

Loverboy presented with Harold Moon Award

McBride & Halsey named in reorganization of BSR

Toronto: P.R.O. Canada's 15th annual awards banquet, a gala affair that attracted the largest audience in the history of the event, 276 writers and publishers, press and record industry representatives, was held at the Four Seasons Hotel (Sept 20). The performing rights organization, a non-profit group, administers performance royalties for more than 12,700 composers and authors and 2,500 music publishers in Canada. The awards dinner, emceed by Burton Cummings, pays tribute to the organization's songwriters, composers and music publishers. Cummings himself has received a P.R.O Canada award every year since they began in 1969.

One of the highlight's of the evening was the presentation of the Wm. Harold Moon Award to Loverboy, the five-man West Coast rock group that has scored million selling albums and singles, over their short career. Loverboy's manager Lou Blair accepted the

Toronto: Mr. W.R.A. Wyllie, Chairman of BSR International PLC, has announced the reorganization of the group's activities in North America, effective Sept 19, 1983. BSR International is the worldwide manufacturer and distributor of high-tech electronics.

Mr. McBride has been appointed chief operating officer responsible for all BSR activities in North America, while Mr. Halsey, in addition to his duties as President of BSR (Canada) will now become President of the BSR distribution business, located in Blauvelt, New York.

Mr. McBride has spent 12 years in marketing and management with IBM, followed by six years as general manager of Decimus, a Bank of America computer leasing company. award for the group who are currently on a six-month North American tour.

It was a West Coast sweep in the pop-music category with seven of ten awards going to writers in the Vancouver area. These were Bill Henderson for the Chilliwack hit I Believe and Henderson and Brian MacLeod for Chilliwack's My Girl; Bob Buckley and David Sinclair for the 1982 Straight Lines' hit Letting Go; Ray Roper and David Wills for the Stonebolt single, Goin' Through The Motions Of Love: Claire Lawrence and Shari Ulrich for Ulrich's release She Remembers; Bryan Adams and Jim Vallance for Adams' release Coming Home; and Paul Hyde and Bob Rock of the Payolas for Eyes Of A Stranger. Toronto writers receiving awards were David Roberts for Boys Of Autumn and Eddie Schwartz and Dave Tyson for All Our Tomorrows. Montreal's Dwayne Ford was honoured for Stranger In Paradise.

It was a Carroll Baker win in the country

He will be based at BSR's Santa Clara office in California and will report to Mr. B.H. Christopher, the chief executive officer of BSR International.

BSR's Blauvelt facility, also distributes a wide range of products manufactured by outside companies.

Mr. Wyllie noted that with "The successful turnaround of the BSR Group, highlighted in the recent interim financial results, has given management added encouragement to speed up the development of the company's reconstruction." He concluded with "The new operation at Blauvelt will complement the development of a wide range of computer peripherals being manufactured in BSR's Far Eastern facilities."



The BSR team (I to r) Stephan R. Halsey (Pres.) Mel H. Campbell (Vice Pres. Marketing & Sales), Charles W. Johnston (Vice Pres. Marketing & Sales, Computer Division), Janis E. Smith (Vice Pres. Finance - BSR Canada and BSR's distribution - Blauvelt, New York).

category for Second Time Around as did Terry Carisse and Pat Larabie for Coming Undone Again and Ron Mahonin of Calgary for You Came Into My Life.

Awards in the French-language category went to writers George Thurston, Marjolene Morin of Corbeau and Michel Pagliaro.

Special awards went to Vancouver's Michael Conway Baker for his contributions to film music and to Jim Galloway of Toronto for jazz music as well as to University professor and composer John Beckwith for contributions in the field of concert music.

Publishing companies honoured with multiple awards were ATV Music (Canada) with three awards; and Dunbar Music and Irving Music, two awards each.

P.R.O. Canada also honours writers and publishers of the foreign song that receives the most broadcast performances in Canada and which is licensed by P.R.O. Canada. The award this year went to California composers John Farrar and Tom Snow for the Olivia Newton-John hit of Make A Move On Me.

CJVB Vancouver's first to broadcast in AM stereo

Vancouver: Multilingual station CJVB has beaten the local major AM stations to the punch by becoming the first Vancouver station to turn to AM stereo.

After months of work by engineering firm S.W. Davis Broadcast Technical Services and Chief Engineer Mike Fawcett, CJVB made its stereo debut on September 10, at 5 pm using the Motorola System with 50,000 watts of power. Other major Vancouver AM stations are reported to be in the final preparation stages of their AM stereo transmission systems.

Organizational changes for CBS departments

Toronto: Jack Robertson, Senior Vice President, Operations, CBS Canada has announced several organizational changes within the Special Products and Direct Marketing departments.

Len Freidman assumes managerial responsibilities as Director for both Special Products and Direct Marketing and will report directly to Jack Robertson. Dave Platel has been appointed Director of the Direct Marketing department. He returns to CBS after a one-year absence and in his new capacity will be responsible for creating and developing CDM packages for mass-media advertising, and sale through CBS branch distribution.

Ted Southam takes on managerial duties of Special Products and will assume all departmental activities. He was previously sales manager. Lesley Sephton assumes the post of Product Coordinator for both departments, taking responsibility for administering to Direct Marketing activities in addition to her Special Products duties.

Platel, Southam and Sephton will all report directly to Len Friedman.

Zounds experiences unusual R&B sales

Toronto: Lloyd Nishimura, store manager of the Scarborough-based record retail outlet Zounds, has voiced surprise at the growing sales for R&B artists, not just because they're selling, but because they're selling with little support from radio.

"If I owned CJCL, I'd make it an R&B station," he said. "This music is not serviced by any other station. Other stations probably haven't even considered it. A station would capture a large market including the ethnic groups. This music is doing well, with little support."

Nishimura believes the majority of the sales for R&B artists are based on club play and fans tuning into American stations airing R&B.

"One of the interesting things is that the buyers of R&B product extends into the very young as well, to those from 10 to 15. A lot of kids are into black music, and the cross-over R&B like George Benson and Al Jarreau also does well."

Nishimura noted that his big-sellers this year came from Michael Jackson, The Police, David Bowie, Def Leppard and the Flashdance Soundtrack, pointing out that the best-

ON STAGE

By Kevin C. Wynne BOYS BRIGADE

Tony's East - Toronto - Sept 17/83

One of the few truly innovative bands to appear in recent months, Boys Brigade has in fact existed for quite a while, albeit in a rather limited fashion. A result of the socalled "alternate" circuit of locations, they are only now coming to the attention of the mass audience as a result of their debut record.

Vocalist/keyboardist Malcolm Burn is the focal point of the band, and is very earnest in his attempts to familiarize the audience with the material. The polyrhythmic sound makes for a compelling backdrop to the lyrical content of the tunes. The intense nature of some of the subject matter adds to the singular and distinctive approach which this outfit seems very comfortable with; one doesn't get the impression of a bunch of musicians just jamming away either, which would be a certain temptation given the lineup. My host between sets was drummer Billy (Bucko) Brock, a very cheerful fellow who filled me in on the group's successful gigs, notably a radio broadcast in the U.S., which brought their music to a very wide audience, and more than likely opened more doors to getting the current single, Passion Of Love, onto heavy rotation on many major-market FM stations.

