

Consumer gets break in Airwaves '83 show

Toronto: Airwaves '83, sponsored by the Electrical and Electronic Manufacturers' Associations of Canada has, for the past two years, been limited to high end audio and been restricted to those in the industry. However, this year, organizer Karen Cook has decided it's time to go public. "The first two days will be for dealers," she noted, "and last year over 3000 attended. Then we'll open the doors to the public, because this year we've broadened the content and kept our quality standards: consumer demand for this equipment and comprehensive way to learn about what is available, is growing by leaps and bounds."

The three-day show (Sept 9-11) is being held at the Constellation Hotel. Billed as "the most comprehensive high-quality home entertainment show ever presented in Canada," the emphasis is on high quality audio with more than 100 distributors displaying over 325 brand names. There will also be displays of video equipment, musical instruments, records, car audio and accessories, including the first automible Compact Disc player from Mitsubishi.

Of particular interest to the recording industy will be a live recording session at the Constellation's Banyan Bar. Phil Sheridan will produce an album by jazz singers Sara Hamilton and David. The session takes place at 9 pm each evening over the three days with special guest artists Rob McConnell, Guido Basso and Eugene Amaro, all supported by

WEA beefs up Cancon with two new signings

Toronto: WEA Music of Canada has recently signed two Canadian bands, the Kitchenerbased reggae group Messanjah and the Vancouver six-piece unit, Images In Vogue.

Messenjah were the winners of this year's U-Know Awards Most Promising Independent Artist Category. The awards are presented by local new music station CFNY-FM. In addition, the reggae group was also named as Top Reggae Group in the Black Music Awards.

Most of the band members are Jamaicanborn, but were schooled in Canada. All are reggae veterans. Also in the group is Rupert "Ojiji" Harvey, a former member of the group Crack of Dawn. Harvey has two solo LPs to his credit.

WEA has released their album Rock You High, previously issued independently, but have augmented the re-release with a 12" special mix of four songs from the LP.

Dates for Messenjah include Waterloo (Sept 12), Thunder Bay (14), Winnipeg (16), Saskatoon (17 & 18), Edmonton (19 & 20), Red Deer (21 & 22), Calgary (23), and Edmonton (24).

The five-song EP from Images In Vogue, scheduled for a late October release, was produced by Lindsay Kidd and band-member Joe Vizvary. All tracks are new except for one song that was released independently, but has been re-recorded for WEA. A national tour for the group is to follow. The band has already been touring, opening for Roxy Music and Depeche Mode. bassist Dave Young and drummer Brian Leonard. The tape will be edited at Sheridan's McClear Studios on the only digital editing assembly in Canada and released on his own Innovation label.

One of the special events scheduled is CKFM's Looking Back show which will broadcast live (10) at a dance to be held in the Ballroom of the Constellation with all proceeds going to Ronald McDonald House.

On public display for the first time will be an exhibition and video presentation of rare Beatles memorabilia, owned privately by Toronto-based actor Geoffrey Giuliano. Items include original drawings by John Lennon and Paul McCartney, never-before-seen photos, rare posters, the original Butcher cover and the unreleased Harrison cover for Somewhere in England, plus much more.

Seminars on audio topics have been set up with special guests including England's Ross Walker, designer of the Quad, Mike Wright of Dayton-Wright and Floid Toole of the National Research Councel.

Love In The Shadows a new direction for Hill

Montreal: PolyGram gave listeners the first sample of the "new" Dan Hill with the release of the title track as the first single for his Mercury album, Love In The Shadows.

A 7" single, in a four-colour picture sleeve, Of Love has been shipped along with a radioonly 12 incher containing the LP and extended dance version of the single, as well as the track, Where You Gonna Run To.

PolyGram reports the LP represents a major change in direction for the singer/songwriter, as well as two years of work. The new recording contract was apparently signed on the basis of demos put together by Hill and John Lewis Parker. The latter's compositions have been recorded by such names as Sheena Easton, Dolly Parton, The Pointer Sisters and others.

Parker, who also co-wrote six songs for the LP, produced the album as well. PolyGram explained that the collaboration between the duo was pure chance. The meeting between the two was arranged by ATV Music, for whom both were writers. Both were stuck together in the same office to write songs and a partnership developed.

PolyGram noted that Parker also encouraged Hill to become "more aggressive and physical" in his writing and to take a "more modern view of music." About 50 songs were composed during Hill's two-year absence, which were narrowed down to 10tracks for the LP.

The company pointed out that the "trademark ballads are at a minimum with the focus on a harder-edged rockier song." PolyGram added that both the single and LP will come as "something of a surprise to those who have typecast Hill as a writer and singer of tender and touching ballads, suitable for airplay on A/C radio."

Hill admitted that one of the major reasons for maintaining a low profile was to give himself the opportunity to do what he hadn't done before and to break free of the image he had been forced to conform to.

CIRPA set to host Video seminar/workshop

Toronto: The Canadian Independent Record Production Association (CIRPA) will be hosting a two-day seminar/workshop on music video October 26 and 27, at Toronto's Royal York Hotel.

Guest speakers, comprised of major industry figures, are to be spotlighted at dinner on the 26th and luncheon on the 27th. The guest speakers, plus the studio locations will be announced at a later date. Registration is already being accepted for the two-day event.

With focus on video production and marketing, the first day of the seminar will feature a production workshop with speeches and demonstrations taking place at studios and post-production houses in the city.

The second day kicks off with a panel discussion of marketing with video experts to discuss and answer questions on marketing strategies, video retailing, video club exposure and more.

The marketing session will be followed by a panel on legal matters including contract preparation and copyright issues. A special panel featuring representatives of each of the proposed music video TV channels, will complete the session.

Moodies back on course after 2 years absence

Montreal: After a wait of almost two years, the Moody Blues return with their Threshold album, The Present, distributed by PolyGram.

The group's last album, Long Distance Voyager, was released in the fall of 1981, and has surpassed the triple platinum mark in Canada.

Like Long Distance Voyager, The Present was produced by Pip Williams and features 10 new tracks. At The Wheel has been taken as the first single. A 12" radio-only single has been shipped with the album version on one side and the edited version on the flip.

The band line-up on The Present is the same as their previous LP, comprising vocalist/guitarist Justin Hayward, bassist/vocalist John Lodge, drummer Graeme Edge, keyboardist Patrick Moraz, and Ray Thomas on flutes, harmonicas, and vocals.

Over the two-decade history of the Moodies, the band has sold in excess of 30 million albums worldwide. Although the group has undergone some line-up changes, the core of Hayward, Lodge, Thomas and Edge has been intact since their classic 1967 LP Days Of Future Passed, which combined rock and classical music.

The band scored their first hit single in 1964 with Go Now with Denny Laine on vocals. He was later to become a member of Wings. Since taking on their porgressive direction beginning with Days Of Future Passed, the Moodies have churned out one successful LP after another. Keyboardist Mike Pinder left the band a few years ago to be replaced by Moraz who also played on their last LP. 9th Annual International Record/Video and Music Industry Market

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Dan Hill looking good!!

Dan Hill is back and moving, musically, in a new direction. His initial album release for Mercury, Love In The Shadows, which is also the title of his first single from the album, has been well-received across the country. It's intersting to note that the title track of George Benson's In Your Eyes album, was co-written by Hill with Michael Masser, and this will be Benson's next single. No Cancon points however.

Where are they now??

Remember the big stars of radio - the names that brought success - and failure to the big time radio stations. Here's one for you, Cousin Brucie (Bruce Morrow). He was the supermouth of WABC New York, who was almost replaced by Canada's gum buster Dave Mickie. Bruce hasn't been doing too bad at all. He is the Morrow in the Sillerman/Morrow Broadcasting Group, which owns WHMP-FM Northampton/Springfield, Massachusetts. They also hold radio and

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Advertising rates on request. Second Class Postage paid in Toronto. Registration No. 1351 PRINTED IN CANADA television properties in Middleton and Hyde Park in New York State, Dover, New Jersey and Atlanta. WHMP has just signed Drake-Chenault to consult the station. Here's another name from the past - Big "G" (Glen Walters), a super smooth CKEY personality of the '60s. Glen is currently doing the 7 to midnite shift at CJLB in Thunder Bay, Ontario. How about Joey Reynolds, who was voted America's Top Jock of 1965-6 through his powerful WKBW Buffalo nite-time show. He's apparently in Los Angeles, but not on radio.

The Nylons are steamrolling!!

The Nylons continue to surprise the industry. Their Attic album, One Size Fits All, released less than one year ago, has gone platinum, the first a cappela group to ever reach that status. Their international popularity is now on a roll and they haven't lost any of their local draw, attracting an audience of upwards of 11,000 for their date at Ontario Place (Toronto) Forum.

Building a star system???

