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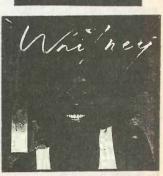
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Art Snider loses fight against cancer

Art Snider, one of the most giving and perhaps least recognized patriarchs of the Canadian entertainment industry, lost a long battle to cancer. He passed away in Toronto May 26 at the age of 60.

Mr. Snider discovered and recorded artists before it became fashionable. One of these early discoveries was Gordon Lightfoot. He was also one of the leaders during the early '60s in petitioning the government to give more recognition to Canadian artists. This led to the 30 percent Cancon regulations as set down by the CRTC's Pierre Juneau.

Mr. Snider literally bankrolled the careers of many young recording artists, and launched several through his own Chateau label. This was back in the late '50s and early '60s, again during an era when Canadian recording artists were the object of ridicule by broadcasters and the public alike.

Undaunted, Mr. Snider continued to record and promote in his quest to bring dignity and recognition to his roster of young hopefuls. At that point in time, recording studios were busy looking after the commer-

BMI welcome & citation for Canadian Brass

Frances W. Preston, President and CEO of BMI, recently welcomed CBS Canada (FM) recording group, Canadian Brass to the roster. Known primarily for their lighter than light approach to classical works, The Brass has been getting into jazz lately and is concerned with the development of an everlarger, more interesting repertory. Each year, the band invests \$35,000 commissioning new



The Canadian Brass in New York (i to r) David Ohanian, PROCAN's Jan Matejcek, BMI's Frances W. Preston, Eugene Watts, Charles Dallenbach, and Ronald Romm.

music. Doctor Brass, their new BMI publishing company, was organized to publish and publicize works written by the band and those written on commission.

Punching home The Brass' more energetic move into jazz is the CBS Canada simultaneous LP, cassette, CD release (May 25) of Basin Street, which features as special guest, George Segal on banjo and vocals. The album was recorded at The Church of St. Mary Magdalene in Toronto, with all 15 selections arranged by Luther Henderson.

The band, who perform on 24-karat gold-plated instruments, comprise Fred Mills (trumpet), Ronald Romm (trumpet), David Chanian (French horn), Eugene Watts (trombone), and Charles Daellenbach (tuba).

cial and jingle field, which led Mr. Snider to set up his own Sound Canada studio in the Don Mills suburb of Toronto. He outfitted the studio with the most up-to-date equipment of that day and took on the job of producer and arranger and supplied much of the instrumental backing necessary for many of the sessions. He personally funded several of these recording sessions, and the studio was always close to going under because of his charitable nature. A gifted pianist/accompanist, Mr. Snider often took club dates in an attempt to bolster the awesome costs of operating a recording studio. This added workload became a heavy burden, both physically and mentally for him, which finally forced him to close the studio.

Although down, the fight was still there, and he continued to counsel and assist the young and the established in the entertainment field, until the first signs of cancer began to weaken him.

It was only this year (Feb 15) when a capacity house at Toronto's Teller's Cage, paid tribute to Mr. Snider. They came from across the country and the U.S. to be a part of a great evening for a man who had sacrificed so much for them. It was an emotionally-packed evening, with many of his discoveries peforming, including Gordon Lightfoot, The 4-MC's Coralie Allan of The Allan Sisters (her sister Jackie, who was married to Mr. Snider, died of cancer last year), Lee Sandford, The Hames Sisters, and others.

Besides the above, Mr. Snider was instrumental in launching the careers of The Mercey Brothers, The Peaches and Rich Little, to name just a few.

Mr. Snider was also actively involved in early Canadian television. He was arranger for the Tommy Hunter Show and Musical Director for Country Hoedown.

Finally these words from Stan Klees, a very close friend. "Art was the kind of guy who trusted everyone, and did a lot for a

World release for Cockburn's anthology

True North Records has announced the upcoming world release of Bruce Cockburn's double anthology set, Waiting For A Miracle. The Columbia album, cassette and compact disc shipped to radio May 25.

Included in the set are Cockburn's singles which were released between 1970 and 1987. Also included are 6 new tracks, live versions of Mama Just Wants To Barrelhouse All Night Long, and Rumours of Glory, taken from the soundtrack of Rumours Of Glory/Bruce Cockburn Live, Facist Architecture, and The Trouble With Normal, which have been re-recorded plus 2 brand new songs, the title track, and Stolen Land. All tracks were digitally re-mastered by Bob Ludwig. The compact disc contains 11 extra tracks and is the first double CD package ever released by a Canadian artist.

As well, MuchMusic's Big Ticket Special will present Cockburn's Latin America Working Group (L.A.W.G.), a benefit filmed Mar. 10 & 11 at Toronto's Diamond. Included in the performance are Lillian Allan, Hugh Marsh, and Angel Parra.

great number of people. He maintained a very low profile, but in the last year he finally did get a lot of credit and acknowledgement. One of the high points was the two mentions from Gordon Lightfoot on the Juno television show and a testimonial banquet. It would be difficult to count the number of people whose careers he launched, assisted or encouraged, and how important he was in the whole Cancon explosion."

Mr. Snider is survived by his five children, Jeff, Melody, Jill, Allan, and Laurie. Funeral services were held in Toronto on May 27.

FACTOR/CTL boosted throughout Maritimes

With FACTOR/CTL registering a "hefty increase" in applications from the West, the organization is now mounting a major "educational campaign" for the Maritimes. The various programs available to Canadian artists, producers and record companies by FACTOR/CTL is being spread by the organization's Maritimes representatives, Gene MacLellan and Tom Kelly.

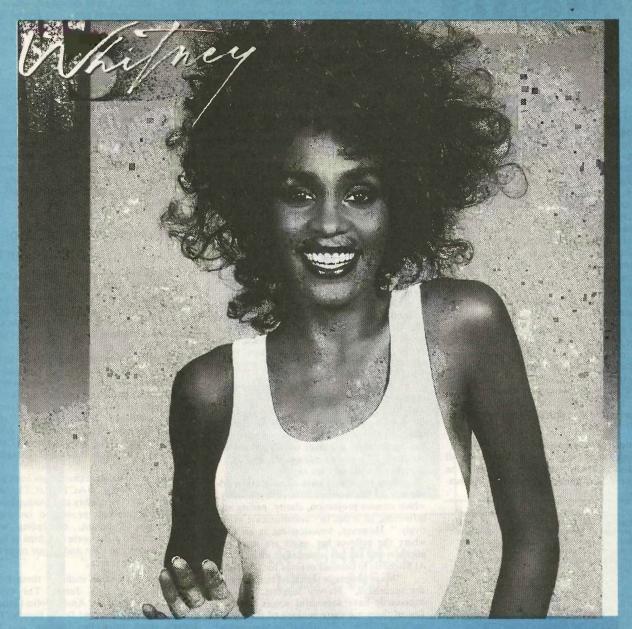
MacLellan and Kelly, both well known in the songwriting, recording and television field, are currently on a 27-stop campaign throughout the Maritimes, meeting with radio station personnel, talent agencies, newspaper editors and writers, and music industry personnel. Their job is to let these important people know, first hand, what is available to them through FACTOR/CTL. The tour will take 19 days and will cover most of the populated areas of the Atlantic Seaboard of Canada.

"We're looking for a major increase in applications from the Maritimes as the word gets out," says Mel Shaw, Executive Director of FACTOR/CTL. The fact that Gene (MacLellan), and Tom (Kelly) can visit newspapers and radio stations in person is the best way to let hopefuls know that our organization is real and ready to assist."

MacLellan is probably best known as having written Snowbird, Bydin My Time and Put Your Hand In The Hand, only a few of the many he has written and had success with over the years. Kelly became known across the country as host of CBC-TV's Singalong Jubilee, and is on release with his own CBC album.



Gene MacLelian (i) and Tom Kelly flank Mel Shaw of FACTOR/CTL as they prepare to set out on their 19-day tour of the Maritimes.



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The demographic we're after . . . !!

It's no longer a rumour. It seems that not one, not two, but three breweries are seriously looking into getting involved in the record business. Yessir!!! This is the business that can get to the people they want. Although the risks are great and the profits comparitively small to the breweries . . . they really think that this is the business that will get them what they want. The demographics are right, and the door is wide open. (EC: Have we thought of the name of the three labels? What will happen to sponsoring sports? Will the artists endorse the product? Who will head up these mega-giant record companies??)

Juno programming time crucial!!

To get to the record buying audience, who we were told was about 13 to 22, the Junos are scheduled for airing at 7 pm. Over the years, we have been told that this is the age group, records and recording stars attract. I don't want to argue with those figures when it comes to TV watchers (EC: Where is this going??) Nowhere!!!

Big victory for copyright!!

leadership."

The papers are full of it . . . and you know all the details about the proposed ruling on songwriter and publishing royalties. The bat-

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

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tle has almost been won . . . and no . . . there will be more money in the pot for songwriters for records sold in Canada, Canadian songwriters and publishers will also benefit from the increase. Now we must clamor for more Canadian songs to be sold so that more Canadians benefit.

Wipe your . . . nose!!

Which radio station in Toronto is rewriting the book on promotion (EC: Sounds like a good song title!!) publicity, and etiquette? Those concert promoters who eat with their hands and wipe their noses on their sleeves may have to step aside for this new genre. But

Voice Dynamics shapes different vocal styles

"People have an idea that their voice is as permanent and as unchangeable as the shape of their nose," says Christina Harvey, a voice consultant. "But that's not the case at all. Everybody is really capable of being a

Harvey, who has appeared on many

"What we do," she clarifies, "is to work with people and their voices . . . their patterns and styles of speech, and help them to develop other alternatives." Citing a study conducted by Mehrabian, it was revealed that first impressions are made on: 55 percent appearance, 37 percent voice quality, and only 8

vantage of the courses offered by Harvey, which stresses projection, clarity, pacing and inflection; in order to "communicate effectively." However, broadcasting is an area where she believes her assets are most applicable, and she has undertaken with CKO's Al Michaels to conduct courses for this field.

delivery of copy.