Overall, the feel is really good and I can only speculate on how far these guys can go. Frankly, I think they're great and go a long way to carrying the torch for quality Cancon on the airwaves.

TORONTO & STREETHEART

Kitchener Memorial Auditorium Sept 18/83 When Mr. Sheilds of that veteran group of roustabouts a.k.a. Streetheart hit the boards with buddies in tow, a selection of familiar tunes set our collective toes tapping. It has always been something of a mystery to me that this band has never really broken nationally, even with the assistance of people such as Nazareth's Manny Charlton. sellers are boosted by a Top 40 single.

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"To me, if there's a strong single on radio, it will translate into record sales. Def Leppard was the exception. It was the surprise of the summer.

"The age of the people who come to this store range from 20 to 30. They are the young people with the jobs. They're the ones who have the money. The students have it rough. Part-time jobs are scarce."

Nishimura estimated that about 70 percent of his customers are male. He believes however, that more women still go to malls when buying records, but are probably buying other products such as clothes. He also noted that the majority of people who come to the store drive cars.

"We have a lot of country people coming in. I'd say just under 10 percent are country buyers, but we don't get as many easylistenening customers as I'd like. However, there hasn't been a heck of a lot of easylistening hits during the last several months."

Nishimura has found that the sale of prerecorded cassettes are about 30 percent over last year, noting that 25 percent of his given sales are in tapes. Compared to the sale of

I can only put it down to the fact that these guys are probably the most stable and unpretentious bunch currently working the circuit. As the tunes were rolled out, you got the feeling that you had been invited over to a friend's place to have a drink or two, and catch up on what's been going on. Such is the ambience of a Streetheart gig. No pretense, just a lot of fun and cheerful banter from his nibs. Maybe with the big push nationally, these guys can finally break out of the mid-sized halls and bring back some common-sense to the industry which has yet to bring them the attention they really deserve.

After the requisite break, it was on to the headliners and obvious (T-shirt sales anyway) local favourites, Toronto. I got my fill of Ms. Woods and Ms. Alton, however it's hard to escape the corporate image which this band seems to purvey. The tunes are all there, properly showcased with a good emphasis on the new record, but something seems to be missing. There are no rough edges here, apart from the standard repertoire of shrieks and howls which accompany every song. I desperately want to like this band but something keeps getting in the way. Perhaps the next release will reveal a less studied approach to the material, and a more natural stage demeanor. The day may also come when bands don't leave the stage immediately after their last song, obviously assuming that they'll be called back for an encore.

One might ponder the intricacies of staging a rock and roll event in a mediumsized hall while maintaining relatively clear sound. There was considerable "bounceback" from the end wall which detracted somewhat from the otherwise good mix.

ROBERT PLANT

Maple Leaf Gardens - Toronto. Sept 10/83 It has been said that rock metes out a curious justice to its heroes. Such is the case with Robert Plant. Saddled with the pedigree and attendant adulation of a certain other band, he is left with the task of convincing us to accept the man, not the myth. LPs, he said that albums still outsell tapes by slightly over two to one.

"As a sales percentage, singles remained about the same as last year, but their importance has gone up in terms of selling an album. Twelve-inch singles have also become an important sales tool."

CJCL goes to adult music format

Toronto: CJCL, formerly CKFH, has switched to an adult music format which they refer to as the "Music of your Life". According to General Manager Doug Ackhurst, the station will feature "all good music by the people who made it good."

He explained the station is making the switch because the demand exists. Said Ackhurst, "It will offer an alternative advertising medium with an adult sound that will feature the smooth sound of singers such as Frank Sinatra, Nat King Cole, Tony Bennett, Perry Como, the Mills Brothers and Englebert Humperdinck. There is also growing interest in good music all across the country among younger people who are just discovering these wonderful sounds for the first time and making it their kind of music too."

His attempt to maintain artistic validity is enough. The intent was to produce two albums worth of material in advance of any public offering. The rampant fanatacism surrounding anything to do with Led Zeppelin is the only consideration to undercut this theory. As it was, they were out in droves Saturday night, cheering every wave of his hand and shake of his golden locks. He takes it well though, obviously realizing that his own body of work will ultimately speak for itself. The songs are good and the choice of sidemen is surprisingly astute. One in particular is the talented Phil Collins. perhaps rock's most notorious workaholic. His fluid vet forceful touch was a primary component in the presentation. Ex-Frampton cohort Bob Mayo is another, adequately filling out the keyboard sound, as well as doubling on guitar. Plant's alter ego through all this however, has been chickenshack alumnus Robbie Blunt. Though occasionally self-indulgent, he was responsible for elevating the material from good to frequently interesting.

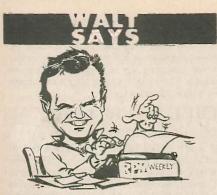
It's good to have the man back. The only hope is that the faithful will come to a better understanding of the '80s Plant and what he's trying to accomplish.

Z Z TOP

Kingswood Music Theatre - Toronto Sept 11/83

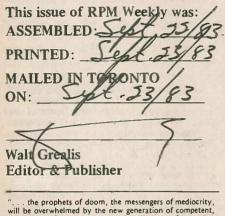
There are currently any number of trios playing blues-based rock 'n roll, and then there's Z Z Top; supposedly three of the raunchiest, funkiest and downright dirtiest hombres to climb on a stage.

But wait a minute! Instead of the muchanticipated Texas blowout, we are served up just over an hour of tepidly rendered hits and near-hits. With over a decade of music to draw on, why was so much material left out? Why would such a hot band deliberately play it so cool? Surely it wasn't the capacity crowd. These guys get cheers for waving their arms. What we have here is corporate rock at its worst; a few lasers, a few lights and enough sanitized boogie to starch your shirts. The punters deserve better.



Take a bow Nancy!!

Nancy Gyokeres, who handles PR for PRO Canada did herself proud with the arrangements for the 15th annual dinner to honour songwriters and publishers. The Four Seasons, a four star hotel, put on its best for the evening. Someone must have said something about last year. This year, there



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

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MAPL logos are used throughout RPM's charts to define Canadian content on record releases.



M - Music was composed by a Canadian A - Artist who is featured is a Canadian citizen

P - Production was wholly recorded in Canada

L - Lyrics were written by a Canadian citizen

Advertising rates on request. Second Class Postage paid in. Toronto. Registration No. 1351 PRINTED IN CANADA couldn't be any complaints about the food, nor the presentations. They were run off fairly quickly and handled well by Burton Cummings, who acted as emcee for the evening. Nice to see Dwayne Ford has control over his wife Patsy Gallant and that Carole Risch is a federalist. It was a timely party for Capitol's Dave Evans as well. He and wife Sandra were celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary that same evening. Even the raiders and raidees were getting along.

