

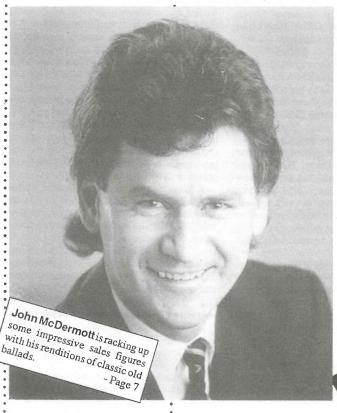
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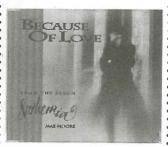
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Canadians join Manee at MIDEM dance showcase

Canadian talent will be showcased after all at MIDEM '93, thanks to the efforts of Steve Thomson.

The president of Backstage Productions International will present a showcase of Canadian artists along with Manee, his newest discovery. Manee hails from Bangkok, Thailand and has sold in excess of eight million units in her homeland. Her latest album, titled Desire, was produced in Canada and features a total Canadian repertoire.

Three Canadian artists have been invited to perform with Manee at MIDEM, including Jannetta and Debbie Johnson, who sang background vocals on Desire. Alexander Caplin, a new name on the Canadian dance scene, will also appear at the showcase at The Carlton Casino Club in Cannes, France on Jan. 25. Music Business International, an international monthly trade magazine, will present the show.

The performances by the four artists will be preceded by a video presentation featuring the top 10 Canadian dance videos of 1992. The 100 key industry people from around the world invited to the showcase will be guests of Backstage at the casino afterwards.

In addition to the MIDEM show, Manee and her special guests will also perform on Jan. 22 at Jimmy'Z, a posh discotheque/night club in Monte Carlo.

The tour is being produced by Janice Groom for Backstage and will be videotaped as part of a documentary for later broadcast.

Lang and Adams get nod for American awards

K.D. Lang and Bryan Adams are the Canadian nominees for the 20th Annual American Music Awards.

Lang was nominated as best new artist in the adult contemporary category. Adams received a nomination for top male pop-rock artist.

Winners will be selected by the public through a national sampling of approximately 20,000 American record buyers. The awards show will air on ABC-TV on Jan. 25.



MCA's Alanis meets and greets Winnipeg retali. (back row) Carole Dufault (Music City Polo Park), Anita Basic (HMV Kildonan Place), Sonny Macaluso (Discus Polo Park), Carol Derraugh (Sam's Polo Park), Brian Hampel (National Record Distributors), Ian Mowat (Sam's Garden City), and (front) Greg Barratt (MCA Winnipeg), Alanis, John Marlow (Sam's Unicity), Brian Alilson (Musiplex).

New licensing deal struck, or at least partially

Just when it appeared that the long negotiation process over a new mechanical licensing agreement between CRIA and CMRRA was finally over, it seems that the two sides still haven't come to a conclusive finalé.

David Basskin, president of CMRRA (Canadian Musical Reproduction Rights Agency), says the deal is done. Brian Robertson, president of CRIA (Canadian Recording Industry Association), thinks not.

"A deal was signed Dec. 23 by CMRRA and CRIA, and four of the six majors," Basskin says. "It was signed by MCA, BMG, PolyGram and Capitol. Warner and Sony are refusing to sign the deal until a deal has been worked out on the licensing of Columbia House Record Club.

"The four companies that signed have paid the CMRRA the royalties they were holding back prior to signing. This was the difference between the old rate and the new rate. And on January 4, Warner, notwithstanding that they haven't signed, voluntarily paid CMRRA their amount of money and told me that they are going to be acting in compliance with the deal even though it isn't signed.

"Sony, on the other hand, is refusing to pay the money until the deal is signed, and does not regard the deal as binding upon it until it signs.

"On the record club front, we are actively negotiating an agreement. I'm hoping that by as soon as next Tuesday (Jan. 12), when my board meets, we'll be able to approve a deal. Sony has told me that when the record club deal is completed, it will sign the CRIA deal."

Robertson, meanwhile, says, "Until the total negotiations are finished and the deal is finally executed, which it isn't yet, I'm withholding comment.

"It's been such a long and arduous process that I just want to get the whole thing completed and finalized, which it isn't yet. And until it is, we're not being as vocal as Mr. Basskin is."

Cinespace's Mirkopoulos acquires Kleinburg studio

Nick Mirkopoulos, president of Toronto's Cinespace Studios, has taken over management of Kleinburg Studios. The popular and highly successful studio is also known as Toronto International Studios.

This acquisition marks the first stage in proposed moves by Cinespace to branch out in other directions. The Kleinburg plant is well outside the boundaries of Metropolitan Toronto, situated actually just a short drive north of Toronto.

The Cinespace Studios is already considered one of the largest film production complexes in the world, next to Los Angeles, and boasts every conceivable convenience as well as modern amenities.

The Kleinburg plant apparently has the same facilities as Cinespace, and is in full use. Mirkopoulos has revealed that he already has plans for expanding the Kleinburg site as well as others.

Basskin counters Robertson's position by stating that he has the CRIA president's signature on the contract for the new mechanical licensing deal. "He (Robertson) is free to say whatever he likes. It's a free country.

"I find his attitude surprising in light of the fact that, on January 6, CRIA filed a copy of the agreement with the Copyright Board of Canada." This filing is necessary under the Canadian Copyright Act.

The launch of new digital compact cassettes (DCC) and Sony's Mini-Discs had been delayed until a new licensing deal was struck. Now, Basskin says, he's prepared to issue licences for the new digital audio software products to those companies that have signed the deal and have made licence applications. Those companies that haven't yet signed will not get licences for their products until they do.

What this means to consumers is that DCCs should be available soon, if they're not already on store shelves by the time you read this. DCC players and recorders have been in stores for about a month.

The CMRRA has not yet received any licence applications for Mini-Discs from Sony. Therefore, Mini-Discs are not yet available in stores.

Sony Music Canada president Paul Burger was unavailable for comment as of press time.

Kim Cooke to A&R post for Warner Music Canada

Kim Cooke has been appointed vice-president of A&R for Warner Music Canada.

Cooke has been associated with Warner Music for 14 years, the last three as vice-president of national promotions and special products. Prior to that he was marketing manager for Atlantic Records.