A very good friend, not in the industry, subscribes to RPM just to see what is happening. He recently commented that the music industry in Canada must be "the most photographed industry in Canada". As I thought about it - ain't it the truth? He went on to say, "They're (the industry) always handing out all kinds of awards. Everytime I pick up an RPM, someone is getting a gold, silver, platinum or diamond record." He then showed me the trade magazine that comes out for his industry. Piles of type, statistics and few pictures and none of anyone in the lower order. Now, when he sees me he says, "Building a star system in Canada??" Yes, we are, and occasionally we may even bring some attention to a recording artist or two.

More froth from Foth!!

Labour Day in Vancouver must have been quite a hoot. Anything that's successful or popular is bound to draw a negative from Allan Fotheringham, the one person in Canada who probably thinks he can do it (anything) better. Fotheringham's most recent tirade (Toronto Sun - Sept 7), takes a shot at the Jerry Lewis Telethon, rock music's most successful acts which were appearing in Vancouver. These included Supertramp, Bryan Adams and The Payolas. I wonder how much he paid for his ticket? In this column however, he somehow overlooked the political field and the country in general. Could be someone reminded him that Canada isn't such a bad place in which to make a living - even as a writer, hack or otherwise.

Pressing business!!

The street buzz is that a major label wants to get back into the pressing business and they've made an offer to buy a successful manufacturing operation but the offer was turned down. In another pressing matter there's apparently more than a few actions against a pressing plant, which will become common news shortly.

Ask the experts??

Peter Goddard's (Toronto Star) World's Worst Song Contest had the help of success-

ful music prophets (which is questionable), Bob Segarini, Q107's Bob Mackowycz and CITY-TV's Jeanne Beker. Paul Anka's You're Having My Baby came off as the No. 10 worst song. A millionaire, several times over, Anka probably isn't too worried. He's just sold off some of his songs to the television commercial people including Put Your Head On My Shoulder, to be used as a dandruff shampoo commercial. His Puppy Love song might be heard as a food commercial and You're Having My Baby, is apparently being considered by a diaper concern.

Tollington to Chrysalis!!

Nothing official at press time but I have been told that Dave Tollington has left his publicity job at WEA to become label chief for Chrysalis in Canada. Nice to see a former RPM member making his way in the industry.

Bee Gees & Schilling will be big!!

New from Europe is the Peter Schilling single, Major Tom (Come Home) on the WEA label and it's gonna be a giant. The English translation for this German release was done by David Lodge, a Toronto-based writer recently signed to Peer-Southern. The Bee Gees are trying again and they could do it with their new single, Someone Belonging To Someone and watch Agnetha Faltskog crash into chart prominence with her Polydor single Can't Shake Loose. On the album front Bette Midler should lead the pack with her No Frills release, and watch Graham Parker bring the customers in for his Real Macaw release.

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New Saga LP ready

The Maze label is readying Saga's new album, Head or Tales. The Toronto group's LP was produced by Rupert Hine, also producer of their previous album, Worlds Apart, and was recorded at Hine's Farm Yard Studios in London, England. An interview disc is also in the works. The group will be setting out on their world tour Sept 29, beginning in East Berlin. U.S. dates commence Nov 10. Don't expect Canadian dates until March or April of next year.

New Teenage Heads single

MCA Records has released a second single from Teenage Heads' latest album Tornado titled Blood Boogie. Although the LP was produced by Toronto guitarist/producer David Bendeth, the single has been re-mixed and re-edited by Dan Lanois a producer/ engineer of note. The 7" single has been shipped in a colourful picture sleeve. Also released is an AOR 12" version. The band is currently playing U.S. dates in support of the album, their first American release.

AC/DC gets new drummer

Simon Wright, a 20-year-old Manchester, England native, is AC/DC's new drummer. Wright replaces their original drummer Phil Rudd who left earlier in the year and who can also be heard on all tracks on the metal group's latest album Flick Of The Switch. Wright will be making his live debut with the band on AC/DC's forthcoming North American tour. No Canadian dates as of yet.

Tyler album surpasses platinum

Bonnie Tyler's latest album Faster Than Speed Of Night has surpassed the platinum level boosted by the hit single Total Eclipse Of The Heart. The single went #1 across the board and has surpassed the gold mark. CBS has followed up the song with the new single Have You Ever Seen The Rain, a cover of the old Creedance Clearwater Revival classic. The vocalist recently completed a promotional tour of the U.S, and is expected to appear on the Solid Gold TVer.

Major push on Kenny Rogers

RCA have launched a national push on their debut album for Kenny Rogers, Eyes That See In The Dark. The LP was rush released, shipping well over gold, in time for the only Canadian date on his present tour, which took place at the Toronto's CNE Grandstand. Islands In The Stream a duet with Dolly Parton, has been taken as the first single.

Tibet wins CFNY's talent search

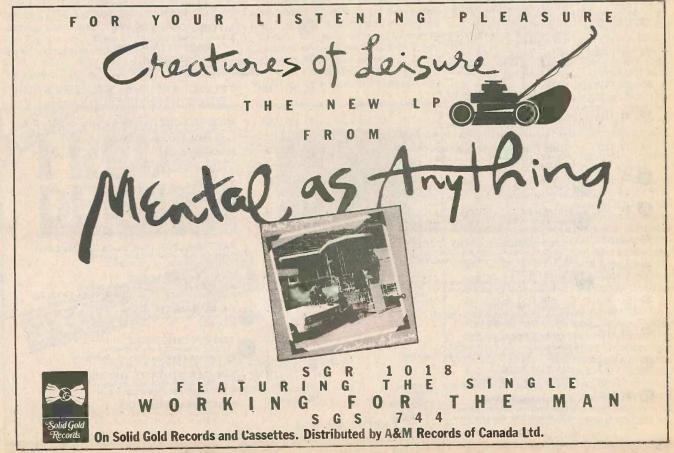
Brampton, Ontario station CFNY-FM reports that Tibet came up the winner of their third Annual Great Ontario Talent Search. During the six months the contest was in progress, over 100 bands were heard by listeners. A winner was voted on each night to meet a new challenger the next night. Tibet win a Staccato drum kit form Toronto Percussion Centre, a Thursday Night Live Broadcast from Carlsberg at the El Mocambo with gate receipts from the concert presented by CFNY, recording time at an exclusive studio, a Yamaha hand-crafted L5A and Fender Bullet Guitar from Ring Music, a complete band portfolio courtesy of the Beast, a Lado bass guitar and case and Yamaha keyboard and case from Multi Music, and lastly Clysdale cases from Clysdale Custom Cases.

MCA release, new Wrabit album

MCA has just released the new album from local rockers Wrabit titled West Side Kid produced by Toronto guitarist/producer David Bendeth, who has also worked with Teenage Heads. The LP, mixed and recorded at Metalworks Studios, is being made available at a special suggested list of \$7.98. Say Lady Say is being released as the single. MCA is expected to launch a national push on the third LP from the group. Wrabit comprises lead vocalist Lou Nadeau, guitarist John Albani, bassist Chris Brockway, drummer Gary Craig, keyboardist Lou Pomanti, and background vocalist John Rutledge.

George Martin on CBC Radio

George Martin, the producer of almost all of the Beatle's records, is being featured on a CBC Radio series titled Through The Ears Of George Martin, produced by Bruce Steele of Soundings Steele Inc. On the final episode of the series for Sept. 25, Martin performs an impromptu concert on piano and also discusses his relationship with his long-time engineer Geoff Emerick, who got his big break at the age of 19 as an apprentice engineer when he engineered what may be the Beatles' greatest album - Sergeant Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band, Martin was often considered the fifth Beatle because of his major contributions to their music. He was reported to have played piano on some of their recordings.