Holding court in Vancouver!

On October 1st, 2nd and 3rd. I'll be in Vancouver and would like to talk to or meet as many of our B.C. subscribers as possible. Note those dates in October and give me a call in Vancouver at 604-681-0067, anytime after 9 am on October 1st.

A slight correction - I think!!

In a recent publication sent to us by Labatt's and published by the CBC, the book covers a 30 year history of Canadian music. On page 30, "... the country's first trade paper, RPM Weekly, founded by ex-Mountie Walt Grealis and Stan Klees, owner of Red Leaf Records." Well, that's incorrect. Credit where credit is due, Stan Klees did not found RPM Weekly, nor does he to this day own one point. Perhaps they have RPM confused with the Juno Awards, Big Country Awards, CARAS, ACME, CIRPA, the MAPL logo - and the Canadian record production industry - all of which Klees can take credit

Tollington to WEA domestic product post

Toronto: Dave Tollington has been appointed to the newly-created position of Domestic Product and National Publicity Manager for WEA Music Canada. Tollington has been with WEA for the past six years where he held the post of National Publicity Manager.

In making the announcement WEA Music of Canada's President Stan Kulin noted: "I'm delighted to announce Dave's new responsibilities which acknowledges WEA Music of Canada's growing involvement in the Canadian music scene. Dave brings a wealth of talent and experience to his new job and is a valued member of our team. We're looking for a series of successes with our Canadian signings and are confident he will make major contributions to the achievement of our goals."

Kulin explained that Tollington's duties would include product management of all domestic releases as well as working on the development of local talent.

"We're at the point of releasing a number of Canadian signings," continued Kulin. "I believe we should be more involved with local talent. The trees are beginning to bear fruit and it became necessary to have a fulltime domestic product manager. It's a demonstration of the company's commitment to Canadian talent and to developing that talent."

Kulin indicated that WEA is looking at having 20 to 25 Canadian acts on their roster, which now numbers 13. Kulin concluded with, "There's more to just signing Canadian artists - there must also be a belief in those artists. for, but not RPM. So I gently closed the book on page 30 and read no more except to note that Pierre Juneau is mentioned once in the index. It was almost 20 years ago when I mentioned that 'you can't do it in three hours'. It took about 20 years. May I suggest that if anyone is doing research on the music industry, they should definitely use RPM Weekly.

Sun will not budge!!

The editor's comments to a recent letter to the Toronto Sun, took a shot at the entire Canadian music industry. An eloquently written letter to the Sun by Peter Budge of CBS put the paper in its place, to which the Sun replied "The industry would do anything for a buck." Meanwhile the Sun's primary contribution to Canadian content seems to be T&A.

It's all for charity ... but!!!

The recent Variety Club luncheon for the Festival of Festivals was a disaster. It might be sacreligious to criticize this great organization of which I am a member, but if they want to impress the people in showbusiness they better start using the talents of people who can present their image in a better light. Comedian Jim Carey suffered pretty badly at the unprofessionalism of the staging. His mike was off for his opening and the stage allowed for only a fraction of the large crowd to catch his act.

More MCA appointments!!

Stephen Tennant has been appointed Marketing Manager for Chrysalis Records in Canada. Stephen was formerly National Sales Manager with Quality Records. MCA has also appointed sales and promo people for their Quebec and Ontario markets. These are Daniel Laxton to Quebec promo rep, Doug Spence to Ontario sales rep and Dave Watt to Ontario promo rep.

Curtola on way back??

Bobby Curtola and wife Ava have enjoyed several years of home life raising their two young sons, but now the holiday is over. Both Bobby and Ava have returned to the business, touring the country and packing them in, once again, at big and small clubs. Bobby has cut a record session and is currently negotiating for a release. It's been a long stretch between bobby-soxers to video kids.

Here's a hot one!!

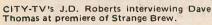
The street buzz has it that a very powerful British label will open in Canada on its own but retain their current distribution set-up. A top exec from a major label is rumoured to head up the Canadian operation for this label. It's so hot I can't even mention initials.

It's the Tom Rivers show!!!

Tom Rivers is getting his share of print what with his case against CHUM coming down to the wire. Rivers is not unlike the powerful jocks of the '60s who could do just about anything they wanted and get away with it. One name comes to mind, Joey Reynolds, who was fired from WKBW. He nailed his size 12 shoes to the solid oak door of the general manager with a note that read, "fill these baby."

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The beautiful Jeanne Beker of CITY-TV gets a chance at both Bob & Doug.



Rick Moranis at Children's Hospital Bowlerama after premiere of Bob & Doug movie.



lan Thomas, who wrote the music for the movie single Strange Brew is seen here at the Bob & Doug movie premiere with Tom Berry of Anthem Records and CHUM-FM's Dianna Mason.



The Anthem press conference attracted representatives from press and radio from many points across Ontario. Above, Pete Daley of CKOC Hamilton interviews Rick Moranis prior to the opening of The Adventures of Bob & Doug McKenzie.



Capitol staff on hand for the reception were (I to r) Dave Street, Rob Brooks, Dave Thomas, Bruce Bondesin, Rick Moranis, John Toews, Eddie Colero and Anthem's Marilyn Harris.



Bob & Doug (alias) Rick and Dave, catch Pindoff's Bud (the smiler) Farguharson off guard for this candid shot.

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SO Singles

CANADA'S ONLY NATIONAL SINGLES SURVEY (Albums containing listed singles are shown below) October 1, 1983 The following codes are used as a key to record distributors

