST. LOUIS

KSHE/RON STEVENS

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Budgie
+Steve Miller
+Jefferson Starship
Marshall Tucker
Jay Ferguson
Starz
Triumvirat
Beach Boys
+Grinderswitch
+Judas Priest
Point Blank
+Blue Oyster Cult
+Richie Furay
Rod Stewart
*Artful Dodger
*Orleans
*Paris
*La Seine
*Grand Funk Railroad
+*Christine McVie
Dwight Twilley
Trooper

MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Derringer
Spirit
Aerosmith
Richie Blackmore
Mott
Natural Gas

St. Louis Cont.

KSHE

Uriah Heep
Atlanta Rhythm Section
Charlie Daniels Band
Jethro Tull
Charlie
Thin Lizzy
+Bob Seger
+Poco

Earth Quake
Widowmaker
Rick Springfield
Back Street Crawler
Roxy Music
*American Flyer
*Country Joe McDonald

+Little River Band
Felix Pappalardi
Southside Johnny/Jukes
Maxophone
Jess Roden
Alice Cooper
Russell Morris
Warren Zevon
Firefall
Chris Hillman

COMMENTS:
Happy Birthday to David
Kragoskow - ABC. He is a
St. Louis favorite.

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KANSAS CITY

KY102/MAX FLOYD

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Rod Stewart
Boz Scaggs
Heart
Peter Frampton
Steve Miller
George Benson
Chicago
Jefferson Starship
Beach Boys
Linda Ronstadt
James Taylor
Firefall
Alan Parsons Project
Blue Oyster Cult
Jon Anderson
Gino Vannelli
Crosby/Nash

MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Gordon Lightfoot
City Boy
Average White Band
Richie Furay
Triumvirat
Rick Springfield
Little River Band
Mark-Almond
Go
Tom Snow
Orleans
Grand Funk
Point Blank
Waylon Jennings

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TULSA, OKLA.

KKUL-FM/DON COOK, P. D.

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
+George Benson-Breezin!
Jefferson Starship
+Chicago
Average White Band
Steve Miller Band
James Taylor
Aretha Franklin
Gordon Lightfoot
Rod Stewart
+Bob Marley & Wailers
Crosby/Nash
+Graham Central Station
Jon Anderson

MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Jerry Jeff Walker
+B. B. King & Bobby Bland
Gino Vannelli
+*Mark-Almond
Richie Furay Band
Back Street Crawler
Earl Klugh
Hummingbird
*Joan Armatrading
*Christine McVie
*Waylon Jennings
City Boy
*Linda Ronstadt

(Plus (+) indicates Audience Reaction & Asterisk (*) indicates New Addition)

ANN ARBOR, MICH.
WIOB-FM/JOHN GIESE/
NEIL LASHER
HEAVY AIRPLAY:
+Jeff Beck
Rod Stewart
Average White Band
George Benson (W. B.)
David Sanborn
Hummingbird
+Jefferson Starship
Maynard Ferguson
Southside Johnny/Jukes
+Steve Miller Band
+Gordon Lightfoot
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
*Mike Finnigan
*John Mayall
Crosby/Nash
+John Handy
Go
Mixed Bag
Yusef Lateef
*Gene Harris
Bobby Hutcherson
Gino Vannelli
Mark-Almond
James Cotton
Al Jarreau
+Beach Boys

FLINT, MICH.
WWCK/STEVE ALEXY
HEAVY AIRPLAY:
+Steely Dan
+Gordon Lightfoot
+Gino Vannelli
Grand Funk Railroad
+Aerosmith
+Alice Cooper
Average White Band
Chicago
Jefferson Starship
Rod Stewart
James Taylor
*Linda Ronstadt
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Beach Boys
Jethro Tull
Blue Oyster Cult
Jeff Beck
Waylon Jennings
*Orleans
Jon Anderson
Go
Billy Joel
Jay Ferguson
SINGLES:
Elton John & Kiki Dee
Bee Gees
Earth, Wind & Fire

DAYTON, OHIO
WVUD/DAN COVEY
HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Jefferson Starship
Average White Band
Chicago
Rod Stewart
City Boy
Crosby/Nash
*Linda Ronstadt
*Hall & Oates
Rick Springfield
Beach Boys
Steve Miller Band
Jon Anderson
*American Flyer
Richie Furay Band
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Earth Quake
Blue Oyster Cult
Mark-Almond
Roxy Music
Triumvirat
Go
Point Blank
*Corky Siegel
*Michael Dinner
David Sanborn
Grand Funk Railroad

AKRON, OHIO
WKDD/VINCE M. RADILOVIC
HEAVY AIRPLAY:
*Grand Funk Railroad
Country Joe McDonald
Earth Quake
Triumvirat
*Gino Vannelli
*Joan Armatrading
*Hummingbird
Rick Springfield
*Paris
Bonnie Bramlett
*John Mayall

WKDD Continued...
Derringer
*Mother's Finest
*Linda Ronstadt
City Boy
Go
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Graham Parker
Starz
*Hall & Oates
I Don't Care
Jess Roden Band
David Sanborn
*Budgie
Free Beer
*Artful Dodger

MILWAUKEE, WISC.
WQFM/MS. BOBBIN BEAM
HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Peter Frampton
Jefferson Starship
Average White Band
Steve Miller Band
Heart
Beach Boys
Beatles
Fleetwood Mac
Firefall
Crosby/Nash
NEW STUFF:
Orleans
Grand Funk Railroad
Linda Ronstadt
Hall & Oates
Paris
American Flyer
John Denver
Freddie Hubbard
SINGLES:
Michael Franks
Rick Springfield
Doobie Bros.
Gordon Lightfoot
Who

MADISON, WISC.
WIBA-FM/PETE STEINMETZ
HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Jefferson Starship
Bonnie Bramlett
Richie Furay
City Boy
Doobie Bros.
The Movies
Warren Zevon
Average White Band
Mark-Almond
Southside Johnny/Jukes
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Rod Stewart
Crosby/Nash
Renaissance
Dwight Twilley
Jay Ferguson
*Hummingbird
*PFM
*Burning Spear
*Jess Roden
*Linda Ronstadt
*American Flyer
*Paris
*Artful Dodger
*Michael Dinner

ELGIN (CHICAGO) ILL.
WJKL/TOM MARKER/
TRUDY FISHER
HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Joan Armatrading
Back Street Crawler
John Mayall
Corky Siegel
Triumvirat
Go
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
City Boy
Bob Marley & Wailers
American Flyer
Paris
Strawbs
Mike Finnigan
The Rowans
Spin
Linda Ronstadt
High Cotton
Roy Ayers
Ruby Starr
Gasolin
Tom Mitchell
Michael Dinner
Artful Dodger
Delbert McClinton
Point Blank
Tiger

MURPHYSBORO, ILL.
WTAO/JIM McCUTCHEON
HEAVY AIRPLAY:
*Corky Siegel
Pablo Cruise
+Warren Zevon
James Taylor
Kingfish
Stephen Stills
Poco
Steve Miller Band
Steve Goodman
Donovan
Commander Cody
Chicago
+Beatles
Barefoot Jerry
Angelo
Crosby/Nash
Carly Simon
Santana
Shawn Phillips
+John Mayall
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Average White Band
Free Beer
Amazing Rhythm Aces
*Milton Carol
Heptones

LINCOLN, NEBR.
KFMQ-FM/JOE BLOOD
HEAVY AIRPLAY:
*Linda Ronstadt
*Orleans
*Hall & Oates
*John Denver
*Earth, Wind & Fire
Jefferson Starship
Average White Band
George Benson
*Grand Funk Railroad
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
*Michael Dinner
*Joan Armatrading
*Budgie
*Hummingbird
*Paris
*Herbie Hancock
*Freddie Hubbard
*Mark Gaddis
*White Wing
*Go
*American Flyer
*Bonnie Bramlett
*Roy Thomas
*Mike Finnigan
SINGLES:
Bryan Ferry
Stills-Young Band

OMAHA, NEBR.
KOKQ/BARRY TAFT
HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Gino Vannelli
Jefferson Starship
Southside Johnny
Sons of Champlin
Rod Stewart
Crosby/Nash
Average White Band
*Grand Funk Railroad
*John Mayall
*Linda Ronstadt
*Orleans
*Hall & Oates
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
*American Flyer
*John Reid
*Hummingbird
*Mark-Almond
*Byron Berline/Sundance
*Michael Dinner
*Roxy Music
*Rowans
*Flamin' Groovies
*Meters
*Paris
*Asleep at the Wheel
*Fania All-Stars

WEST RADIO

SAN JOSE

KSJO-FM/PAUL WELLS
HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Crosby/Nash
Hummingbird
Jay Ferguson
Baker-Gurvitz Army
Back Street Crawler
Triumvirat
Hub
Steve Miller Band
Country Joe McDonald
Jefferson Starship
Go
Spirit
Rod Stewart
James Taylor
*Linda Ronstadt
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
John Handy
Mark-Almond
Dwight Twilley
Budgie
Point Blank
Richie Furay
Chris Hillman
Average White Band
Jon Anderson
Earth Quake
Ronnie Laws
Derringer
Bonnie Bramlett
Marshall Tucker
Aerosmith
Blue Oyster Cult
Ian Hunter
Jeffrey Comanor
Jeff Beck
Little River Band
Jess Roden
Toots & The Maytals
Back Pocket
Jerry Jeff Walker
Graham Parker
City Boy
Kris Kristofferson
Jan Hammer
Synergy
Curtis Bros.
Ian Gillan
D. C. LaRue
Gordon Lightfoot
Cliff Richard
Widowmaker
Alice Cooper
Al Jarreau
Michael Franks
David Sanborn
*England Dan/J. F. Coley
*Rick Springfield
*Grand Funk Railroad
*Paris
*Flamin' Groovies
*I Don't Care
*Roy Ayers
*La Seine
*Barefoot Jerry
*Orleans
*Flo & Eddie
*Hall & Oates
*Rowans
*Michael Dinner
*American Flyer
*Burning Spear
*Joan Armatrading
*Gino Vannelli
SINGLES:
Easy Street
Camel
Stills/Young
Little Feat
ZZ Top
Jim Capaldi
Boxer
SPECIAL PROGRAMMING:
Album features Tues. at
8 PM. Last 2 weeks have been
Grand Funk & Go. We're adding
an import & European rock
program on Sunday night.

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(Plus (+) indicates Audience Reaction & Asterisk (*) indicates New Addition)

DENVER

KBPI/JEFF POLLACK
HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Linda Ronstadt
Paris
Orleans
Crosby/Nash
Jefferson Starship
James Taylor
Jeff Beck
Rod Stewart
A Night on the Town
Steve Miller
Beach Boys
Richie Furay
Country Joe McDonald
American Flyer
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Valdy
David Sanborn
Rolling Stones
Christine McVie
Jerry Jeff Walker
Isley Bros.
Waylon Jennings
Hummingbird
Aerosmith
Point Blank
La Seine
Michael Dinner
Boz Scaggs
Firefall
Chris Hillman
SINGLES:
Strawbs
The Band
Michael Franks
Earth, Wind & Fire
Stills/Young Band

KFML/CRAIG

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Linda Ronstadt
Mark-Almond
Joan Armatrading
+*Soundtrack to 21st Olympiad (import)
Go
Byron Berline/Sundance
Danny & The Fat Boys
*Ruby Starr
Orleans
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
La Seine
Paris
Azar Lawrence
John Reid
Budgie
Tommy West
Kenny Burrell
David Sanborn
Hummingbird
Michael Dinner
Year 1
Jess Roden
Tom Snow
COMMENTS:

Everyone here is very pleased to have Lisa Hartman join us as a full timer. The lady's musical knowledge is astounding!

We've been overwhelmed with interviews over the last two months doing an average of 4 per week. I'd be very interested to get feedback on how other folks handle a heavy interview schedule. It's hard to turn any down but one a day is too much.