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1.	1	(13)	SWEET DREAMS (Are Made Of This) Eurythmics - RCA PB-68031-N (LP) Sweet Dreams - AFL1-4681-N	26	30	(7)	7) PROMISES PROMISES Naked Eyes - EMI America 8170-F (LP) Naked Eyes - ST-17089-F
2	3	(11); ,	MANIAC Michael Sembello - Casablanca - NBS-2367-Q (LP) Soundtrack/Flashdance - NDLP-7278-Q	27	17.	(17)	7) COME DANCING Kinks - Arista AS-1054-Q (LP) State Of Confusion - AL-88018-Q
3	2	(15)	TOTAL ECLIPSE OF THE HEART Bonnie Tyler - Columbia C4-8544-H (LP) Faster Than The Speed Of Night - PCC-90683-H	28	31	(5)	5) TELL HER NO Juice Newton-Capitol 5265-F (LP) Dirty Looks ST-12294-F
0	6	(14)	SHE WORKS HARD FOR THE MONEY Donna Summer - Mercury MS-76200-Q (LP) She Works Hard For The Money	29	22	(16)	HOT CIDLE IN LOVE
5	4	(17)		EVERY BREATH YOU TAKE Police A&M - AM-2542-W (LP) Synchronicity - SP-3735-W	30	26	(13)	BABY JANE Rod Stewart - Warner Bros 92 96087-P (LP) Body Wishes - 92 38771-P
6	8	(11)		ROCK 'N' ROLL IS KING Electric Light Orchestra - Jet - 254 3964-H (LP) Secret Messages - QC-38490-H	3]	37	(4)	I DON'T WANNA DANCE Eddy Grant - Portrait - 37 04039-H (LP) Killer On The Rampage - FR-38544-H
7	5	(17)		OUR HOUSE Madness - Geffen 92 96687-P (LP) Madness - XGHS-4003-P	32	39	(3)) ONE THING LEADS TO ANOTHER Fixx - MCA - 52264-J (LP) Reach The Beach - MCA-39001-J
	14			I'LL TUMBLE 4 YA Culture Club - Virgin VS-1169-Q (LP) Kissing To Be Clever - VL-2248-Q	33	36	(7)) THIS TIME Bryan Adams - A&M AM-619-W (LP) Cuts Like A Knife - SP-4919-W
10	16			(She's) SEXY AND 17 Stray Cats - EMI America 8168-F (LP) Rant 'N Rave With The Stray Cats - SO-17102-F	34	38	(6)) THROUGH THE YEARS Tim Finn - A&M AM-681-W (LP) Escapade - SP-4972-W
10	12			DON'T CRY Asia - Geffen 92 95717-P (LP) Alpha - XGHS-4008-P	35	44	(<u>3)</u>) TRUE Spandau Ballet-Chrysalis 2720-F (LP) True CHR-1403-F
11		(15)		NEVER GONNA LET YOU GO Sergio Mendes - A&M AM-2540-W (LP) Sergio Mendes - SP-4937-W	36	32	(10)) ROCK OF AGES Def Leppard - Mercury FW-2326-Q (LP) Pyromania - BOG1-3319-Q
13	20	(7)		TELL HER ABOUT IT Billy Joel - Columbia 38 04012-H (LP) An Innocent Man - QC-38837-H	37	40	(4)) KISS THE BRIDE Elton John - Geffen - 92 95687-P (LP) Too Low For Zero - XGH5-4006-P
14	9	(16)		LAWYERS IN LOVE Jackson Browne - Asylum 96 98267-P (LP) Lawyers In Love - 96 2681-P	38	45	(2)	SITTING AT THE WHEEL Moody Blues-Threshold TRS-604-Q (LP) The Present TRLS-1-2902-Q
15		(11)		CHINA GIRL David Bowie - EMI America 8165-F (LP) Let's Dance - SO-17093-F 1999	39	41	(4)	CELEBRATION Headpins - Solid Gold - SGS-741-W (LP) Line Of Fire - SGR-1017-W
16		(18)		Prince - Warner Bros - 92 98967-P (LP) 1999 - 92 37201-P	40	42	(3)	TELEFONE (Long Distance Love Affair) Sheena Easton - EMI America 8172-F (LP) Best Kept Secret - EMIA-17101-F
17		(15)		ELECTRIC AVENUE Eddy Grant - Portrait 37 03793-H (LP) Killer On The Rampage - BFR-38554-H	41	46	(2)	MAKING LOVE (Out Of Nothing At All) Air Supply-Big Time BTSC-113-Q (LP) Greatest Hits BTLC-1005-Q
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20		(22)	61	NEVER SAID I LOVED YOU Payolas with Carole Pope - A&M AM-623-W (LP) Hammer On A Drum - SP-4958-W	44	New		Kenny Rogers & Dolly Parton - RCA PB-13615-N (LP) Eyes That See In The Dark - AFL1-4697-N
21		(10);		FLASHDANCE WHAT A FEELING Irene Cara - Casablanca - NBS-2366-Q (LP) Soundtrack/Flashdance - NDLP-7278-Q VIDEO KIDS	45		(2)	Tears For Fears-Vertigo SOV-2328-Q (LP) The Hurting VOG-1-3323-Q
22		(7)		VIDEO KIDS Prototype - Mercury/PolyGram MS-76203-Q (LP) Prototype - SMM1-4080-Q	46	New		Agnetha Faltskog - Polydor PDS-2229-Q (LP) Wrap Your Arms Around Me - PDS-1-6377-Q
23		(12)		HUMAN NATURE Michael Jackson - Epic 34 04026-H (LP) Thriller - QE-38112-H	47	47	(4)	OK BLUE JAYS Bat Boys - Kosenic/Lenz BJ-01-W (LP) N/A
24	35	(5)	. ;	TAKE ME TO HEART Quarterflash - Geffen 92 96037-P ILP) Take Another Picture - XGHS-4011-P	48	New		TWENTY QUESTIONS TICTOC - Dallcorte - DCS-0107-N (LP) Where The Picnic Was - DLP-0704-N
25	34	(6)	F (KING OF PAIN Police - A&M AM-2569-W LP) Synchronicity - SP-3735-W	49	50	(2)	EVERYDAY I WRITE THE BOOK Elvis Costello-Columbia 38-04045-H (LP) Punch The Clock FC-38897-H
				FAR FROM OVER Frank Stallone - RSO RSS-1071-Q LP) Soundtrack/Staying Alive RXS-1-3102-Q	50	New	(1)	WHAT AM I GONNA DO Rod Stewart - Warner Bros - 92 95647-P (LP) Body Wishes - 92 38771-P

Five new albums added to CBC SM5000 series

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Toronto: CBC Enterprises, the largest manufacturer and distributor of Canadian classical recordings, has announced the release of five new albums in its SM5000 series. The series was first introduced in November of 1982 with the release of six



albums that have chalked up impressive sales.

Allen Shechtman, Record Manager for CBC Enterprises, explains that the SM5000 series "is designed to provide Canadian orchestras with access to the international market and to make first-quality, classical recordings available on the mass-market level."

A U.S. distribution deal has been set with Intersound of Minneappolis through which product is already available. Shechtman, who was touting the SM5000 series at MIDEM, has had good response from the European market but distribution has not yet been finalized.

The five new albums, like the previous six releases, were recorded in studio sessions over the past two years and are mastered digitally at half-speed from high quality analogue tapes. The new albums are Stravinsky: Concerto in E Flat (Dumbarton Oaks). Concertino Bartok: Three Village Scenes. Contrasts by the Canadian Chamber Ensemble with Raffi Armenian conducting; Geminiani: The Enchanted Forest. Vivaldi: Concerto in D Major for Two Violins by the CBC Vancouver Orchestra, John Eliot Gardiner conducting; Stravinsky: The Rite of Spring by the Toronto Symphony Orchestra with Andrew Davis conducting; Grieg: Piano Concerto in A Minor. Sibelius: Karelia Suite by the Vancouver Symphony Orchestra, Kazuyoshi Akiyama conducting and with soloist Andre



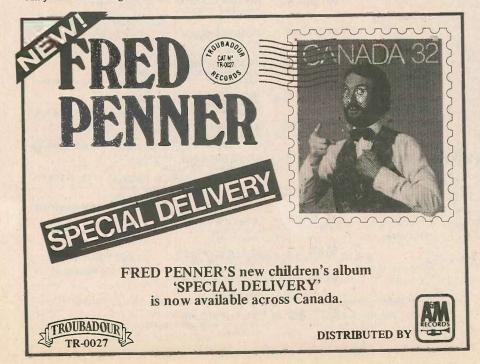
Laplante. Italian Operatic Overtures: Rossini

Zedda. Rossini/Corghi. Verdi. Donizetti. Wolf-Ferrari. Bellini by the National Arts

Centre Orchestra with Franco Mannino con-

Anton Kwiatkowski, Producer, SM5000 Series.

The big plus for the CBC classical series was the commissioning of Anton Kwiatkowski to upgrade recording standards for the Corporation's broadcast recordings project. He joined the CBC in 1977 at age 29 after eight years with EMI in London where he distinguished himself as an outstanding producer/engineer. Just prior to joining the CBC he won first prize for records that he had produced and engineered in two of sixteen categories for classical records in the Music Trades Association Awards, which is the British equivalent of the Grammy's. He



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Conductors for CBC Enterprises SM5000 Series (clockwise from upper right) Franco Mannino, National Arts Centre Orchestra; Kazuyoshi Akiyama, conducting the Vancouver and Toronto Symphony Orchestras; John Eliot Gardiner, CBC Vancouver Orchestra; Andrew Davis, Toronto Symphony Orchestra; and Raffi Armenian, Canadian Chamber Ensemble.

has produced more than one hundred records, winning gold and silver discs for several of these productions. As well, his work consistently appears in Gramaphone Magazines' Annual Critics' Choice, which is a listing of the year's best recordings.

It didn't take too long after his arrival in Canada for his talents to be recognized. His first release, the Vancouver Symphony's recording of Pines Of Rome and Roman Festivals by Respighí, was honoured in 1979 by the Canadian Music Council's Grand Prix du Disque.

The SM5000 series has met with exceptional critical acclaim, a welcome change for the Corporation that over the years has produced more than 400 classical albums, the majority of which were shot down by the critics. New recording technology, the use of digital mastering techniques with the Sony PCM unit and half-speed mastering has given the CBC an obvious edge over their previous productions, and of course, the aggressive high-tech approach of producer Kwiatkowsky.