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1	1	(13)	MANIAC Michael Sembello - Casablanca - NBS-2367-Q (LP) Soundtrack/Flashdance - NDLP-7278-Q	26	20	(20)		ELECTRIC AVENUE Eddy Grant - Portralt 37 03793-H (LP) Killer On The Rampage - BFR-38554-H
2	2	(15)	SWEET DREAMS (Are Made Of This) Eurythmics - RCA PB-68031-N (LP) Sweet Dreams - AFL1-4681-N	27	24	(18)		CHINA GIRL David Bowie - EMI America 8165-F (LP) Let's Dance - SO-17093-F
3	3	(17)	TOTAL ECLIPSE OF THE HEART Bonnie Tyler - Columbia C4-8544-H (LP) Faster Than The Speed Of Night - PCC-90683-H	28	36	(4)		PALE SHELTER (You Don't Give Me Love) Tears For Fears-Vertigo SOV-2328-Q (LP). The Hurting VOG-1-3323-Q
.4	5	(10)	(She's) SEXY AND 17 Stray Cats - EMI America 8168-F (LP) Rant 'N Rave With The Stray Cats - SO-17102-F	29	38	(5)		TELEFONE (Long Distance Love Affair) Sheena Easton - EMI America 8172-F (LP) Best Kept Secret - EMIA-17101-F
5	6	(11)	I'LL TUMBLE 4 YA Culture Club - Virgin VS-1169-Q (LP) Kissing To Be Clever - VL-2248-Q	30	27	(24)		FLASHDANCE WHAT A FEELING Irene Cara - Casablanca - NBS-2366-Q (LP) Soundtrack/Flashdance - NDLP-7278-Q
6	8	(9)	TELL HER ABOUT IT Billy Joel - Columbia 38 04012-H (LP) An Innocent Man - QC-38837-H	3)	40	(3)		ISLANDS IN THE STREAM Kenny Rogers & Dolly Parton - RCA PB-13615-N (LP) Eyes That See In The Dark - AFL1-4697-N
7	4	(16)	SHE WORKS HARD FOR THE MONEY Donna Summer - Mercury MS-76200-Q (LP) She Works Hard For The Money	32	32	(9)	MAPL	THIS TIME Bryan Adams - A&M AM-619-W (LP) Cuts Like A Knife - SP-4919-W
8	11	(7)	NEVER SAID I LOVED YOU Payolas with Carole Pope - A&M AM-623-W (LP) Hammer On A Drum - SP-4958-W	33	44	(2)		ALL NIGHT LONG (All Night) Llonel Richle - Motown M1698-M (LP) Can't Slow Down - M6059-M
9	7	(13)	ROCK 'N' ROLL IS KING Electric Light Orchestra - Jet - 254 3964-H (LP) Secret Messaurs - QC-38490-H	34	19	(13)		1999 Prince - Warner Bros - 92 98967-P (LP) 1999 - 92 37201-P
10	9	(19)	EVERY BREATH YOU TAKE Police A&M - AM-2542-W (LP) Synchronicity - SP-3735-W	35	18	(17)		NEVER GONNA LET YOU GO Sergio Mendes - A&M AM-2540-W (LP) Sergio Mendes - SP-4937-W
0	14	(9)	HUMAN NATURE Michael Jackson - Epic 34 04026-H (LP) Thriller - QE-38112-H	36	41	(3)		CAN'T SHAKE LOOSE Agnetha Faltskog - Polydor PDS-2229-Q (LP) Wrap Your Arms Around Me - PDS-1-6377-Q
12	15	(7)	KING OF PAIN Police - A&M AM-2569-W (LP) Synchronicity - SP-3735-W	37	37	(12)		ROCK OF AGES Def Leppard - Mercury FW-2326-Q (LP) Pyromania - BOG1-3319-Q
13	10	(10)	DON'T CRY Asia - Geffen 92 95717-P (LP) Alpha - XGHS-4008-P	38	50	(2)		BURNING DOWN THE HOUSE Talking Heads - Sire 92 95657-P (LP) Speaking in Tongues - 92 38831-P
14	16	(10)	RISE UP The Parachute Club - Current WAKE-3-N (LP) The Parachute Club - WAVE-2-N	39	39	(6)	M A P L	CELEBRATION Headpins - Solid Gold - SGS-741-W (LP) Line Of Fire - SGR-1017-W
(5	23	(5)	ONE THING LEADS TO ANOTHER Fixx - MCA - 52264-J (LP) Reach The Beach - MCA-39001-J	40	45	(3)	MA	TWENTY QUESTIONS TICTOC - Dallcorte - DCS-0107-N (LP) Where The Picnic Was - DLP-0704-N
16	21	(8)	FAR FROM OVER Frank Stallone - RSO RSS-1071-Q (LP) Soundtrack/StayIng Alive RXS-1-3102-Q	41	46	(2)	*	IN A BIG COUNTRY Blg Country - Vertigo SOV-2329-Q (LP) The Crossing - VOG-1-3325-Q
0	22	(9)	PROMISES PROMISES Naked Eyes - EMI America 8170-F (LP) Naked Eyes - ST-17089-F	42	49	(3)		WHAT AM I GONNA DO Rod Stewart - Warner Bros - 92 95647-P (LP) Body Wishes - 92 38771-P
18	17	(17).	(Keep Feeling) FASCINATION Human League - Virgin VS-1165-Q (LP) Fascination - VEP-319-Q	43	43	(6)		KISS THE BRIDE Elton John - Geffen - 92 95687-P (LP) Too Low For Zero - XGHS-4006-P
(9	25	(6)	I DON'T WANNA DANCE Eddy Grant - Portrait - 37 04039-H (LP) Killer On The Rampage - FR-38544-H	44	Ne	w (1)		SUDDENLY LAST SUMMER Motels - Capitol B-5271-F (LP) Little Robbers - ST-12288-F
20	26	(5)	TRUE Spandau Ballet-Chrysalls 2720-F (LP) True CHR-1403-F	45	Ne	N (1)		QUEEN OF THE BROKEN HEARTS Loverboy - Columbia C4-4347-H (LP) Keep It Up - QC-38703-H
8	29	(4)	SITTING AT THE WHEEL Moody Blues-Threshold TRS-604-Q (LP) The Present TRLS-1-2902-Q	46	47,	(2)	AND L	LOVE IN THE SHADOWS Dan Hill - Mercury MS-76204-Q (LP) Love In The Shadows - SRM-1-4081-Q
	31	(4)	MAKING LOVE (Out Of Nothing At All) Air Supply-Big Time BTSC-113-Q (LP) Greatest Hits BTLC-1005-Q	47		N (1)		LONG HOT SUMMER (It Don't Matter What I Do) Style Council - Polydor PDS-2233-Q (LP) Introducing The Style Council - PEP-320-Q
24	33	(4)	MODERN LOVE David Bowie-EMI-America 8117-F (LP) Let's Dance SO-17093-F	48	48	(4)		EVERYDAY I WRITE The BOOK Elvis Costello-Columbia 38-04045-H (LP) Punch The Clock FC-38897-H
24		(12)	LAWYERS IN LOVE Jackson Browne - Asylum 96 98267-P (LP) Lawyers In Love - 96 2681-P	49		N (1)		I.O.U. Freeez - Vertigo - SOV-2327-Q (LP) N/A
25	12	(19)	OUR HOUSE Madness - Geffen 92 96687-P (LP) Madness - XGHS-4003-P	50	Ne	N (1)		DON'T FORGET TO DANCE Klnks - Arlsta ASJ-9075-Q (LP) State Of Confusion - AL8-8018-Q

Ringo's Yellow Submarine -a CKFM exclusive

Toronto: Ringo's Yellow Submarine, described as a "definitive Beatles series" marks the first time a member of this famous group takes on the role of an on-air personality/host. The series has been acquired by CKFM on an exclusive basis for the Toronto listening area.