Warner Canada's senior vice-president Dave Tollington says Cooke's "110 per cent approach to everything he's accomplished at Warner Canada, and his excellent relationship over the years with our U.S. labels, makes for a potent force in Canadian A&R."



Barenaked Ladies sign Canadlan tour agreement. (I to r) Jack Ross (The Agency), Nigel Best (BNL manager), Elliott Lefko (MCA Concerts Canada), Jay Marciano (MCA Concerts Canada), and Len Glickman (Minden, Gross, Grafstein & Greenstein).

Mosport to be setting for Woodstock II Festival

Peter Barrowclyffe, president of Woodstock Entertainment '93, has come up with the bold concept of a Woodstock II super concert to be staged on a 729-acre site at Mosport, Ont.

As the name implies, the three-day entertainment extravaganza (Aug. 20-22), will be fashioned after the original Woodstock Festival, which took place in the summer of 1969 in New York State.

"I was there," says Barrowclyffe, "but I was there as a viewer, not a spectator, and to me there's a world of difference. Needless to say, I was inspired by Woodstock, and I've been working on this project for the past two years. I think that after 25 years, the timing is right for Woodstock II."

Barrowclyffe has obviously spent a great deal of time and effort researching his project, right down to checking with the meteorological department of Stats Canada. Daytime temperatures for the area over the last five years were reported to have been in the 20-26 degree range, dropping to 7-14 degrees nightly. "The chance of light showers are possible on one of the three nights," says Barrowclyffe, who expects to draw an audience of 500,000 for 48 hours of steady performances on two separate stages.

Besides the ideal weather conditions, Barrowclyffe has armed himself for the expected queries on why he picked Mosport.

"Its 729 acres is large enough. Its infrastructure is in place. It's a jewel of Ontario. It has washroom facilities capable of handling a crowd. It has security areas. It has major road access. It has proper gating facilities. It has food staging facilities. It has water suitable for drinking and bathing. It can be a controlled area. It has buildings formedical

Cottage Industry and Intrepid Records split

Intrepid Records and Cottage Industry have terminated their association two albums into a three-disc contract.

"We've learned a few painful lessons over the past few years," says Cottage Industry guitarist Tom Paterson. "We figured that Intrepid wasn't doing anything for us we couldn't do ourselves. We just wanted out, and that was fine with them."

Intrepid's Graham Stairs says the band is still under contract until the end of March, but the company won't pick up their option when it elapses. Although Stairs likes the group's music, he says there were aspects of their personal and business affairs he didn't agree with.

"They didn't sell records and they weren't happy about that. I thought that they made two great records for us but no one seemed to be too interested."

Cottage Industry has contributed one newly-recorded song, titled Superstar, to the soon-to-be-released Raw Energy/A&M compilation album.

The band will start recording its third album in February. "We'll release it ourselves if we have to," says Paterson. "But we would also be happy with a new label behind it."

attention. It has electric power. It has the camping facilities in and around it. It has a tremendous staging ability. And it is environmentally friendly."

Barrowclyffe also lays claim to a very impressive list of partners. Communications Minister Perrin Beatty and Tom Hockin, Minister of State and Business, have apparently given the Canadian government nod to the project.

Also listed as "partners" are Ontario's: Acting Minister of Tourism, Karen Haslam; Deputy Minister of Tourism, Linda Stevens; the Ministry of the Solicitor General; Police Commissioner Tom O'Grady; and John Brotman of the Ontario Arts Council.

Also apparently connected to the project are: Ontario Hydro's Alex McDermid; the St. John's Ambulance's provincial commissioner, Barbara Graham; and Newcastle Mayor Diane Hamre.

Others also listed as "partners" are: David McKinnon of the Ontario Development Corp.;

CRTC hearing to look at digital cable radio

The Canadian Radio-television and Telecommunications Commission will hold a public hearing discussing Cogeco Radio-Television Inc.'s application to establish a national satellite-to-cable digital music service commencing on Feb. 17 at the Hotel Beauséjour in Moncton, N.B.

Cogeco is seeking a broadcast license that would allow it to transmit digitally delivered music to cable television systems across Canada on a discretionary basis at a separate monthly fee of approximately \$10 to cable subscribers who want the service. The proposed service will consist of seven Canadian-produced and 31 foreign-produced music formats.

Broadcasters, record companies, composers, authors, publishers, performers, producers and others have already expressed deep concerns about the impact digital cable radio could have on their livelihoods (RPM, Oct. 24/92).

Public participation is invited into the matter and interested parties may submit an original written intervention to the Secretary General of the Commission (CRTC, Ottawa, K1A 0N2). In order to be considered by the Commission and placed on the public file, your intervention should clearly indicate: whether you support or oppose the application or if you propose changes to it; facts and grounds supporting your position; and if you wish to appear at the hearing.

A true copy must be sent to the applicant and a proof of such sending must accompany the original sent to the Commission. The intervention must be received by the Commission and the applicant on or before Jan. 28. The Commission can't be held responsible for postal delays.

The address for Cogeco Radio-Television Inc. is: 5 Place Ville-Marie, Suite 1450, Montreal, Quebec, H3B 2G2.

Harvey M. Hudas and Peter Notzl from Mosport Limited; and Donna Ratchford and Michael Langford of Culture and Communication.

Barrowclyffe theorizes that from the time the original Woodstock concert took place, "the baby boomer would never be the same.

"Since the 1950s and the yuppie generation, there has never been a more targeted market. We have the widest interests, the most liquid assets of any generation, and we are transient. But one thing is common. We listen to 40 years of music. This thread is everlasting, now being able to record events on film, paper, compact disc, video and tape to hold in posterity.

"The opportunity and appeal now is to draw the other 32 per cent of the world which has not had the chance to see, hear and participate in this concert and celebration."

Barrowclyffe can be contacted at Woodstock Entertainment '93 in Barrie, Ont. at 705-722-4018 or fax 705-728-4614.

House Of Pain's Everlast is alive, well and working

Attic Music Group's Kevin Shea reports that rumours of the supposed death of House Of Pain rapper Everlast "are absolutely false."

Shea says that reports that Everlast "had died tragically in December" began circulating during the end of 1992 and heightened the first week of January. "Total fabrication," stresses Attic's director of promotion and publicity. "Everlast is alive and well."