Another major factor in the success of the SM5000 series is the pressing, using virgin vinyl and a very closely monitored quality control. The cassette configurations are exceptional and far outdistance the discs in dynamic range. The cassettes are low-noise, high output ferric-oxide or chromium dioxide, and have been favourably compared to Deutsche Grammophon's Cr02 product. Like the albums, the cassettes are attractively packaged, printed with bright gold type on black glossy stock and complete with no puff, well-written liner notes.

The eleven releases comprises performances by the National Arts Centre Orchestra, two conducted by Mario Bernardi and one by Franco Mannino; two by the Vancouver Symphony Orchestra with Kazuyoshi Akiyama conducting; two by the Canadian Chamber Ensemble with Raffi Armenian conducting; one by the CBC Vancouver Orchestra with John Eliot Gardiner conducting; and three by the Toronto Symphony Orchestra, one by resident conductor Andrew Davis, and one each by Kazuyoshi Akiyama and James de Preist.

With the popularity of the SM5000 on a roll, CBC's Allen Schectman, is now looking into future releases on the new Compact Disc system. The lineup however, is rather long for this popular new adventure in sound, and Schectman doesn't expect to see CD SM5000 releases for at least another fifteen months.

Western distribution for CBC Enterprises is handled by D.J.'s Service of Calgary while Alun Reid looks after Central Canada and the Maritimes. 2

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CANADA'S ONLY NATIONAL 100 ALBUMS SURVEY Compiled from record retailer, racker, radio station and record company reports

	M	LW	Wks			September	r 17,	1983	3.			
	1	1	(22)		DAVID BOWIE Let's Dance (EMI America) SO-17093-F	4XT-17093-F	26	20	(11)	1)	ELECTRIC LIGHT ORCHESTRA Secret Messages (Jet) QZ-38490-H	QZT-38490-H
	2	2	(14)		POLICE Synchronicity (A&M) SP-3735-W	CS-3735-W	27	22	(20)))	TACO After Eight (RCA) PL-28520-N	PK-28520-N
	3	3	(38)		MICHAEL JACKSON Thriller (Epic) QE-38112-H	QET-38112-H	28	26	(24)	1)	BILLY IDOL Billy Idol (Chrysalis) CHS-41377-J	CHSC-41377-J
	4	4	(31)		DEF LEPPARD Pyromania (Vertigo) VOG-1-3319-Q	VOG4-1-3319-Q	23	34	(6)	5)	ELVIS COSTELLO & THE ATTRA Punch The Clock (Columbia) FC-38897-H	ACTIONS
(5	7	(20)		SOUNDTRACK Flashdance (Casablanca) NBLP-7278-Q	NBL5-7278-Q	30	30	(33)		BRYAN ADAMS Cuts Like A Knife (A&M) SP-4919-W	CS-4919-W
	6	6	(9)		ROBERT PLANT Principle Of Moments (Atlantic) 79 01011-P	79 01014-P	31	27	(16)	5)'	KINKS State Of Confusion (Arista) AL 8-8018-Q	AC 8-8018-Q
	7	9	(18)		BONNIE TYLER Faster Than The Speed Of Night PCC-90683-H	(Columbia) PCCT-90683-H	32	28	(29)),	PRINCE *1999* (Warner Bros) 92 37201-P	92 37204-P
	8	8	(14)		TALKING HEADS Speaking In Tongues (Sire) 92 38831-P	92 38834-P	33	31	(9)	(MA)	CONEY HATCH Outa Hand (Anthem) ANR-1-1041-F	4AN-1-1041-F
	9	11	(12)		EURYTHMICS Sweet Dreams (RCA) AFL1-4681-N	AFK1-4681-N	34	41	(8)		PARACHUTE CLUB Parachute Club (Current) WAVE-2-N	WIND-2-N
	10	12	(5)		ASIA Alpha (Geffen) XGHS-4008-P	XM5-4008-P	35	33	(15)		DURAN DURAN Duran Duran (Harvest) ST-12158-F	4XT-12158-F
	D		(17)		FIXX Reach The Beach (MCA) MCA-39001-J	MCAC-39001-J	36	40	(6)		YAZ You And Me Both (Sire) 92 39031-P	92 39034-P
	12		(18)		EDDY GRANT Killer On The Rampage (Portrait) FR-38554-H	FRT-38554-H	37	70	(3)		STRAY CATS Rant 'N Rave With The Stray Cats (EMI EMIA-17102-F	America) 4XO-' 7102-F
	13	10	(9)		SOUNDTRACK Staying Alive (RSO) RXS-1-3102-Q	RX54-1-3102-Q	38	71	(2)		MOODY BLUES The Present (Threshold) TRLS-1-2902-Q TRLS4-1-2902-Q	
	14	1	(13)		LOVERBOY Keep It Up (Columbia) QC-38073	QCT-38703-H	39	49	(4)	011/	HEADPINS Line Of Fire (Solid Gold) SGR-1017-W	SGC-1017-W
	15		(22)		TEARS FOR FEARS The Hurting (Virgin) VOG-1-3323-Q	VOG-4-3323-Q	40	39	(14)		HUMAN LEAGUE Fascination (VirgIn) VEP-319-Q	VEP4-319-Q
	16	18	(7)	PL	TORONTO Girls Night Out (Solid Gold) SGR-1016-W	SGC-1016-W	41	38	(31)		DURAN DURAN Rio (Harvest) ST-12211-F	4XT-12211-F
	17	17			MEN AT WORK Cargo (Columbia) QC-38660-H	QCT-38660-H	42	59	(3)		KENNY ROGERS Eyes That See In The Dark (RCA) AFL1-4697-F	AFK1-4697-N
		32	(4)		AC/DC Flick Of The Switch (Atlantic) 78-1001-P	78-1004-P	43	37	(17)		IRON MAIDEN Piece Of Mind (Harvest) ST-12274-F	4XT-1227 <mark>4-</mark> F
	19	21	(6)		BILLY JOEL An Innocent Man (Columbia) QC-38837-H	QCT-38837-H	44	55	(4)		AIR SUPPLY Greatest Hits ·(Big Time) BTLC-1005-Q	BTLC4-1005-Q
	20	23	(8)		STEVIE RAY VAUGHAN & Texas Flood (Epic) FE-38734-H	DOUBLE TROUBLE FET-38734-H	45		(8)	PL	BOYS BRIGADE Boys Brigade (Anthem) ANR-1-1040-F	4AN-1-1040-F
	21	25	(13)		STEVIE NICKS The Wild Heart (Modern Records) 79 00841-P	79 00844-P			'(49)		OLIVIA NEWTÓN-JOHN Olivia's Greatest Hits Vol. 2 (MCA) MCA-5347-J	MCAC-5347-J
	22	25			NEIL YOUNG Everybody's Rockin' (Geffen) XGHS-4013-P	ХМ5-4013-Р		43			A FLOCK OF SEAGULLS Listen (Jive) JV-6606-M	JV4-6606-M
		19	(9)		DONNA SUMMER She Works Hard For The Money SRM-1-4071-Q	(Mercury) MCR4-1-4071-Q	iture .		(13)		PETER GABRIEL Plays Live (Geffen) 2GHS-4012-P	2 <mark>G5-4</mark> 012-P
	25	29			ROD STEWART Body Wishes (Warner Bros) 92 38771-P	92 38774-P		36			U2 War (Island) 79 671-P	79 674-P
		23	(6)		JACKSON BROWNE Lawyers in Love (Asylum) 96 2681-P	96 2684-P	50	50	(35)		CULTURE CLUB Kissing To Be Clever (Virgin) VL-2248-Q VL4-2248	-Q