The 12-week, 25 hour anthology, hosted by Ringo Starr, will go to air, Sunday, Sept. 25 from 12 noon to 2 pm and will continue each week in the same time slot until Dec 11th with the final program, a three-hour special from

NEW BOOKS

The Saga Of BABY DEVINE By Bette Midler \$16.95 General Publishing, Canada

The Devine Miss M is as outrageously funny writing fables as she can be on stage. Her first book, A View From A Broad, gave her fans somewhat of an insight into her writing talents but Baby Devine takes this talent a bit further. Bette Midler is a closet poetess, not that she's been hiding, but she emerges here displaying an exceptional talent of fusing rhyme with nonsense and registering a message, of sorts - naturally for the Midler cultists. One might detect the humour being a facade for someone who has a tremendous inferiority complex - like the fat lady who is always bubbly and good natured while all the time living a wretched existence as a good friend to everyone but a lover to no one. Perhaps one shouldn't attempt to read between the lines and rather take Midler's fable writing as the usual, off-the-cuff humour. She is a very funny lady with an exceptional gift. Through her word manipulating she tells of the birth of Baby Devine and the dream trip the strange, unwanted creature took to the outside world, meeting "Three Dizzy Dames - in a Boardinghouse close to the Track," and coming face to face with fear and laughter which brought her to view the Truth:

"It's the Point of Your View that Decides What You See -One Man's Flop is Another Man's Hit. From Manners to Movies, The Picture keeps Changing Depending Upon Where You Sit."

The beautifully worked illustratrations are by Todd Schorr, whose works have graced the covers of Time, Esquire and National Lampoon. Schorr has captured in swirling full-page colour believability, the anguish, fear, happiness and contentment of Baby Devine and her dream carousing with Lily and Tillie and Joyce and the return to her cradle where she beds down with her boa.

Of particular interest in this hard-backed book is the large and very legible type which was set on Mergenthaler 202 equipment in a face called Cheltenham Bold. This type was originally designed as a linotype face by Bertram Grosvenor Goodhue, an architect, in collaboration with Ingalls Kimball of the Cheltenham Press of New York.

Baby Devine is a classic from the Divine Miss M.

12 noon to 3 pm.

Starr was actually involved in putting the show together. He spins the records and relates stories and inserts his own very personal anecdots, as in the following about the



by Walt Grealis

late John Lennon: "It always amazed me that John was like 'the cynic' and 'the heavy' because of the four of us, he had the biggest heart and soul. He would give anything....not just money, but time and energy. There was nothing too big or little that you couldn't rap to him about. He was the kindest man I've ever met."

On his own early experiences: "As the drummer in the Beatles, I was put down a lot in the press because you're at the back of the group and you would get less attention than the boys up front. That was in England when we started, but when we got to America, that's when the four of us really came out strongly. It wasn't 'The Beatles' or 'Paul and The Beatles' but Paul, John, George and

Superact CBS releases scheduled for October

Toronto: CBS is preparing the release of several key albums, many of which will be from their biggest-selling artists.

Scheduled for an early October release is Paul McCartney's new album. Pipes Of Peace. The first single from the album will be Say, Say, Say, a duet with another company superstar, Michael Jackson.

McCartney's last album. Tug Of War, was released well over a year ago. Both Jackson and McCartney previously teamed for the pop ballad The Girl Is Mine.

Slated for early November is a longawaited release from Barbra Streisand, the movie soundtrack from Yentl to coincide

CHUM AM goes stereo a first for Toronto

Toronto: CHUM-AM, which on May 27, 1957, became the first station in Toronto and Canada to play rock 24 hours a day, has become Toronto's first AM station to go stereo. CHUM made its stereo debut on the evening of Sept. 15. The station selected the Kahn/Hazeltine Independent Sideband Stereo System for its performance in the areas of signal-to-noise ratio, frequency response and stereo signal stability, even under extreme conditions.

Said CHUM Chief Engineer Bruce Carnegie, "The Kahn System delivers a clean, high fidelity stereo signal that is absolutely essential against the competition of cassettes, compact discs, digital audio and of course, FM." CHUM believes that the growth and penetration of AM stereo will be much greater here than in the U.S., where FM radio is not subject to such restrictions. In Canada, government regulations do not permit FM stations to broadcast a Top 40 style of mainly hit music. Ringo. Suddenly we had our own identities."

Another personal Starr recollection about Lennon: "In the old days it was really bad for your image if you got married because it hurt your popularity. Unbeknownst to me, when I joined the Beatles, John was already married to Cynthia and they were keeping it a surprise for me. So I was in the band for a couple of months before I found out that John was actually married."

A year in the making, the series was written by Canadian Doug Thompson and produced by Tom Rounds of Los Angeles and recorded in London, England in the 24-track studio in Starr's home (originally owned by John Lennon and where the Imagine album was also recorded). The series has been distributed by TBS Syndications and will be broadcast in over 85 markets in Canada as well as 350 markets in the U.S.

CKFM, in conjunction with the broadcast of the series, has arranged for the printing of a limited edition poster which will be made available for \$5.00. The posters are available exclusively at the station, Mr. Submarine, Mark's Work Warehouse and Fairweather. All of the proceeds will be donated to the CKFM Children's Fund for the Children's Hospital of Toronto.

with the release of the film, Phil Ramone produced.

Bob Dylan will have an October release for his Infidel album, produced by Mark Knopfler. Recorded at New York's Station session musicians included Sly Dunbar, Robbie Shakespeare, Allen Clark, Knopfler and Mick Taylor, formerly of the Rolling Stones. With eight new songs, tracks will include Joker, Man, Union Sundown, Don't Fall Apart On Me, and Man Of Peace.

A major project just released from the company is the second album from Canadian guitarist Aldo Nova, a concept LP titled Subject. A video of Monkey On Your Back has been released as well.

Curtola set for return with DePitt production

Toronto: Bobby Curtola, the "bobby-sox" idol of the '50s, is preparing for his return to the business with an album produced by Dave Van DePitt at Detroit's Soundfleet studios. DePitt is known for his production work with Ginette Reno.

Curtola has been away from the business for several years, residing in Edmonton where he became involved in a successful venture in the oil business. He began his return to the music business a few months ago, scheduling several dates in clubs across Canada, one of the most successful being at Moncton's Urban Corral.

Curtola collaborated with the drummer of his four-piece group, Mick Mikilock, Paul Napora, a writer of prose from Edmonton and his mother, in writing material for his new album. A particularly touching song is the one he co-wrote with his mother, Lord Hear My Prayer, which reveals a very personal anxiety. She is losing her sight through diabetes. TW 1

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11	11	(16)	TALKING HEADS Speaking In Tongues (Sire) 92 38831-P	92 38834-P
12	13	(6)	AC/DC Flick Of The Switch (Atlantic) 78-1001-P	78-1004-P
13	19	(4)	MOODY BLUES The Present (Threshold) TRLS-1-2902-Q TRLS4-1-2902	-Q
14	12	(20)	EDDY GRANT Killer On The Rampage (Portrait) FR-38554-H	FRT-38554-H
15	15	(8)	JACKSON BROWNE Lawyers In Love (Asylum) 96 2681-P	96 2684-P
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21	22	(24)		TEARS FOR FEARS The Hurting (Virgin) VOG-1-3323-Q	VOG-4-3323-Q
22	27	(5)		STRAY CATS Rant 'N Rave With The Stray Cats (EMI EMIA-17102-F	America) 4XO-17102-F
23	23	(7)	MA	NEIL YOUNG Everybody's Rockin' (Geffen) XGH5-4013-P	ХМ5-4013-Р
24	24	(15)		STEVIE NICKS The Wild Heart (Modern Records) 79 00841-P	79 00844-P
25	31	(6)	MA	HEADPINS Line Of Fire (Solid Gold) SGR-1017-W	SGC-1017-W

