



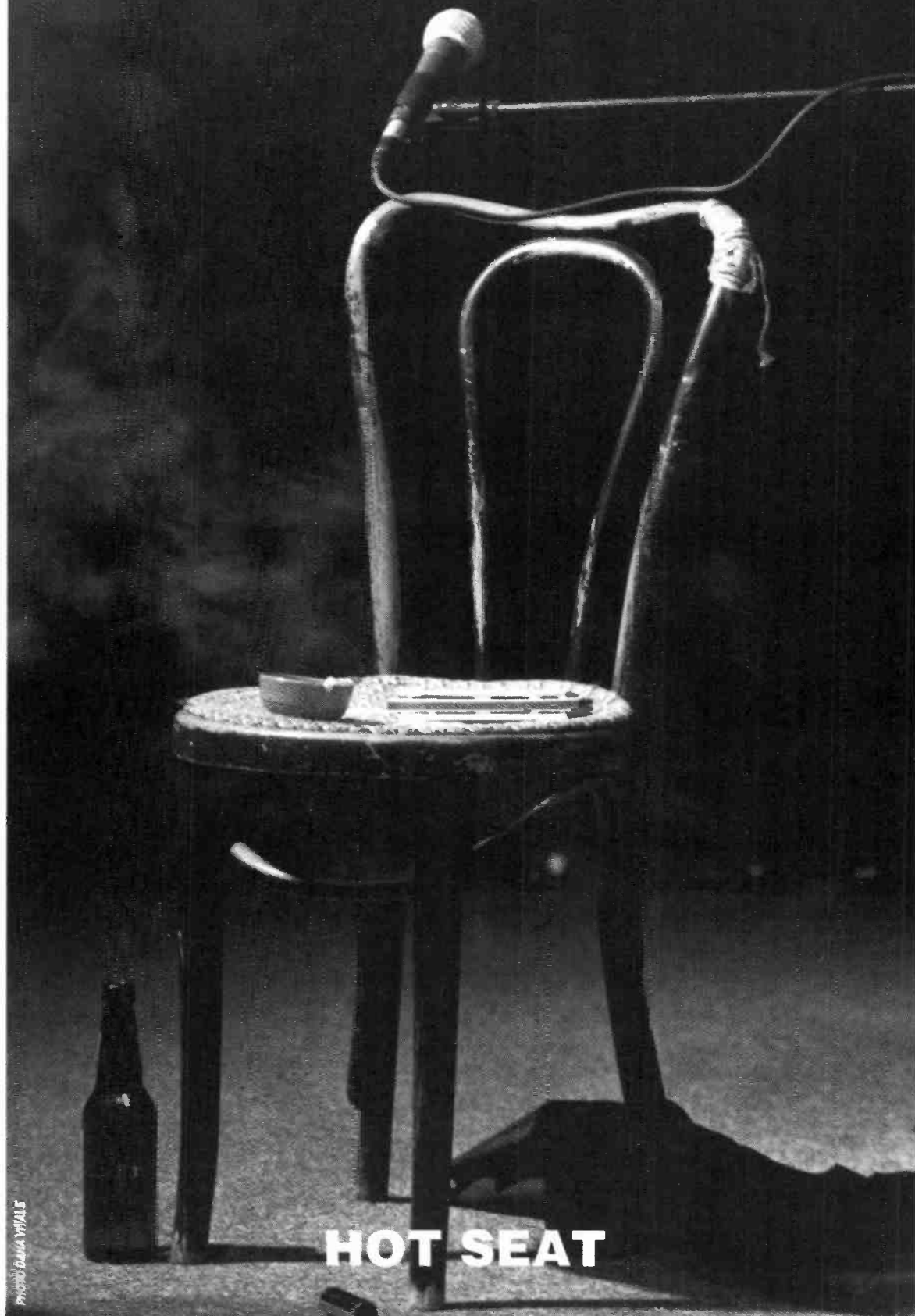
BOXSCORE TOP CONCERT GROSSES

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ARTIST(S)	Venue	Date(s)	Gross Ticket Price(s)	Attendance Capacity	Promoter
BON JOVI SKID ROW	Centrum Worcester, Mass.	March 12- 13	\$462,556 \$18.50	25,003 sellout	Don Law Company
STEVE LAWRENCE & EYDIE GORME CORBETT MONICA (9, 10, 12) DICK CAPRI (11)	Fox Theatre Detroit	March 9- 12	\$412,035 \$37.50/\$32.50/ \$25/\$5	19,986 23,340	Brass Ring Prods.
LUTHER VANDROSS KIM COLES	Valley Forge Music Fair Devon, Pa.	March 10- 12	\$344,585 \$27.50	14,660 sellout	Music Fair Prods.
BON JOVI SKID ROW	Nassau Veterans Memorial Coliseum Uniondale, N.Y.	March 10	\$341,728 \$20/\$18.50	17,165 sellout	John Scher Presents Larry Vaughn Presents
BON JOVI SKID ROW	Spectrum Philadelphia	March 8	\$308,805 \$17.50	18,263 sellout	Electric Factory Concerts
VAN MORRISON SANDY BULL	Beacon Theatre New York	March 6-9	\$258,500 \$25/\$22.50	10,500 sellout	Ron Delsener Enterprises
METALLICA QUEENSRÛCHE	Nassau Veterans Memorial Coliseum Uniondale, N.Y.	March 8	\$253,171 \$18.50/\$17.50	14,090 sellout	Monarch Entertainment Bureau John Scher Presents Larry Vaughn Presents
METALLICA QUEENSRÛCHE	Spectrum Philadelphia, Pa.	March 12	\$248,770 \$16.50/\$14.50	15,765 sellout	Electric Factory Concerts
AMY GRANT MICHAEL W. SMITH GARY CHAPMAN	The Great Western Forum Inglewood, Calif.	March 2	\$228,651 \$19.50/\$16.50	12,606 13,570	Nederlander Organization
ALABAMA CHARLIE DANIELS BAND JO-EL SONNIER	Buffalo Memorial Auditorium Buffalo, N.Y.	March 10	\$192,955 \$17.50	11,026 12,755	Keith Fowler Promotions Pate & Associates
HANK WILLIAMS JR. & THE BAMA BAND TANYA TUCKER RODNEY CROWELL	Myriad Convention Center Oklahoma City	March 11	\$189,403 \$17.50	11,911 sellout	Larry Shaeffer
JOAN JETT & THE BLACKHEARTS	Lunt Fontanne Theatre New York	March 1-5	\$184,325 \$25	7,494 sellout	Monarch Entertainment Bureau John Scher Presents