51	4	.4	(29)	STYX Kilroy Was Her SP-3734-W	re (A&M)	CS-3734-W	76	69	(22)	1	NAKED EYES Naked Eyes (Capitol) 57-17089-F	4XT-17089-F
52	5	2	(28)	ALABAMA The Closer You AHL1-4663-N	u Get (RCA)	AHK1-4663-N	0	91	(2)	-	SPANDAU BALLET True (Chrysalis) CHR-1403-F CCH-1403-F	
53	5	14	(20)	MADNESS Madness (Geffe XGHS-4003-P		ХМ5-4003-Р	78	78	(21)		RICK SPRINGFIELD Living In Oz (RCA) AFL1-4660-N	AFK1-4660-N
54	5	3	.(7)	DAVID BOW Golden Years AFL1-4792-N	/IE (RCA)	AFK1-4792-N	79	74	(21)	ļ	KROKUS Headhunter (Arista)	ATC-9623-Q
55	4	8	(10)		& THE BLACKHEAR		80	93	(2)		SMURFS Party Time (Polystar) PTV-1031-Q PTV4-1031-Q	
56	4	5	(74)	MEN AT WO Business As Use PCC-90667-H		РССТ-90667-Н	81	75	(12)		RICKIE LEE JONES Girl At Her Volcano (Warner Bros) 92 38051-P	92 38054-P
5	6	5	(4)	SOUNDTRA	Bob & Doug McKenzie/St	range Brew (Anthem) 4AN-1042-F	82	82	(11)		QUARTERFLASH Take Another Picture (Geffen) XGHS-4011-P	хм5-4011-Р
58	4	2	(15)	ELTON JOH Too Low For Z XGHS-4006-P	Zero (Geffen)	Х <mark>М5-4006-Р</mark>	83	76	(22)		TUBES Outside Inside (Capitol) ST-12260-F	4XT-12260-F
59	6	54	(8)	DIANA ROS Ross (RCA) AFL1-4677-N	S	AFK1-4677-N	84	79	(16)	1	P ETER TOSH Mama Africa (EMI America) SO ¹ 17095-F	4XO-17095-F
60	5	57	(23)	Z Z TOP Eliminator (Wa 92 37741-P	arner Bros)	92 37744-P	85	81	(16)	(PNA).	TEENAGE HEADS Tornado (MCA) MCA-36001-J	MCAC-36001-J
61	5	58	(7)	GORDON LI Salute (Warner 92-39011-P		92 39014-P	86	95	(2)		NANA MOUSKOURI When I Dream (Polystar) PTV-1027-Q PTV4-1027-Q	Y
62	6	53	(15)	QUIET RIOT Metal Health (FZ-38443-H		FZT-38443-H		84			JON & VANGELIS Private Collection (Polydor) PDS-1-6373-Q	PDS4-1-6373-Q
63	6	66	(5)	MA DAVID WILC My Eyes Keep ST-6503-F	COX Me In Trouble (Capitol)	4XT-6503-F			(18)			T-12269-F
64	5	51	(46)	DARYL HAI H2O (RCA) AFL1-4383-N	LL & JOHN OATES	AFK1-4383-N			(13)		BOB MARLEY & THE WAILERS Confrontation (Island) 79 00851-P	79 00854-P
65	5	56	(25)	LOUISE TUO Midnight Blue AL-9618-Q	(Arista)	ATC-9618-Q			(17)		KAJAGOOGOO White Feathers (EMI America) ST-17094-F	4XT-17094-F
66	6	51	(29)	STAT-10-P	outh (Sire/Statik)	STAC-10-P			(14)		GEORGE BENSON In Your Eyes (Warner Bros) 92 37441-P	92 37444-P
67	6	52	(13)	MIKE OLDF Crises (Virgin) VL-2262-Q		VL4-2262-Q		97			ROYAL PHILHARMONIC ORCHE Hooked On Classics III (RCA) AFLI-4588-N	STRA AFK1-4588-N
68		57	(13)	BLUE PETE Falling (Ready LR-034-M	R)	LR4-034-M	93		(2) N (1)		BIG COUNTRY The Crossing (Vertigo) VOG-1-3325-Q VOG4-1-3325-Q	
69		30	(2)	Hammer On A SP-4958-W			95	98			RICK JAMES Cold Blooded (Gordy) G-6043-M	G4-6043-M
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71			(14)	SYLVIA Snapshot (RCA AHL1-4672-N		AHK1-4672-N		94			BETTE MIDLER No Frills (Atlantic) 78 007001-P	78 00704-P
12			(7)	PROTOTYPI Prototype (Me SRM-1-4080-G	ercury)	MCR4-1-4080-Q			w (1)		DOOBLE BROTHERS Fareweil Tour (Warner Bros) 92 37721-P	92 37724-P
13		86	(2)	JUICE NEW Dirty Looks (C ST-12294-F	Capitol) 4XT-12294-F				(14)		ALTERED IMAGES Bite (Portrait) PEC-90689-H	РЕСТ-90689-Н
74			(45)	LIONEL RIC Lionel Richie (M6007-M	(Motown)	M46007-M			(15)		NEW ORDER Power Corruption & Lies (Factory) FACD-11-Q	FACD4-11-Q
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Wuups, slipped again!

Helen Lenthall of CKBY-FM sent us a note back in July advising that "we will try again to submit our report to RPM," along with their chart listings, and that's the last we've heard.

MRB to Hogtown

Ed Molyski and Jess Lee of Vancouver's favourite country sons, the Midnite Rodeo Band, are currently in Toronto finishing up their new album, tentively titled Honky Tonk Hot. While in Toronto they will be re-signing with RCA, which is only natural being that they are currently looking good with their single, Cowboy From the '40s. Manager Richard Watt has completed fall dates for the group which will include Vancouver Island dates this year. Johnny Paycheck, who was playing the Newton Inn recently, chanced to hear MRB's material and apparently was so impressed he may include a couple of their songs on his next LP.

Country in Canadian Living?

Country music has soared to new heights of recognition. There in the March issue of Canadian Living, which accidentally passed my desk a few days ago, squeezed in between fast delicious microwave recipes and scrumptious chicken stir-fry is a powerful feature titled Canada Loves Country by Wally Hucker. Wally knows his county music and he chased down some of the biggies in Cancon country to come up with a real eyeopener of an article. He talked to Carroll Baker, Harold MacIntyre, Dallas Harms, the Family Brown and a bunch more.

Michael Kosser off on Book Shop

Gilles Godard's Book Shop label scores a coup with the release of a Michael Kosser single, That Somebody. Kosser is well-known in the U.S. country field where he has written material for several name artists including T.G. Sheppard's Daylight, Freddie Hart's Thank God She's Mine, the Family Brown's, It's Really Love This Time, as well as songs for Conway Twitty, Marty Robbins, Charlie Rich and more. He also co-wrote the script produced by Drake Chenault and narrated by Ralph Emery for 1983's release on The History Of Country Music. Book Shop is distributed through their Cornwall, Ontario offices.

Godard to St. Louis

Gilles Godard is recognized as one of the best steelmen in North America and was asked to perform at the Annual International Steel Guitar Convention in St. Louis, Missouri (Aug 30). Nashville's Music Row biggies are interested in Godard's songwriting abilities and he is meeting with several of them the first part of September. A Nashville video firm is also interested in producing a video of Godard, performing one of his songs.

More Cancon from Comstock

Frank Fara has been busy on the Canadian front and adds to his Comstock label, Gale Wahl from Saltcoats, Saskatchewan. Initial single release, The Higher The Fire, was produced by Patty Parker at Nashville's Sound Emporium. There is no indication the record is Cancon, however Frank does note that the flip, Canadian River was penned by Marilyn Cain, but again there is no information as to what the Cancon properties are.

Colly release for Sundown

New from the Sundown gang is their Colly single, Rowina, which was produced by their steelman Al Gain. The other members of this Aurora, Ontario-based group are Jack Pledge, Ken Post, and Terry Chisholm. The label copy doesn't carry a MAPL logo but it does qualify as four-parts Cancon. The single was produced in Toronto and the song was co-written by Al Gain and Jimmy Pecchia.

Tyson and Bird to Albert's Hall

Sylvia Tyson and The Great Speckled Bird take their brand of country to Albert's Hall, (Sept 5-10), a Toronto catch-all type of showplace. The Bird are Randy Kempf (bass), Joan Besen (keyboards), Danny Greenspoon (guitar), Rick Whitelaw (guitar), Al Kates (steel), Lenny Soloman (fiddle), Zeke Mazurek (fiddle) and Bohdan Hluszko (drums). It must cost quite a bundle for a large package like that.

Acclaim's first American act

The Toronto-based Acclaim label has released a Frank Dycus single, Magic On The Mountain, the first American artist to record for the label. Dycus has quite a history of songwriting behind him including Jerry Lee Lewis' He Can't Fill My Shoes, the Porter Wagoner and Dolly Parton duet of Is Foreyer Longer Than Always and George Strait's Unwound, Down And Out and Marina Del Ray. He also wrote material for Ringo Starr, George Jones, Kenny Rogers, Charlie Rich and more.

David Thompson Country

During his recent tour of Western Canada, Diamond recording artist David Thompson came across a sign on a highway in Alberta which read Welcome — David Thompson Country — Tourist Zone. His manager Chuck Williams sent along a photo of David standing under the sign, but it's in colour, which makes reproducing for a black and white newsprint mag like RPM very difficult. We'll try but if it's too dark we'll have to scrap it. If you're sending photos, make sure they're black and white and preferably 3x5 or 8x10.

New single from Perras

Anita Perras, who has become one of the bright new talents of Cancon country music, follows her recent RPM Country 50 chart item (Somebody Said It Was Me) with her new Tailspin single, You Got What You Want. The single, a Tim Taylor original, was produced by Ted Gerow at Altair 4 Studios.