"You have to be a performer," Michael explains. "You have to know how to interpret the message. Not every copy requires the same kind of read. You can tell in a person's voice what kind of story it is and how they treat it by the tone in their voice.

"You have to treat the whole thing as a thought," he continues, "and not just so many words or sentences or paragraphs on a page. You have to be able to lift those words from the page, digest them and treat them as a thought and a feeling and an emotion, and not make it sound like your are reading something . . . that's the key.

when somebody is reading something on the air. You have to be interested in what you're talking about. How can you expect the au-

wait . . . there's a club downtown where all these sods congregate and . . . a few of their friends from the record business!! (EC: And they say we're not in the gutter!!) I would never sink THAT low!! (EC: Wipe your nose!!)

I think we've arrived!!

Desmond Morton, an historian and principal of the Erindale campus - University of Toronto - recently wrote in the Toronto Star: ". . . the publishers, producers and recording artists who clamor for subsidies and protection. . . " It's funny how much we accomplished without being those "who clamor for subsidies and protection" I hope there are a lot of you out there who are proud of yourselves!

Harbour Castle Hilton adds to Cancon support

"May 25th marked a very momentous occasion for Canadian artists and video producers," boasts Backstage President Steve Thomson, "because for the first time, more Canadian videos were run in succession at a video showcase than in the history of Canadian video."

The video showcase was presented by the Harbour Castle Hilton Hotel (Toronto) in their Celebrities Night Club. "It was an evening for artists and video producers to gather and collectively enjoy each other's video creations . . . and what creations they were," continues Thomson. There were 21 videos screened while invited guests enjoyed Canadian beer, Canadian wine, and Canadian Club.

All the videos showcased have been partially funded by FACTOR/CTL and VideoFACT. "The quality and production of each video certainly proved to be world class," says Thomson, concluding with "Producers and artists were delighted to have this opportunity to meet and garner more exposure for their videos."

Videos showcased included those from Canadian Aces, Paul James, The Good Brothers, Chalk Circle, Anvil, Colin Linden, Eye Eye, The Jitters, and David Sereda. The latter's video, titled Just Enough, was the centre of the showcase being that he was booked into the room for the week of May 25th through the 30th. He also performed live for the audience.

chameleon of speaking in a different way."

radio and television shows, is a graduate of the University of Montreal. Her Torontobased company, Voice Dynamics, encourages people to make better use of their vocal chords; to work with sound and not with what is being said.

percent on what you are saying, Many businesses have already taken ad-

"Many people in the radio business who are successful," Harvey suggests, "do not necessarily have successful voices. Ouite a few of them are there because of their journalistic abilities." It is therefore Harvey and Michael's intention to operate a program incorporating enthusiasm, projection and presentation in the interpretation and

"Because, he concludes, "you can tell dience to be interested . . . if you aren't?"

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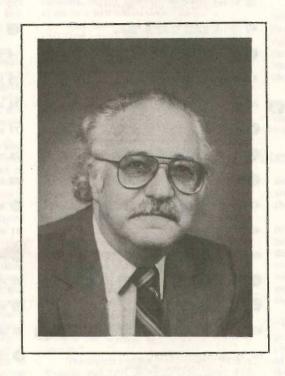
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Corey Hart - Aquarius - AQ-6028-F
(LP) Fields Of Fire - AQR-542-F 38 29 (25) 79 WITH OR WITHOUT YOU U2 - Island - 8703-J (LP) The Joshua Tree - ISX-1127-J THE FINER THINGS
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(LP) Back In The High Life - 92-54481-P THE RIGHT THING Simply Red - Elektra - 96-94877-P (LP) Men And Women - 96-07271-P 39 31 (13) 72 48 (12) LEAN ON ME Club Nouveau - Warner Bros - 92-84307-P (LP) Life, Love & Pain - 92-55311-P COME GO WITH ME Expose - Arista - AS1-9555-N (LP) Exposure - AL-8441-N ONE NIGHT (Is All It Takes)
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(LP) Electricity - SP-5156-W 4 (15) 40 32 (14) 73 84 (3) HEAD TO TOE Lisa Lisa & Cult Jam - Columbia - 38-7008-H (LP) Spanish Fly - FC-40477-H (7) NOTHING'S GONNA CHANGE MY LOVE Glenn Medeiros - A&M - AM-721-W (LP) N/A LET'S WAIT AWHILE Janet Jackson - A&M AM-2906-W (LP) Control SP-5106-W 8 41 65 (4) 74 50 (18) YOU KEEP ME HANGIN' ON Kim Wilde - MCA - MCA-55024-J (LP) Another Step - MCA-5903-J SHIP OF FOOLS World Party - Chrysalis - 43052-J (LP) Private Revolution - CHS-41552-J FLYING ON YOUR OWN
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COVER STORY - by Graeme Boyce

Dan Hill - the quality songwriter rising again

At a time when ballads would seem like the perfect vehicle to access radio . . . the performer/songwriter most likely to succeed in this environment says: "Just to have done an album of ballads wouldn't have been fair to what I was capable of singing."

Over the past few years Dan Hill has been busy writing songs for George Benson, Jeffrey Osborne, and most recently Lee Aaron, and in each instance the artist chose to record his ballads, which is why Hill prefers to write and sing, as opposed to just writing.

"Usually with people cutting my songs," he explains, "they like to go for the ballads. Whereas I can stretch out and experiment a bit more when I'm my own artist. Singers, when they're looking for songs, want what they think to be the absolute colossal hit, and sometimes they miss out on something special by just thinking in terms of a hit."

As well as writing, Hill has been working in a Santa Monica studio, recording "at least 60" songs for both Charles Koppelman of The Entertainment Company and Mickey Eischner of CBS New York. Hill quickly points out that it was on the "strength" of Koppelman's enthusiasm that he was signed directly to the New York office.

Also, due to the sheer numbers of demos produced, Hill feels his vocal talents increased abundantly over that period of time. "When I was giving them (Koppelman and Eischner) the demos," he explains, "it was evident I was making an album that would have both uptempo and those strong ballads.

"Things that I never dreamed of doing four or five years ago came very naturally to me. Therefore, I felt I needed the range of songs, of rhythms and moods, in order to best explore and exploit the growth of my voice."

Certainly very aware of his own past and his previous successes, Hill recalls that recording his new album was like starting over again, but only the sense of tapping into "the hunger you felt before you had any recognition." He says his past can both work for and against him.

"If I had been an unknown artist with the voice I have and the songs I have, I don't think I'd have had any problems getting a record deal because the songs do stand intrinsically on their own. So . . . it was wishful thinking, hoping that the media would look at me as a new artist.

"But there's no question I do have a past, and people are very aware of it, and I can't deny that past. You don't think about it consciously when you're working on an album... or even when you're writing a song... at least I don't."

Hill's past, beginning in 1975 with GRT Records, includes his self-titled debut (containing You Make Me Wanna Be) and Longer Fuse (Sometimes When We Touch), which earned him 1977 Junos for Composer and Male Vocalist of the Year, as well as a Grammy nomination.

"When I first started working on my records, I was so naive I didn't even think in terms of 'hits'." Hill continues. "I really didn't become aware of it until my first album came out and there was all this emphasis on 'Do we have singles?' and then as you get more ingrained into the recording of records, you start realizing how important it is... how your album will literally live or die based on whether you have a 'hit' single.

"So . . . I didn't really think in terms of 'hits' then, and of course when I did, I thought everything I wrote was a hit! Little did I know," he adds. "But you tend to just think that way. You're young . . . you're arrogant, and you think you've got the world in the palm of your hand.

After 3 weeks Hill's album has climbed to the No. 86 position on the RPM Album chart, while the single Can't We Try has bulleted into the No. 57 spot after 6 weeks.

Virgin's Chappell to set Pikes upon the world

Amid the Virgin label's heavy release schedule of chart bound records, including most recently The Cutting Crew, T'Pau, Rita MacNeil, The Mission (OST), and The Other Ones, the label has entered the first phase of its marketing plans for Saskatchewan hopefuls, The Northern Pikes.

Teenland, the band's single, was released this past week, along with an AOR Sampler. The video, directed by Total Eclipse's Ron Berti, was completed in conjunction with Virgin's (U.S.) Jeff Ayeroff. Said Doug Chappell, Virgin Canada's President, "They showed the video in Los Angeles, and they love it."

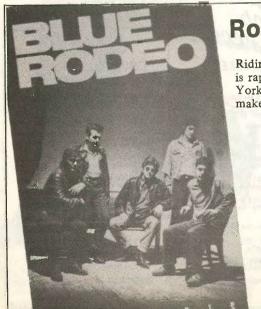
The album is expected the end of June in Canada and will ship simultaneously with cassette and CD configurations, but will not be released elsewhere until August. "That was my request," says Chappell. "I didn't want anybody else going at exactly the same

time as us because we feel that we can build a story in this country for them to carry when they walk in."

All vinyl has been direct metal mastered, informs Chappell, and he expects their promo packages to be collector's items in one day. "They'll be quite different from the promo packages received in the past," he adds, without divulging specifics. "I think that anybody who gets that one will definitely want to keep it."

Also, in Chappell's own words, the band "will tour their asses off" in support of the project, yet will remain flexible enough to go stateside, if need be. "We've already put a lot of time and energy . . . and a lot of Canadian dollars behind this band," he adds.

"We didn't blow the budget out the window, but we put enough money in there to make sure that everything was taken care of all the way down the line."



Roundup time for BLUE RODEO

Riding on the wings of a strong debut album titled OUTSKIRTS, Blue Rodeo is rapidly achieving their musical goals. From Toronto's Queen Street to New York and back again, this band has developed a sound and mystique which makes each of their performances a major event.