Craig

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SEATTLE

OK102-1/2/NORM GREGORY

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
George Benson
Peter Frampton
Steve Miller
Average White Band
Boz Scaggs
*Linda Ronstadt
Heart
Aerosmith
Jeff Beck
Jefferson Starship
*Wild Cherry
Bros. Johnson
Crusaders
Alan Parsons Project
Chicago

Seattle Continued...
OK102-1/2

James Taylor
Rod Stewart
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Bob Marley & Wailers
John Klemmer
Doobie Bros.
Ronnie Laws
Crosby/Nash
Bob James
Santana
Marshall Tucker
Beach Boys
Blue Oyster Cult
Carly Simon
*Gino Vannelli
Steely Dan
Chris Hillman
Jerry Jeff Walker
*Mark-Almond
Triumvirat

KZAM/FM/JON KERTZER

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
*Orleans
Joan Armatrading
Crosby/Nash
Firefall
Chris Hillman
Jr. Cadillac
Kingfish
Gordon Lightfoot
Ian Matthews
Steve Miller
Maria Muldaur
Pousette-Dart Band
Rod Stewart
James Taylor
Valdy
Tom Mitchell
Go
Warren Zevon
Michael Dinner
MODERATE AIRPLAY:

Asleep at the Wheel
Hoyt Axton
Eric Andersen
Bonnie Bramlett
Beach Boys
Jeff Beck
Diga Rhythm Band
Mike Finnigan
Steve Goodman
Gallagher & Lyle
Jefferson Starship
Billy Joel
Mark Lang
Mark-Almond
Mary McCaslin
Roger McGuinn
Andy Pratt
Rolling Stones
Carly Simon
John David Souther
Solution
Steely Dan
Toots & The Maytals
Bob Marley & Wailers
Tom Snow
Jesse Colin Young
*American Flyer
*Linda Ronstadt
OTHER NEW ADDITIONS:

*Hall & Oates
*Bill Keith
*David Grisman
*Rowans
*Tommy West
*Freddie Hubbard
*Brownsmith (Seattle Band)
*The Band
*Burning Spear
*Ray Brown
*Larry Hosford
*Bill Callers
*Albert King
SPECIAL PROGRAMMING:

Interviews with Craig Fuller and Eric Kaz of American Flyer, Jon Camp and Michael Dunsford of Renaissance. air IMPORTS:
Bruce Cockburn
*Ronnie Lane - Slim Chance
Enrica Rava
COMMENTS:

Four of us here were hit hard by the news in the last Walrus about the tragic drowning of our good friend, Dick Shapiro. He was a very special, talented individual who taught us a lot. We had been involved

Seattle Continued...
KZAM/FM

in radio together at WBRU, record stores, recording and Dick had mastered all these aspects of our business. It's a terrible, helpless feeling losing someone like Dick, being 3000 miles away. He will not be forgotten.
Jon Kertzer, Tom Corrdry, Dave Corry & Paul Gregutt

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SAN JOSE

KOME-FM/DANA JANG

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Jon Anderson
Average White Band
+Jeff Beck
+Chicago
+Crosby/Nash
+Jefferson Starship
Gordon Lightfoot
+Steve Miller
*Linda Ronstadt
+Rod Stewart
+James Taylor
+Go
Carly Simon
Marshall Tucker Band
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Aerosmith
Blue Oyster Cult
Earth Quake
*John Handy
Mark-Almond
Country Joe McDonald
Ian Matthews
Cliff Richard
+Wild Cherry
+Beach Boys
Camel
Crusaders
*England Dan & J. F. Coley
*Orleans
Grand Funk Railroad
Chris Hillman
Ronnie Laws
Little River Band
Steely Dan
*Johnny Guitar Watson
*Joan Armatrading
*Paul Davis
*Michael Dinner
*Flamin' Groovies
*Christine McVie
*Paris
*Jean-Luc Ponty/S. Grappelli
*Tom Snow
Roxly Music
Spirit
Jay Ferguson
City Boy
Grateful Dead
Hummingbird
+Waylon Jennings
Jess Roden
*Hall & Oates
Triumvirat
Richie Furay
SINGLES:
*Jim Capaldi
*Earth, Wind & Fire
Easy Street
Bryan Ferry
Elton John & Kiki Dee
*Strawbs
War
Stills/Young Band
*ZZ Top
SPECIAL PROGRAMMING:
Dailey Planet
News Blimps
King Biscuit Flower Hour
KOME Late Show
An album feature at 1 AM.
COMMENTS:
Peter Collins joins our staff from WDAI/Chicago.

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LOS ANGELES

KMET/BILLY JUGGS

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Jefferson Starship-
"Hot Water," "Dragon"
+Blue Oyster Cult -
"Reaper"
Dwight Twilley - "On Fire"
+Steve Miller -
"Rockin' Me"
Aerosmith - "Saddle"
Fleetwood Mac -
"Blue Letter"
Queen - "Best Friend"
Heart -
"Crazy," "Magic Man"
Gary Wright -
"Can't Find Judge"
+Peter Frampton
+Boz Scaggs -
"Lido Shuffle"
Thin Lizzy - "Jailbreak"
Rod Stewart - "Balltrap"
MODERATE AIRPLAY:

Chicago
Doobie Bros.
Firefall
+Wings
Electric Light Orchestra
Led Zeppelin
+Rolling Stones
Beach Boys
Marshall Tucker Band
Steely Dan
Andy Pratt -
"Karen's Song"
Hall & Oates -
"She's Gone"
SINGLES:

Linda Ronstadt
SPECIAL PROGRAMMING:
King Biscuit Flower Hour
Saturday 11 PM,
Jim Ladd Interviews -
Monday 10-11 PM
Artists & Their Music
COMMENTS:
6-10 AM B. Mitchell Reed
10-2 AM Ms. Rae
2-6 PM Bob Coburn
6-10 PM Mary Turner
10-2 AM Jim Ladd
2-6 AM David Perry-Tues. -
Fri., Sun. 1-7 PM
Billy Juggs Sat. 1-7 PM
Sun. 7AM-1PM
Mon. 2-6 AM
Mike Harrison 7 AM-1 PM Sat.
Doug Harris Sun. MID-4:30AM
Sat. 2-6 AM
Sat. 7-11 PM, Ladd, Perry,
Coburn (rotate)
Sun. 7-11 PM Dr. Demento

KWST/MARK COOPER

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
+Starz
+*American Flyer
Rod Stewart
Dwight Twilley
+Judas Priest
Richie Furay
+*Orleans
+*La Seine
+Jefferson Starship
Widowmaker
Earth Quake
Alice Cooper
*Grand Funk Railroad
*Country Joe McDonald
*Linda Ronstadt
Marshall Tucker Band
Point Blank
Jethro Tull
+Aerosmith
+Blue Oyster Cult
Jeff Beck
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
*Gino Vannelli
Jess Roden
Back Street Crawler
*Budgie
*Hall & Oates
Blackmore's Rainbow
Trooper
+Grinderswitch
*Flamin' Groovies
*Paris
*Artful Dodger
*Christine McVie
*Mike Finnigan
Scorpions
*Go
Roxly Music

Los Angeles Con't.

KWST

Triumvirat
Mott
Duke & The Drivers
England Dan & J. F. Coley
Warren Zevon
City Boy
Heart
Curtis Bros.
SINGLES:
The Band
ZZ Top
Strawbs

KLOS/DABAR HOORELBEKE

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

*Hall & Oates
*England Dan & J. F. Coley
*Richie Furay
*Grand Funk Railroad
*Boston
*Go
*Jon Anderson
*Bonnie Bramlett
*American Flyer
*Linda Ronstadt

SINGLES:

The Band
Stills-Young
Linda Ronstadt
Blue Oyster Cult
Orleans
Chicago
England Dan & J. F. Coley
Electric Light Orchestra
Average White Band
Gary Wright

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LONG BEACH

KNAC-FM/BOBBY BLUE

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

Rod Stewart
Jefferson Starship
Jeff Beck
Grateful Dead
Steve Miller
Steely Dan
Aerosmith
James Taylor
Blue Oyster Cult
Thin Lizzy
Richie Blackmore
Paris
Roxy Music
Point Blank
Go
Budgie
Widowmaker

MODERATE AIRPLAY:

Grand Funk Railroad
Jon Anderson
Triumvirat
Starcastle
Judas Priest
Rick Springfield
Trooper
Richie Furay
Ramones
Tom Snow
Spirit
Starz
Mott
Ian Gillan
American Flyer
City Boy
Earth Quake
Linda Ronstadt
Joan Armatrading
Michael Dinner
Flamin' Groovies
Country Joe McDonald
Ruby Star
La Seine
Lewis Furey
John Mayall
Christine McVie

SINGLES:

Stills-Young -
"Long May You Run"
ZZ Top -
"It's Only Love"
The Band - "Twilight"
Bryan Ferry -
"Let's Stick Together"

IMPORTS:

Soft Machine
Automatic Man
Kevin Ayers

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ANAHEIM

KEZY-FM/RON BURNSTEIN

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

Richie Furay
City Boy
Go
Jefferson Starship
Amazing Rhythm Aces
Marshall Tucker Band
Charlie Daniels Band
*Dwight Twilley
Rod Stewart
Steve Miller
Roxy Music
Southside Johnny/Jukes
Back Street Crawler
Hub
Alice Cooper
Camel
*Flamin' Groovies
Crosby/Nash

MODERATE AIRPLAY:

Todd Rundgren
Tom Snow
Grand Funk Railroad
Dr. Feelgood
Judas Priest
Point Blank
Earth Quake
Triumvirat
Little River Band
Bob Seger
Starz
Elliot Murphy
England Dan & J. F. Coley
Budgie
Mark-Almond
Wings
Peter Frampton
Jeff Beck

SINGLES:

Stills-Young Band

SPECIAL PROGRAMMING:

Peter Frampton
Interview & Special

COMMENTS:

Our thanks to Jan Basham
of A&M Records for arranging
the Peter Frampton interview
& our paisano Tom Solino of
Capitol Records for bringing
the Pousette-Dart Band by the
station for a most enjoyable
chat.

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SACRAMENTO, CALIF.

KZAP/BRUCE MEIER

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

+Rod Stewart
+Average White Band
Jefferson Starship
+Earth Quake
Amazing Rhythm Aces
Jeff Beck
+Steve Miller Band
Carly Simon
+Blue Oyster Cult
Crosby/Nash
Go
Spirit
Chris Hillman
City Boy
Dwight Twilley Band
George Benson - Breezin'
Bonnie Bramlett
Southside Johnny/Jukes
Jerry Jeff Walker
*Joan Armatrading
*Linda Ronstadt
*American Flyer
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
James Taylor
Alice Cooper
Leon Redbone

FORT COLLINS, COLO.

KCSU-FM/PATTY BARRY

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

Go
Gary Burton
Tomasz Stanko
Pat Metheny
Jan Garbarek/Bobo Stenson
Keith Jarrett
PFM
Zoot Sims
Jimmy Dawkins
Country Joe McDonald
Bob Reid

MODERATE AIRPLAY:

Mark-Almond
Jon Anderson
Christine McVie
David Sanborn
Valdy
Parachute Eugene Chadborne
Joan Armatrading

IMPORTS:

Fred Frith
Caravan
Colliseum
Gilgamesh
Sadistic Mika Band

SANTA CRUZ, CALIF.

KUSP/JEB HENLEY

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

+++*Joan Armatrading
*Happy Traum
*Norman Blake
*Dolly Parton
*Larry Hosford
*David Grissman
*Michael Dinner
Country Joe McDonald
Southside Johnny/Jukes
Wendy Waldman
*Flamin' Groovies
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
*Fantasy Reissue
*Blue Note Reissue
*Kenny Burrell
Bobby Hutcherson
Eddie Henderson
*Barbara Carroll
+Jean-Luc Ponty/S. Grappelli
*Burning Spear
Mighty Diamonds
*Jimmy Dawkins
Asleep at the Wheel
B. B. King & Bobby Bland
Pat Metheny
Jan Garbarek

SAN RAFAEL, CALIF.