According to Shea, Everlast took advantage of the holidays to rest and spend some time at home. But he has now returned to the work mode and is currently shooting a movie with A&M recording artist and comedian Dennis Leary and Emilio Estevez. In the movie, Judgement Day, Everlast stars as the leader of a street gang. When the film is completed, it's back to House Of Pain and more live dates.

Everlast, whose real name is Erik Schrody, was awarded a Canadian platinum album recently for sales of more than 100,000 units of House Of Pain's self-titled debut album.

Shea says the band's current single, Shamrocks and Shenanigans (Boom Shalock Lock Lock Boom), "is garnering strong attention at retail, radio and dance clubs."



Liona Boyd at recent reception with Dustin

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Welcome to the White House Ronnie!!! I mentioned here last year that if George Bill Clinton (he hates seeing his knickname in print, which resulted in a gentle reminder to me to be more careful from the Governor's Mansion . . . or else) was elected President of the U.S., Rompin' Ronnie Hawkins would be among the first to be invited to the White House, Well, it happened. The Hawk received an invitation to attend "The Absolutely Unofficial Blue Jeans Bash" to salute the Arkansas Travelers (EC: That's Ronnie!!!) and the official Clinton/Gore staff. The bash is taking place at Washington's National Building Museum. Get this . . . it's a beer and ice cream bash. The beer is being supplied by Miller Brewing Company and the ice cream by Ben & Jerry's Ice Cream. I wouldn't be surprised to see the new President joining Ronnie on stage with his sax for a jam session. (EC: Beer and ice cream???)

The ups and downs of radio ...! The new year is already beginning to look very

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interesting, perhaps a little scary for the broadcast industry. Some of the big names that have been paid big BIG bucks to pull in listeners aren't doing it. One Toronto station that suddenly discoverd its tiller has lost its helmsman. Another general manager of a major MAJOR group has been slipped in and the other turfed out very quietly. And it ain't over yet. It costs a fortune to buy out contracts. When a couple of these people go public ... duck!!! (EC: Now you can count the number of key radio stations in Canada on one hand. ...!)

It's so bad ...! Still on the radio kick. It's so bad that some major record companies are rethinking the value of their high-priced connection to radio. Now that radio has slipped further down the ladder of importance in selling records, there will be a couple of job shifts. There are more records being sold through aggressive chains like HMV who have people on the floor who are actually interested in helping customers with what they want and even take the time to be polite and answer questions no matter how dumb they might be. (EC: A sign of the times . . ?)

When Rawlco finally moves . . . ! The suspense is driving the country music industry crazy. When will Rawlco's new Toronto country FM really go to air? The players, I'm told, are now in place. They're teasing the airwaves by testing their signal, and they are effectively keeping the press at bay, and you know how easy it is to get their noses out of joint. The big plan, I'm betting, is to hit the market with all guns blazing just in time for the spring ratings. They've got the bucks for zillions of dollars of promotion, and with programming genius Keith James structuring the whole operation, my bet is that the station, whatever the call letters, will be among the top five in Toronto with the first book. (EC: He must know something the rest of us

Turn the other cheek . . .! That Canadian country "bar" band, that lost its flavour with some hack from a major Nashville label, just might have the last laugh. Watch for a U.S. signing for this band that will turn more than

Entertainer of the Year Juno nominees announced

The five nominees for Canadian Entertainer of the Year at this year's Juno Awards have been announced by the Canadian Academy of Recording Arts and Sciences (CARAS).

This year's nominees are Bryan Adams, Barenaked Ladies, Tom Cochrane, Céline Dion, and The Tragically Hip.

Molson Breweries of Canada Limited, the primary corporate sponsor of CARAS, is distributing ballots nationally through record retailers so fans will be able to vote for their favourite entertainer. The award is the only Juno awarded through public participation.

This year's Juno Awards ceremonies will take place at Toronto's O'Keefe Centre on March 21 at 9 p.m. The awards will be telecast nationally on the CBC Television Network and will be simulcast on key radio stations in major markets from coast to coast.

a few heads. (EC: It'll be nice company for the other Canadian on the label . . .!)

There are only a few seats left..! That ski bash to the Laurentians being touted by Warner Music's Mike Peters is just about sold out. For only \$200, and that includes everything, you can have two great days of fun on the slopes at Saint Sauveur. The dates are Feb. 12-14. Give Mike a call at 416-696-9462. (EC: A good way to get rid of the retail blues . . !)

Do they know something . . .? I'm told that nowhere, not anywhere, in the new CBC palace can you find or hear voice-mail. What a surprise. Even little jerk-off insurance agencies, the one I dealt with, have got sucked into this dumb, rude way to handle telephone calls. I'm now looking for an insurance agent that doesn't have voice-mail. How impersonal, how rude, how disrespectful. I take all my phone calls. Over the years I've learned how to politely get rid of people I don't want to talk to. If you have to have your calls screened, you're not much of a professional.

The Mirvishes win another one . . . ! Ed Mirvish told me, and I believe him, that this is the last return engagement for Les Misérables, for the next little while anyway. For a short run like this (it has to close on Feb. 6), every night has to be sold out to break even. And when you see this magnificent production, you'll know why. The company camaraderie is exceptional. The players play off each other which makes for an almost eerie energy that transfixes the audience. This was the third time I had seen the show, and it was as exciting and totally entertaining as the first time. I really do hope it returns. By the way, the Mirvishes must have written the book on how to throw press parties. Unlike some in the theatre business, Ed and son David pull all stops to make sure the first-nighters remember that first night. Old Ed's Restaurant was packed to the rafters with food, booze, the cast from Les Miz, and a very hungry and thirsty, but sublimely grateful group/bunch of press people. (EC: You've got that right . . . !)

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John McDermott: Is this the new alternative scene?

Strange as it may sound, one of the bestselling domestic acts on Capitol Records' roster right now is a Scottish-born tenor who just quit his day job to devote himself fulltime to singing songs that haven't been heard in 50 years.

John McDermott, who until recently worked in sales and circulation for the Toronto Sun newspaper, has sold 12,000 copies of his debut EMI-Angel album Danny Boy in little more than a month.