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TOP 20 SINGLES 20 YEARS AGO

- GROOVIN Young Rescals
- RELEASE ME
 Engelbert Humperdinck
- I GOT RHYTHM Happenings
- HIM OR ME WHAT'S IT GONNA BE Paul Refere
- CREEQUE ALLEY
 Mamas & Papas
- THE HAPPENING
 Supremes
- HERE COMES MY BABY
 Tremeloes
- GIRL YOU'LL BE A WOMAN SOON Neil Diamond
- SOMEBODY TO LOVE
 Jefferson Airplane
- HAPPY JACK The Who
- MIRAGE Tommy James
- RESPECT · Aretha Franklin
- FRIDAY ON MY MIND Easybeats
- CLOSE YOUR EYES Peaches & Herb
- I WAS KAISER BILL'S BATMAN Whistling Jack Smith
- DON'T YOU CA'RE
 Buckinghams
- SHAKE A TAIL FEATHER
 James & Bobby Purify
- CANADA Young Canada Singers
- TOO MANY FISH IN THE SEA . Mitch Ryder
- I'M A MAN Spencer Davis Group

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TOP 20 SINGLES **15 YEARS AGO**

- THE FIRST TIME EVER I SAW Roberta Flack
- BACK OFF BOOGALOO Ringo Starr
- AMAZING GRACE
 Royal Dragoons
- MORNING HAS BROKEN Cat Stevens
- CANDY MAN Sammy Davis Jr.
- ME AND JULIO Paul Simon
- HOT ROD LINCOLN Commander Cody
- DOCTOR MY EYES
 Jackson Browne
- TUMBLING DICE Rolling Stones
- VINCENT . Oon McLean
- SYLVIA'S MOTHER Or. Hook
- 13 SLIPPIN' INTO DARKNESS
- SONG SUNG BLUE Neil Diamond
- I DIDN'T GET TO SLEEP AT ALL Fifth Dimension
- TAXI Harry Chapin
- ISN'T LIFE STRANGE Moody Blues
- 19 IT'S GOING TO TAKE SOME TIME · Carpenters
- 20 YOU COULD HAVE BEEN A LADY April Wine

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TOP 20 SINGLES **10 YEARS AGO**

- I'M YOUR BOOGIE MAN K.C. & The Sunshine Band
- SIR DUKE Stevie Wonder
- WHEN I NEED YOU Leo Sayer
- ANGEL IN YOUR ARMS
- OREAMS Fleetwood Mac
- SOUTHERN NIGHTS Glen Campbell
- RIGHT TIME OF THE NIGHT Jennifer Warnes
- COULDN'T GET IT RIGHT Climax Blues Band
- LUCILLE · Kenny Rogers
- CALLING DR. LOVE
- HOTEL CALIFORNIA Eagles
- 12 GOT TO GIVE IT UP (Part 1) · Marvin Gaye
- 13 HELLO STRANGER Yvonne Elliman
- LIDO SHUFFLE
 Boz Scaggs
- FEELS LIKE THE FIRST TIME · Foreigner
- 17 WODUNIT · Tavares
- 18 HEARD IT IN A LOVE SONG The Marshall Tucker Band
- 19 AINT GONNA BUMP NO MORE
- 20 FLY AT NIGHT · Chilliweck

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TOP 20 SINGLES **5 YEARS AGO**

- EBONY & IVORY
 Paul McCartney & Stevie Wonder
- 867-5309/JENNY Tommy Tutone
- I'VE NEVER BEEN TO ME Charlene
- HEAT OF THE MOMENT
- I LOVE ROCK 'N' ROLL Joan Jett & The Blackhearts
- DON'T YOU WANT ME Human League
- SIX MONTHS IN A LEAKY BOAT
- BODY LANGUAGE
- CHARIOTS OF FIRE · Vangelis
- EMPTY GARDEN (Hey Hey Johnny)
 Elton John
- DON'T TALK TO STRANGERS · Rick Springsteen
- 13 FREEZE FRAME
 J. Geils Band
- CRIMSON & CLOVER
 Joan Jett & The Blackhearts
- '65 LOVE AFFAIR
 Paul Davis
- CAT PEOPLE (Putting Out The Fire)
 David Bowie
- LOVE PLUS ONE Haircut One Hundred
- THE OTHER WOMAN Ray Parker Jr.
- 19 TOWN CALLED MALICE The Jam
- KEY LARGO Bertie Higgins

SINGLES

- 1 MOONLIGHT DESIRES Gowan Columbia
- 2 WILD HORSES Gino Vannelli Polydor
- 3 CLOSER TOGETHER The Box Alert
- 4 HEAT OF THE NIGHT Bryan Adams A&M.
- 5 DIRTY WATER
 Rock And Hyde Capitol
- 6 SHOULD I SEE Frozen Ghost WEA 7 WALKIN' A FINE LINE · Johansen · House
- 8 FIRST WE TAKE MANHATTAN Jennifer Warnes Attic
- 9 ONLY HUMAN Lee Aaron
- 10 THIS MOURNING Chalk Circle Duke Street

ALBUMS

- BRYAN ADAMS Into The Fire A&M
- GOWAN Great Dirty World Columbia
- 3 GINO VANNELLI Big Dreamers Never Sleep Polydon
- 4 THE BOX Closer Together Alert
- 5 JENNIFER WARNES Famous Blue Raincoat Attic
- 6 ROCK AND HYDE
 Under The Volcano Capitol
- 7 K.D. LANG Angel With A Lariat Sire
- 8 ANNE MURRAY Harmony Capitol
- RITA MacNEIL
 Flying On Your Own Lupins/Virgin
- 10 GLASS TIGER The Thin Red Line Capitol

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A/C SINGLES

- FIRST WE TAKE MANHATTAN
 Jennifer Warnes Attic
- CAN'T WE TRY
 Dan Hill Columbia
- 3 LOST LOVE Joe Wood Rosedale
- 4 KISS HIM GOODBYE The Nylons Attic
- 5 TAKE MY HEART Corey Hart Aquarius
- GIVE ME A LITTLE MORE TIME Harrison Kennedy Roto Noto
- TARA Lindsay Morgan Sink
- 8 I THINK ABOUT YOU
 Zappacosta Capitol
- 9 LOVE TAKES TIME Neil Donnel Cloud 27
- 18 HERE COMES THE WIND One Bell

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COUNTRY SINGLES

- 1 OLO PHOTOGRAPHS · Terry Carisse · Savannah 2 NEW FOOL AT AN DLO GAME - Michelle Wright - Savannah
- 3 SMALL TALK Glory-Anne RCA
- 4 TASTE OF ROMANCE Bootleg Rana
- 5 LISTEN TO MY HEART Stoker Brothers RCA
- 6 SAY WHEN Tim Taylor Savannah
- 7 NO HOLIDAY IN L.A. Ronnie Prophet RCA
- 8 PLAY ME HONKY TONK MUSIC Prairie Oyster Stony Plain
- 9 OUTSKIRTS OF LOVE

 · Blue Rodeo · Risque Disque
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Hart's Goin' Home tickets now on sale

Corey Hart's Goin' Home Canadian tour tickets have gone on sale as of May 29. He will be playing in 15 centres this summer and will be performing material from all 3 of his albums as well as a brand new song which he wrote and recorded in the U.K.

The Hart tour features a new stage design, but he will continue to utilize huge video screens.

His latest Aquarius single, Take My Heart, is backed by My Brother's Leaving Today, which he wrote 5 years ago, but only recorded at the same time as the rest of Fields Of Fire, yet omitted from the album. Apparently the decision not to include this track on the album has been the topic of some second guessing around the label, and they would be interested in hearing what radio and retail people think about the song, now that it's available.

The video of Take My Heart was directed by Susanne Rostock, best known for her editing work, notably on several of the mini-films produced for Saturday Night Live. She also edited 4 of Hart's last 5 videos.

Hart's Canadian tour kicks off at the Lethbridge Sportsplex (July 11), and is followed by Calgary's Olympic Saddledome (12), Vancouver's P.N.E. Coliseum (14), The Northlands Coliseum in Edmonton (16), a unique stadium date at Regina's Taylor Field (18), the Winnipeg Arena (19), Ottawa's Civic Centre (22), London Gardens (23), Toronto's CNE Grandstand (25), Le Colisee in Quebec City (28), Sydney Centre (30), St. John's Memorial Stadium (Aug. 1), Halifax Metro Centre (5), Moncton Coliseum (6), and the giant wind-down show in his hometown of Montreal at the Forum (8).

The Take My Heart video was shot near Ayerscliffe, Quebec, about 80 miles from Montreal. The single is moving quickly up the RPM 100 singles survey, and the album, Fields Of Fire, has remained on the RPM 100 for 34 weeks.

SUBSCRIBE TO THE IDEA OF RPM Strength Of Steel, is a winner . . . and for those radio stations that have special Metal Shop features, this record is a must. Songs like Mad Dog, Concrete Jungle, and Wild Eyes show that Anvil still have what it takes to play Kick Assin' Rock. The band will be touring extensively this summer in support of this new release.

Guitar player extraodinaire, Ronnie Montrose, known for his work with Van Morrison, Edgar Winter, Boz Scaggs and, of course, his own projects . . . is back with a brand new release titled Mean. Ronnie's first single to radio is a cover version of the 1964 hit, The Game Of Love, originally recorded by Wayne Fontana and the Mindbenders.

A release that we are very excited about is the new album by Wire, titled The Ideal Copy. Since coming together back in 1977, this band has set a precedent and standard that inspired the formation and the modulation of countless groups. Tracks such as Ahead and Ambitious prove that this band has something very special to offer, and that's . . . Great Music! Wire will be touring in Canada in June. Dates are confirmed for Montreal's Cafe Campus (June 15), Toronto's RPM (17), and The Commodore in Vancouver (24). Get Wire'd in . . . you won't be disappointed.

TSOL's (True Sound Of Liberty) new release, Hit And Run, has just been released to retail. Radio will be serviced with a 12 SPRO that will contain 2 different versions of

the first single, The Name Is Love.

High Voltage, the latest album from Canadian legendary jazz musician Maynard Ferguson, will be the first jazz record released by Enigma Records' jazz label, Intima Records, in Canada. Maynard is now travelling with his High Voltage band, a seven piece electronic fusion band with Maynard (sax, percussion, drums, guitar, keyboards and bass). Another jazz release that will hit the streets very shortly is from the San Diegobased Fattburger.

Watch for the new Smithereens/Suzanne Vega single, In A Lonely Place, from the Smithereens' successful debut album, Especially For You.