KTIM-AM/FM/

TONY BERARDINI

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

+Go
*Hall & Oates
+Jefferson Starship
+Earth Quake
Spinners
Dwight Twilley
*Grand Funk Railroad
Jay Ferguson
*Linda Ronstadt
+Rod Stewart
*Joan Armatrading
*John Mayall
*David Sanborn

MODERATE AIRPLAY:

*Rowan Bros.
*Paris
Mike Finnigan
Jose Feliciano
Mark-Almond
Al Jarreau
SINGLES:
*Ronnie Spector
Stills-Young Band
*The Band
*Jim Capaldi
IMPORTS:
Jackson Heights

BERKELEY, CALIF.

KALX-FM/R. THE DOC PELZEL

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

Rahsaan Roland Kirk
Bob James
Firefall
Go
Johnny Guitar Watson
Wild Tchoupitoulas

MODERATE AIRPLAY:

Christine McVie
Judas Priest
Dwight Twilley Band
Peter Ivers

*David Sanborn

Roland Prince
Joan Armatrading

*Freddie Hubbard

Meters
Jonathan Richman
Esther Satterfield
Asleep at the Wheel

IMPORTS:

Santana

PORTLAND, ORE.

KVAN-AM/GLORIA BATON

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

Jefferson Starship
City Boy
Steely Dan
Thin Lizzy
Jethro Tull
Hummingbird
Jr. Cadillac
Johnny & Edgar Winter
Isotope (import)
Mark-Almond
Widowmaker
Joan Armatrading
Michael Dinner
High Cotton
Delbert McClinton
Jess Roden Band
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Steve Miller
Billy Joel
Asleep at the Wheel
Jimmy Dawkins Band
American Flyer
Mallard (import)
Earth Quake
Bonnie Bramlett
Brand X (import)

KIRKLAND/SEATTLE, WASH.

KILO/MICHAEL FOX

HEAVY AIRPLAY:

+Joan Armatrading
+Asleep at the Wheel
+*Bonnie Bramlett
+Budgie
+City Boy
+*Michael Dinner
+Jay Ferguson
+*Grand Funk Railroad
+Groundhogs
+Hub
+Judas Priest
+Mark-Almond
+*John Mayall
+Felix Pappalardi
+*Roxy Music
+Tiger
+Trooper
+Go

MODERATE AIRPLAY:

+Philip Catherine
+Commander Cody
+Crosby/Nash
+*Duke Ellington
+Southside Johnny/Jukes
+*Gino Vannelli
+*Milestone/Prestige Re-issues

(Plus (+) indicates Audience Reaction & Asterisk (*) indicates New Addition)

DENVER, COLO.

KCFR/BOB STECKER
REGULAR AIRPLAY:
Dransfield (import)
Stephen Micus (import)
Secret Oyster (import)
Henry Cow (import)
Bothy Band (import)
Go
Diga Rhythm Band
Philip Catherine
Jorge Ben
Various Yes solo albums
New releases on:
ECM
Catalyst
Improvising Artists
Verve (Reissues)
Savoy (Reissues)
Muse
Takoma
Flying Fish
Philo
C. M. H.
Adelphi/Skylone
Columbia Masterworks

BRECKENRIDGE, COLO.

KLGT/ROBIN THEOBALD

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Steve Young
Doug Sahn
Flying Burrito Bros.
Amazing Rhythm Aces
Charlie Daniels Band
Milton Carrol
Asleep at the Wheel
Waylon Jennings
Barefoot Jerry
Grateful Dead
Steve Fromholz
Chris Hillman
Kris Kristofferson
Poco
Marshall Tucker Band
Wheatstraw
Volunteer Jam
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
*Valdy
*Steve Goodman
*Country Joe McDonald
*Michael Dinner
*Richie Furay Band
*Joan Armatrading
Alvin Crow
James Taylor

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M.

KMYR-FM/STEVE SUPLIN

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
+Fleetwood Mac
Waylon Jennings
Joe Ferguson
Average White Band
+Rod Stewart
+Jefferson Starship
Hummingbird
City Boy
*Christine McVie
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Todd Rundgren
+Steve Miller
Heart
+Santana
+Steely Dan
Chicago
+Carly Simon
Stills/Young
SINGLES:
Stills/Young -
"Long May You Run"

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M.

KUNM-FM/ANNETTE GRISWOLD

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
*The Meters
*Jr. Walker
*Mark-Almond
*Joan Armatrading
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
+New ECM Releases
Island Releases
*Andre Benichou
Bobby Bare
*La Seine
*Nina Simone
*Hummingbird
*Savoy Reissues
*Sundance/Byron Berline
*Tom Mitchell
*Norma Jenkins
*Jimmy Dawkins Band
*David Sanborn
*Marvin Gaye
+*Bonnie Bramlett
*Roland Prince

KUNM-FM Continued...

*Buck Owens
*9th Creation
*New Sire Releases
*Catalyst Releases
*Muse Releases

RENO, NEV.

KGLR/SKIP DEES
HEAVY AIRPLAY:
+*Linda Ronstadt
+Country Joe McDonald
+*Bonnie Bramlett
*Gino Vannelli
+Michael Franks
+*Mark-Almond
+Rod Stewart
+Jefferson Starship
+Southside Johnny/Jukes
+*Hall & Oates
+Steve Miller
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
+*Barry Manilow
+Jerry Jeff Walker
+Richie Furay
+Crosby/Nash
+Chris Hillman
+Poco
+Marshall Tucker Band
+Steely Dan
*Orleans
*Grand Funk Railroad
SINGLES:
Blue Oyster Cult
Steve Miller
Mark-Almond
Rod Stewart

LAKE TAHOE, NEV.

KSML/DAVE FENIMORE
HEAVY AIRPLAY:
+Waylon Jennings
Bonnie Bramlett
+*Delbert McClinton
Go
Country Joe McDonald
*Freddie Hubbard
*Byron Berline
+Jefferson Starship
Herbie Mann
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
+Duke Ellington
Pat Metheny
Valdy
*James Brown
Happy Traum
Jeff Beck
John Mayall
Christine McVie
Hummingbird
Roy Ayers
*Fania All-Stars
IMPORTS:
Big Youth -Dread Locks Dread

SPOKANE, WASH.

KREM-FM/JEFFREY PEEL

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
+Little River Band
+Rod Stewart
Crosby/Nash
Steve Miller
Steely Dan
+Terry Reid
+Jefferson Starship
James Taylor
Southside Johnny/Jukes
+Jeff Beck
Bob James
Andy Pratt
+Joan Armatrading
+Minstrel String Guild
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Amazing Rhythm Aces
Crusaders
Carly Simon
Thin Lizzy
George Benson
Al Jarreau
Ronnie Laws
Linda Ronstadt
Mark-Almond
Tom Snow
Go

FRESNO, CALIF.

KFIG/JOHN McCORKLE

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Aerosmith
Jon Anderson
Beach Boys
Chicago
Crosby/Nash
Peter Frampton
Isley Bros.

KFIG Continued...

Jefferson Starship
Steve Miller
Carly Simon
Rod Stewart
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
American Flyer
Joan Armatrading
Average White Band
Alice Cooper
Derringer
Richie Furay Band
Grand Funk Railroad
Linda Ronstadt
Sons of Champlin
James Taylor
Gino Vannelli
SINGLES:
Stills/Young
Strawbs

SACRAMENTO, CALIF.

KSFM/PATRICK MOORE

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Firefall
Wings
Heart
+Boz Scaggs
Steve Miller
+Jefferson Starship
Rod Stewart
Neil Diamond
Chicago
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Alice Cooper
Doobie Bros.
Jethro Tull
*Linda Ronstadt
Jeff Beck
Go
James Taylor
SINGLES:
Bellamy Bros.

SAN BERNARDINO/

RIVERSIDE/ONTARIO

KCAL-FM/JOHN LESLIE

JIM JAMES

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Paris
Spirit
American Flyer
Linda Ronstadt
Grand Funk Railroad
Point Blank
+Aerosmith
+Blue Oyster Cult
Firefall
+Derringer
Blackmore's Rainbow
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Orleans
Rowans
City Boy
Country Joe McDonald
La Seine
John Mayall
Michael Dinner
Ruby Starr
Tom Snow
Bonnie Bramlett
SINGLES:
Stills/Young Band
ZZ Top
Boxer
Eric Carmen

KINGS BEACH, CALIF.

KSML/TODD TOLCES

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
*Freddie Hubbard
+Heart
*Hall & Oates
Bonnie Bramlett
*American Flyer
*Linda Ronstadt
+Go
*John Mayall
*Mark-Almond
Country Joe McDonald
Jefferson Starship
*Orleans
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
*Rowan Bros.
Average White Band
*Grinderswitch
*Fania All Stars
*David Sanborn
*Christine McVie
Asleep at the Wheel
NRBQ
*Sundance
*Oscar Peterson
*Meters
*Delbert McClinton
*Joan Armatrading

SANTA BARBARA, CALIF.
KTYD-AM/FM/LAURIE COBB

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Farragher Bros.
American Flyer
Commodores
Stoneground
Bonnie Bramlett
Country Joe McDonald
John Mayall
Roy Ayers
Meters
Mike Finnigan
+Al Jarreau
Bob James
++Keith Jarrett
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
*Michael Dinner
Richie Furay
*Joan Armatrading
*Bob Marley & Wailers
*Paris
*Lewis Furey
*England Dan & J. F. Coley
*Jess Roden Band
*Tommy West
*Hall & Oates
*Gasolin
SINGLES:
+Etta James

SANTA BARBARA, CALIF.

KTMS-AM/FM/MARK GILES

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Starbuck
David Pomeranz
Carpenters
Nancy Wilson
Lou Rawls
Chicago
Mark-Almond
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Donovan
*Barry Manilow
Sons of Champlin
Spin
*La Seine
*Tommy West
Ben Sidran
*Jose Feliciano
*Gerard
Tom Snow
Curtis Bros.
Angelo
*American Flyer
*Joan Armatrading
*Paris
*Hummingbird
*Gino Vannelli
SINGLES:
+George Benson -
"Summertime/2001"

SANTA MARIA, CALIF.

KX-FM/MICHAEL BECHTEL

HEAVY AIRPLAY:
Point Blank
Joan Armatrading
+++Blue Oyster Cult
++Heart
City Boy
Jeff Beck
Triumvirat
Steve Miller
+Linda Ronstadt
+++Rod Stewart
Jefferson Starship
MODERATE AIRPLAY:
Michael Dinner
Go
Jess Roden
Hummingbird
Flamin' Groovies
Gino Vannelli
Orleans
Country Joe McDonald
David Sanborn
Bonnie Bramlett
Roxy Music
SINGLES:
ZZ Top
The Band
Strawbs

NORTHEAST

RETAIL

CAMBRIDGE, MASS.
HARVARD COOP/

MARTY LAWHON
(Representing 3 stores...)
NEW REACTION:
Bill Keith/Rounder
Dorothy Carter/Celeste
Wild Tchoupitoulas
Rowans
Orleans
PFM
Linda Ronstadt
Grand Funk
Jonathan Richman
Christine McVie
TOP 15:
Boz Scaggs
Fleetwood Mac
Peter Frampton
Jeff Beck
Steely Dan
Eagles - Hits
Pat Metheny
Gary Burton
Go
Steve Miller
Keith Jarrett
Beach Boys
George Benson - Breezin'
Jade & Sarsaparilla
Pousette-Dart Band
SELLING IMPORTS:
Wailers - Live
Peter & The Wolf
Van Der Graaf Generator
Still Life
Steeleye Span
Commoners Crown
Rock Follies

PROVIDENCE, R. I.