McDermott came to Canada from Glasgow in 1965 as a nine-year-old who had

CHARTS

by Tim Evans

Houston rings in 1993. Whitney Houston begins the new year with the No. 1 song in Canada. There continues to be a wide margin between I Will Always Love You and all of the other songs. The Bodyguard Soundtrack also easily holds the top spot on the Albums chart.

Breaking a streak. Beginning a year with the No. 1 song by a female artist is somewhat of a rarity. I Will Always Love You breaks a string of nine straight years when the year began with a No. 1 song by a male artist. The last time a female artist began a year at the top was ten years ago when Toni Basil's Mickey was No. 1. The scene is much the same on the Albums chart, although two of the last three years have now begun with an album from a female artist at the top. Madonna's The Immaculate Collection began 1991 at No. 1. Before that, however, 1979 was the last year that began with a female's album atop the chart. Name that album. Hint: It's title was Greatest Hits Vol. II.

The wheels slowly restart! The first week of the year is traditionally a pretty slow one for new releases. As the music business gets back into full swing, Alannah Myles' Our World Our Time is the top add. It enters the Hit Tracks chart at No. 71. That beats out the new track from Duran Duran, Ordinary World, which debuts at No. 85.

Nirvana breaks out. Their first album went all the way to No. 1 and ended up as the No. 8 album of 1992. The success of Nevermind is continuing with Nirvana's new album entitled Incesticide. It enters the Albums chart at No. 21. That's the highest debut so far this year!

Become a reporting station. RPM is always looking to add more reporting stations. There is no set number of reporting stations and no quotas on certain formats. Stations of all formats are invited to fax, in confidence, their weekly chart and/or playlist information. RPM's fax number is 416-425-8629.

Greatest Hits 2 in 1979? The list of female candidates that meet that criteria is limited. Prior to 1991, the last year that began with an album from a female artist at No. 1 was 1979. That's when Barbra Streisand's Greatest Hits Vol. II topped the chart.

inherited the tradition of getting together with his parents to sing after dinner, a tradition that continued in his new homeland. He says many immigrant families from the United Kingdom and Europe shared this experience, and that's gone a long way towards his surprising success.

"Children of these people are buying the product for their parents, but they're also buying it for themselves because of their parents. This is material that I grew up with and I love it. The music itself is timeless."

The timeless songs McDermott speaks of range from the century-old title track, By Yon Bonnie Banks and Auld Lang Syne, to more recent pennings such as Eric Bogle's The Green Fields Of France and And The Band Played Waltzing Matilda.

"The public doesn't know me from boo, but they obviously know the material," McDermott says. "Nobody's doing this material any more. It's a shame and it's something I hope to correct. There is a place for it."

McDermott attended Toronto's prestigious St. Michael's Choir School for two years as a teenager, but he harboured no ambition to become a professional singer. He was constantly asked to sing at weddings, receptions and Sun parties, but it wasn't until 1980 when he gathered some old school chums, for what has now become an annual Christmas carolling tradition, that he thought about recording. McDermott and his friends recorded two Christmas albums in the mid-'80s, and it was then suggested that he branch out on his own

But he had heard tales. He was wary of the music industry, and he politely declined.

At the dawn of this decade, however, McDermott decided that he could record an album, as long as it was done on his terms. He talked to some wealthy, influential friends and, while they were interested, it wasn't until last year that they decided that the time was right to make an album. McDermott went into the studio and by the time he was through, he had a fully-completed album, right down to the cover artwork.

After recording the album with the backing of such people as Conrad Black, and with the impressive management team of Michael Cohl and Bill Ballard in place, McDermottbecame the first Canadian signing

Spirit of the West firmed for Carleton University

As part of their Hollow Bodies Tour, Warner Celtic/folk/rock band, Spirit of the West, will play Porter Hall at Ottawa's Carleton University on Feb. 4.

The band has added drummer Vince Ditrich who has played with Sue Medley and BTO in the past. Spirit members have also made two other additions with members John Mann and Geoffrey Kelly each becoming fathers of baby girls. Ditrich and Merm Hill are also expecting a baby in April.

to EMI-Angel, Capitol's classical label. Better yet, it's a three-year, five-album deal.

"I'm happy to be signed to a deal that will allow me to do the things that I want to do, and I'm going to get paid to do it, which is great," McDermott says. "Being the first and only Canadian on Angel is an honour. Hopefully it will be as successful as they expect."

Still, without the benefit of a video and with limited radio airplay, it wasn't that easy to make retailers aware of Danny Boy, McDermott insists.

"It's a tough product to place. I think it's a cross between classical and traditional folk, although the pieces are classics as far as I'm concerned. But some record stores have it in the import section from Scotland or Ireland because it's Danny Boy. To save the trouble, most of them now fortunately have it frontracked, which is great. I think it's becoming more familiar to people out there and a little easier to find."

And McDermott's profile will only continue to rise. He sings the national anthem at 30 Toronto Maple Leaf games a year and has also sung the anthem at hundreds of other events and functions. But, more importantly from the standpoint of a recording career, he's also set to hit the international market.

Danny Boy will be released in the United States in February, and in the U.K. and Australia, territories where the album is already receiving airplay, a few months down the road. Touring plans are also in the works.

But, even more interestingly, McDermott is phonetically learning The Sun Is Burning (a song off the album which relates to the days that Hiroshima and Nagasaki fell victim to atomic bombs in World War II) in Japanese. Danny Boy has long been an inexplicable favourite in the land of the rising sun, and McDermott figures that a song sung entirely in Japanese will only enhance its sales potential when it's released there in the next couple of months

"People have yet to put a name to the face, but there's no shelf life to this material," McDermott says. "I think when people put a face to a name and they learn a little bit more about me, it will help."

And who knows, judging by the rapid rise of McDermott's new career thus far, 18th century ballads just could become the hot new musical trend of 1993.



A Tribute To Broadway opens at Limelight

Toronto's Limelight Supper Club will be home over the next few weeks to A Tribute To Broadway, which features four Montrealers: Andre Boileau, Richard Charette, Jean Elliot Manning, and Naomi Emmerson.

Although first staged this past Dec. 31 as Limelight's New Year's Eve Party, the opening gala performance is scheduled for Jan. 14. The revue, which enjoyed a long run at La Dilligence in Montreal, is a production by Montreal-based Snapshot Productions with executive producer Allan Sandler and director Roger Peace.