This summer is definitely going to be hot . . . and I don't mean the weather. So grab yourself a fuzzy navel and enjoy.

Performers firmed for CASBY Music Showcase

The CASBY organizers have firmed several acts for their Music Showcase, which will be held at the Metro Toronto Convention Centre on June 20, the 2nd day of this year's

Acts firmed to date are: The Box, Eight Seconds, Images In Vogue, Colin James, Luba, Billy Newton-Davis, Orchestral Manoeuvres In The Dark, Carole Pope & Friends, XTC, Bruce Cockburn, and Pursuit Of Happiness.

The dinner and awards show for this year's CASBY event will also be held at the convention centre. Shawn Thompson will host

Tax breaks for musicians expected this month

On June 18, Finance Minister Michael Wilson is expected to concede certain tax concessions for Canadian artists. Several of these concessions were tabled specifically for musicians, which are the result of the many proposals contained in the Bovey and Siren-Gelinas reports of last year.

Those Task Force reports, initiated by the Ministry of Communications, recognize the "importance of artists and the arts to the quality of our national life," which was jointly pointed out by Mr. Wilson and the Minister of Communications, Flora MacDonald. Arising from the thirty wide-ranging recommendations of these committees was the House of Commons Standing Committee on "Taxation of Artists and The Arts."

However, several areas were acted upon without delay. For instance, the Canadian Advisory Committee on the Status of The Artist was established, along with a number of joint federal and provincial committees. Also included in the last budget, which provided an increase of \$75 million for cultural expenditures, including the creation of the Sound Recording Development program through the funding of \$5 million a year.

In particular, the Siren-Gelinas report placed emphasis on copyright revision as a key element in artists' improvement and the Government will place legislative proposals before Parliament shortly to revise the Copyright Act.

The Government, having now responded to the Standing Committee, suggests that fur-

ther action - in addition to the funding programs - in the form of tax concessions will be forthcoming. "The tax reform White Paper that I will make public on June 18 will complement the measures announced today," states Wilson.

Although the Standing Committee's report contained a total of eight recommendations, two regard the tax treatment of fluctuating incomes and of expenses incurred by employed professional artists relating to project grants and travel allowances.

The Standing Committee recommended that the Income Tax Act be amended to allow employed professional artists to deduct costs associated with artistic employment from their employment income. Wilson has responded by suggesting that, in order to perform their employment duties, some employees, in particular musicians, must incur expenses, this therefore "merits consideration" and is under active examination for the 1988 taxation year.

Also recommended was an amendment to professional artists - the right to use block averaging and the modified accrual basis of accounting as is currently given to farmers and fishermen. However, because fluctuating incomes are not limited strictly to artists, the government will examine the issue of income averaging in the context of tax reform - expected to benefit all taxpayers. The accrual methods of accounting was addressed in the budget of May 1985.

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 Marketing Metal
 Songwriters & Publishers: A Mock
 Negotiation
 Canada: A Market Survey
 7:30 PM
- 7:30 PM
 Recording Engineers
 Alternative Commercial Radio
 Dance Music Issues
 Censorship: Still A Burning Issue

MONDAY — JULY 13

- 10:30 AM Keynote Address
- Reynote Address
 12:30 PM
 Songwriters & Publishers: A Follow-Up
 Workshop
 A Million Dollars Worth of Mistakes
 Racism in the US Music Industry

- Merchandising: The New Profit Center Pool Directors Conclave
- 2:30 PM
 A & R (Arguments & Recriminations)
 Publicity Workshop
 Rhythm Radio: Meeting The Pop Challenge
 State of the Artist's Recording Agreement
 Australia: A Market Survey
 Album Radio Conclave
- 6 5:30 PM
 Managers
 Dis And Remixers
 Commercial Music: Is It Art?
 New Technologies: The Hardware
 - Revolution International Publishers Debate: The European Licensing Controversy Crossover: The New Hitmakers

TUESDAY — JULY 14

11:00 AM
 Rock Criticism
 Recording Contract: A Mock
 Negotiation

- Talent & Booking Workshop: Getting New Bands On The Road Radio G.M.s: The Big Guys Talk Music & Money
- Benelux: A Market Survey College Radio Conclave (Radio Only)
- The Future of Music Video Music For Peace Japan: A Market Survey Hi-NRG: Frontier or Boundary?
- 2:30 PM
 Metal: Headbanging Around The
 World
 Songwriters
 Crossover: Pop Radio's New Attitude
- The Record Deal: A Follow-Up
 Workshop
 Dance & Alternative Rock Retail
 Dance-Oriented Rock
- 5:30 PM
 Record Producers
 UK Major Labels
 Big Record Retailers: Is There Room
- For New Music?
 Contemporary Instrumental
 Music Trends in the Underground

Attorney Clinic: The Whys & Wherefores of Getting a Good Lawyer

WEDNESDAY — JULY 15

- 11:00 AM
 Talent & Booking
 Independent Labels & Distribution:
 The Big Comeback
 Copyright in the Digital Age
 College Radio: The Fresh(man) Format
 Germany/Austria/Switzerland/
 Scandinavia: A Market Survey
 Accounting & Bookkeeping Workshop
- 12:45 PM
 Alternative Promotion & Marketing
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- 2 2 WITH OR WITHOUT YOU
- 3 6 NOTHING'S GONNA CHANGE
 Glenn Medeiros
- 4 5 TALK DIRTY TO ME
- 5 10 LOOKING FOR A NEW LOVE Jody Watley
- 6 3 LA ISLA BONITA Madonna
- 7 13 KEEP ME HANGING ON Kim Wilde
- 8 7 BOOM BOOM Paul Lekakis
- 9 9 WANTED DEAD OR ALIVE
- 10 8 LEAN ON ME Club Nouveau
- 11 12 BIG LOVE Fleetwood Mac
- 12 20 I WANNA DANCE Whitney Heuston
- 13 4 HEAT OF THE NIGHT Bryan Adams
- 14 17 LESSONS IN LOVE
- 15 11 KNEW YOU WERE WAITING Franklin & Michael
- 16 16 MOONLIGHT DESIRES
- 17 21 SWEET SIXTEEN
 Billy Idol
- 18 27 ALWAYS Atlantic Starr
- 19 19 I KNOW WHAT YOU LIKE Huey Lewis
- 21 22 REAL WILD CHILO Iggy Pop
- 22 DIAMONOS Herb Alpert
- SHAKEOOWN Bob Seger
- 24 HEAD TO TOE Lisa Lisa & Cult Jame
- 25 25 THE RIGHT THING Simply Red
- 26 RIGHT ON TRACK Breakfast Club
- IN TOO DEEP
 Genesis
- 28 EVERYTHING I OWN Boy George
- 29 CLOSER TOGETHER
 The Box
- 30 30 SAY GOODBYE Chris deBurgh

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- 1 3 LA ISLA BONITA Madonna
- 2 1 (I Just) DIED IN YOUR ARMS Cutting Crew
- 3 8 NOTHING'S GONNA CHANGE
 Glenn Medeiros
- 4 2 LEAN ON ME Club Nouveau
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- 6 4 WITH OR WITHOUT YOU
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- 12 11 OON'T OREAM Crowded House
- 13 13 DAY IN DAY OUT
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- 14 14 LESSONS IN LOVE · Level 42
- 15 17 BIG LOVE Fleetwood Mac
- 16 5 NOTHING'S GONNA STOP US
 Starship
- 17 30 ALWAYS Atlantic Starr
- 18 21 CLOSER TOGETHER
 The Box
- 19 28 TALK DIRTY TO ME
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- 21SWEET SIXTEEN
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- 22 SOMETHING SO STRONG Crowded House
- 23 23 SIGN 'O' THE TIMES Prince
- 24 27 SE LA Lionel Richie
- 25 OIAMONDS · Herb Alpert
- 26 HEAD TO TOE Lisa Lisa & Cult Jam
- 27 SHAKEDOWN Bob Seger
- 29 29 RIGHT ON TRACK Breakfast Club
- 30 HEART AND SOUL

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- 30 30 SOMETHING SO STRONG Crowded House

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- 8 11 FIRST WE TAKE MANHATTAN
 Jennifer Warnes
- 9 4 LA ISLA BONITA Madonna
- 10 14 SOMETHING SO STRONG Crowded House
- 11 6 LOOKING FOR NEW LOVE Jody Watley
- 12 9 MOONLIGHT DESIRES Gowan
- 13 18 WILO HORSES · Gino Vannelli
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- 15 20 JAMMIN ME Tom Petty
- 16 13 DIRTY WATER
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- 17 IN TOO OEEP
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- 18 23 SWEET SIXTEEN
 Billy Idol-
- 19 22 LESSONS IN LDVE Level 42
- 20 25 DIAMONOS Herb Alpert
- 21 15 LETHAL WEAPON Honeymoon Suite
- 23 21 LOVE REMOVAL MACHINE
 The Cult
- 24 16 WALKING DOWN YOUR STREET
 Bangles
- 25 17 KNEW YOU WERE WAITING Franklin & Michael
- 27 28 THIS MOURNING · Chalk Circle
- 28 30 TAKE MY HEART Corey Hart
- 29 19 COME AS YOU ARE Peter Wolf

HIT BREAKERS



JOHN NOVAK CKOC - Hamilton picks FUNKY TOWN Pseudo Echo



ANDY FROST Q107 - Toronto picks OMAR & THE HOWLERS Hard Times In The Land



STEPHANIE LORD
A&A's Yonge St. Store - Toronto picks IS THIS LOVE Allison Moyet



STEWART DUNCAN
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WHITNEY HOUSTON

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Whitney -- Arista - AL-8405-N

By not stepping beyond the realm of what sent her debut album skyrocketing past the diamond plateau, this release will no doubt be an instant fan-pleaser (and an incredibly immaculate sounding CD won't dampen sales or radio play either). The album has entered the RPM 100 at the No.2 position this week, and all indications are that the first single, I Wanna Dance With Somehody will be a chert. I Wanna Dance With Somebody, will be a charttopper shortly. There will be a number of singles to come from this set, therefore all tracks are key, but I do have my favourites, and one is I Know Him So Well, her duet with Cissy Houston, and Love Is A Contact Sport . . . awesomell!