BEACON RECORDS/
STEVE PERRY

NEW REACTION:
(ISP)Derringer
City Boy
(ISP)Hummingbird
Flamin' Groovies
(ISP)Grand Funk
Orleans
Linda Ronstadt
England Dan/John Ford Coley
Triumvirat
Bachman-Turner Overdrive (ISP)
Hits
TOP 15:
George Benson - Breezin'
Jefferson Starship
Beatles - Rock n' Roll
Peter Frampton
Candi Staton
Rod Stewart
Grateful Dead
Steve Miller Band
Jeff Beck
David Bowie - Hits
Brothers Johnson
Jon Anderson
Aretha Franklin
'Sparkle' Soundtrack
Manhattans
Boz Scaggs
SELLING IMPORTS:
All Beatles
All Yardbirds
Pink Floyd - Dark Side...
(quadraphonic)
All Bob Marley
Brand X
Go
Curved Air - Airborn
Nazareth - Hits
John Cale - Paris 1919
Cale/Riley -
Church of Anthrax

LONG ISLAND, N. Y.
RECORD WORLD/TSS/BRITTS/
IRA ROTHSTEIN

(Representing 18 stores...)
NEW REACTION:
(ISP)Helen Reddy
(ISP)Barry Manilow
Bachman-Turner Overdrive
Hits
Grand Funk
(ISP)Beach Boys
Rod Stewart
Cliff Richard
(ISP)Point Blank
Dr. Buzzard's Original
Savannah Band
Mark-Almond

(ISP) indicates Sales from In-Store Play)
RECORD WORLD Con't.

TOP 15 SINGLES:
Elton John/Kiki Dee
"Don't Go Breaking..."
Lou Rawls
"You'll Never Find..."
Tavares
"Heaven Must be Missing..."
Manhattans -
"Kiss & Say Goodbye"
Starland Vocal Band
"Afternoon Delight"
Beatles
"Got to Get you Into..."
Wings
"Let 'em In"
Starbuck
"Moonlight Feel Right"
Seals & Crofts
"Get Closer"
John Travolta
"Let Her In"
Bee Gees
"You Should be Dancing"
Beach Boys
"Rock & Roll Music"
Queen
"You're My Best Friend"
Gary Wright
"Love is Alive"
Keith Carradine
"I'm Easy"
SELLING IMPORTS:
Bay City Rollers
Rollin'
Beach Boys - 20 Golden
John Denver - Live
Brand X
Unorthodox Behaviour
The Best of Neil Sedaka
Today
Bob Marley - Live
Peter & The Wolf

BUFFALO, N. Y.
RECORD RUNNER/BRAD HUNT

NEW REACTION:
Linda Ronstadt
Orleans
Michael Dinner
Ian Gillan
Richie Furay
Barry Manilow
(ISP)American Flyer
England Dan/John Ford Coley
(ISP)High Cotton
(ISP)The Rowans
TOP 15:
Lou Rawls
Peter Frampton
James Taylor
Steve Miller Band
Diana Ross - Hits
Gino Vannelli
Fleetwood Mac
Blue Oyster Cult
George Benson
Crosby/Nash
Asleep at the Wheel
Go
Mark-Almond
City Boy
Bob James
SELLING IMPORTS:
Fairport
Brand X
Silly Sisters
Automatic Man
All Wailers
Curved Air - Airborne

PHILADELPHIA, PA.
SAM GOODY/KEITH MASON

(Representing 10 stores...)
NEW REACTION:
Wild Cherry
Linda Ronstadt
Dr. Buzzard's Savannah Band
Bachman-Turner Overdrive
Gino Vannelli
Crosby/Nash
Diana Ross
Helen Reddy
Aerosmith
Keith Carradine
TOP 15:
Barry Manilow
Fleetwood Mac
Peter Frampton
Monkees
Beach Boys
George Benson
Electric Light Orchestra
Steely Dan

SAM GOODY Con't.

David Bowie
Jeff Beck
Average White Band
Boz Scaggs
Neil Diamond
Spinners
Joe Walsh

MOORESTOWN, N. J. (PHILA.)
WEE THREE RECORDS/

BOB KONDROSKY
NEW REACTION:
Barry Manilow
Go
Jefferson Starship
Diana Ross - Hits
Mark Radice
Wild Cherry
Bachman-Turner - Hits
Keith Carradine
D. C. Larue
Christine McVie
TOP 15:
Peter Frampton
Fleetwood Mac
Wings
Beatles
Lou Rawls
David Bowie - Hits
James Taylor
Neil Diamond
George Benson
Aerosmith
Boz Scaggs
Joe Walsh
Electric Light Orchestra (ISP)
Steve Miller Band (ISP)
Monkees - Hits

BALTIMORE, MD.

RECORD & TAPE COLLECTORS
PETE FARLOW

(Representing 5 stores...)
NEW REACTION:
(ISP)Go
(ISP)David Sanborn
Average White Band
Roy Ayers
Isaac Hayes
Gino Vannelli
(ISP)Dr. Buzzard's Savannah Band
(ISP)Hummingbird
Al Jarreau
Lalo Schifrin
TOP 15:
L. T. D.
Spinners
Bob James
(ISP)Jeff Beck
Commodores
Ohio Players
(ISP)Jefferson Starship
Boz Scaggs
(ISP)Roxy Music
Wild Cherry
Graham Central Station
Barry Manilow
(ISP)George Benson - Good King
(ISP)Grand Funk
Fatback Band
SELLING IMPORTS:
(ISP)Brand X
Unorthodox Behaviour
(ISP)Curved Air - Airborne
(ISP)Picchio Dal Pozzo
(ISP)Alan Renaud
(ISP)Corte Dei Miracoli
(ISP)Soft Machine - Softs
(ISP)Maneige - Les Porches

WASHINGTON, D. C.

WAXIE MAXIES/
KEN DOBIN, FRED DRUMMOND

(Representing 13 stores...)
NEW REACTION:
Barry Manilow
Linda Ronstadt
Cliff Richard
B. T. O. - Hits
Orleans
Grand Funk
Johnny "Guitar" Watson
Esther Satterfield
Ninth Creation / Pye
James Brown
TOP 15:
Commodores
Lou Rawls
Wild Cherry
Peter Frampton
Jefferson Starship
Heart
Spinners

WAXIE MAXIES Con't.

Crosby/Nash
Roy Ayers
Rod Stewart/W. B.
LTD
New Birth
Wings
Dr. Buzzard's Savannah Band
Dexter Wansel

NORTHEAST

RECORD BAR/

BRENDA HERNDON
(Representing 7 stores...)
TOP 15:
Peter Frampton
Linda Ronstadt
Wild Cherry
George Benson
Barry Manilow
Steve Miller Band
Fleetwood Mac
Eagles
Orleans
Commodores
Bachman-Turner Overdrive
Average White Band
Beach Boys
Boz Scaggs
Paul McCartney

ALLENTOWN, PA.

PHANTASMAGORIA/
ELLEN CRESSMAN

NEW REACTION:
(ISP)Christine McVie
(ISP)Graham Parker
Gino Vannelli
Wild Cherry
Orleans
(ISP)Gasolin'
Linda Ronstadt
Hummingbird
Starz
Back Pocket
TOP 15:
Heart
Budgie
Earth Quake
Moxy
Steve Miller Band
Peter Frampton
Point Blank
Alan Parsons Project
Angel
Scorpions
Jefferson Starship
Judas Priest
Fleetwood Mac
Jeff Beck
Triumvirat
SELLING IMPORTS:
Geordie
Save the World
Tony McPhee
Budgie - Bandolier
& all others
Fast Buck
Pat Travers
Strapps

(ISP) indicates Sales from In-Store Play)

ATLANTA, GA.
PEACHES/STAN GLEASON

NEW REACTION:
Johnny "Guitar" Watson
Linda Ronstadt
Go
Crosby/Nash
Norman Connors
Brick
Alice Cooper
Grand Funk
Lou Rawls
Peabo Bryson
Bob James

TOP 15:

Peter Frampton
Average White Band
Jefferson Starship
Fleetwood Mac
Ohio Players
George Benson
Gino Vannelli
Jeff Beck
Steely Dan
Steve Miller Band
Marvin Gaye
Atlanta Rhythm Section
Brothers Johnson
Wild Cherry
Beach Boys

SELLING IMPORTS

All Bob Marley/Wailers
Beach Boys - 20 Golden
Electric Light Orchestra
Night the Lights...
Go
Flying Burrito Bros. - Live
Blind Faith
Secret Oyster
All Beck/Yardbirds
Santana - Lotus
Mott the Hoople - Hits

FT. LAUDERDALE, FLA.
SID'S RECORDS & TAPES/
SKIP ASBURY, JEFF NEWMAN

NEW REACTION:

Peter Tosh
Wild Cherry
(ISP) Rick Springfield
Jay Ferguson
Atlanta Rhythm Section

(ISP) Go

(ISP) Hummingbird

(ISP) Andy Pratt

Bob James Three
Bonnie Bramlett

TOP 15:

Firefall
Steve Miller Band
Peter Frampton
George Benson
Boz Scaggs
Chicago
Fleetwood Mac
Stephen Stills
Eagles
Jefferson Starship
Gino Vannelli
Gary Wright
Jeff Beck
Little River Band
James Taylor

SELLING IMPORTS:

Soft Machine - Softs
Colosseum II
All Hendrix
Blind Faith
Peter & The Wolf
Automatic Man
Brand X

NEW ORLEANS, LA.
GRAMOPHONE/

GLADIN SCOTT

(Representing 2 stores...)

NEW REACTION:

David Carradine
Barry Manilow
Linda Ronstadt
Wild Cherry
Johnny Guitar Watson

TOP 15:

Gino Vannelli
Peter Frampton
Steve Miller Band
Wings
Commodores
Beach Boys
Queen
George Benson
Aretha Franklin
Lou Rawls
Aerosmith
Gary Wright

GRAMOPHONE Con't.

Marshall Tucker Band
Boz Scaggs
David Bowie

HOUSTON, TEXAS

RECORD RACK/

HELEN FLINTJER

NEW REACTION:

Starz
David T. Walker
Barry Manilow
Gino Vannelli
Fatback Band
Bottom Line
Helen Reddy
Hummingbird
Dr. Buzzard's Savannah Band
Norman Connors

TOP 15:

George Benson
Gloria Gaynor
Boz Scaggs
Lou Rawls
Ritchie Family
Leon & Mary Russell
Wild Cherry
Steely Dan
Diana Ross - Hits
Gordon Lightfoot
Commodores
Neil Diamond
James Taylor
Rod Stewart
Crusaders

AUSTIN, TEXAS

INNER SANCTUM/

JAMES COOPER

NEW REACTION:

Byron Berline & Sundance
Paris
Wild Cherry
Barry Manilow
B. T. O.
Delbert McClinton
Roy Ayers
Grand Funk
Jessi Colter
Howlin' Wolf (Chess reissue)

TOP 15:

Waylon Jennings
George Benson
Asleep at the Wheel
Rod Stewart
Linda Ronstadt
Beach Boys
Jefferson Starship
Peter Tosh
Marshall Tucker Band
Roxy Music
Jerry Jeff Walker
Grinderswitch
Steve Young
Kris Kristofferson
Willie Nelson

SELLING IMPORTS:

Brand X
Unorthodox Behaviour
Henry Cow - Concerts
Soft Machine - Softs
Rocky Horror Picture Show
Movie Soundtrack
Wailers - Live
Wailers (45) "JA Live"
Bryan Ferry (45)
"Let's Stick Together"

ARLINGTON, TEXAS

L. P. GOODBUI/CHRIS POOL

NEW REACTION:

Gino Vannelli
Go
(ISP) Peter Ivers
Rick Derringer
Roy Ayers
Southside Johnny/Jukes
Judas Priest

(ISP) Toots & The Maytals

(ISP) Dwight Twilley Band

(ISP) Mike Finnigan

TOP 15:

Jeff Beck
George Benson - Breezin'
Alan Parsons Project
Steve Miller Band
Boz Scaggs
Aerosmith
James Taylor
Crosby/Nash
Peter Frampton
Blue Oyster Cult
Thin Lizzy

L. P. GOODBUI Con't.

Bob Marley/Wailers
Bob Seger
Steely Dan
Gary Wright

SELLING IMPORTS:

Automatic Man
Soft Machine - Softs
Kevin Ayers
Brand X

HOUSTON, TEXAS

CACTUS/SKIP SMITH &
PHILLIP PAGE

NEW REACTION:

Go
Joan Armatrading
Christine McVie

TOP 15:

George Benson - Breezin'
Lou Rawls
Spinners
Wild Cherry
Commodores
Gino Vannelli
Boz Scaggs
Leon & Mary Russell
Steely Dan
Peter Frampton
Jefferson Starship
Fleetwood Mac
'Sparkle' Soundtrack
James Taylor

SELLING IMPORTS:

by Phillip Page
Brand X
Curved Air
E. L. O. - Live
All Phil Spector
Secret Oyster
Soft Machine
Bonfire
Charisma 5th Anniversary
Daavid Allen
Gong - You
Kayak - See See the Sun &
Kayak
Both Hatfields
Kevin Ayers
Genesis (single)
"It's Yourself"
Hillage - Fish Rising
Rainbow Bridge
The Beatles
Best of Neil Sedaka
All Wailers

ATLANTA, GA.