RANDY TRAVIS K.T. OSLIN	Mississippi Coast Coliseum Biloxi, Miss.	March 11	\$178,448 \$16.50	10,815 sellout	Special Moments Promotions
HANK WILLIAMS JR. & THE BAMA BAND STEVE EARLE & THE DUKES	Carolina Coliseum Arena Univ. of South Carolina Columbia, S.C.	March 3	\$169,435 \$17.50	9,682 sellout	Larry Shaeffer
BILL COSBY	Redbird Arena Illinois State Univ. Normal, Ill.	March 4	\$168,378 \$18.50	9,756 11,201	Artist Consultants
REGIS PHILBIN & KATHIE LEE GIFFORD	Westbury Music Fair Westbury, N.Y.	March 10- 12	\$163,069 \$22.50	8,516 8,586 sellout	Music Fair Prods.
POISON TESLA	Roberts Municipal Stadium Evansville, Ind.	March 5	\$162,619 \$17.50/\$16.50	9,782 13,600	Sunshine Promotions
CDMWAY TWITTY MERLE HAGGARD GEORGE JONES	Pensacola Civic Center Pensacola, Fla.	March 11	\$154,473 \$17.50	9,207 10,234	Jayson Promotions
AMY GRANT MICHAEL W. SMITH GARY CHAPMAN	Tarrant Co. Convention Center Ft. Worth, Texas	March 10	\$151,655 \$16.75	9,729 10,500	462 Concerts
HANK WILLIAMS JR. & THE BAMA BAND TANYA TUCKER RODNEY CROWELL	Mid-South Coliseum, Fairgrounds Memphis	March 12	\$148,925 \$17.50	8,510 sellout	Larry Shaeffer
HANK WILLIAMS JR. & THE BAMA BAND TANYA TUCKER	Barton Coliseum Arkansas State Fairgrounds Little Rock, Ark.	March 10	\$143,168 \$17.50	8,539 sellout	Larry Shaeffer
AMY GRANT MICHAEL W. SMITH GARY CHAPMAN	San Diego Sports Arena San Diego	March 3	\$142,002 \$18.50/\$16.50	8,242 8,611	Bill Silva Presents
POISON TESLA	Hirsch Coliseum Louisiana State Fairgrounds Shreveport, La.	March 11	\$141,715 \$17.50	8,552 9,000	Beaver Prods.
METALLICA QUEENSRÛCHE	Norfolk Scope Convention & Cultural Center Norfolk, Va.	March 11	\$141,097 \$16/\$15	9,242 13,800	Cellar Door Prods.
GREAT NIGHT FOR THE IRISH: FRANK PATTERSON GERALDINE O'GRADY DES KEOGH MA CASADIGH EILY O'GRADY	Radio City Music Hall New York	March 4	\$140,757 \$25/\$22.50	5,874 sellout	Radio City Music Hall Prods.

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