JAMES GDRDON Looking For Livingston Freedom - FRK-016

The cover art may fool you . . , this is not a children's LP, but the artwork is notable, and was executed by Paulette Sinclair. The band was dubbed "Newfolk" by the press earlier was dubbed "Newroux" by the press earlier this year, and that's a fairly good description of the album, although the Afro-rhythms found on the title track, taken as the first single, might detract from that handle. Well produced by Gordon and Jeff Bird, who have skillfully enhanced the vocals with an exceptional instrumental backing. This was supplied by Jane Ellenton (sax and flute). David Woodhead (keyboards), David Hough ton (drums), Tony Quarrington (quitar), and producer Bird on bass. The Bird Sisters provide background vocals. Also key are Your Wander-ing Gypsy Boy, Dinosaurs, and Pocket Full Of Quarters. Gordon wrote all the material.



STEVE EARLE - Country/Rock Exit O . MCA . MCA-5998-J

When Earle's Guitar Town hit the market, it literally exploded. In fact the album went gold in Canada, very rare for a country LP. Cutting back to Exit O, this is not a country LP, in the strictest sense. Earle continues to give his country a rock edge, particularly the Angry Young Man track, which should be a single directed at the other than country markets.
Charting at present is Nowhere Road, moving up, however slowly, on the RPM Country 60.

but it should pick up shortly. Also key are The Rain Came Down, I Love You Too Much, and No. 29. Produced by Tony Brown, Emory Gordy Jr., and Richard Bennett.



CHALK CIRCLE Mending Walt - Duke Street - DSR-31035-J A creative and inventive album, keenly displaying this group's talents in both the songwriting and musical fields. Again, Chris Wardman has added his meticulous embellishments and recorded another superb piece of product for the label. The first single, This Mourning, continues to bullet up the charts, building quite a story for the launch of this album . . . and with no apparent comparisons to U2 as was the case last year. The Cancon race is on, and a story for the launch of this album this set is certain to give the heavies a run for their money.

LITTLE STEVEN - Pop/Rock Freedom - No Compromise Manhattan - ST-53048-F

A record written with all the fervour of Sun City, and even having the vocal accompaniments of Bruce Springsteen and Ruben Blades, on Native American and Bitter Fruit respectively, both obvious key tracks. Perhaps this album is

the one to break, probably the most politically and socially active musician in the business today. Self-produced.

SCOTT WALKER The Scott Walker Album - GTIC -SWC-1 A rather unique cassette release for Canada. a big band vocal album, and very nicely done The vocal quality and projection of this young talent is in keeping with his theatre experience. There is an easy confidence that allows him to literally wrap himself around a collection of great material. This ranges from I Wanna Be Around, which features Eugene Amaro on tenor sax, and guitarist Ed Bickert, to Lionel Bart's Who Will Buy, with Guido Basso on trumpet. There's also an exceptional version of Noel Coward's If Love Were All, which features Ian McDougell on trombone. Also key is You Stepped Out Of A Oream, and that's Moe Koffman on flute. Produced at McClear Place in Toronto by Phil Sheridan, Jerry Toth, Berthold Carriere and Walker, Excellent fare for A/C (easy listening/MOR) formats.

RANDY TRAVIS Always & Forever - Warner Bros - 92-55681-P Contrary to what some have been saying, Randy Travis is still part and parcel of the country music industry. What has happened is that programmers in those other formats have discovered that country music can be good for the soul . . . or listeners, which ever way you prefer. Needless to say, Travis has the good sense to stay in his country corral, and leaves the gate open. Already a chart buster is his latest single, Forever And Ever, Amen, the first taken from this set. There's more however, which should keep this LP a hot item, one that should be front-racked, by the way. The others are the Peul Overstreet/ Al Gore penning of My House, and Gene Pistilli's Too Gone Too Long. Produced by Kyle Lehning.

Cockburn's CD "a first" for any Canadian artist

Canadian legendary singer/songwriter Bruce Cockburn, a winner of 10 Juno Awards and countless others, has released his longawaited and extremely comprehensive double album set. Titled Waiting For A Miracle, the package contains 22 songs, 6 of which are new or new versions of previously released songs. However, the CD release, comprises 33 tracks and was the reason for the wait, explains Bernie Finkelstein.

Each of the songs has been released as a single, including the title track, as well as those found on the CD. The LP's cover, Raven Bringing Light To The World, was painted by Robert Davidson, and is being used extensively in the p.o.p. campaign.

Finkelstein, who is Cockburn's manager and President of True North Records, admits the double CD package, the first for a Canadian artist, is an experiment. "I can't say that I really know 100 percent what the consumer will think . . . but anyone who buys this package is going to get a phenomenal value,"

"There's no question that, over the years, since 1970 . . . and many of the same people who bought his early records, are buying these records . . . and, of course, they would be people who are really into CD.' The actual CD contains the equivalent of 4 albums, but Finkelstein says he never wanted to do anything more than a double album set.

"I started off with the notion of putting out an album with every single that Bruce has released," he explains. "Then we had to assemble all of the singles. Well, we got a list in front of us, and I was blown away at how many there were. The first thing I did was to add up all the time. I also knew that we had these other tracks that we wanted to add to the record, but I then realized there was no way on a double album we could get every single he ever released . . . yet I knew we didn't want to go past the double album.

"We made the decision at that point that we would do a double album and that we would include all of the very first singles that were released off each album, and we added 6 tracks. It still left us a little bit of time providing we would keep it at 90 minutes. So, we added back into the album package, the second and third singles in some cases.

"Now," he continues, "we were faced with another technological problem: you can only put so much time on an album and on a single cassette you can only have 90 minutes. So, we used 90 minutes as a guideline. Anytime you go over 20 minutes on each side of vinyl there's a very strong possibility of weakening your sound.

"We tested it with Bob Ludwig in New York, to make sure these sides still had the fidelity we felt was important. He assured us there was no problem, so we started assembling the album.

"But here's the thing, CDs are longer than albums, you can put 74 minutes on a CD. Then we were faced with a situation of if we only put out one CD, it would actually be shorter than the double album, which seemed to me to be a bit of an error. After discussions with Don Oates at CBS, we decided to put on the 11 extra singles, some of which were very successful, such as Musical Friends.

"The double CD then is, in fact, every single Bruce ever released, plus the 6 new tracks," continues Finkelstein, concluding with "and it's going to get very special attention from us."

Marketing double LPs - each one a unique case

For CBS, with this past week's release of the new Judas Priest double live package, coupled with the Bruce Cockburn double album compilation set, Dave Platel suggests that beyond trying to competitively price the product, the label can only "highlight" for the consumer their particular and individual value, and hope they will make the appropriate purchase.

As well, currently charting are double live albums, from Stevie Ray Vaughan ("We were fortunate to have a single off the record," he says), and Ozzy Osbourne's tribute to his late guitarist Randy Rhodes.

"If no one gave a damn about Randy Rhodes, and how close his relationship was with Ozzy, then they, the fans, wouldn't pay attention to the album," continues Platel. "It would just be another double live album."

"There has to be much more than just a lot of material put on 2 or 3 or 5 discs before the consumer is willing to shell out those kinds of dollars."

The strength of Priest's live performance will induce fans into purchasing that album, but a special emphasis has been placed on the Cockburn release. "The hooks into that package are the new material," says Platel. "The brand new songs, which he wrote, plus the re-recorded versions of Mama Just Wants To Barrelhouse All Night Long, Rumours Of Glory, The Trouble With Normal, and Fascist Architecture . . . as well as the entire message that Bruce Cockburn had over the past 17 years of his recording career. All combined into one package," Platel concludes.

Record distributor codi

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cord store, radio station and record company reports.

1	1 (12)	U2 The Joshua Tree (Island) ISX-1127-J (Cassette ISXC-1127-J).
2	NEW	WHITNEY HOUSTON Whitney (Arista) AL-8405-N (Cassette AC-8405-N)

- THE CULT Electric (Vertigo) 830 916-Q (Cassette 830 916-4-Q)
- BRYAN ADAMS Into The Fire (A&M) SP-3907-W (Cassette CS-3907-W) 2
- BON JOVI Slippery When Wet (Mercury) 830 264-1-Q (Cassette 830 264-4-Q)
- DAVID BOWIE Never Let Me Down (EMI America) PJ-17267-F (Cassette 4PJ-17267-P)
- FLEETWOOD MAC Tango In The Night (Warner Bros) 92-54711-P (Cassette 92-54714-P)
- LEVEL 42 Running In The Family (Polydor) 831 5931-Q (Cassette 831 5934-Q)
- CROWDED HOUSE Crowded House (Capitol) ST-12485-F (Cassette 4XT-12485-F)
- GOWAN Great Dirty World (Columbia) FC-40754-H (Cassette FCT-40754-H) 6
- 13 (12) Broadcast (Siren) VL-2363-W (Cassette VL4-2363-W) PAUL SIMON
- Graceland (Warner Bros) 92-54471-P (Cassette 92-54474-P)
- SIMPLY RED Men And Women (Elektra) 96-07271-P (Cassette 96-07274-P) 5
- PARTON/RONSTADT/HARRIS Trio (Warner Bros) 92-54911-P (Cassette 92-54914-P)
- POISON
 Look What The Cat Dragged In(Capitol/Enigma)
 ST-12523-F (Cassette 4XT-12523-F) 14 (13)
- WHITESNAKE Whitesnake (Geffen) XGHS-24009-P (Cassette M5-24099-P) 16
- OZZY OSBOURNE/RANDY RHOADS Randy Rhoads Tribute (CBS) KZ2-40714-H (Cassette KZ2T-40714-H)
- MADONNA True Blue (Sire) 92-54421-P (Cassette 92-54424-P)
- BRUCE HORNSBY & THE RANGE The Way It Is (RCA) AFL1-5904-N (Cassette AFK1-5904-N)
- (3) MOTLEY CRUE (3) Girls Girls (Elektra) 96-07251-P (Cassette 96-07254-P)
- BEASTIE BOYS Licensed To III (Def Jam) FC-40238-H (Cassette FCT-40238-H) 21 17 (191
- 22 20 (18) EUROPE The Final Countdown (Epic) FE-40241-H (Cassette FET-40241-H)
- 23 18 (12) CLUB NOUVEAU Life, Love & Pain (Warner Bros) 92-55311-P (Cassette 92-55314-P)
- **STEVE WINWOOD 24** 23 (46) Back in The High Life "(Island/WEA) 92-54481-P (Cassette 92-54484-P)
- JODY WATLEY Jody Watley (MCA) MCA-5898-J (Cassette MCAC-5898-J)
- 26 24 (24) GEORGIA SATELLITES Georgia Satellites (Elektra) 96-04961-P (Cassette 96-04964-P)
- QINO VANNELLI