Chuck Micallef gains following in England

Canadian singer/songwriter Chuck Micallef, who recently emigrated to England, has discovered his unique Canadian country, folk and blues sound has a ready audience.

"It was a good move for me," says Micallef, "because there are a great deal more venues to perform in and less distance between them to travel."

Micallef gained a large following playing in the club circuit in the Toronto area. Two of his single releases, Loving You and English Style Lovin', caught on with AC programmers and gained him national chart prominence.

Co-ordinating and participating in many songwriting workshops over the years added to Micallef's appeal during festival season.

"Over the years, I've learned how to interweave my own compositions with the repertoires of John Prine, Hank Williams, Bruce Cockburn, Bob Dylan, Gordon Lightfoot and Paul Simon, keeping the needs of the audience foremost in my mind."

Although he has performed with other musicians, Micallef's strength is as a solo artist, accompanying himself on guitar.

Micallef is currently promoting his fivesong cassette of originals, which he released on his own Blue Crystal label. He can be contacted at 9 Spring Lane, Whittington, Lichfield, Staffs. WS14 9LX England,



A&B Sound record manager George McCagherty presents CKLZ (Kelowna) music director Jim Scanlon with cheque for \$824 for The Lizard Children's Charities. The money was raised through the sale of The Lizard/MCA Records Classic Tracks CD.

Sandler's recent successes includes three productions (one in French) of Piaf: Love Conquers All at Montreal's Place des Arts. Peace also includes Sandler's Piaf among his recent credits. His Toronto credits include Ain't Misbehavin' at both the Royal York and Teller's Cage.

The four principals have chalked up wide and varied careers in the entertainment field: Boileau was recently seen on CBC's Les demons du midi; Charette has appeared on television with Ginette Reno and at The Spectrum with Lucille Dumont; Manning's credits include London, England's Top Of The Pops; and Emmerson, lead singer of Revolution of the Mind, has sung with the Montreal Symphony Orchestra, acted in several musicals, and appeared in three rock videos as lead singer with Sons of the Desert.

Much of the material used by the foursome will be familiar to their Toronto audiences. These include songs from Phantom of the Opera, Les Misérables, A Chorus Line, Fiddler on the Roof, and Cats. However, there is a special sneak preview of songs from Miss Saigon, scheduled to be opened by Ed and David Mirvish at their new Toronto theatre later this year.

For more information contact Vivienne Muhling at 416-782-9466.

R-Tek records net loss for 1992 fiscal year

R-Tek Corporation's revenues were up for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992, but the company still reported a net loss.

Net revenues increased to \$119.6 million (U.S.) from \$88.1 million in the prior fiscal year. For fiscal 1992, the company reported a net loss of \$16.8 million, compared to net income of \$1.4 million for fiscal 1991.

R-Tek primarily attributes the net loss to three factors: losses of approximately \$8.5 million relating to its German subsidiary Dino Music GmbH, which has been placed in receivership; write-offs taken at its United States Quality Records, Inc. subsidiary; and the \$1.2 million loss realized upon the sale of its 50 per cent shareholding in Scatch Europe B.V.

R-Tek chairman of the board and chief executive officer Raymond Kives says the company wrote off \$3.4 million at Quality Records relating to unrecouped artist advances, additional provisions for returns and excess inventories. These write-offs reflect the U.S. subsidiary's recent change in focus toward more street-oriented artists, which the company believes will be less expensive to promote than mainstream artists.

R-Tek is primarily engaged in the acquisition, production, marketing and distribution of music in North America, the United Kingdom, Australia and New Zealand. The company distributes these products under the Dino and Quality labels. R-Tek also selectively markets home videos and small consumer products.

East coast alternatives to record Sub Pop single

Four Maritime bands will hit Halifax's Solar Studios for three days in mid-January to record one song each for an upcoming double-45 on Seattle's infamous Sub Pop label.

The single, entitled Never Mind The Mollusks, will be released as a four-song compact disc in Canada and Europe and as a double-length vinyl 45 in the United States. All songs will be produced by Bob Weston, whose recent work includes forthcoming albums by Sebadoh, Velocity Girl, and Six Finger Satellite. This project will be Weston's first attempt to produce four bands simultaneously.

Andrew Scott, the drummer for Sloan and an accomplished artist, will design the cover graphics. The anticipated release date for Never Mind The Mollusks is March 29.

Two of the bands are from Moncton, N.B. Eric's Trip is Sub Pop's first Canadian signing and the group's first (non-Mollusk) single will be released in August. Idee du Nord (Idea of North) is a five-piece French band which performs in both French and English.

The other two bands hail from Halifax. Jale is a four-piece all-female group which just released a three-song 7" on the local Cinnamon Toast label. Fellow Haligonians Sloan, whose Smeared album was a recent resident of the RPM 100 Albums chart, will have that album released in the U.S. on the DGC label on Jan. 19.

Darlene Duggan joins ACI's Leisure division

Darlene Duggan, who gained a wide and varied knowledge of the PR business while associated with Gino Empry Entertainment, has joined EnterCom, the new entertainment and leisure division of Argyle Communications Inc.

Duggan will co-ordinate the division's full-service public relations capabilities, which range from single-occasion events to comprehensive, ongoing media and marketing communication for permanent attractions.

Duggan has a bachelors degree in public relations from Mount Saint Vincent University in Halifax, the only PR degree program in Canada. The program has spawned several of Canada's leading professionals. Duggan's experience includes entertainment, sports, corporate, government and non-profit public relations and marketing.

Based in Toronto, ACI was founded in 1979 by its president, Ray Argyle, and provides Canadian and international organizations with corporate and public relations strategies in virtually every industry sector. Listed among its clients are Festival Hong Kong '92, Dickson Video Systems, Investors Group Inc., Nabisco Brands, Nissan Canada and the Royal Bank.

ACI is the Canadian affiliate of the Saatchi and Saatchi international public relations network, Rowland Worldwide, whose clients include well-known theatrical composer Andrew Lloyd Webber.

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was also the creative force behind another tribute to the troops overseas, a brief station promo saluting four or five soldiers serving overseas, which ran regularly during the station's on-air run. CJLB is the only country music station in Thunder Bay, a market of approximately 120,000.