FRANKLIN MUSIC/

LEE DURHAM

(Representing 3 stores...)

NEW REACTION:

Dr. Buzzard's Original
Savannah Band
American Flyer
Orleans
Freddie Hubbard
Planets-RCA-Ormandy
England Dan & J. F. Coley
John Denver
Christine McVie
Michael Franks

TOP 15:

Gino Vannelli
Mother's Finest
George Benson
Peter Frampton
Barry Manilow
Linda Ronstadt
Wild Cherry
Rod Stewart
Atlanta Rhythm Section
Keith Carradine
Beatles
Jefferson Starship
Beach Boys
Wings
Chicago

SOUTH

RECORD BAR/

BRENDA HERNDON

(Representing 43 stores...)

TOP 15:

Peter Frampton
Commodores
Wild Cherry
George Benson
Linda Ronstadt
Fleetwood Mac
Gino Vannelli
Eagles
Jefferson Starship
James Taylor

RECORD BAR Con't.

Boz Scaggs
Average White Band
Beatles
Lou Rawls
Keith Carradine

MIDWEST

RETAIL

ST. LOUIS, MO.

STREET SIDE/J. BROZMAN

NEW REACTION:

Jon Anderson
Go
D. J. Rogers
(ISP) Solution
(ISP) Peter Tosh
Christine McVie
Dwight Twilley Band
Eddie Henderson
Third World

TOP 15:

Average White Band
Aretha Franklin
Boz Scaggs
Roy Ayers
Bob James
Jefferson Starship
B. B. King/Bobby Bland
Isley Bros.
Peter Frampton
Gary Wright
Melba Moore
Steely Dan
Hall & Oates
Lou Rawls
Commodores

SELLING IMPORTS:

Rocky Horror Picture Show
Kevin Ayers
Automatic Man
All Beatles
Jesse Winchester
2 Originals
Horslips - Live
Mallard

CHICAGO, ILL.

HEAR HERE/PETER KNITCH

(Representing 2 stores...)

NEW REACTION:

(ISP) Hummingbird
(ISP) Jess Roden Band
Gloria Gaynor
Dr. Buzzard's Savannah
Band
Commodores
(ISP) Earl Klugh
(ISP) Orleans

War - Greatest Hits

Keith Carradine
Corky Siegel

TOP 15:

George Benson
Boz Scaggs
Fleetwood Mac
Linda Ronstadt
Johnny Guitar Watson
Jeff Beck
Norman Connors
Eagles
Spinners
Gino Vannelli
Roy Ayers
Steve Miller
Jefferson Starship
Barry Manilow
Gordon Lightfoot

(ISP) indicates Sales from In-Store Play)

DETROIT, MICH.
HARMONY HOUSE/
GARAUD MacTAGGART
 (Representing 6 stores...)
 NEW REACTION:
 (ISP)Go!!
 Wild Cherry
 (ISP)Linda Ronstadt
 England Dan/John Ford Coley
 (ISP)Hummingbird
 Trooper
 Gino Vannelli
 (ISP)Farragher Bros.!
 Parliaments
 Grand Funk
 TOP 15:
 Bob Seger
 Alice Cooper
 Steve Miller Band
 Wings
 Eagles
 Beach Boys
 Ritchie Family
 Rod Stewart
 Jefferson Starship
 Average White Band
 Spinners
 Blue Oyster Cult
 Barry Manilow
 Gary Wright
 Jay Ferguson
 SELLING IMPORTS:
 Tim Buckley - Greetings..
 Bob Seger - Seven
 Tim Buckley - Sefronia
 Wailers - Live!
 All Phil Spector
 COMMENTS:
 ...and over here we have
 the Cadillac of the American
 candy industry, America's favor-
 ite: Anthrax Ripple.
 Adios

CLEVELAND, OHIO
RECORD RENDEZVOUS/
J. E. JONES
 NEW REACTION:
 Dwight Twilley Band
 Linda Ronstadt
 (ISP)Go
 (ISP)Gary Burton
 (ISP)Flamin' Groovies
 (ISP)Man
 Kiss
 Johnny Watson
 Elton John - Live
 (ISP)Roy Ayers
 TOP 15:
 Wings
 George Benson - Breezin'
 Parliament
 Rolling Stones
 Aerosmith
 Beatles - Rock 'n Roll
 Renaissance - Live
 Hall & Oates - Luncheonette
 Alan Parsons Project
 Gary Wright
 Fleetwood Mac
 Roxy Music
 Runaways
 Andy Pratt
 Thin Lizzy
 SELLING IMPORTS:
 Soft Machine - Softs
 Richard Thompson
 Henry Cow - Concerts
 Klaus Schulze - Moondawn
 Brand X - Unorthodox...
 Wailers - Live
 Kevin Ayers - No Mananas
 E. L. O. - Night...
 Mott the Hoople - Hits
 Mallard
 Santana - Lotus

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.
KARMA RECORDS/
DON SIMPSON
 (Representing 3 stores...)
 NEW REACTION:
 (ISP)Go
 Michael Dinner
 Hummingbird
 (ISP)Point Blank
 Orleans
 Johnny Guitar Watson
 Jean-Luc Ponty
 Byron Berline
 Dexter Wansel
 Widowmaker

KARMA RECORDS Con't.
 TOP 15:
 Gino Vannelli
 Average White Band
 Firefall
 Wild Cherry
 Jefferson Starship
 Roy Ayers
 Peter Frampton
 George Benson - Breezin'
 Linda Ronstadt
 Jeff Beck
 Fleetwood Mac
 Heart
 Crosby/Nash
 Kiss
 Bob James
 SELLING IMPORTS:
 Nazareth - Hits
 Gary Burton - (German)
Dreams So Real
 Brand X
 Bob Marley - Live
 Automatic Man
 John Denver
 Live in London
 Soft Machine - Softs
By Invitation Only
 (various artists)

MADISON, WISC.
RECORD WORLD/
J. LOWRY-BOYLAN
 NEW REACTION:
 (ISP)Terry Reid
 (ISP)Bonnie Bramlett
 Linda Ronstadt
 Al Jarreau
 Point Blank
 Burning Spear
 Heptones
 Starz
 Triumphvirat
 Peter Tosh
 TOP 15:
 Jeff Beck
 Heart
 Marshall Tucker Band
 Jefferson Starship
 Rod Stewart
 Steve Miller Band
 Sunblind Lion
 Firefall
 Crosby/Nash
 James Taylor
 George Benson - Breezin'
 Fleetwood Mac
 Go
 Ben Sidran
 Ian Hunter
 SELLING IMPORTS:
 Curved Air - Air Cut (ISP)
Airborne
 (ISP)Santana - Live in Japan
 Phil Spector
 Wall of Sound
 Plastic Ono Band - Live
Peace in Toronto
 Be-Bop Deluxe - Axe Victim
 Camel - 1st
 (ISP)Peter Bardens - Vintage

MILWAUKEE, WISC.
1812 OVERTURE/
MS. CHARLI HOUSE
 (Representing 4 stores...)
 NEW REACTION:
 Electromagnets
 Country Joe McDonald
 Movies
 Roy Ayers
 Linda Ronstadt
 Jon Anderson
 Aza Lawrence
 Pleasure
 Gordon Lightfoot
 David Sanborn
 TOP 15:
 Heart
 Blue Oyster Cult
 Peter Frampton
 Steve Miller Band
 Aerosmith
 Fleetwood Mac
 Gino Vannelli
 Jefferson Starship
 America
 Ray Thomas
 Gary Wright
 Ted Nugent
 Harry Chapin
 George Benson/W. B.
 Average White Band

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.
LIEBERMAN ENT./
REX HULT, DOUG ACKERMAN
 NEW REACTION:
 Average White Band
 Grand Funk
 Al Jarreau
 Richie Furay
 Gino Vannelli
 Roy Ayers
 Jon Anderson
 Waylon Jennings
 Stevie Winwood
 Wild Cherry
 TOP 15:
 Peter Frampton
 Fleetwood Mac
 Boz Scaggs
 Steve Miller Band
 George Benson
 Hearts
 Gordon Lightfoot
 Leon & Mary Russell
 Jefferson Starship
 Hall & Oates
Abandoned Luncheonette
 Jeff Beck
 Firefall
 Marshall Tucker Band
 Wings
 Jerry Jeff Walker
 COMMENTS:
 We wish to congratulate our
 friends Gerri Zlonis and Brett
 Lehmann on the joining of their
 lives by mutual agreement which
 took place Saturday August 14, '76.

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.
MUSICLAND/
HEILICHER BROS./J. L. MARSH
 Reporter: JIM GRADY
 (Representing 190 stores...)
 NEW REACTION:
 Go
 Gino Vannelli
 Norman Connors
 Kris Kristofferson
 Point Blank
 Bachman-Turner - Hits
 Helen Reddy
 Atlanta Rhythm Section
 Charlie Bleak
 Beach Boys
 Cliff Richard
 Roxy Music
 Starbuck
 Ben Sidran
 TOP 15:
 Peter Frampton
 Eagles - Hits
 Fleetwood Mac
 Wings
 Neil Diamond
 Aerosmith
 Beach Boys - Endless...
 Beatles - Rock & Roll
 Captain & Tennille - Song of...
 Chicago
 Beach Boys - 15 Big Ones
 Barry Manilow
 Captain & Tennille - Love...
 Heart
 Gary Wright
 SELLING IMPORTS:
 by Greg Hagglund
 Neil Sedaka - Best of...
 The Who
 I Can See for Miles
 Hot Legs - Early 10CC
 Brand X
 Gary Wright - Extraction
 Klaus Schulze (all)
 Curved Air - Airborn
 Gryphon - Raindance
 Flying Burrito Bros. - Live
 Fleetwood Mac - Hits
 Official Ceremonies Olympic
 Games '76/Soundtrack

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.
WAX MUSEUM/KATE DRYKE
 (Representing 5 stores...)
 NEW REACTION:
 (ISP)Wild Tchoupitoulas
 (ISP)Jorge Ben
 Go
 Peter Ivers
 Leon Redbone
 Heart
 TOP 15:
 George Benson
 Boz Scaggs
 Average White Band

WAX MUSEUM Con't.
 Jefferson Starship
 Leon Russell
 Hall & Oates
 Fleetwood Mac
 Beach Boys
 Gordon Lightfoot
 Jon Anderson
 Steve Miller Band
 Roy Ayers
 Lamont Cranston
 Jeff Beck
 Wailers
 SELLING IMPORTS:
 John Cale

CHICAGO, ILL.
JAZZ RECORD MART
 (Representing 2 stores...)
 NEW REACTION:
 Gary Burton
Dreams So Real
 Benny Carter - The King
 Yusef Lateef
Doctor is In
 Kenny Durham
But Beautiful
 Duke Ellington
Violin Sessions
 Bobby Hutcherson - Waiting
 Azar Lawrence
People Moving
 Gerry Mulligan
Meets Enrico Intra
 Zoot Sims
Soprano Sax
 Mongo Santamaria - Skins
 TOP 15:
 Jimmy Dawkins
Blisterstring
 George Benson - Breezin'
 Lester Bowie
Rope a Dope
 McCoy Tyner
Fly With the Wind
 Theolonius Monk
Genius of...
 Charlie Parker
Savoy Recordings
 Cecil Payne
Bird Gets Worm
 Eddie Henderson
Heritage
 Rahsaan Roland Kirk
Other Folks Music
 Eric Dolphy
Jitterbug Waltz
 Cannonball Adderley
Spontaneous Combustion
 Little Walter
Chess Blues Masters
 Dizzy Gillespie
 Lester Young
T-Nilson, O. Peterson
 Norman Granz
Jam Session
 SELLING IMPORTS:
 Zoot Sims, Al Cohn/Sonet
 Ben Webster/Verve
Soulville
 Gerry Mulligan/Verve
Live
 Lee Konitz/Verve
Motion
 Muhal Abrams/Black Saint
Sight Song
 J. Hodges/Verve
Jeep is Jumpin
 A. Shepp/Black Saint
Sea of Faces

CHICAGO, ILL.
FLIP SIDE/
RICHARD S. CURRIER
 (Representing 5 stores...)
 NEW REACTION:
 (ISP)Gino Vannelli
 (ISP)Point Blank
 (ISP)Roxy Music
 (ISP)Go
 Linda Ronstadt
 Christine McVie
 Runaways
 Earth Quake
 (ISP)City Boy
 Budgie
 TOP 15:
 Heart
 Jeff Beck
 Chicago
 Lou Rawls
 Barry Manilow
 Steve Miller Band
 Peter Frampton
 David Bowie
 Boz Scaggs
 Jefferson Starship
 Aerosmith
 Rod Stewart
 Crosby/Nash
 Neil Diamond
 Fleetwood Mac /
 Derringer (tie)
 SELLING IMPORTS:
 Henry Cow - Concerts
 Bob Marley/Wailers - Live
 Who - 10 Years - Best of...