	30	(10)	PARACHUTE CLUB	
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	36	(4)	PAYOLAS Hammer On A Drum (A&M) SP-4958-W CS-4958-W	Mared Istant
	26	(8)	ELVIS COSTELLO & THE ATTRA Punch The Clock (Columbia) FC-38897-H	СТІОNS FCT-38897-H
	28	(13)	ELECTRIC LIGHT ORCHESTRA Secret Messages (Jet) QZ-38490-H	QZT-38490-H
	29	(26)	BILLY IDOL Billy Idol (Chrysalis) CHS-41377-J	CHSC-41377-J
	33	(8)	YAZ You And Me Both (Sire) 92 39031-P	92 39034-P
	25	(11)	DONNA SUMMER She Works Hard For The Money (Mercu SRM-1-4071-Q	ry) MCR4-1-4071
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	32	(16)	ROD STEWART Body Wishes (Warner Bros) 92 38771-P	92 38774-P
	37	(22)	TACO After Eight (RCA) PL-28520-N	PK-28520-N
	39	(11)	CONEY HATCH Outa Hand (Anthem) ANR-1-1041-F	4AN-1-10412F
	40	(16)	HUMAN LEAGUE Fascination (Virgin) VEP-319-Q	VEP4-319-Q
	44	(33)	DURAN DURAN Rio (Harvest) ST-12211-F	4XT-12211-F
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1		5	(8)	BABY WHAT ABOUT YOU Crystal Gayle - Warner Bros 92 95827-P (LP) True Love - 96-02001-P	26	32	(6)	M	PRESSURES OF PROGRESS Harold MacIntyre - Audiograph - AG-45-472 (LP) Tragic Romancer - AG7797 (Ahed)
2		2	(13)	I'M ONLY IN IT FOR THE LOVE John Conlee - MCA 52231-J (LP) John Conlee - MCA-5434-J	27	36	(3)		LET'S GET OVER THEM TOGETHER Moe Bandy - Columbia 38 03970-H (LP) N/A
3		2	(16)	NIGHT GAMES Charley Pride - RCA PB-13542-N (LP) N/A	28	29	(6)		SOMEBODY'S GONNA LOVE YOU Lee Greenwood - MCA 52257-J (LP) Somebody's Gonna Love You - MCA-5403-J
4		6	(7)	DON'T YOU KNOW HOW MUCH I LOVE YOU Ronnle Milsap - RCA PB-13564-N (LP) Keyed Up - AHL1-4670-N	29	30	(6)		ANY BODY ELSE'S HEART BUT MINE Terri Gibbs - MCA 52252-J (LP) Over Easy - MCA-5443-J
5		3	(9)	WHY DO I HAVE TO CHOOSE Willie Nelson - Columbia 38 03965-H (LP) Tougher Than Leather - QC-38248-H	30	31	(6)		THE LADY, SHE'S RIGHT Leon Everette - RCA PB-13584-N (LP) Doin' What I Feel - MHL1-8513-N
6		7	(5)	NOBODY BUT YOU Don Williams - MCA 52245-J (LP) N/A	31	38	(3)		YOU PUT THE BEAT IN MY HEART Eddie Rabbitt - Warner Bros 92 95127-P (LP) Greatest Hits Volume II - 92 39251-P
7	'	8	(8)	WHAT AM I GONNA DO Merle Haggard - Epic 34 04006-H (LP) Going Where The Lonely Go - FE-38092-H	32	39	(3)		ISLANDS IN THE STREAM Kenny Rogers & Dolly Parton - RCA PB-13615-N (LP) Eyes That See In The Dark - AFL1-4697-N
8	3	11	(6)	FLIGHT 309 TO TENNESSEE Shelley West - Viva 92 37751-P (LP) West By West - 92 23775-P	33	41	(3)		A LITTLE GOOD NEWS Anne Murray - Capitol 5264-F (LP) A Little Good News - ST-12301-F
9	•	9	(6)	SOMETIME'S I GET LUCKY AND FORGET Gene Watson - MCA 52243-J (LP) Sometimes I Get Lucky - MCA-5384-J	34	43	(2)		HOW COULD I LOVE HER SO Johnny Rodriguez - Epic 34 03972-H (LP) For Every Rose - FE-38806-H
1	0	14	(9)	FOOLING WITH FIRE Dallas Harms - RCA PB-50744-N (LP) Out Of Harms Way - NKL1-0476-N	35	•46	(2)		THE BOY GETS AROUND Sylvia - RCA PB-13589-N (LP) Snapshot - AHL1-4672-N
1	1	12	(6)	HOLD ON, I'M COMIN' Wayton Jennings & Jerry Reed - RCA PB-13580-N (LP) Wayton & Company - AHL1-4826-N	36	37	(7)	MAPL	SUMMER ROSE Wayne Rostad - Stag Creek - SCS-17 (LP) Wayne Rostad Again - SCLP-1112
1	2	17	(6)	WE REALLY GOT A HOLD ON LOVE Family Brown - RCA PB-13565-H (LP) N/A	37	42	(3)		AFTER YOU Dan Seats - Liberty 1504-F (LP) Rebel Heart - LT-51149-F
1	3	4	(11)	BREAKIN' DOWN Waylon Jennings - RCA PB-13543-N (LP) It's Only Rock & Roll - A HL1-4673-N	38	40	(4)	MAPL	HAPPY EVER AFTER Len Henry - Ameri-Can D11-1006 (LP) N/A
1	4	20	(7)	SCARLETT FEVER Kenny Rogers - Liberty - 1503-F (LP) We've Got Tonight - LO-51143-F	39	New	v_(1)		GUILTY The Statler Brothers - Mercury/PolyGram 812 988-7-Q (LP) Today - 812 184-1-Q
1	15	15	(7)	WILD MONTANA SKIES John Denver & Emmylou Harris - RCA PB-13562-N (LP) It's About Time - AHL1-4683-N	40	New	v (1)		STRONG WEAKNESS The Bellamy Brothers - Warner Bros 95147-P (LP) Strong Weakenss - 96 02101-P
1	16	10	(11)	WAY DOWN DEEP Vern Gosdin - Complete/Quality 108-M (LP) If You're Gonna Do Me Wrong - CPL-1-1004-M	41	50	(2)	MA	SHERIDA Eddie Eastman - Diamond D174508 (LP) N/A
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	18	28	(4)	LADY DOWN ON LOVE Alabama - RCA PB-13590-N (LP) The Closer You Get - AHL1-4633-N	43	44	(5)	AB	Glory-Anne Carriere - E&R 008 (LP) N/A
	19	33	(4)	YOU GOT A LOVER Ricky Skaggs - Epic 34 04044-H (LP) N/A	44	45	(3)	e	Gary Fjellgaard - Slim Creek (LP) Time And Innocence
	20	13	(10)	GOIN' DOWN HILL John Anderson - Warner Bros 92 95857-P (LP) Wild & Blue 92 37211-P	45	48	(3)	M	BLONDE AND DOWN (From A Rodeo Town) Canadian Zephyr - Artists Alliance AAR-831S (LP) N/A
	21	16	(11)	YOU'RE GONNA RUIN MY BAD REPUTATION Ronnie McDowell - Epic 34 03946-P (LP) Personally - FE-38514-P	46	Nev	v- (1)		LONELY BUT ONLY FOR YOU Sissy Spacek - Atlantic America - 7-99847-P (LP) Hangin' Up My Heart - 96 01001-P
	22		(3)	NEW LOOKS FROM AN OLD LOVER B.J. Thomas - Cleveland International 38 03895-H (LP) New Looks - FC-38561-H	47		(4	M.P	PLAY OLD MAN Bobby Latonde - Book Shop BSR-45-705 (LP) N/A
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	24	25	(6)-	RIGHT OR WRONG Carroll Baker - Tembo TS-8303-N (LP) N/A	49		N (1	M.P.	WE ARE THE COWBOYS The Tom Charles Band - Target TLJ-402 (LP) N/A
	25	26	(8)	TOO HOT TO SLEEP TONIGHT Carroll Baker & Eddle Eastman - Tembo TRS-002-N (LP) N/A	50	Nev	N (1) Me	SO FAR AWAY FROM YOU Norma Gale - Foxyways - JM-8365 (LP) N/A