 (12) Big Dreamers Never Sleep (Polydor)
 831 6001-1-Q (Cassette 831 600-4-Q)
- 28 22 (18) Touch Me (Jive) 1012-1-J-N (Cassette 1012-4-J-N)
- TOM PETTY
 (6) Let Me Up (1've Had Enough) (MCA)
 MCA-5836-J (Cassette MCAC-5836-J)
- 30 28 (50) Invisible Touch (Atlantic) 78-16411-P (Cassette 78-16414-P)
- THE BOX 31 34 (10) Closer Together (Alert) BD-1005-Q (Cassette BD4-1005-Q)
- JENNIFER WARNES

 26 (24) Famous Blue Raincoat (Attic)
 LAT-1227-W (Cassette CAT-1227-W)
- PRINCE
 (8) Sign 'O' The Times (Paisley Park)
 92-55771-P (Cassette 92-55774-P) 34 37 (5) BARBRA STREISAND One Voice (Columbia) OC-40788-H (Cassette OCT-40788-H)

- 35 35 (14) ROCK AND HYDE
 Under The Volcano (Capitol)
 ST-6555-F (Cassette 4XT-6555-F)
- (7) SMITHS Louder Than Bombs (Sire) 92-55691-P (Cassette 92-55694-P) 36 30
- 37 31 (60) BANGLES Different Light (Columbia) FC-40039-H (Cassette FCT-40039-H)
- 38 29 (15) Ready Or Not (Atlantic) 78-17281-P (Cassette 78-17284-P)
- 39 38 (17) CINDERELLA Night Songs (Mercury) 850-0761-Q (Cassette 830-0764-Q)
- 40 40 (36) ANITA BAKER Rapture (Elektra) 96-04441-P (Cassette 96-04444-P)
- RANDY TRAVIS Always And Forever (Warner Bros) 92-55681-P (Cassette 92-55684-P)
- 42 39 (58) JANET JACKSON Control (A&M) SP-5106-W (Cassette CS-5106-W)
- PETER GABRIEL
 So (Geffen)
 XGHS-24088-P (Cassette M5-24088-P)
- HEART Bad Animals (Capitol) PJ-12546-F (Cassette 4PJ-12546-F) 44 77 (2)
- 45 45 (14) K.D. LANG Angel With A Lariat (Sire) 92-54411-P (Cassette 92-54414-P)
- 46 42 (16). PSYCHEDELIC FURS Midnight To Midnight (Columbia) FC-40466-H (Cassette FCT-40466-H
- 47 50 (7) ANNE MURRAY
 Harmony (Capitol)
 ST-12562-H (Cassette 4XT-12562-F) RITA MacNEIL Flying On Your Own (Virgin/Lupins) RM-1001-W (Cassette RMC-1001-W
- DWIGHT YOAKAM Hillbilly Deluxe (Reprise) 92-55671-P (Cassette 92-55674-P) (3)
- GLASS TIGER
 The Thin Red Line (Capitol)
 ST-6527-F (Cassette 4XT-6527-F) 50 41 (65)
- THE JUDDS Heartland (RCA) 5916-1-R-N (Cassette 5916-4-R-N)
- 52 52 (39) Fore (Chrysalis) CHX41534-J (Cassette XHXC41534-J)
- 53 53 (14) FROZEN GHOST Frozen Ghost (WEA) 25-45651-P (Cassette 25-45654-P)
- 44 (40) Dancing On The Celling (Motown) MOX 6158-J (Cassette MOXC-6158-J)
- ROBERT CRAY Strong Persuader (Mercury) 830-568-1-Q (Cassette 830-568-4-Q) 55 55 (23)
- 56 49 (103) WHITNEY HOUSTON Whitney Houston (Arista) AL8-8212-N (Cassette AC8-8212-N
- AMAZULU Amazulu (Island) ISL-1114-J (Cassette ISLC-1114-J)
- 58. 46 (14) LEE AARON Lee Aaron (Attic) LAT-1231-W (Cassette CAT-1231-W)
- KIM WILDE Another Step (MCA) SP-5903-J (Cassette MCAC-5903-J) 59 72
- 60 60 (22) Blah Blah Blah (A&M) SP-5145-W (Cassette CS-5145-W)
- SUZANNE VEGA Solitude Standing (A&M) SP-5136-W (Cassette CS-5136-W) 69
- CARLY SIMON Coming Around Again (Arista) AL-8443-N (Cassette AC-8443-N)
- 63 63 (31) BILLY IDOL Whiplash Smile (Chrysalis) CHX41514-J (Cassette CHXC41514-J)
- 64 57 (18) By The Light Of The Moon (Warner Bros) 92-55231-P (Cassette 92-55234-P)
- (3) STEVE EARLE & THE DUKES Exit O (MCA) MCA-5998-J (Cassette MCAC-5998-J) 66 66 (22) RANDY TRAVIS Storms Of Life (Warner Bros) 92-54351-P (Cassette 92-54354-P)
- 6) 79 (3) R.E.M. Dead Letter Office (I.R.S.) SP-70054-W (Cassette CS-70054-W)

- BLOW MONKEYS
 68 68 (6) She Was Only A Grocer's Daughter (RCA)
 6246-1-R-N (Cassette 6246-4-R-N)
- WORLD PARTY

 69 61 (12) Private Revolution (Chrysalis)
 CHS-41552-J (Cassette CHSC-4152-J)
- 70 74 (49) Into The Light (A&M) SP-5121-W (Cassette CS-5121-W)
- 71 75 (7) Close To The Bone (Arista) AL-8449-N (Cassette AC-8449-N)
- GREGORY ABBOTT Shake You Down (Columbia) FC-40437-H (Cassette FCT-40437-H)
- 73 76 (6) Come As You Are (EMI America) ST-17230-F (Cassette 4XT-17230-F)
- AC/DC 74 71 (49) Who Made Who (Atlantic) 78-16501-P.(Cassette 78-16504-P)
- WANG CHUNG 75 73 (31) Mosaic (Geffen) XGHS24115-P (Cassette M5-24115-P)
- ACE FREHLEY
 (2) Frehley's Comet (Atlantic)
 78-17491-P (Cassette 78-17491-P)
- HOODOO GURUS Blow Your Cool (Mercury) 830 947-1-Q (Cassette 830 947-4-Q) 77 80 (4)
- JOE JACKSON Will Power (A&M) SP-3908-W (Cassette CS-3908-W) 78 78
- THE REPLACEMENTS
 Pleased To Meet Me (Sire)
 92-55571-P (Cassette 92-55574-P) 79 84
- LISA LISA AND CULT JAM Spanish Fly (Columbia) FC-40477-H (Cassette FCT-40477-H)
- THE NYLONS
 Happy Together (Attic)
 LAT-1233-W (Cassette CAT-1233-W)
- JOHN FARNHAM
 (2) Whispering Jack (RCA)
 6300-1-R-N (Cassette 6300-4-R-N)
- BEVERLY HILLS COP II Various Artists (MCA) MCA-6207-J (Cassette MCAC-6207-J) (3) NEW
- BRUCE WILLIS
 The Return Of Bruno (Motown)
 MOT-6222-J (Cassette MOTC-6222-J) 84 56 (18)
- 85 62 (9) Exposure (Arista) AL-8441-N (Cassette AC-8441-N)
- DAN HILL Dan Hill (Columbia) FC-40456-H (Cassette FCT-40456-H) 86 90
- TOP GUN Soundtrack (Columbia) SC-40323-H (Cassette SCT-40323-H) 87 58 (50)
- THE MISSION Soundtrack (Virgin) VL-2402-W (Cassette VL4-2402-W)
- BRUCE COCKBURN
 Waiting For A Miracle (True North)
 TN2-67-H (Cassette TN2T-67-H) 89 NEW
- ROBBIE NEVIL
 Robbie Nevil (Manhattan)
 ST-53006-F (Cassette 4XT-53006-F) 90 85 (22)
- ERASURE The Circus (Sire) 92-55541-P (Cassette 92-55544-P) 91 91 (3)
- GREGG ALLMAN BAND I'm No Angel (Epic) FE-40531-H (Cassette FET-40531-H) 92 92
- PAUL JANZ Electricity (A&M) SP-5156-W (Cassette CS-5156-W) 93 97
- LADYSMITH BLACK MAMBAZO Shaka Zulu (Warner Bros) 92-55821-P (Cassette 92-55824-P) 94 93
- GARY MOORE
 (2) Wild Frontier (Virgin 10)
 VL-2377-W (Cassette VL4-2377-W) 95 98
- LITTLE STEVEN
 Freedom No Compromise (Manhattan)
 ST-53048-F (Cassette 4XT-53048-F)
- 97 81 (34) Fields Of Fire (Aquarius) AQR542-F (Cassette 4AQ542-F
- EDDIE MONEY Can't Hold Back (Columbia) FC40096-H (Cassette FCT40096-J) 98 87 (36)
- SLY AND ROBBIE Rhythm Killers (Island) ISL-1126-J (Cassette ISLC-1126-J) 99
- (5) Soundtrack (Atlantic) 78-17421-P (Cassette 78-17424-P) 100 88

RPM's Big Country Awards - a classy affair

Canada's country music industry was well represented at this year's Big Country Awards, held once again in the Park Ballroom of Toronto's Inn On The Park. Not only was the room filled with a good percentage of this year's nominees and last year's winners, there was an even larger representation from independent labels, plus a very important contingent from FACTOR/CTL led by Mel Shaw. Top executives, presidents, vice presidents, and directors from major labels (BMG, CBS, Capitol, MCA, WEA) were also on hand to show their interest in and support for Canada's country music industry.