Seacoast's Paul Mann recently won two major awards at the Canadian Agri Marketing Association's annual convention. His Canadian Farmer radio series, now in its fifth year of reporting positive stories about farm families from coast to coast, won the awards for Best Agricultural Program on Radio and Best Overall in Agricultural Media. The program is heard daily on more than 60 radio stations across Canada. When Mann returned



Seacoast's Paul Mann sits in his barn-cluttered office proudly displaying his awards.

to Victoria from a trip to Toronto, he found bales of hay, bags of feed and farmyard tools filling his office. "It was his fellow workers' way of congratulating him for winning the awards," says C-FAX's Terry Spence.

The Fox is presenting Guns 'N Roses at Vancouver's B.C. Place on March 30. Tickets for the show went on sale in mid-December. Santa Fox was in the lineup handing out hot coffee and donuts. He also collected food donations for the Santa Fox Food Drive. Everyone who brought a non-perishable food item qualified to have their tickets upgraded to front row.

Danny Kingsbury has been appointed vicepresident of programming of Westcom Radio's Ontario rock stations, Q107 and Y95. The announcement was made by Don Luzzi, president and general manager of Toronto's Q107 and AM640, who notes that Kingsbury's mandate will include responsibility for all areas of "program strategies, philosophies, personnel, music and promotion" for the two stations. He will work closely with Q107's Joey Vendetta and Darren Wasylyk at Hamilton's Y95 in co-ordinating all the necessary detail for day-to-day operations. In view of the heavy demands on Kingsbury's time to implement his new position, he will relinquish his duties as program director of CHML AM. A replacement will be named over the next few weeks. Luzzi says Kingsbury's 11 years of "successful rock radio experience as a performer, marketer, music director and programmer in western Canada were the foundation for building his most recent four years of programming successes in Ontario."

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Thunder Bay's CJLB put together a onehour Christmas show entitled Christmas In Blue. The show was specially produced for 18 reserve soldiers serving in northern Croatia with the 3rd Battalion, Princess Patricia Canadian Light Infantry, as well as two serving with the 1st Royal Canadian Horse Artillery in Cyprus. The program was pre-taped on cassette and mailed to the soldiers overseas, and aired to Thunder Bay listeners on Dec. 13. In preparing the show, CJLB reporter Tony Prudori, who was a member of the Lake Superior Scottish Regiment for 11 years before getting into journalism, spent an hour at the armouries in Thunder Bay taping Christmas greetings from reserve soldiers with the Lake Superior Scottish Regiment, the 16th (Thunder Bay) Service Battalion, the 18th (Thunder Bay) Medical Company, and the 736 Communications Squadron. The greetings were the used in the program which was put together by CJLB music director Derek Kortschaga, who is the son of VCPL Val Kortschaga, a vehicle technician with Base Maintenance at CFB North Bay. Kortschaga

was also the creative force behind another tribute to the troops overseas, a brief station promo saluting four or five soldiers serving overseas, which ran regularly during the station's on-air run. CJLB is the only country music station in Thunder Bay, a market of approximately 120,000.

Seacoast's Paul Mann recently won two major awards at the Canadian Agri Marketing Association's annual convention. His Canadian Farmer radio series, now in its fifth year of reporting positive stories about farm families from coast to coast, won the awards for Best Agricultural Program on Radio and Best Overall in Agricultural Media. The program is heard daily on more than 60 radio stations across Canada. When Mann returned



Seacoast's Paul Mann sits in his barn-cluttered office proudly displaying his awards.

to Victoria from a trip to Toronto, he found bales of hay, bags of feed and farmyard tools filling his office. "It was his fellow workers' way of congratulating him for winning the awards," says C-FAX's Terry Spence.

The Fox is presenting Guns 'N Roses at Vancouver's B.C. Place on March 30. Tickets for the show went on sale in mid-December. Santa Fox was in the lineup handing out hot coffee and donuts. He also collected food donations for the Santa Fox Food Drive. Everyone who brought a non-perishable food item qualified to have their tickets upgraded to front row.

Danny Kingsbury has been appointed vicepresident of programming of Westcom Radio's Ontario rock stations, Q107 and Y95. The announcement was made by Don Luzzi,, president and general manager of Toronto's Q107 and AM640, who notes that Kingsbury's mandate will include responsibility for all areas of "program strategies, philosophies, personnel, music and promotion" for the two stations. He will work closely with Q107's Joey Vendetta and Darren Wasylyk at Hamilton's Y95 in co-ordinating all the necessary detail for day-to-day operations. In view of the heavy demands on Kingsbury's time to implement his new position, he will relinquish his duties as program director of CHML AM. A replacement will be named over the next few weeks. Luzzi says Kingsbury's 11 years of "successful rock radio experience as a performer, marketer, music director and programmer in western Canada were the foundation for building his most recent four years of programming successes in Ontario."

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Judith Fitzgerald, now syndicated across Canada with her "Country Side" views and comments (Toronto Star et al), shows she's no slouch when it comes to Fitz' Picks. Her Top 10 Cancon Indie Singles are: 1) Over And Done/Coda The West. 2) Woulda Been Here Much Sooner/Morris P. Rainville. 3) Hearts Still In Love/Colleen Peterson. 4) Keepin' Up With the Jones'/Larry Mercey. 5) Take This Heart Of Mine/Fender Kings. 6) Can't Get Close Enough/Kelita & Bobby Lalonde. 7) In My Father's House/Terry Kelly. 8) Rock Of Gibraltar/Cindi Cain. 9) Schubenacadie Tinsmith Man/Wayne Rostad. 10) I'm Leaving You For Me/Lisa Brokop. Michelle Wright's He Would Be Sixteen is Fitz' Picks Top-Dog Single, and Blue Rodeo's Lost Together gets the nod as Top-Dog Album. Product and information should be sent to Judith Fitzgerald,

Feed This Fire writer re-signs with BMG

Hugh Prestwood, writer of Anne Murray's Feed This Fire, has re-signed a long-term agreement with BMG Music Publishing.

Simultaneously, songwriter Nancy Lee Baxter has been signed to Hugh Prestwood Music/Careers-BMG Music Publishing Inc.