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Wall raises bucks for MD

Michael T. Wall's 17th Annual Muscular Dystrophy Benefit Concert raised \$433.06 this year. Wall auctioned off his hats, shirts, radio, vest, empty Screech bottles, his albums and even Sarah Anne's (his five year old daughter) skipping rope. The MD Association's Ontario Field Director Phill Boyce, presented Michael with a Certificate of Merit for his 1983 effort on behalf of the fight against MD.

New from the Merceys

The latest MBS single from the Mercey Brothers is titled Anytime Down, penned by Gunnar Gellote. The group, now playing club dates across Canada, comprises brothers Larry and Lloyd Mercey, Gord Heins and Dann Peer. There is no information as to studio used or the Cancon properties of the single.

Kinsman bows House single

George Kinsman, a resident of St. Thomas, Ontario, releases his debut single, Have You Heard The News, on his own House label. Both the plug side and the flip (Conversation) are Kinsman originals and the session was self-produced on which he looks after keyboard and rhythm guitar chores as well as vocals. Kinsman has been in the performing end of the business for over 18 years, playing folk festivals as well as clubs, including Edgertons, The Riverboat and Smales Pace. He also headlined the Home Country Folk Festival at Toronto's Harbourfront and shared the billing with Ray Materick at Hamilton Place. He worked on Materick's Neon Rain album, supplying vocal harmonies and arrangements on a couple of the tracks. Kinsman was a member of Cedar Lake for several years. This group boasted a cast of David Bradstreet, Stan Rogers, Luke Gibson, Doug McArthur and Willie P. Bennet. Valerie Lochrie, who handles promotion for

RCA & associated labels sweep country awards

Regina: RCA Records and associated labels literally swept this year's Canadian Country Music Awards (ACME).

RCA was voted Record Company of the Year; Sunbury-Dunbar, Publisher of the Year; and Barry Brown of The Family Brown, won Song of the Year for Raised On Country Music; and the C.F. Martin Guitar Award.

The Family Brown were voted Entertainer and Group of the Year and won Album and Single of the Year (Raised On Country Music).

Female Vocalist of the Year went to Marie Bottrell while the Male Vocalist award went to Dick Damron.

Ed Preston, President Tembo Records, distributed by RCA, was honoured as Record Industry Man of the Year.

RCA has always maintained a high profile in Canadian country music. This year during Country Music Week, they hosted a brunch where all delegates viewed a special audiovisual presentation featuring RCA artists from Canada, the U.S. and affiliated labels.



the House label, advised that Kinsman's single was test marketed in the South Central Ontario market, the results of which convinced them to initiate a national mailing.

Spencer to CFTI-FM

Joe Leone, Program Director at CFTI-FM Country 92, boasts Mark Spencer as "Northeastern Ontario's most listened to announcer." Mark joined the Timmins, Ontario station recently, taking over the afternoon drive. He was previously with CKX Brandon.



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ALDO NOVA Subject - Portrait FR-38721-H

This is Aldo Nova's second release for Portrait and is self-produced. The bite is hard and the direction is the AOR market where he has experienced so much success in the past, particularly with his Fantasy single. This talented Montrealer once again shows his magic on numerous instruments, getting an assist from drummer Billy Carmassi and bassist David Sikes. The vocals are charged with powerful bursts of energy that should please his large and growing cult following, probably larger in the U.S. than at home. Monkey On Your Back has been released as a video and if it shows up on MTV, will make this album a shoo-in. Other notable tracks are Aldo Nova teaming with Dwight Druick for writing of Hold Back The Night, his own Always Be Mine and Carl Dixon's Hey Operator. In view of his past sales success, front racking would be effective. Lyrics included.



MURRAY McLAUCHLAN - Pop/country Timberline - True North TN-54-H Murray McLauchlan has obviously taken hold of his own career and produced the real McLauchlan - an out-of-the-closet talent that now should have no bounds. This is a relaxed and laid back concrete and clay street singer who has taken the edge off his vocals and pressure from his projection. The entertainment value is exceptional. Never Did Like That Train has been taken as a single, which is being given an excellent video boost. Murray wrote all the material with the exception of Horses On The Highway, a choice cut, which he co-wrote with his basist Terry Wilkins and drummer Bucky Berger. Besides providing lead vocals McLauchlan doubles on guitars, keyboards and harmonica. Other notable tracks are Storybook Love, Trying To Stop The Sun From Goling Down and Out Past The Timberline. Country, pop and CHR programmers should pick up on the single. An excellent front rack item. Lyrics enclosed. Produced at Toronto's Kensington Sound.