MIDWEST
RECORD BAR/
BRENDA HERNDON
 (Representing 16 stores...)
 TOP 15:
 Barry Manilow
 Peter Frampton
 Heart
 Neil Diamond
 Harold Melvin
 Linda Ronstadt
 Fleetwood Mac
 Beatles
 Bachman-Turner Overdrive
 Jefferson Starship
 Steve Miller Band
 Wild Cherry
 Chicago
 Eagles
 Beach Boys

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.
TOWER RECORDS
 NEW REACTION:
 Temptations
 Hall & Oates
 Tavares
 Waylon Jennings
 John Denver
 Spinners
 Norman Connors
 Michael Franks
 Dr. Buzzard's Savannah Band
 Mark-Almond
 TOP 15:
 George Benson - Breezin'
 Jefferson Starship
 Peter Frampton
 Chicago
 Boz Scaggs
 Linda Ronstadt
 Go
 Diana Ross
 Fleetwood Mac
 Wings
 Rod Stewart
 Average White Band
 Crosby/Nash
 Neil Diamond
 Lou Rawls

SAN DIEGO, CALIF.
TOWER RECORDS/DIANE
 NEW REACTION:
 Gino Vannelli
 Go
 Dwight Twilley Band
 Blue Oyster Cult
 Alice Cooper
 Starbuck
 Commander Cody
 Hummingbird
 Linda Ronstadt
 Budgie

TOP 15:
 Boz Scaggs
 Fleetwood Mac
 Peter Frampton
 George Benson
 Steve Miller Band
 Jefferson Starship
 Heart
 Doobie Bros.
 Firefall
 Jeff Beck
 Gordon Lightfoot
 Mark-Almond
 Neil Diamond
 Richie Furay Band
 Southside Johnny/Jukes

SELLING IMPORTS:
 Wailers - Live
 Blind Faith
 Santana - Lotus
 Brand X

COMMENTS:
 San Diego's looking forward to the release of KGB's Home-grown IV in late October.

WEST

RETAIL

SKOKIE, ILL.
SOUND UNLIMITED
 (Representing 100 stores...)
 NEW REACTION:
 Gino Vannelli
 (ISP)Dwight Twilley Band
 Graham Parker
 Barry Manilow
 (ISP)Jane Oliver
 Go
 Johnny Guitar Watson
 David Sanborne
 Dexter Wansel
 Linda Ronstadt
 TOP 15:
 Peter Frampton
 Jefferson Starship
 Heart
 Aerosmith
 Fleetwood Mac
 Boz Scaggs
 Commodores
 Starland Vocal Band
 Jeff Beck
 Firefall
 Crosby/Nash
 Doobie Bros.
 Diana Ross - Hits
 David Bowie
 Chicago
 SELLING IMPORTS:
 Santana - Lotus
 Wailers - Live
 Blind Faith
 Nazareth - Hits

EUGENE, ORE.
CRYSTALSHIP/STEVE HIBBARD
 (Representing 2 stores...)
 NEW REACTION:
 (ISP)Paris
 (ISP)Widowmaker
 (continues strong)
 Grand Funk
 Asleep at the Wheel
 Country Joe
 Go
 Christine McVie
 Budgie
 (ISP)Jess Roden
 Mike Finnigan
 TOP 15:
 Jefferson Starship
 Steve Miller Band
 Peter Frampton
 Fleetwood Mac
 Bachman-Turner Overdrive
 Heart
 Boz Scaggs
 Gino Vannelli
 Brothers Johnson
 George Benson - Breezin'
 Electric Light Orchestra
 Dr. Hook
 Rod Stewart
 Doobie Bros.
 Wings

SELLING SINGLES:
 Sherbet - "Nozat"
 Cliff Richard
 "Devil Woman"
 Wild Cherry
 "Play that Funky Music"
 War - "Summer"
 Tavares
 "Heaven Must be Missing"
 England Dan/J. F. Coley
 "I'd Really Love..."
 Jefferson Starship
 "With Your Love"
 Olivia Newton-John
 "Don't Stop Believin'"
 Boz Scaggs
 "Lowdown"
 Brothers Johnson
 "Get the Funk Out..."
 COMMENTS:
 12" singles are selling great! From CTI - George Benson, Lalo Schifrin, From Salsoul - Moment of Truth, Double Exposure, From Roulette - Stratavarius, From Pyramid - Jakki, D. C. LaRue. Customers want more!

SOUTHERN CALIF.
MUSIC PLUS/
STEVE BOUDREAU

(Representing 12 stores...)
 NEW REACTION:
 American Flyer
 England Dan & J. F. Coley
 Go
 Asleep at the Wheel
 Flamin' Groovies
 David Sanborn
 TOP 15:
 Peter Frampton
 Linda Ronstadt
 Boz Scaggs
 Neil Diamond
 Rod Stewart
 Wings
 Jefferson Starship
 Ted Nugent
 Steve Miller
 George Benson
 Helen Reddy
 Marshall Tucker Band
 Doobie Bros.
 Diana Ross
 Chicago

SELLING IMPORTS:
 Alquin - Best Kept Secret
 Kevin Ayers - Mananas
 Automatic Man
 Bay City Rollers - Rollin'
 Brand X -
Unorthodox Behavior
 Colosseum II -
Strange New Flesh
 Earth & Fire -
World of Future
 Hotlegs - You Didn't Like It
 Henry Cow - Concerts
 Neil Innes - Rutland Weekend
 Wailers - Live
 Novalis - Sommerabend
 Soft Machine - Softs
 Secret Oyster - Astarte
 Supersister -
Spiral Staircase

ST. LOUIS, MO.
VISCOUNT RECORDS/
BILL MILLER
 (Representing 2 stores...)
 NEW REACTION:
 Go
 Dwight Twilley Band
 Linda Ronstadt
 Grand Funk
 Michael Dinner
 Flamin' Groovies
 Peter Ivers
 Byron Berline/Sundance
 Cliff Richard
 Jess Roden Band
 TOP 15:
 Beach Boys - 15 Big Ones
 Peter Frampton
 Bob Seger
 Jefferson Starship
 Steve Miller Band
 Heart
 Neil Diamond
 Chicago
 Fleetwood Mac
 Alan Parsons Project
 Runaways
 Brothers Johnson
 Wild Cherry
 Rod Stewart
 Judas Priest
 SELLING IMPORTS:
 Nazareth - Rock Angels
 Soft Machine - Softs
 Hotlegs - Early 10CC

SACRAMENTO, CALIF.
TOWER RECORDS/LES TEMPLE
 (Representing 3 stores...)
 NEW REACTION:
 Keith Carradine
 Heart
 Tavares
 John Handy
 Gino Vannelli
 Roy Ayers
 (ISP)Dr. Buzzard's Savannah Band
 (ISP)Dexter Wansel
 (ISP)Fatback Band
 Go
 TOP 15:
 George Benson
 Boz Scaggs
 Chicago
 Jefferson Starship
 Peter Frampton
 Average White Band
 Steve Miller Band
 Diana Ross - Hits
 The Spinners
 Neil Diamond
 Norman Connors
 Ohio Players
 Rod Stewart
 Wild Cherry
 Commodores

BERKELEY, CALIF.
RATHER RIPPED RECORDS

NEW REACTION:
 Budgie
 Heptones
 Peter Ivers
 Eddie Palmieri
 Wild Tchoupitoulas
 Copulation Blues
 Festival Pop Celtique
 Pioneers
 Synergy
 Jean-Luc Ponty/
 Stephane Grappelli
 TOP 15:
 Ramones
 Go
 Lewis Furey
 Roxy Music
 Henry Cow - Concerts
 Earth Quake
 City Boy
 George Benson - Breezin'
 John Handy
 David Bowie
 Flamin' Groovies
 Jeff Beck
 Electric Light Orchestra
 Toots & The Maytals
 Dwight Twilley Band
 SELLING IMPORTS:
 Phil Spector
 Wall of Sound Vols I-V
 Sweet Okay Supersister
 Spiral Staircase
 Brand X
 Unorthodox Behaviour
 Horslips - Live
 Soft Machine - Softs
 Sensations Fix
 Finest Finger
 Jean Luc-Ponty
 King Kong
 Semiramis
 Dedicate a Frazz
 Electric Muse (Folk Sampler)
 Kravetz

TACOMA, WASH.
MUSIC MENU/PHIL BURR

NEW REACTION:
 Michael Franks
 Earth Quake
 Jefferson Starship
 Fatback Band
 Michael Dinner
 Grand Funk Railroad
 Point Blank
 Spinners
 Linda Ronstadt
 David Sanborn
 TOP 15:
 Commodores
 Average White Band

(ISP) indicates Sales from In-Store Play)

MUSIC MENU Con't,

Roy Ayers
Rod Stewart
George Benson - Breezin'
James Brown
Wild Cherry
Boz Scaggs
Isaac Hayes
Steve Miller Band
Graham Central Station
Bill Cosby
Peter Frampton
Heart
Brothers Johnson

WEST

RECORD BAR/

BRENDA HERNON

(Representing 12 stores...)

TOP 15:

Peter Frampton
Linda Ronstadt
Powerhouse/K-Tel
Boz Scaggs
Eagles
Wild Cherry
Brothers Johnson
Fleetwood Mac
Gary Wright
Chicago
Neil Diamond
Bachman-Turner Overdrive
Barry Manilow
Steve Miller Band
George Benson

PORTLAND, ORE.

MUSIC MILLENNIUM/

DAVE WILLIAMS

NEW REACTION:

Mother's Finest!!!!
Grand Funk
Dion
Hall & Oates
Dr. Buzzard's Savannah Band
Eddie Henderson
Reverberi
Klaatu (nice stuff!!!)
Spin
Michael Dinner

TOP 15:

Steve Miller Band
Boz Scaggs
George Benson - Breezin'
Heart
Go
Wild Cherry
Jefferson Starship
Peter Frampton
Jeff Beck - Wired
Average White Band
George Benson - Good King
Little River Band
Chicago Ten
Hummingbird
Bob James Three
Sons of Champlin (with a bit 'o' push on our end)

SELLING IMPORTS:

Tangerine Dream (all)
Secret Oyster
Klaus Schulze (all)
Finch

Glory of Inner Force

Brand X
Men Aige
Soft Machine - Softs
Isotope-Deep End
Vangelis (all) esp. Lafete

Sausage - Absolutely elsewhere!