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Country 50 Singles

CANADA'S ONLY NATIONAL COUNTRY SINGLE SURVEY (Albums containing listed singles are shown below)

ΤW	LV	Wks				Sep
1	6	(7)	Willie f	DO I HAVE TO CHOOSE Nelson - Columbia 38 03965-H ougher Than Leather - QC-38248-H	6	29
2	9	(14)	NIGH Charley (LP) N	T GAMES 2 y Pride - RCA PB-13542-N /A	7	19 (
3	5	(11)	John C	NLY IN IT FOR THE LOVE 2 coniee - MCA 52231-J ohn Coniee - MCA-5434-J	8	36
4	.8	(9)	Waylor	XKIN' DOWN 2 n Jennings - RCA PB-13543-N ''s Only Rock & Roll - AHL1-4673-N	9	31
5	3	(9)	Vern G	DOWN DEEP Sosdin - Complete/Quality 108-M 'You're Gonna Do Me Wrong - CPL-1-1004-M	0	43
6	11	(6)	Crystal	Y WHAT ABOUT YOU I Gayle - Warner Bros 92 95827-P rue Love - 96-02001-P	1	,32
7	7	(8)	John A	I' DOWN HILL 3 Anderson - Warner Bros 92 95857-P Vild & Blue 92 37211-P	32	34
8	1	(9)	Ronnie	RE GONNA RUIN MY BAD REPUTATION	33	40
9	2	(14)	George	RE I CAN'T PUT OUT 9 Strait - MCA 52225-J trait From The Heart - MCA-5320-J	34	42
10	12	(6)	Merle I	T AM I GONNA DO Haggard - Epic 34 04006-H soing Where The Lonely Go - FE-38092-H	35	37
11	14	(5)	Ronnie	T YOU KNOW HOW MUCH I LOVE YOU	36	44
12	4	(13)	Johnny	BARTENDER y Lee - Full Moon - 92 96057-P ley Bartender - 92 38894-P	37	39
13	16	(4)	Shelley	HT 309 TO TENNESSEE y West - Viva 92 37751-P Vest By West - 92 23775-P	38	46
14	20	(4)	Waylo	D ON, I'M COMIN' n Jennings & Jerry Reed - RCA PB-13580-N /aylon & Company - AHL1-4826-N	39	Nev
15	10	(6)	Lacy J.	AM BABY (How Long Must I Dream) I. Dalton - Columbia 38 03926-H Iream Baby - FX-38604-H	40	45
16	18	(7)	Delles	LING WITH FIRE Harms - RCA PB-50744-N Jut Of Harms Way - NKL1-0476-N	41	Nev
17	17	(11)	Jessie E	LESS LONELY NIGHT Burns - Churchill CR-94022-J Ine Less Lonely Night - CR-22005-J	42	Nev
18	22	(5)	John D	MONTANA SKIES Denver & Emmylou Harris - RCA PB-13562-N L's About Time - AHL1-4683-N	43	Nev
19	21	(11)	M L olita	LD IT BE LOVE Haverland - Boot BTX-350 elita - BOS-7235	44	Nev
20	13	(15)	LOST		45	47
21	28	(4)	Gene \	ETIME'S I GET LUCKY AND FORGET Watson - MCA 52243-J ometimes I Get Lucky - MCA-5384-J	46	Nev
22	41	(3)	NOBC Don W (LP) N	/illiams - MCA 52245-J	47	48
23	38	(4)		y Brown - RCA PB-13565-H	48	50
24	26	.(7)		e Rodeo Band - RCA PB-50740-N	49	Net
25	15	(13)	The Oa	E SONG ak Ridge Boys - MCA 52224-J American Made - MCA-5390-J	50	Ne

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 26	29	(5)	SCARLETT FEVER Kenny Rogers - Liberty - 1503-F (LP) We've Got Tonight - LO-51143-F
27	19	(14)	TWO BITS WORTH OF HURTIN' Paul Weber - Boot BTX-349 (LP) Two Bits Worth Of Hurtin - BOS-7224
28	36	(4)	RIGHT OR WRONG Carroll Baker - Tembo TS-8303-N (LP) N/A
29	31	(6)	TOO HOT TO SLEEP Louise Mandrell - RCA PB-13567-N (LP) N/A
30	43	(3)	PARADISE TONIGHT Charly McClain & Mickey Gilley - Epic 34 04007-H (LP) Paradise - FE-38584-H
31	32	(4)	ANYBODY ELSE'S HEART BUT MINE Terri Gibbs - MCA 52252-J (LP) Over Easy - MCA-5443-J
32	34	(4)	THE LADY, SHE'S RIGHT Leon Everette - RCA PB-13584-N (LP) Doin' What I Feel - MHL1-8513-N
33	40	(4).	PRESSURES OF PROGRESS Harold MacIntyre - Audiograph - AG-45-472 (LP) Tragic Romancer - AG7797 (Ahed)
34	42	(4)	SOMEBODY'S GONNA LOVE YOU Lee Greenwood - MCA 52257-J (LP) Somebody's Gonna Love You - MCA-5403-J
35	37	(5)	TOO HOT TO SLEEP TONIGHT Carroll Baker & Eddie Eastman - Tembo TRS-002-N (LP) N/A
36	44	(2)	LADY DOWN ON LOVE Alabama - RCA PB-13590-N (LP) The Closer You Get - AHL1-4633-N
37	39	(5)	SUMMER ROSE Wayne Rostad - Stag Creek - SCS-17 (LP) Wayne Rostad Again - SCLP-1112
38	46	(2)	YOU GOT A LOVER Ricky Skaggs - Epic 34 04044-H (LP) N/A
39	Nev	w (1)	NEW LOOKS FROM AN OLD LOVER B.J. Thomas - Cleveland International 38 03895-H (LP) New Looks - FC-38561-H
40	45	(3)	HAPPY EVER AFTER Len Henry - Ameri-Can D11-1006 (LP) N/A
41	New	w (1)	LET'S GET OVER THEM TOGETHER Moe Bandy - Columbia 38 03970-H (LP) N/A
42	Ne	w (1)	YOU PUT THE BEAT IN MY HEART Eddie Rabbitt - Warner Bros 92 95127-P (LP) Greatest Hits Volume II - 92 39251-P
43	Net	w (1)	ISLANDS IN THE STREAM Kenny Rogers & Dolly Parton - RCA PB-13615-N (LP) Eyes That See In The Dark - AFL1-4697-N
44	Ne	w (1)	A LITTLE GOOD NEWS Anne Murray - Capitol 5264-F (LP) A Little Good News - ST-12301-F
45	47	(3)	YOU'RE A FOOL Glory-Anne Carriere - E&R 008 (LP) N/A
46	Ne	w (1)	Gary Fjellgaard - Slim Creek (LP) Time And Innocence
47	48	(3)	LONESOME GUITAR Big Tom and The Travellers - WEA/Denver PRO-888-P (LP) Songs Of Home And Faraway - DNV-12-P
48	50	(2)	PLAY OLD MAN Bobby Lalonde - Book Shop BSR-45-705 (LP) N/A
49		w (1)	BLONDE AND DOWN (From A Rodeo Town) Canadian Zephyr - Artists Alliance AAR-831S (LP) N/A
50	Ne	w (1)	AFTER YOU Dan Seals - Liberty 1504-F (LP) Rebel Heart - LT-51149-F



Attending Eddy Grant's CBS reception at Parkview Squash Club (Toronto) are (I to r) Dave Vosko (Mister Sound), Grant, Robin Ram (Sound Insight), and Greg Malta (Records On Wheels).



Grant takes break from squash game to receive CBS metal from Don Oates (II) Vice Pres Sales/Marketing and Bill Bannon, Dir. Artist Development - gold and platinum for Electric Avenue single and gold for Killer On The Rampage album, now platinum.



Kamahl with producer/engineer Hayward Parrot, checking out recent tracks taped at Manta for his next Attic album.



Capitol Canada re-signs Toronto-based Surrender to worldwide recording contract. Front (| to r) band members Paul Delaney, Alfie Zappacosta and Steve Jenson. Back row (| to r) managers Lou Blair and Bruce Allen, Capitol president Dave Evans and A&R Director Deane Cameron.



WEA Music Canada signs Vancouver's Images in Vogue. Back row (I to r) band members Glen Nelson, Dale Martindale, Joe Vizvary, Kevin Crompton, Gary Smith and Don Gordon. WEA Canada president Stan Kulin and A&R Dir. Bob Roper, seated.



Yvonne Murray and Mgr. Wm. J. Meloche, Pres Meloche Communications (I) at label reception promo'ing Yvonne's new MCG releases to CBC Radio's Anne Hunter and CKFM's Carl Banas.