Prestwood has gained much respect on Nashville's Music Row. His song, Hard Rock Bottom Of Your Heart, a #1 country hit for Randy Travis (RPM-March 31/90) was named BMI's Most Performed Country Song of the Year (1991).

Prestwood has also written top of the chart material for Michael Johnson (The Moon Is Still Over Shoulder, That's That), Crystal Gayle (The Sound Of Goodbye), Shenandoah (Ghost In This House), Highway 101 (Bing Bang Boom), and many others.

Tanya Tucker's latest Liberty album, Can't Run From Yourself, includes Prestwood's penning of Half The Moon. And his song, Latter Day Cowboy, is a priority track on Collin Raye's Epic release, In This Life. Both albums are charting on the RPM Country 33 chart.

Writer/artist Baxter, who has recorded with such artists as Tom Paxton and Prestwood, is currently co-writing with Prestwood.

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Rick Patterson has signed a major management contract with Silver Bow Management of Vancouver. After performing over the years with several rock and country acts, Patterson believes it's time to solo. He'll make his debut with an aboriginal native rock dance album titled Spirit Of The Wolf on the Saddlestone label. His debut video, The Message Is Clear, is now airing on MuchMusic. Patterson is a popular regular at the Stein Valley Festival/Voices Of The Earth, and was selected, along with Jeff Healey, for the BCTV commercial that advertises the festival. He is also a spokesperson and performs for the Canadian Wildlife Committee.

Michael T. Wall pays tribute to the 84 victims who went down with the Ocean Ranger oil rig on Feb. 15, 1982 with the release of a single commemorating the Newfoundland disaster. Titled Ocean Ranger, the song is a Wall original and is available on his Torontobased Downhome label.

Gerry King has a new single, The Vow You Were Saving For Me. Written by Larry Wayne Clark and John Higgins, the track was taken from King's Boots & Jeans album, and is also available on the new Saddlestone CD compilation Country Sampler #8. King's last three up-tempo releases, Heartwreck, Don't Come Knockin', and the title track, charted nationally. The last ballad released by King was The Cowboy Thing To Do, when he was lead singer for Bootleg. Clark, a much indemand Vancouver writer/producer, has written material for Lee Greenwood (Between A Heartache And A Rock), Darlana Moffat (Scars Of Love), and Bootleg (The Cowboy

Vancouver benefit to support Aids fight

A Feb. 21 benefit at the Commodore in Vancouver featuring many of the top country music performers in British Columbia is being organized by members of the B.C. country music community in support of Vancouver Persons With Aids (PWA).

One of the organizers, Cori Brewster, says that during last year's Canadian Country Music Awards, which were televised from Calgary, "for the first time on television, the Canadian country music community acknowledged the battle against Aids by wearing the symbolic red ribbon. While this is a start, members of the country community recognize much more needs to be done."

In response to the need for more community recognition of this deadly disease, the Country Cares benefit was developed. Brewster and fellow organizers, Garv Gilbertson and Craig Horton, are now busy signing artists to perform. All proceeds will go directly to PWA.

The event is being sponsored by the British Columbia Country Music Association (BCCMA), Persons With Aids (PWA), CKWX and JR Country. Brewster can be contacted at 604-430-9223.

Thing To Do). Higgins is also a well-known west coast writer. He wrote two locallysuccessful hits for Bing Armstrong: Table For Two and Loaded Dice.



Joan Kennedy and manager Michael Ardenne at RPM's offices with Stan Klees.

CHEQ-FM Smiths Falls wants out of country. The CRTC has been asked to amend the station's Promise of Performance from Group II Country to Group I Pop, Rock and Dance (Public Notice CRTC 1992-85). Smiths Falls is just a short drive west of Ottawa.

Kelita and hubby Gord Lemon have a new project to look after, their first child, Keldon James. Kelita is taking time off from live performances to care for her latest production. Musician/producer Lemon, a member of Coda The West, has just completed a tour of western Canada with Frank Mills. The band's latest

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8 15 I WILL BE HERE FOR YOU Michael W. Smith - Change Your World Geffen-24491 (Promo CD single)-J

7 DO YOU BELIEVE IN US
Jon Secada - Jon Secada
SBK Records-98845 (Capitol comp. # 21)-F
11 SONG INSTEAD OF A KISS 9 10

Alannah Myles - Rockinghorse Atlantic-82402 (Wamer comp. #151)-P 12 BRING IT ON HOME TO ME 11

Rita MacNeil - Thinking Of You Virgin-06001 (Promo CD single)-F 11 THE LAST SONG 12 7

Elton John - The One MCA-10614 (MCA comp. # 7)-J CHAINS AROUND MY HEART

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Capitol-95847 (Capitol promo comp. # 22)-F

14 22 6 FAITHFUL

Go West - Indian Summer EMI-94230 (Promo CD single)-F

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The Heights - Music From The Television Show The Heights Capitol-79526 (Promo CD single)-F

11 16 ONCE IN A LIFETIME

Love & Sas - Call My Name RCA-6192 10612 (Promo CD single)-N

14 15 SOMETIMES LOVE JUST AIN'T ENOUGH Patty Smyth & Don Henley - Patty Smyth MCA-10635 (MCA comp. # 14/92)-J 7 THE MIND OF LOVE (Why Do You ...)

19 23 K.D.Lang - Ingénue Sire-26840 (Warner Comp. # 153)-P

19 13 WOULD I LIE TO YOU Charles & Eddle - Duophonic Capitol-97150 (Capitol comp. # 19/92)-F 21 25 5 FLESH AND BLOOD

Wilson Phillips - Shadows And Light SBK-98924 (Capitol comp. # 26)-F DEEPER AND DEEPER

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Lindsey Buckingham - Out Of The Cradle Reprise-26182 (Warner comp. # 154)-P 24 THESE ARE DAYS 10,000 Maniacs - Our Time In Eden Elektra-61385 (Warner comp. #151)-P LAYLA

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Eric Clapton - Unplugged Reprise-45024 (Warner comp. # 147)-P ALWAYS TOMORROW 26

Gloria Estefan - Greatest Hits Epic-53046 (Abum track)-H FARE THEE WELL LOVE The Rankin Family - Fare Thee Well Love Capitol-99996 (Capitol comp. # 31)-F 27 NEW