COMMENTS:

Once again we are faced with the dilemma of promo service to us retailers... Though we have good promotional men in our area, promos seem more on a 'request' basis which causes too many Lps to be missed in the race i.e. all Blue Note, Milestone, Prestige reissues, Capitol's Spin Lp, and on and on. Thank to Joe Yopollo & Columbia very much for the early test pressings of Mother's Finest and early promos of same... We never would have known how hot this band is, now we can really get on it!

- D. W.

LAKWOOD, COLO.

INDEPENDENT RECORDS/

JORDON ORLEANS

NEW REACTION:

Christine McVie
Hummingbird
Wild Cherry
Linda Ronstadt
Roxy Music
Orleans
Go
Bachman-Turner - Hits
Point Blank
Ronnie Laws

TOP 15:

Wings
George Benson - Breezin'
Eagles - Hits
Peter Frampton
Beach Boys
Beatles
Fleetwood Mac
Rod Stewart
Blue Oyster Cult
Aerosmith
Jethro Tull
Beatles (White)
James Taylor
Rolling Stones
Jefferson Starship

SELLING IMPORTS:

Streetwalkers
Spooky Tooth (Best of...)
All Genesis
Daavid Allen
Khan
Supersister
Secret Oyster
Tangerine Dream
Yardbirds
Henry Cow
R. Wyatt
Ruth is Stranger...
Roy Wood Story

COMMENTS:

Cutouts are really rollin'... remember today's hits are tomorrow's cutouts.

BELLEVUE/SEATTLE

EVERYBODY'S RECORDS/DEB

(Representing 2 stores...)

NEW REACTION:

Beach Boys
Rod Stewart
Wild Cherry
Jerry Jeff Walker
Bob Marley
Judas Priest
Bob James
Widowmaker
Grand Funk
City Boy
TOP 15:
Steve Miller Band
Peter Frampton
George Benson
Heart
Linda Ronstadt
Fleetwood Mac
Jeff Beck
Eagles
Jefferson Starship
Aerosmith
Boz Scaggs
Average White Band
Wings
Alan Parsons Project
Blue Oyster Cult

PORTLAND, ORE.

EVERYBODY'S RECORDS/DEB

(Representing 2 stores...)

NEW REACTION:

(ISP)Sand
City Boy
Country Joe McDonald
Rod Stewart
Lou Rawls
Commander Cody
George Benson
Abbey Road
Bob James
Point Blank
Asleep at the Wheel

TOP 15:

Heart
George Benson - Breezin'
Steve Miller Band
Jefferson Starship
Boz Scaggs
Fleetwood Mac
Linda Ronstadt
Peter Frampton
Alan Parsons Project
Eagles
Chicago
Aerosmith
Gordon Lightfoot
John Klemmer
Steely Dan

CORVALLIS/EUGENE, ORE.

EVERYBODY'S RECORDS/DEB

(Representing 2 stores...)

NEW REACTION:

Waylon Jennings
Point Blank
Sand
Alan Parsons Project
Commander Cody
Asleep at the Wheel
Rod Stewart
Wild Cherry
Bob James
Lou Rawls

TOP 15:

Steve Miller Band
Linda Ronstadt
George Benson
Fleetwood Mac
Peter Frampton
Jefferson Starship
Boz Scaggs
Heart
Chicago
George Benson - Abbey Road
Wild Cherry
Aerosmith
Crosby/Nash
Country Joe McDonald
Jerry Jeff Walker

CONCERTIZING

WAER/Syracuse, N. Y. - Matthew Weiner

Artist(s): ANDY PRATT
Place & Date: Brookside - August 13
Type of Place: Bummer - overgrown bar
Tickets: \$3.00
Capacity: 600
Attendance: Including turnover - 800-900
Production Values: The pits
Audience Reaction: Rave

Reviewer's Reaction: Whenever I talk to anyone about the show, the first thing mentioned is how rotten a place the Brookside was. First of all, it's a bar, second of all, there weren't enough seats; third of all, the sound was awful; fourth of all it was so fucking hot and uncomfortable I must have lost 8 pounds. Many people left before the end of the show because it was so unbearable. Despite it all, the dichards like myself stayed and witnessed one of the true artists of our time perform material from the Columbia and Atlantic albums plus a little reggae ("Knockin' on Heaven's Door") and a Stones standout ("Can't 'cha Hear Me Knockin'."). Highlights were "Summer, Summer," "Can't Stop My Love," and of course "Avenging Annie." Andy's band was hot, they were excellent. Most impressive was drummer Rick Schlosser. Through the 2 encores, they put out. WOUR made a tape, and I can't wait to hear it. Rumor has it Andy'll return to the 'cuse, and we all wait impatiently. P. S. Steer clear of the Brookside!!!

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KVAN-AM/Portland, Ore. - Gloria Baton

Artist(s): MARIA MULDAUR;
THE HALLELUJAH CHORUS
Place & Date: Euphoria Tavern - August 10
Type of Place: Tavern
Ticket Price: \$5.00
Capacity: 300
Attendance: 300
Production Values: Fair

Audience Reaction: Maria - rave; Chorus - mixed
Reviewer's Reaction: The Hallelujah Chorus is a group of local folks who do a tongue-in-cheek stage show, predominantly from a female point of view, including tunes with titles like "Herpes Simplex," "Menopause Blues," and "How To Be a Prick." Their biggest problem was the person running the sound board, who seemed to have no sensitivity as to which vocals belonged in the background, and which up front. Their set and costume changes were interesting. With the right producer-manager & sound person, the group could do something. A few tunes into Maria Muldaur's first set, the sound-person got it a little more together, and the show went uphill from there. Maria is a stunning performer, with an exquisite voice and the perfect choice of material. She knows how to grab even the rowdiest of audiences and hold them all the way through. Her current band is great. MVP award definitely should go to "Famous" Amos Garrett whom I met in the ladies' room between shows - a great musician and a fine person. Thank to Euphoria & CC Productions for a wonderful evening!

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PHANTASMAGORIA/Allentown, Pa. - Kenn Michael

Artist(s): ODYSSEY; HEART
Place & Date: Roxy Theatre, Northampton, Pa. - 8/18
Type of Place: Old vaudeville theatre
Ticket Price: \$4.00
Capacity: 450
Attendance: S. R. O.
Production Values: Good
Audience Reaction: Rave

Reviewer's Reaction: Odyssey, an opening act, jumped through a few rockers but the crowd was there for Heart, and they exited virtually unnoticed. Heart came out and from the opening chords you realized you were witnessing a truly "new" band. The gracefully gliding Ann Wilson danced, played flutes, sang and led the band through a mixture of material from their album, Dreamboat Annie, and several new numbers including the chilling title cut from Magazine, a yet to be released album. Excellent musicians all and they carried the audience throughout. And a Led Zep encore which never sounded better. They are contenders. I'm in love.

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HARVARD COOP/Cambridge, Mass. - Marty Lawhon
Artist(s): GARY BURTON & PAT METHENY
Place & Date: Jazz Workshops
Type of Place: Small Club
Ticket Price: \$4.00 per show
Capacity: 150
Attendance: 150
Production Values: Excellent
Audience Reaction: Rave
Reviewer's Reaction: Gary has surrounded himself with some of the most prolific and accomplished musicians playing today. This version of the Gary Burton Group is by far my favorite. This opening night crowd especially liked guitarist Pat Metheny. His unique phrasing and tasteful style sets him apart from most of the current guitar players. The Quintet played only two songs from the current album, then completed the set with old favorites, a number by Metheny and two new tunes from Carla Bley. Steve Swallow highlighted the set for me with virtuoso bass playing on three different solos. A standing ovation to cap it all. A good evening, to be sure.

WMUA /Amherst, Mass. - Steve Latorre (Freeport)
Artist(s): GEORGE BENSON, GARY BURTON
QUARTET, JACK DeJOHNETTE'S DIRECTIONS, ESTHER
SATTERFIELD, CHUCK MANGIONE QUARTET, TIM McLOON
SEXTET

Place & Date: Vermont Jazz Festival, Waitsfield, Vt.
 August 1st
Type of Place: Outdoors - Glen Ellen Ski Area
 (amphitheater-like ski trail)
Ticket Price: \$10.00/day \$17.50/two days
Capacity: Unlimited
Attendance: Approx. 5,000
Production Values: Good
Audience Reaction: Rave (headliners)
Reviewer's Reaction: The Mad River Valley was indeed a dramatic setting for the fine sounds which were to pervade this picturesque area of Northern Vermont. Spirits were dampened a bit, however, when this second day of the festival was greeted by heavy rains and ominous skies. After a 3 hour delay it was evident that the performers intended to reward the patrons for their perseverance and endurance. The Tim McLoon Sextet started it rollin', and although they were basically designated to work the kinks out of the water-logged sound system, they performed a creditable set. Chuck Mangione was on next and his tight unit featured some competent reed work by Chris Vadalla. The presence of Esther Satterfield seemed to brighten things considerably and by the time she had finished "Chase the Clouds Away" she had, indeed, done just that. Her performance was the high point for this reviewer. The high powered Directions featuring stellar drummer Jack DeJohnette seemed to be the least enthusiastically accepted. The sweet licks of Pat Metheny highlighted the set of the innovative vibe stylist, Gary Burton. That left only George Benson and company to be heard from as well as the devoted legion who weathered it all to hear the tune that had risen Mr. Benson to meteoric heights. He proceeded, with Phil Upchurch providing the additional guitar work, to cover the entire Breezin' Lp. In the end music did 'rain' supreme.

WYBC/New Haven, Ct. - Joe Gurzo
Artist(s): JANIS IAN; LOUDON WAINWRIGHT III
Place & Date: Bushnell Auditorium - August 12
Ticket Price: \$6.50, \$7.50
Capacity: 4,000
Attendance: Capacity
Production Values: Good
Audience Reaction: Rave
Reviewer's Reaction: Despite a recent radio simulcast of Janis' New York Schaeffer Festival concert, all of her Connecticut fans turned out for this performance. Backed by a 3-piece band and vocalist, Janis executed a perfect evening of engaging balladry. Her set included well-chosen selections from Between the Lines and Star; which proved to be her biggest crowd-pleasers. Loudon's set was permeated with his wry sense of humor and he demonstrated great rapport with his audience, often demanding (and obtaining!) much audience participation. A solid package, two fine performances.

WECR/Brooklyn, N. Y. - Kevin Harwood
Artist(s): BURNING SPEAR
Place & Date: Wollman Memorial Skating Rink
 Central Park
Type of Place: Outdoor skating rink
Ticket Price: \$3.00, \$1.50
Capacity: 5,000(?)
Attendance: 3/4 Capacity
Production Values: Good
Audience Reaction: Very favorable
Reviewer's Reaction: Burning Spear definitely has its act together. They performed for around 2 hours concentrating on material from the 1 stateside releases. They roared through a fiery 3 song encore - that climaxed with an intense version of "Lion" from "Man in the Hills." Winston Rodney doesn't have the stage presence or charisma of, let's say a Bob Marley, but he and the group more than succeed in getting their message across. Very entertaining and interesting show. People sitting in the section that I was sitting in were also treated to an extra attraction of Ms. Patti Smith dancing in the aisle to the music of Burning Spear.

WCUR/West Chester, Pa. - Rick Bohs
Artist(s): JANIS IAN; ROGER McGUINN &
THUNDERBYRD
Place & Date: New Robin Hood Dell West, Phila., Pa.
 August 8
Type of Place: Semi-outdoor concert amphitheatre
Ticket Price: \$8.00, \$6.50 and \$5.00
Capacity: 10,000+
Attendance: 8,000 (approx.)
Production Values: Fair
Audience Reaction: Rave - Janis Ian... Mixed - McGuinn
Reviewer's Reaction: Despite difficulties with the sound, Ms. Ian pulled off yet another fine performance to a crowd of adoring fans. She alternated from five tunes on an acoustical guitar to four on piano, playing her best from her last three albums. She surprised us after this by picking up her electric and giving the crowd a sneak preview of more up-tempo new material. It's nice to see Janis expanding her repertoire, the crowd loved her and she loved them back with two encores. Roger McGuinn and his new band opened, playing a very competent set of old Byrd standards ("R&R Star," "Mr. Tambourine" and "Chestnut Mare") plus the best of his new material. The crowd was cold to them yet they played a good set of country-rock music.