COAST TO COAST WAYNE WEBSTER CHUM-FM - Toronto SAMPLING

BREAKOUT ALBUMS Bette Midler - No Frills Rick James - Cold Blooded Altered Images - Bite Yello - You Gotta Say Yes

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 Record Peddler - Toronto

 No. 1 King Sunny Ade
 - Synchro System

 2 New Order
 - Power, Corruption & Lies

 3 AC/DC
 - Flick Of The Switch

 4 Taiking Heads
 - Speaking In Tongues

 5 Cure
 - The Walk

 6 Hawaiian Pups
 - Split Second Precission

 7 Tom Tom Club
 - Close To The Bone

 8 Killing Joke
 - Fire Dance

 9 Virgin Prince
 - If I Die, I Die

 10 The Alarm
 BREAKERS

 P.I.L.
 - This Is Not A Love Song

 Gary Numan
 - Warrior

 John Foxx
 - Your Dress

 Record Peddler · Toronto John Foxx ROGER WALKER Sam's Yonge Street - Toronto No. 1 David Bowie 2 Police - S 3 Eurythmics - S 4 Tears For Fears 5 Robert Plant - Principle 6 Talking Heads - Speaking - Let's Dance - Let's Dance - Synchronicity - Sweet Dreams - The Hurting - Principle Of Moments - Speaking In Tongues - Pyromania - Reach The Beach 567 Def Leppard Fixx 9 Asia 10 Stray Cats BREAKERS - Alpha - Rant 'N Rave Moody Blues AC/DC - The Present - Flick Of The Switch EDDY VALIQUETTE CFNY-FM - Toronto HEAVY ROTATION - Hammer On A Drum - The Crossing Pavolas Big Country Parachute Club Boys Brigade Yello Yaz - You Gotta Say Yes - You And Me Both - Speaking In Tongues - We Got The Jazz Talking Heads Freeze Freeze Graham Parker ADDS Peter Schilling Annabel Lamb Willie English Jo Boxers Third World Style Councll - The Real Macaw - Major Tom (45) - Riders On The Storm - Careful Baby - Johnny Friendly - Love Is Out To Get You - A Paris HUN ABERCROMBIE Wheels - Toronto No. 1 Police Synchronicity 2 Michael Jackson 3 David Bowie 4 Def Leppard 5 Stray Cats 6 AC/DC - Flict 7 Kenny Rogers **RON ABERCROMBIE** - Thriller - Let's Dance - Let's Dance - Pyromania - Rant 'N Rave - Flick Of The Switch - Eyes That See - Killer On The Rampage - Hammer On A Drum - Line Of Fire 6 AC/DC 7 Kenny Rogers 8 Eddy Grant 9 Payolas 10 Headpins BREAKERS Stray Cats Moody Blues - Rant 'N Rave - The Present BRENDA MARTIN Cheapies - Toronto No. 1 Police 2 David Bowie 3 Michael Jackson 4 Def Leppard 5 Eurythmics 6 Asia 7 Fixx 8 Flashdance 9 Moody Blues - Synchronicity - Let's Dance - Thriller - Pyromania - Sweet Dreams - Alpha - Reach The Beach - Irene Cara - The Present 89 9 Moody Blues 10 Elvis Costello BREAKERS - Punch The Clock

- Confusion

- Hold It

New Order Tin Tin

CHUM-FM - Toronto No. 1 Police - Synchronicity 9-11 Eurythmics - Sweet Dreams 9-19 AC/DC - Flick Of The Switch 13-15 Elvis Costello - Punch The Clock 16-22 Neil Young - Everybody's Rockin 19-24 Stray Cats - Rant 'N Rave 22-25 Stevie Ray Vaughan - Texas Flood 27-25 Moody Blues - The Present 28 Payolas - Hammer On A Drum 9 Headpins - Line Of Fire 30 Yaz - You And Me Both SANDY CHRYK Music World Fairview - Toronto No. 1 Michael Jackson 2 Soundtrack 3 Police 4 Asia 5 Bonnie Tyler - Fa - Thriller - Flashdance 4 Asia - Flashdance - Flashdance - Synchronicity - Alpha 5 Bonnie Tyler - Faster Than Night 6 Stevie Ray Vaughan - Texas Flood 7 David Bowle - Let's Dance 8 Soundtrack - Staying Alive 9 Eddy Grant - Killer On The Rampage 10 Robert Plant - Principle Of Moments BREAKERS Juice Newton Moody Blues

BREAKOUT SINGLES Can't Shake Loose - Agnetha Faltskog Islands In The Stream - Rogers/Parton 20 Questions - TicToc Queen Of The Broken Hearts - Loverboy

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 Saturn Distributing - Toronto

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STEVE BOLTON Q-93 - St. John's No. 1 Every Breath You Take 4-6 Girls Night Out 9-11 Total Eclipse 16-22 Don't Wanna Dance 16-22 Don't Cry 24-331 Maniac 24-32 King Of Pain 37 Big Log 9 Tell Her About It **RICK SHANNON**

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7-8 Sexy + 17	- Stray Cats
9-11 Tell Her About It	- Billy Joel
	 Jackson Browne
13-14 Rock 'N Roll Is King	
14-18 Fascination	- Human League
16-20 I'll Tumble 4 Ya	- Culture Club
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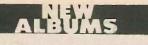
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Finest Dancer - Gary Fjellgaard

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SUSAN COGAN One - Scone WRC1-2797

A seasoned player in the performing game but new to the recording field, Susan Cogan's self-produced package of pop pleasantries has an abundance of poetic charm and wocal magic that should bring her into national prominence. She has given the album a boost by mounting a hectic promo/ concert tour which took her across Canada and into the U.S. this summer. The listening is easy as Cogan gently moves into soft rock, pop with jazz overtones and friendly, highly message-prone folk, Clipped and soaring vocal energies illustrate Cogan's lyrical control and a confidence of more than a decade performing before the critical types of audiences she met in coffee houses and honky-tonks. Cogan has also gathered an Impressive lineup of session people including keyboardist/guitarist David Morrow (Rough Trade), Clive Parks on keyboards (synthesizers) and guitars; and acoustic guitarists Chad Irschick, John Jackson, Danny Greenspoon, Jack Grunsky and Cogan herself. A couple of the more impressive tracks are Your Lovin' Eyes with superb sax and trumpet inserts by Don Peacock Eyes, featuring harpist Jeanette Pass Goldhar and Parks on synthesizer. A single, The Moon At Sunset Bay with In Favour Of The Sensitive Man on the flip, has been taken from the album, Produced at Toronto's Inception Sound. Distributed through Cogan's Scone Records, Box 2, Fullford Harbour, B.C. V0S 1C0.



FRANCE JOLI Attitude - Epic FE-38829-H

Montrealer France Joll first became a familiar name on the charts when, at 16, she reached into the Top 15 of the U.S. trade charts with her debut single, Come To Me. That was in 1979 and she continued her chart presence over the years with Feel Like

Dancing and Hard To Break The Heart in 1981 and a very popular dance entry of Got To Get Over You in 1982. Now signed to Epic and with Glorgio Moroder, whose disco and dance music ratio of success goes without saying, as executive producer, this Pete Bellotte production should ease onto the charts with little effort. Girl in The '80s has been taken as a single, an excellent promotion vehicle at both the radio and dance club levels. Joll tries her hand at writing, co-penning Dumb Blonde with Daniel Vail, a cut that takes her vocal magic into another dimension. Also notable is the Holland/Dozier/Holland penning of Standing In The Shadows Of Love which features Merald "Bubba" Knight, William Guest and Edward Patten of The PIps on background vocals. Synthesizers, of course, play a major part in this production and they were effectively programmed by Phil Shenale.

DAN HILL Love In The Shadows

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Mercury - SRM-1-4081-Q

Dan Hill has returned and as the PolyGram Foregrounder points out, "The past two years have been a time of evolution, of change of direction, and of serious reassessment of his career." His hlatus from the industry was obviously well spent. Perhaps every songwriter/performer of note should