TICTOC Where The Picnic Was Dallcorte DLP-0704-N

- Rock

Produced by Terry Brown at Toronto's Studio 306 TICTOC present an open end package of entertalnment with this debut for Dallcorte. Their music is danceable, their lyrics, a little to the left, yet understandable, fitting nicely into the mainstream. There is a good mix with strong lead vocals, split between Ray Borg (syn-

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3	4	(8)	FAR FROM OVER Frank Stallone - RSO RSS-1071-Q (LP) Soundtrack/Staying Alive - RXS-1-3102-Q	18	10	(1.2)	THE BORDER America - Capitol 5236-F (LP) Your Move - ST-12277-F
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6	3	(10)	HOW AM I SUPPOSED TO LIVE WITHOUT YOU Laura Branigan - Atlantic 78 98057-P (LP) Branigan II - 78 00521-P	21	24	(7)	THAT KIND OF MAN The Nylons - Attic AT-290-Q (LP) One Size Fits All - LAT-1152-Q
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9	6	(6)	LADY LOVE ME (One More Time) George Benson - Warner Bros 92 95637-P (LP) In Your Eyes - 92 37441-P	24	27	(2)	2) RAINBOW'S END Sergio Mendes - A&M AM-2563-W (LP) Sergio Mendes - SP-4937-W
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12	19	(4)	ALL I NEED TO KNOW Bette Midler - Atlantic 78 97897-P (LP) No Frills - 78 00701-P	27	28	(2)	2) SUMMER LOVE/PIANO POWER George Fischaff - Moss Music Group S-MMG-9 (LP) Pretty Kitty - MMG-1140
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14	14	(6)	WE REALLY GOT A HOLD ON LOVE Family Brown - RCA PB-13565-H (LP) N/A	29	30	(2)	THE MOON AT SUMPET DANK
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thesizer) and Tevan Kaplan (drums). Vocals are also shared by other group members keyboardist Serge Porretta and guitarist John DeFino. Kaplan wrote most of the material, sharing the writing of In My Room with DeFino, one of the better tracks. Twenty Questions has been taken as a single and is already making gains up the RPM chart. Also choice are Cry On Cue and Halo, Club support will be important.



PAUL YOUNG

No Parlez - Columbia PCC-90692-H Former member of the Q-Tips, Paul Young goes solo with this Laurie Latham production and extends his soft rock and soul trademark into what could be a very successful career. His vocal magic is perhaps best

NEW SIGNINGS

MESSENJAH

WEA Music of Canada

A major Canadian record company has signed a Canadian reggae band, a rare happenng being that reggae is thought to be the sole or "soul" music of Jamaica. WEA Music of Canada didn't need much coaxing to move quickly in the signing of



Messenjah, a group pf transplanted Jamaicans, led by Errol Blackwood (bass guitar, lead vocals). The rest of the group com-prises producer Rupert "Ojiji" Harvey (lead guitar, lead vocals), Eric Walsh (rhythm guitar, background vocals), Hal Duggan (keyboards, background vocals, bass), and Tony King (percussion). The birth of this group took place in Kitchener, Ontario, home of Octoberfest, and somewhat removed from the music of the Islands. Producer Harvey has had much experience in the business, much of it learned from his early association with Crack Of Dawn and then going on to put together Inner Flame, one of Toronto's fjrst R&B/ reggae club acts. Harvey produced Messenjah's initial album release titled Rock You High, at San Diego's Circle Sound, where he had previously produced Shagnatty, a white reggae band from Arizona.

illustrated with his cover of Marvin Gave's Wherever I Lay My Hat, now picking up important programmer support. Joy David-son's Love Will Tear Us Apart and Iron Out The Rough Spots, penned by Booker T. Jones are also notable tracks, not to menboardist lan Kewley for Tender Trap. The title track shouldn't be overlooked either. This was written by Anthony Moore, A 12" of Come Back And Stay and Yours has been issued as an extended club mix version.

- Country

SISSY SPACEK Hangin' Up My Heart

Atlantic/America - 79 01001-P Produced by Rodney Crowell, Sissy Spacek

finally gets her chance at a solo country session. It only took ten years for this rexas talent to realize her career as a country singer. Sissy hasn't done too badly in the film business (Carrie and Coal Miner's Daughter) but she should do even better as a singer. She picked a varlety of writers for her debut including Hank DeVito who penned the title track, Peter Anders for If I Can Just Get Through The Night and Hank Williams for Honky Tonkin', all choice. A single, Lonely But Only For You, is beginning to pick up programmer action. Also notable is her duet with Loretta Lynn on Smooth Talkin' Daddy. Loretta gets a lyric assist with Sissy on the writing of this song. Lyrics enclosed.

Messenjah have been tagged "Canada's premiere reggae group" and this year won a Black Music Award as Top Reggae Group and a U-Know as Most Promising Independent Act. The heavy writers in the group are Harvey and Blackwood.

ORPHAN Portrait/CBS

New to the Portrait label (a U.S. signing) is the Winnipeg-based Orphan, a fourpiece rock band comprising Chris Burke-Gaffney (lead vocals), Brent Diamond (keyboards, vocals), both formerly of The Pumps, Steve McGovern (guitars, vocals) and Ron Boisvenue (drums, percussion and vocals). Together only fifteen months the group has honed their talents into a very tight circle of rock sound that obviously impressed the Portrait people.



Initial album session was co-produced by Lance Quinn and Tony Bongiovi, the latter also produced Aldo Nova's successful debut. The taping took place at New York's Power Station. Much of the material was co-written by the group, although Burke-Gaffney would appear to be the heavy in this field, writing three of the nine cuts.

First single taken is the title track, also released as a 12" radio only single. A video of this single was filmed by Stereovision with Paul Vanderlinden as Director of Photography. He enjoyed a similiar credit for the Quest Of Fire film. Orphan's video used 16mm film rather than video tape Orphan is "prairie rock" - very inde-

pendent and tough.

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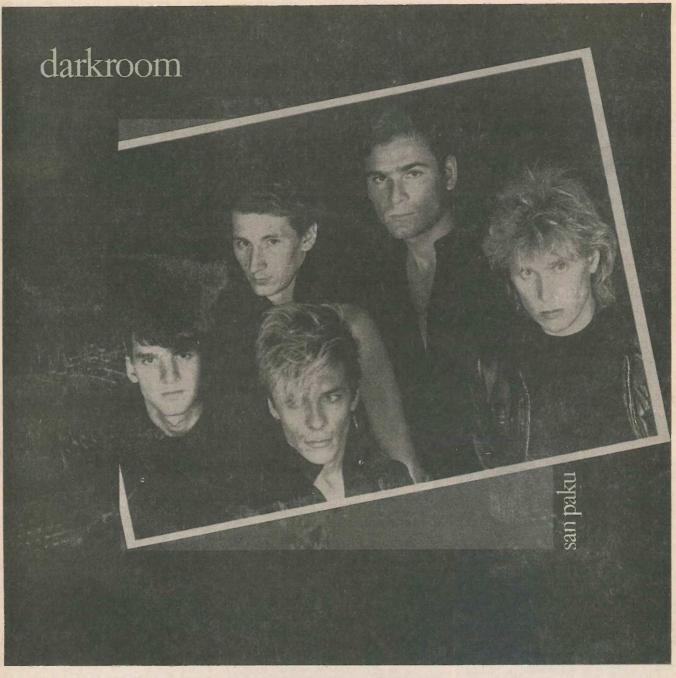
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