WTSR/Trenton, N. J. - Wally Chase, John Chojnowski,
and Donna Applegate
Artist(s): EAGLES; BOZ SCAGGS
Place & Date: Spectrum - July 27
Type of Place: Auditorium
Ticket Price: \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.50
Capacity: 13,000
Attendance: Boiling over
Production Values: Excellent
Audience Reaction: Rave
Reviewer's Reaction: Boz Scaggs reviewed his Silk Degrees album in its entirety. His new band was tight and performed one encore, very impressive disco, with San Franciscan flavoring. The Eagles from sunny Southern California, captured the audience with a number of tunes off their Desperado album, after warming up with "Take It Easy." Don Felder took over the banjo and steel chores and Joe Walsh took over the lead and slide responsibilities. Fantastic tight sound which even featured "Funk 49." Joe Walsh fit in very well, but the Eagles did only their old stuff and Joe Walsh material. 'No new stuff.' The concert was sold out in advance and it lived up to its expectations. Glen Frey, Don Henley, and Co. cooked up two encores, the second, an all out jam with Boz Scaggs. Splendid evening.

RECORD WORLD/Madison, Wisc. - J. Lowry-Boylan
Artist(s): LESLIE WEST; PUNCH
Place & Date: El Tejon - August 8
Type of Place: Bar/club
Ticket Price: \$3.50
Capacity: 1,000
Attendance: 500
Production Values: Fair
Audience Reaction: Mixed
Reviewer's Reaction: Punch, a local, did basic rock & roll set of originals - left audience lukewarm. Leslie West must have had his mind on other things. Riffs were sloppy and meandering despite good bass play and ex-Rascals drummer Dino Daneli. Highlight was a good version of "Roll Over Beethoven." Yawn...

WMMR-AM/Minneapolis, Minn. - John Wahl
Artist(s): YES; MONTROSE
Place & Date: St. Paul Civic Center - August 12
Type of Place: Large auditorium
Ticket Price: \$5.50 (general admission)
Capacity: 16,000
Attendance: 16,000 (sold out)
Production Values: Fair - good (i. e. fair for Montrose and good for Yes)
Audience Reaction: Yes - Rave -- Montrose - Favorable
Reviewer's Reaction: Montrose has recently undergone some personnel changes, and the absence of lead vocalist Sammy Hagar was sorely felt. The new lead either did not enunciate clearly or his vocals were being washed out by excessive noise. Whatever the reason, although I knew most of the lyrics, I found them exceedingly hard to distinguish. As a result, lead guitarist Ronnie Montrose carries the rest of the band, and much of the set was devoted to his somewhat inflated guitar prowess. As a band, Montrose reminds one of a low caliber Aerosmith. The crowd was of course out to get their money's worth and called the band back for an encore. The welcome for Yes was nothing short of staggering. In years of concert-going, I have never seen roughly 8,000 matches lit before a band ever came out on stage, but this is precisely what happened. After kicking off with "Siberian Khatru" and "Heart of the Sunrise," Yes rambled on with material poorly chosen from their post-Wakeman albums Tales From Topographic Oceans and Relayer. The replacement for Wakeman served well until called upon to solo. The rest of the band members played exceedingly well, and were content to be Yes, rather than playing a lot of material from their various solo Lps. Execution and presence excellent, material lacking.

VISCOUNT RECORDS/St. Louis, Mo. - Bill Miller

Artist(s): BEACH BOYS
Place & Date: Kiel Auditorium - August 8
Ticket Price: \$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.00
Capacity: 10,500
Attendance: 10,500 (plus a few hanging from the rafters)
Production Values: Excellent
Audience Reaction: Rave
Reviewer's Reaction: The Beach Boys put on a tremendous show that had the entire audience on their feet and towards the end on their chairs. The screaming and the enthusiasm shown by the audience has not been seen in these parts since the early days of the Beatles. The format of the show was outstanding as they alternated songs off their great new album with almost all of their famous classics. Mike Love was outstanding - Carl Wilson was great - Alan Jardine was terrific and Dennis Wilson astounding including his solo vocal on "You Are Beautiful." A genuine legendary super group!!!!

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KREM/Spokane, Wash. - Jeffrey Peel

Artist(s): CTI
Place & Date: Spokane - August 11
Type of Place: Opera House
Ticket Price: \$5.50, \$6.50, \$7.50
Capacity: 2,700
Attendance: 2,700
Production Values: Excellent
Audience Reaction: Rave
Reviewer's Reaction: CTI Group, as always, performed well and pleased everyone. However the act, as with the label, suffers from sameness of Bob James arrangements and the overall pap-commercialization of otherwise killer jazz artists.

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KILO/Kirkland/Seattle, Wash. - Michael Fox

Artist(s): MARIA MULDAUR
Place & Date: The Pipeline, Seattle - August 9
Type of Place: Small tavern/club
Capacity: 300
Attendance: 300
Production Values: Excellent
Audience Reaction: Rave
Reviewer's Reaction: Television is one form of media that does very little justice to the likes of Maria Muldaur... neither do records or radio for that matter. Seeing live is believing live... and believing is one thing Maria persuades one to do. She's one helluva woman - from her singing and dancing to her expert fiddle playing, and her band was with her all the way. Notably, Amos Garrett performed memorable licks on his guitar along with some tasty trombone work... and the walls of the Pipeline (along with the walls of my mind) won't be the same for quite some time. Refer to Bernstein/Sondheim's lyrics to "Maria" from West Side Story for further details.

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KZAP/Sacramento, Calif. - Bruce Meier

Artist(s): CHRIS HILLMAN
Place & Date: Crabshaw Coroner, Sacramento - August 4
Type of Place: Club
Ticket Price: \$4.00
Capacity: 400
Attendance: 250-300
Production Values: Good
Audience Reaction: Favorable
Reviewer's Reaction: Drawing material from all phases of his career, Chris Hillman performed two fine sets of music and debuted a versatile and very promising new band. Hillman's role in the development of American music of the past ten years became evident as he and his band did great versions of Byrds, Burritos, Manassas, and S.H.F. material, as well as songs from Hillman's new solo lp. While the band still seemed to be pulling a few loose ends together, they proved to be well worth keeping track of. The range of music they incorporated into the evening was impressive - Latin, bluegrass, rock & roll, and country. In all, a solid night of music that argues well for the future of both Hillman and his band.

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WORT-FM/Madison, Wisc. - Dave Chandler

Artist(s): BEN SIDRAN
Place & Date: The Church Key - July 17/18
Type of Place: Club - features rock, blues and country/rock
Ticket Price: \$2.50
Capacity: 300
Attendance: 300 plus
Production Values: Good
Audience Reaction: Rave
Reviewer's Reaction: Crowds here can be ambivalent to Sidran, recognizing his ability and appreciating his determination in holding on to a major label recording contract while living far from the centers of musical power, yet inclined to being blasé because he is such a local fixture. But any incipient indifference was simply blasted away by his incredible band, wound up to wail by the first half of a national tour. Sax player David Woodford in particular left mouths agape all over the hall, but all the musicians were equally sharp and compelling. Yet the breakneck pace also crushed out the subtleties and restrained swing that are so central to Sidran's distinctive and rewarding music and lyrics, and he clearly has to try harder to avoid the temptation to generate heat at the expense of shedding light.

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KFMQ-FM/Lincoln, Nebr. - Joe Blood

Artist(s): YES
Place & Date: Pershing Auditorium - August 13
Type of Place: Big barn with bad acoustics
Ticket Price: \$5.50 advance/\$6.50 day of show
Capacity: 8500
Attendance: 8500
Production Values: Excellent
Audience Reaction: Rave
Reviewer's Reaction: With crisp, clean sound by Clair Bros. and a stunning laser light show, Yes put on one of their best shows. The band was tight, energetic and material ranged from the Yes album up through the Relayer lp. It was also the first time any band has brought a laser light show to Lincoln and the crowd went wild. All in all, a very polished, professional show. Special thanks to Pam Benson of Atlantic/Minneapolis for the tickets.

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KMTN-FM/Jackson, Wyoming - Jeff Schlesinger

Artist(s): ASLEEP AT THE WHEEL;
DOUG KERSHAW/SLIDIN' JAKE BAND
Place & Date: Snow King Inn - August 9
Type of Place: Convention Hall
Ticket Price: \$7.50
Capacity: 1500
Attendance: 1200
Production Values: Good
Audience Reaction: Kershaw - rave; Asleep - favorable
Reviewer's Reaction: Two shows from both groups is enough to wear out even the most ardent fan. The audience was mixed with what seemed to be half the people coming out to see Asleep and half for Doug. Both sectors were pleasantly surprised and the audience reaction told the story. Asleep has a ten piece band that swings with the best in country to Count Basic. They opened both shows with a mixture of their hits and material from their new album. Ray Benson really takes the lead duties in hand and with his special sense of humor manages to get the band introduced on solos and make the audience feel at home. But, the people came to see Kershaw and he knocked them out. Some electrical problems hassled the first set, but the second set was uninterrupted. Slidin' Jake is the finest backup Kershaw has had and Doug's music is hard metal fiddle and very electric. Kershaw had the folks on their feet for at least half the show and they never wanted him to stop after an hour and 45 minutes. Kershaw is a real showman.

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CACTUS RECORDS/Houston, Tex. - Phillip Page

Artist(s): YES; MONTROSE
Place & Date: Hofheinz Pavillion - August 8
Type of Place: Sports and entertainment arena
Capacity: At least 8 or 10,000. I forgot.
Attendance: Packed
Production Values: Good
Audience Reaction: Rave
Reviewer's Reaction: Yes are undoubtedly great. It's too bad they couldn't play some new material. They were also too loud. But the Houston crowd freaked out. I arrived after Montrose played. Someone said they were normal.

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WBRS-FM/Waltham, Mass. - Peter Mork

Artist(s): BARRY & THE REMAINS;
IAN MATTHEWS
Place & Date: Jazz Workshop - August 13
Type of Place: Club
Capacity: 100
Attendance: Near full
Production Values: Excellent
Audience Reaction: Both rave
Reviewer's Reaction: Ian Matthews, with his very polished professional band, did a fine set of material drawn partly from his new album, Go For Broke, but not depending on it. There were older tunes also, and some yet unrecorded. In fact, in person, the group (I'm not sure which of these musicians appeared on the record) was more casual, jauntier/jazzier. The lead guitar was given a spotlight and there were some tasty saxophone/electric piano harmonies, all of which were missing from the album's pop structure - it was an improvement. Matthews' clear, unembellished singing was well suited to his own material ("Lonely Hunter" his next single?). I'm less sure about his covers of "Brown Eyed Girl" and "Darkness Dark-ness" - his softened slowed-down approach seemed wrong for these songs. Otherwise, a good, solidly backed-up performance. (Reviewer shifts into overdrive.) Barry & The Remains Boston's legendary cult rockers, have reunited after nearly ten years, and the legend lives on! A few rough edges, a bit of nervousness perhaps - this was only their second gig - but once they got rolling, they were unstoppable. They did the classics, "Don't Look Back" (pick it up on Elektra's Nuggets album), "Heart Made of Stone," "Diddy Wah Diddy" and others well known to Boston radio fans, some good new songs and a reworking of Gram Parsons' "Luxury Liner." What really floored me was their mastery of building a number up to a climax - even "Lonely Weekend," on record a gauzy, atmospheric song, was worked up to a raving finale - no, these guys have not mellowed. Barry Tashian on guitar, Vern Miller on bass - wizards, both of 'em - fronted the set's furious closer; Miller's Entwistlelean zooms against Barry's gutty, hyperspeed Bo Diddley riffing - they encored with a rip-roaring, unrehearsed "La Bamba" and sent everyone to rock 'n' roll heaven. Barry's back, and Boston's got him - cry tough!

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