Bootleg's Ron Irving was surprised at the turnout, "We heard a great deal about the Big Country Awards," said Irving, "and it was well worth the trip from Vancouver to meet and to be able to talk socially with so many important people." Irving and fellow bandmember Dan Proulx, nominated in the Top Group category, were accompanied by their Rana label chief Maggie Scherf.

After a get-acquainted reception, a specially prepared dinner was served, followed by the awards presentation.

Big Country co-founder Walt Grealis opened the proceedings - relating back to the founding of the awards in 1975, and paying tribute to The Good Brothers and their win in 1976 as Outstanding Group. Bruce Good was in the audience and acknowledged this tribute, which set the nostalgia theme for the evening. Another winner in 1976 was Ronnie Prophet, who hosted what went on to become the multi-award winning Grand Old Country

TV show. Grealis then introduced Prophet, who took over as emcee for the evening.

The presenters represented the record and broadcast industries as well as the performing rights organizations. They were Nancy Gyokeres from PROCAN, The Mercey Brothers, CFGM's Gary O'Brien, Sunbury/Dunbar President Ron Solleveld, Rae Palmer from Altair Four, FACTOR/CTL's Mel Shaw, Book Shop's Gilles Godard, Savannah's Terry Carisse and Bruce Good, Diane & Jim Haggerty from the B&C label, CHAM's Ernie Steeves and Cliff Dumas, Golden Eagle's Carol Martyn, and Mike Francis.

Unfortunately, Carroll Baker wasn't on hand to accept her award as Top Country Female Vocalist, considered by many as one of the surprises of the evening. Her award was accepted by Aija Carisse. Anne Murray's



It was back in 1976 when The Good Brothers won their first Big Country award as Outstanding Group.



Capitol's Eddie Colero, Columbia's Charlie Camilleri, Balmur's Leonard Rambeau and the late Dave Johnson at the 1976 Big Country Awards.

Best Country Single award for Now And Forever (You And Me) was accepted by Capitol's Eddie Colero. The Top Country Composers award, won by David Foster and Jim Vallance for Murray's You And Me single, was accepted by Balmur's Marlene Palmer, and Foster's Top Country Producer award, which was also won for Murray's You And Me, was accepted by B.J. Cook.

As the awards presentation came to a close, the audience gave host Ronnie Prophet a standing ovation for his polished and highly professional job of hosting the evening's events. Said CHUM-FM's Warren Cosford, "I've been to a lot of awards shows, but this has to be one of the best." Eddie Eastman, himself a past Big Country and Juno winner, said "What a great night. I'll be working hard to make sure I'm a part of these awards next year." Said Savannah's Brian Ferriman, "A very classy evening, and we're honoured to be a part of it."

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Alja Carisse accepts Carroll Baker's Top Country Female award from B&C artists, Diane and Jim Haggerty. Baker was unable to attend the awards.



Savannah recording artist Terry Carlsse acknowledges the applause of the audience as he accepts his award as Top Male Vocalist.



Book Shop President Gilles Godard accepts Outstanding New Artist award for Double Eagle Band from Savannah's Terry Carlsse and Bruce Good.



Larry and Lloyd Mercey present Top Country Radio Personality of the Year award to Cliff Dumas of 820 CHAM Country - Hamilton.



Balmur's Mariene Palmer accepts Anne Murray's Canadian Country Artist of The Year award from Cliff Dumas and Emile Steeves of CHAM.



CHAM General Manager Kelth James and on-air personality Jim Johnson, accept Radio Station of The Year award from Sunbury/Dunbar's Ron Solleveld.



Capitol's Eddie Colero accepting Producer award for David Foster, who was unable to attend. Presenting is Mel Shaw, Executive Director of FACTOR/CTL.



Anne Murray's award for Single of The Year (You And Me) was accepted by Balmur's Mariene Palmer. Gilles Godard made the presentation.



Mike Francis presents Top Country Composer award, won by David Foster and Jim Vallance for You And Me. B.J. Cook accepts on their behalf.



The Top Record Company of The Year award went to BMG (RCA). Making the presentation to BMG's Larry Macrae is Nancy Gyokeres of PROCAN.



The Family Brown won Top Group award, and above their manager Ron Sparling accepts their award, presented by Altair Four's Rae Paimer.



The Best Country Album award went to Terry Carlsse for None Of The Feeling is Gone (Savannah), presented by Gary O'Brien of CFGM.

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Carmen Westphal preparing new single The Reba label is preparing the release of Carmen Westphal's new single, You're An Angel (When You Want To Be), the followup to Your Old Girlfriend. The latter enjoyed several weeks of charting on the RPM Country 60. The new single, described as "contemporary country, heavy on crossover," was written by Luke Gibson, a veteran of the recording and songwriting fields (Kensington Market and Luke & The Apostles). The single was produced by Dave Burt at Hamilton's Grant Avenue Studios. Westphal has maintained a large following throughout Central Ontario where she has been active on the club circuit, playing to good houses at Brampton's Place des Royale, Buster's in Newcastle, and Hollies in Milton. She will be taping Opry North with Prairie Oyster, at the Budweiser Truck Show in Markham.

New Stoker Bros single shipped

The Stoker Brothers, Big Country nominees in the Top Group category, are on release with their latest RCA single, Fiddlin' My Time Away, an original by the band. The single follows the chart success of Listen To My Heart, which enjoyed 12 weeks of charting. The new single which qualifies as 4-parts Cancon was produced by Rick Whitelaw and Mickey Stoker.

Parker cuts Brown composition

Billy Parker, well-known in American country music circles, has released a Barry Brown penning of You Don't Have To Drive Me Crazy, which qualifies as 2-parts Cancon. The single was produced by Canyon Creek's Bart Barton and released in Canada on the RCA label. The song is published by Sunbury Music Canada.

Canvon Creek follow-up for Sharp

Rosemary Sharp's follow-up to her recent charter, Didn't You Go And Leave Me, a Barry Brown penning, is titled Real Good

new from Dick Damron You'd Still Be Here Today on RCA

Heartache. This release however, does not qualify as Cancon. The single was produced by Bart Barton and released on his Canyon Creek label. Sharp had much success with her debut single, which saw chart action both in Canada and in the U.S. Barton was in Toronto for the Big Country Awards, representing Canvon Creek's most successful Cancon artist, Audie Henry, who was nominated as Top Female Vocalist, While in Toronto, he presented RPM with the Star Maker Award.

Gillam packaging attracts attention

Brenden Gillam's new single, Fire The Writer, has attracted the eye of programmers as well as their ears. The single is packaged in a colourful sleeve, displaying a broken pencil, the title and artist on the front with a photo of Gillam and important label information on the back. The photo work was executed by Benincasa Photography. Interestingly enough Fire The Writer was written by Tony Benincasa, and produced and arranged by Gillam for release on his own GBM label. BMG handles distribution. The single will be included on Gillam's upcoming album, Kid In A Candy Store. A tour of Ontario is set to begin June 21, to be followed by an extensive swing through Newfoundland which will see him play 11 shows in 15 days. Gillam, a native of Corner Brook, is hopeful the tour of his home province will be supported by a brewery.

Leahy Family to play Nashville date

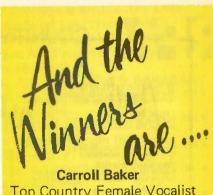
The Leahy Family, currently in the studio with Gord Hiens of Runaway, are working on their new RCA single. Let Me Hear The Sound, to be released this month. They will be representing Canada at the International Show during Fan Fare in Nashville from June 20 through the 24. They are also booked across Canada and the U.S. for a full summer



of dates, which include fairs, jamborees, fiddle contests, rodeos, concert halls and a tour of North Carolina running from Sept. 29 through Oct. 10. The family band is managed by Brian Edwards of Peterborough's Rocklands Talent.

Haggertys off with new single

Big Country nominees, The Haggertys (Top Group and Best Country Single) are off with their latest B&C single, Your Love Takes Me Away. The single, produced by Eric R. Baragar and John C. Collins, who also were nominated for this year's Big Country Awards (Top Producers and Top Composers) was written by James T. Haggerty,



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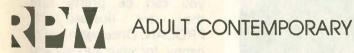
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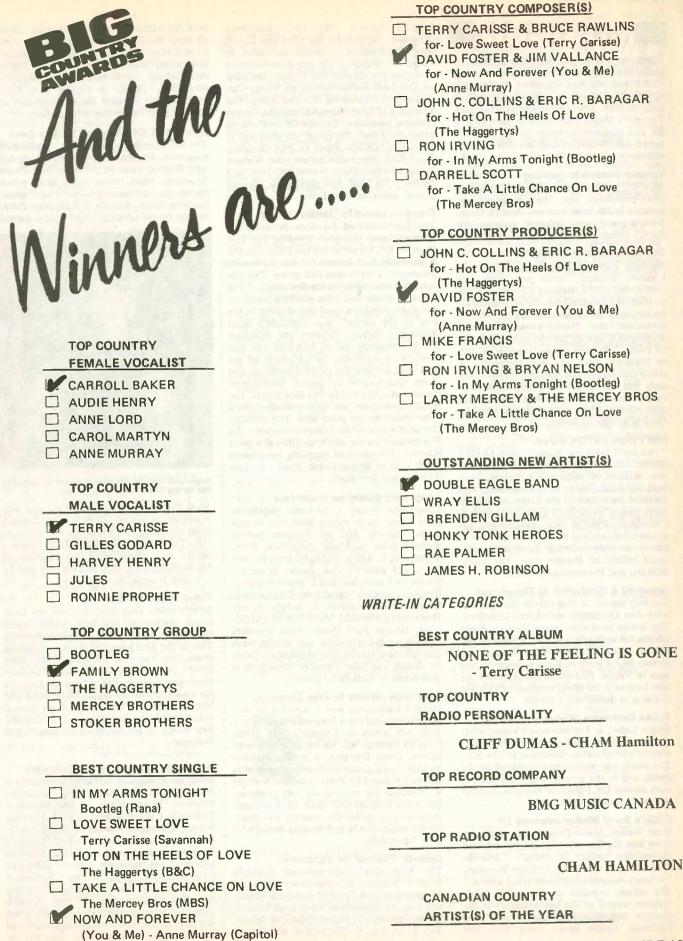
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Diamond's Greatest Hits hits 90,000

Neil Diamond's Greatest Hits, released by CBS Direct, has now topped the 90,000 units sold mark. The album/cassette was released early in 1986. Diamond is scheduled to play Toronto's Maple Leaf Gardens June 19 and 20, and Montreal's Forum on the 21st. It's hoped that Western Canadian dates will be added.