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1	2	(8)	HOW AM I SUPPOSED TO LIVE WITHOUT YOU Laura Branigan - Atlantic 78 98057-P (LP) Branigan II - 78 00521-P	16	19	(8)		ONE LESS LONELY NIGHT Jessie Burns - Churchill CR-94022-J (LP) One Less Lonely Night - CR-22005-J
2	6	(5)	HUMAN NATURE Michael Jackson - Epic 34 04026-H (LP) Thriller - QE-38112-H	17	11 (10)		COME DANCING The Kinks - Arista AS-1054-Q (LP) State Of Confusion - AL-88018-Q
3	5	(7)	SINGIN' IN THE RAIN Taco - RCA PB-50737-N (LP) After Eight - PL-28520-N	18	23	(3)	P	COULD IT BE LOVE Kelita Haverland - Boot BTX-350 (LP) Kelita - BOS-7235
4	9	(6)	FAR FROM OVER Frank Stallone - RSO RSS-1071-Q (LP) Soundtrack/Staying Alive - RXS-1-3102-Q	19	25	(4)		WE REALLY GOT A HOLD ON LOVE Family Brown - RCA PB-13565-H (LP) N/A
5	1	(7)	STAND BY Roman Holliday - Jive JIVE-31-M (LP) Jive - EPJV-2-M	20	18	(10)		WORDS F-R David - Carrere - PDS-2214-Q (LP) Words
6	8	(4)	LADY LOVE ME (One More Time) George Benson - Warner Bros 92 95637-P (LP) In Your Eyes - 92 37441-P	21	21	(5)		AFTER THE FALL Journey - Columbia 38 04004-H (LP) Frontiers - QC-38504-H
7	3	(10)	THE BORDER America - Capitol 5236-F (LP) Your Move - ST-12277-F	22	22	(9)	MA	HOLD ME 'TIL THE MORNIN' COMES Paul Anka - Columbia 38 03897-H (LP) Walk A Fine Line - FC-38442-H
8	10	(4)	MAKING LOVE (Out Of Nothing At All) Air Supply - Big Time BTSC-113-Q (LP) Greatest Hits - BTLC-1005-Q	23	. 24	(6)	MA PL	WHERE CAN WE GO TONIGHT Siobhan Crawley - Freedom FR-45-032-N (LP) Somewhere In Between - FR-015-N
9	4	(<u>8</u>)	UNDER THE BOARDWALK Rickie Lee Jones - Warner Bros - 92 95597-P (LP) Girl At Her Volcano - 92 38051-P	24	29	(2)		ALL I NEED TO KNOW Bette Midler - Atlantic 78 97897-P (LP) No Frills - 78 00701-P
10	20	(3)	BLAME IT ON ⁻ LOVE Smokey Robinson & Barbara Mitchell - Gordy T1684-M (LP) Blame It On Love - 16065-M	25	26	(5)	1.01	THAT KIND OF MAN The Nylons - Attic AT-290-Q (LP) One Size Fits All - LAT-1152-Q
11	27	(2)	A LITTLE GOOD NEWS Anne Murray - Capitol 5264-F (LP) A Little Good News - ST-12301-F	26	30	(2)		SONG FOR YOU John Miles - Capitol 2521-F (LP) Play On - ST-12292-F
12	12	(8)	ALL TIME HIGH Rita Coolidge - A&M AM-2551-W (LP) Soundtrack/Octupussy - SP-4967-W	27	New	(1)		ISLANDS IN THE STREAM Kenny Rogers & Doly Parton - RCA PB-13615-N (LP) Eyes That See In The Dark - AFL1-4697-N
13	13	(5)	THINK OF LAURA Christopher Cross - 92 96587-P (LP) Another Page - 92 37571-P	28	28	(4)		LIGHT YEARS FROM NOW Martha - Island IS-125-P (LP) N/A
14	7	• (7)	WAITING FOR YOUR LOVE Toto - Columbia 38 03981-H (LP) Toto IV - FC-37728-H	29	New	(1)		MANIAC Michael Sembello - Casablanca NBS-2367-Q (LP) Soundtrack/Flashdance - NDLP-7278-Q
45	17	(4)	RIGHT OR W RONG Carroll Baker - Tembo TS-8303-N (LP) N/A	30	New	(1)		MAJOR TOM Peter Schilling - WEA 24 96872-P (LP) Error In The System - 24 02131-P

have the opportunity to take stock of their talent and their potential and, of course, their audience. Hill, no slouch in the songwriting or performing arena, has removed himself somewhat from that dull, very repetitive middle ground that ironically was his vehicle to success. The best illus-tration of what the new Dan Hill is all about is the prior release of a 7" and 12" single of the title track (the latter includes both the album version and an extended dance vocal mix as well as a second track, Where You Gonna Run To). If anything, Hill's vocal aggressiveness has grown even more intense with an unflappable dignity that squeezes the sincerity out of his lyrics. Most notable is the title track co-written by Hill and his co-producer John Lewis Park. The latter is heard on this track on guitar and Oberheim (OB-8) and wrote most of the material on the album with Hill. Also outstanding is the In Your Eyes track, written by Hill and Michael Masser and which was picked as the title track for the latest George Benson release. Hill's new album is also a very sound endorsement of the Fairlight System, used on several tracks, most notably In Your Eyes and Something Ain't Right. New direction aside however, Dan Hill's vocal majesty is much more than complete on the Old Lady Song, which he wrote himself and on which he is featured on piano with very subtle but effective acoustic and electric cello inserts by Dick Armin. Produced at Manta. Lyrics included.

JEAN LUC PONTY

Individual Choice - Atlantic 78 00981-P It's been some time since Jean Luc Ponty

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ON STAGE

SANTANA Kingswood Music Theatre - Toronto Sept. 1/83 by Kevin C. Wynne

I can say with all honesty, that in over ten years of attendance at varying types of shows, outside of perhaps the Who, I have never seen a more passionate and compelling show than the one brought to us Thursday night. As the progenitor of guitar-based Latin-mack, Carlos Santana has moved through numerous phases in his career, yet has maintained the conviction of his music and a seemingly unending joy in delivering it.

A large part of the show consists of the atmosphere and talent brought to bear by vocalist Greg Walker. His rendition of several numbers (notably She's Not There) was sensitive but simultaneously powerful, forcing the audience to flow with him and get right to the heart of the song. His respect for Carlos is apparent (as with all the musicians) and their interplay was a highlight of the evening. As for the ryhthm section, not much else may be said but that they set up a tremendously powerful groove which they kept up for virtually three hours. A group that includes Armanda Peraza can't help but have a good time; constantly smiling and tapping away, he seemed genuinely surprised to have the audience clap along with him toward the end of the show. Orestes Vilato was another story, grinning at Carlos while emitting a wall of sound, and generally acting as if he does this sort of thing as a hobby. Graham Lear and Raul Rekow rounded out the group, overall an amazing contribution to the show. David Margen on bass and the incredible keyboard section were additional pleasures, showing a tightness and versatility that we can assume Carlos has come to demand.

The bottom line however, must be with the man himself, one of the last guitar heroes; endlessly inventive, energetic and showing himself to be compassionate and aggressive. I lost track of the types of sounds he was capable of producing, and continually marvelled at his effortless control



has released an album but the waiting and the label's marketing prowess will no doubt bring this "violiniste superbe" back into chart prominence very quickly. So keen is the Ponty cult following that front-racking should be foremost. Ponty isn't just a fiddle player here as he electro-pops his original material with himself at the synthesizers, organ, keyboard bass and, of course, the violin. Ponty's jazz following should be impressed with his stretching of this music form into the futuristic pop world. In Spiritual Love might be just a little too left of what is expected of Ponty but it's a standout track with George Duke soloing on a mini-Moog. This cut was produced at Duke's Le Gonks West studio. Ponty does all the instrumentation (synthesizers and violin) on two very impressive tracks, Com-puter Incantations For World Peace and Eulogy To Oscar Romero, Guitarist Allan Holdsworth guests on Nostalgia and In Spite

over the structure of each song. One forgets through the course of a 14-year career that live performing is the man's forte. Even the older material was treated deferentially, and occasionally given new life, as with a personal favourite, Black Magic Woman. The relatively restrained lighting and uncluttered stage set-up did nothing to detract from the music. I gave up my count after he returned to the stage for a second encore, and was gratified to think that he had not resorted to padding songs, or adding superfluous instrumental breaks. At the very end, the band linked arms with Carlos, thanking us for sharing the music and being there with him. Carlos, thank you for showing us where it all begins and continuing to show us different sides of the legend and his music.

IRON MAIDEN

Kingswood Music Theatre - Sept 5/83 by Kevin C. Wynne

While I continually struggle to reach any conclusion regarding the current appeal of heavy metal, occasionally a band surfaces with a number of points in their favour which allow for a newer perspective. Phenomenally popular in their native England, the Maiden are only now reaping the benefit. of several top-selling records on this continent. Inevitably the basic elements exist; macho posturing, excruciating volume, and enough lights and dry ice to open a circus. The prime factor which pulls this band ahead of the pack is the presence of one Bruce Dickenson, lead singer, field-marshall, and general rabble-rouser. Offering witty little dissertations on the lyrical content of the songs, and showing total enchantment with the material, he made the difference. Instrumentally, there is not a lot happening here that we haven't seen before. Those around me also indicated they had seen a far superior light show on previous Maiden dates. The location was little help, sending Mr. D.'s voice in all directions at once. As well, I was astounded by the fanatical following in these parts for the band, as shown by seas of raised fists and frequent shouts of "Maiden! Maiden!".

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Of All. Rounding out his back-up crew are drummer/percussionist Rayford Griffin and bassist Randy Jackson. Produced by Ponty.

BRETT PETERSON - Pop Touching Down - Moxa MR-001

Produced by Dave Pickell and Rene Worst at Vancouver's Pacific Coast Sound and Ocean Sound studios, Brett Peterson ob-viously has more going for him than an expensive recording session. The vocal polish and projection, the sincere and confident lyric interpretation suggests the musical makeup of a veteran. The young, Vancouver songwriter makes an easy entry into the business, although this isn't his first time 'round. He released a single on the A&M label several years ago. This time however, the timing for his brand of soft, ballady rock should meet with programmer approval. The emphasis is on the soft pop side, of which more than 85% of radio is into anyway. A single should be taken from the album and a major promotional push mounted to bring the album home. Choice are To Make Me Love You More, Goodbye To Sarah, and the title track.



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