Enigma Canada is growing

Jody D. Mitchell joins Enigma Canada as retail/promotion rep. She has gained experience in the label business through Island Records, and was assistant manager for A&A's Yonge Street store in Toronto.

The Luminaries to release EP

Malcolm Lane of Dangerous Rhythms in London, England, sends news that The Luminaries will be releasing a 3-track 12" EP on their own label in June. Titled Waiting To Be Rescued, the EP contains three of what is considered their "most popular tracks," Mystery & Disguise, Beyond Belief, and Out Of Focus. The band was put together in 1985 by Malcolm, who was with Metabolist, a group that played and released records in the early '80s. He was joined by his brother Duncan on bass guitar, and then by drummer Alan Clark. There is no release label in Canada at time of writing.

Don't label JATO's music

"You can't label our music," says JATO's percussionist Paul Di Cola, "We're an evolution of rock 'n' roll, reggae, fusion, jazz, latin and funk. We're us," a statement that heralded the release of the Vancouver band's latest single, titled She's Got. The single is released on Parallel One, Vancouver's aggressive independent label. A major promotion is currently underway through the combined efforts of Parallel One, The Music Brokers, and Promotionally Yours.

Crawford & Goldsmith to Finkelstein

Recently signed to Finkelstein Management were Jon Goldsmith and Kerry Crawford. The 2-man production team have produced albums for such artists as Jane Siberry, Hugh Marsh, Bruce Cockburn, Ian Thomas, and recenty begun work on the new album by Images In Vogue. Finkelstein Management are now located in the newly renovated CITY-TV building in downtown Toronto.

Pukka Orchestra release new single

Major Label, a Toronto-based independent record company, has just shipped Pukka Orchestra's latest single, Goldmine In The Sky. The single was written and produced by the band, and is the second single taken from their current EP, Palace Of Memory. A video will be released shortly.

CJCL's Scott Walker releases LP

Scott Walker, Music Director and afternoon drive host for Toronto's CJCL, has released "something unique in today's Canadian music scene," says publicist Ellen Woodger, "a newly recorded big band vocal album." The album, released on the GTIC label, features several of the top musicians in the country including Peter Appleyard, Moe Koffman, Guido Basso, Jerry Toth and

Eugene Amaro. "In all," continues Woodger, "a 19-piece big band and 21 strings, resulting in a sound unrivalled in Canada." Walker is the son of well-known Canadian broadcaster Bill Walker. Included on The Scott Walker Album are Hoagy Carmichael's I Get Along Without You, Noel Coward's If Love Were All, and the George Shearing penning of Lullaby Of Birdland, to name just a few. The album was produced at Toronto's McClear Place by Phil Sheridan, Jerry Toth, Berthold Carriere, and Walker. To support the album, Walker and Toth have formed a big band now playing the Toronto circuit, including Casa Loma.

Freedom debut for James Gordon

The Toronto-based Freedom Records, has released James Gordon's Looking For Livingstone LP, his debut for the label. Gordon is probably best known for his work with Tamarack, a traditional folk group. The title track has been taken as the first single. "The textured vocals and Afro-rhythms found on the single provide a good introduction to the rest of the album" says Freedom's Scott Richards. Backing Gordon are drummer David Houghton, bassist Jeff Bird who also doubles on mandolin, Jane Ellenton on sax and flute, keyboardist David Woodhead, and Tony Quarrington on guitar. Background vocals were provided by The Bird Sisters. The band's new sound was appropriately dubbed "Newfolk" by the press after their debut at Toronto's Horseshoe Tavern in January, All the material on the album qualifies as 4-parts Cancon. The principal recording was done at ARP Trax in Stoney Creek. Producers were Gordon and Jeff Bird.

Long John Baldry on major tour

Long John Baldry is currently playing to good houses as he moves from west to east across Canada. His performances feature material from his MusicLine album, Silent Treatment, as well as highlights from It Ain't Easy, and Baldry's Out. Baldry is accompanied by 7 musicians and 2 female vocalists. The musicians are 'Papa' John King (guitar), Bruce Coulter (guitar & harp), Jimmy Horowitz (keyboards), Vince Ditrich (percussion), George Ford (bass), John Saunders (saxophone & keyboards), and Kirstin Nash (saxophone & vocals). The vocalists are Sandi St. Aubin, and Sibel Thrasher. MusicLine is distributed in Canada by Capitol.

Laderoute returns to Free Times

Michael Laderoute, who is working on new and old material for a Toronto recording session, will return to Toronto's Free Times (May 28 through 30). He works closely with bassist, Doug Doughty, who also supplies backup vocals. Laderoute's recording session will be produced by Peter Goodale. A single is expected for release by late summer. Laderoute's repertoire, much of it original, leans towards rockabilly, country and blues. He has acquired a large following through his Free Times dates.

Comedy Festival for Vancouver

The Vancouver International Comedy Festival Society, in cooperation with the Management and Trust of Granville Island, will host the first annual Vancouver International Comedy Festival on Granville Island, July 31 to Aug. 9. The festival will feature

over 250 outdoor street performances, up to 10 early evening performances at the Arts Club Revue Theatre, 10 evening presentations at the Waterfront Theatre, and 8 latenite cabaret performances at Isadora's Restaurant. Tickets go on sale early July. Contact Jane Howard Baker (producer) at 604-736-0883 for further information.

Award and WEA signing for Bee Gees

The Bee Gees will be returning to the recording scene shortly, through a recent signing with Warner Bros. In the meantime, Chain Reaction, which they wrote, and which became an international hit for Tina Turner, has won Barry, Robbin and Maurice Gibb, an Ivor Novello Award. The award is for the



Robin Gibb with his ivor Novello Award, presented to him for the Gibb's Chain Reaction hit.

Most Performed Work of 1986, and was presented to Robin, who flew to London from his home in Florida for the presentation. The song is published by Gibb Brothers Music and administered by Unichappell Music (BMI) in the U.S. and Canada, and by Chappell International worldwide.

Video award to MsM

M³M's video, Only You, has won the Gold Sheaf Award in the Best Music Video category at this year's Yorkton Film Festival. This is the 23rd year for the Saskatchewan event. Only You is the third single taken from M³M's The World Is A Ball album. The short film was conceived, directed and produced by the co-leaders of the band, Mark Gane and Martha Johnson. This is the duo's second video award, the first being a 1985 CASBY Best Video Award for Black Stations/White Stations.

A/C Radio Conference for California

Sandy Shore sends news that a Contemporary Adult Radio Conference is being held at the Monterey Beach Hotel on the Monterey Peninsula, California June 13 & 14. The conference is flying the banner of "An Exploration of Contemporary Adult Radio". Keynote speakers will be Mike Kinosian (Adult Contemporary), John Sebastian (Alternatives), and Rollye Bornstein (Research). Says Shore, "There will be two full days of discussion on how to reach today's most sought after demographics, two full days to help you through the complex of adult formats, two full days with the in-

dustry's most successful radio professionals, and two full days exploring the industry's hottest topic - Contemporary Adult Radio''. For further information contact Sandy Shore of O'Brien & Shore Broadcast Enterprises: 213-862-2810. The \$225.00 registration deadline has been extended to May 16 to accommodate RPM readers.

More dates for Parachute Club

The Parachute Club, currently off and running with their latest Current/BMG (RCA) single, Walk To The Rhythm (Of Your Heartbeat), have firmed the following dates: Vancouver's Commodore (June 9), Du Nord Arena, Notre Dame, Quebec (20), Ontario Place Forum, Toronto (22 through 24), the Grand Central in Ottawa (25), and tentative dates back at Ontario Place (July 17), and the Red River Exhibition in Winnipeg (24). As well, the band's Lorraine Segato will sing the National Anthem at the Toronto Blue Jays and New York Yankees game in Toronto June 30.

Kim Richardson to Promotionally Yours
The latest recording artist to join the roster of
Promotionally Yours . . . Martin/Kierans is
1986 Juno Award winner (Most Promising
Vocalist) Kim Richardson. Coming up is her
new single, I Want It, to be released by A&M.

Darby Mills released by MCA

Sam Feldman, of the Vancouver-based S.L. Feldman & Associates, reports that he has "negotiated an unconditional release from MCA Records for Darby Mills."

PetroCanada support for Toronto Pops

At the recent post concert reception of the Toronto Pops Orchestra, which featured Earth Kitt (May 8), Petro Canada Products Senior Vice President Jim Pantelidis, presented a cheque to the Chairman of the Pops' Board, Mario J. Mekinda. The cheque was "in support of the Orchestra's ongoing operations." Pantelidis added, "This is part of Petro Canada's overall commitment to the arts and culture in Canada."

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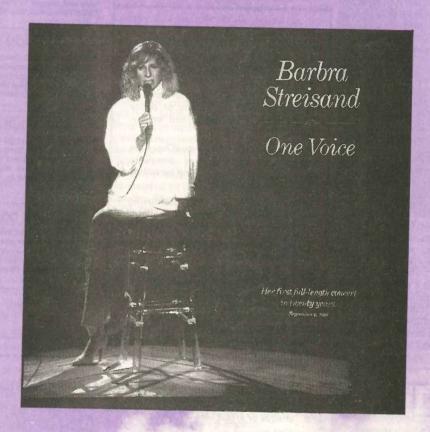
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