28 RAIN DOWN ON ME 29

Blue Rodeo - Lost Together WEA-77633 (Warner comp. # 151)-P IN THE STILL OF THE NIGHT Boyz II Men - The Jacksons - An American Dream Motown-374 636 356 (PolyGram comp. Nov/92)-Q MY TEMPTATION 29 32

30 Vivienne Williams - My Temptation Benchmark/Trend-1001

31 33 **BELL TOWER RADIO** John Bottomley - Songs ... Omamental Hermits RCA-74321-11635 (BMG comp. # 40)-N 15 HERE IN THE HEART

32 Daniel Lavoie - Here In The Heart MCA-8960 (Promo CD single)-J

33 PAPER DOLL

Flactwood Mac - 25 Years - The Chain Warner Bros-45129 (Promo CD single)-P THEME FROM NORTHERN EXPOSURE David Schwartz - Northern Exposure MCA-10685 (MCA comp. # 21)-J 34

35 GOOD ENOUGH 38 Bobby Brown - Bobby MCA-10417 (MCA comp. # 21)-J A WHOLE NEW WORLD

36 NEW Peabo Bryson & Regina Belle - Aladdin soundtrack Walt Disney-60846 (Album track) NO MISTAKES

37 NEW

Patty Smyth - Patty Smyth MCA-10635 (MCA comp. # 21)-J WALKING ON BROKEN GLASS

Annie Lennox - Diva RCA-06192 10624 (BMG ∞mp. #37)-N NO ORDINARY LOVE 39 NEW

Sade - Love Deluxe
Epic-53178 (Sony comp. #5)-H
9 DANCE WITHOUT SLEEPING Melissa Etheridge - Never Enough Island-510 120 (A&M comp. #10/92)-Q

DANCE

3 UNDERSTAND THIS GROOVE

Sound Factory - Club Cutz Volume 3 Ariola-74321 12138-N

Wredax N' Effect - Hard Or Smooth MCA-10566 (MCA comp. # 21/92)-J 6 IT'S MY LIFE

WE ALL NEED LOVE

Double You - We All Need Love Quality-2015 3 ARE YOU READY TO FLY

Rozalla - Everybody's Free Epic-52897-H

SO MUCH LOVE

2 LET THIS HOUSEBEAT DROP

Ya Kid K - One World Nation SBK-26592 (Capitol comp. # 28)-F

Malaika A&M (A&M comp. # 12/92)-Q IT'S GONNA BE A LOVELY DAY

S.O.U.L. S.Y.S.T.E.M. - The Bodyguard soundtrack Arista-07822 18699 (BMG pop comp. # 41)-N PEOPLE EVERYDAY

Arrested Development - 3 Years, 5 Months & . Chrysalis-21929 (Capitol comp. # 671)-F

The Movement - The Movement Arista-07822 18621 (BMG pop comp. # 39)-N

Dr. Alban - One Love Ariola-74321 10245 (BMG pop comp. #40)-N

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2 BIG MONEY

Monkey House - Welcome To The Club Aquarius-569 (Capitol comp. # 26/92)-F RUNNING OUT OF LOVE

Acosta/Russell - A Little Direction Eureka-70010 (promo CD single)-F UNDERWHELMED

3 Sloan - Smeared DGC-24498 (promo CD single)-J

3 BY THE FIRESIDE 4 Slik Toxik - Doin' The Nasty Capitol-98115 (Capitol comp. # 26/92)-F

5 2 I'M ONLY HUMAN

Gien Stace - Road To Damascus WEA-90617 (Warner comp. # 157)-P 3 FEEL YOU CLOSER 6 Skydiggers - Restless Fre-00102 (promo CD single)-F

HARD TO BE HUMBLE

Deadbeat Honeymooners - Deadbeat Honeymooners Anthem-1066 (Sony comp. #6)-H DON'T LOOK ANY FURTHER 8 The Nylons - Live To Love Scotti Bros.-72392 75255 (BMG pop comp. # 40)-N

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30 BILLY RAY CYRUS Some Gave All Mercury-314 510 635-4-Q

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Fare Thee Well Love Capitol-99996-F

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In This Life Epic-48983-H

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single, You Gave Up On Me, is included on Hillcrest CD compilation #5. Kelita's newest record offering is a duet with Terry Kelly titled We Can Do Anything. The track is included on Divided Highway, Kelly's new album for the Gun label.

Toronto's Santa Fe continues its policy of showcasing Canadian and internationallyknown country acts. The Wednesday night showcases have been very successful with standout crowds for Don Neilson, Peter Wild and Joel Feeney. Coming up on Jan. 13 is a media launch with Coda The West. The following Wednesday will be the official opening of the room with Sylvia Tyson performing. Well-known songwriter/ performer Jim Whitter, now back in vocal form after a nagging throat ailment, takes centre stage on the 27th, and Tom Russell, now living in New York City, has been firmed for a Feb. 3 date. The club also kicked off a dance room upstairs. Dance instructor Andrew Kennedy is on hand to give instruction in line dancing, two-stepping and traditional country. B.J. Cook is co-ordinating the action for the Wednesday night showcases.

Scott Barratt joins 93.7FM JR Country as the new morning show co-host. He joins Sharryn Graham for JR's brand of country morning from 5:30 to 9 a.m.

Alan Jackson sustained enough chart action over the two weeks that we have been closed to move into the #1 position with She's Got The Rhythm. Jackson co-wrote this song with Randy Travis.

Michelle Wright holds fast in the Top 5, moving up to #3 from #5 with her Arista track, He Would Be Sixteen. This release also continues to make good trade moves in the US

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Garth Brooks jumps up to #4 from #25 with Somewhere Other Than The Night after only five weeks of charting. Brooks also received a lot of exposure with his Christmas track, The Old Man's Back In Town. The track was taken from his Liberty album, Beyond The Season, and is also included on Capitol CD compilation #31.

Travis Tritt makes the biggest jump this week and moves up to #26 from #53 with Can I Trust You With My Heart. The track was taken from his T-R-O-U-B-L-E album and is also included on Warner CD compilation #156.

The Rankin Family can now boast chart listings across the board for their latest release, Fare Thee Well Love, the title track from their Capitol debut. The track bounced onto the RPM 100 Hit Tracks chart at #41 (Dec. 26/92), the most added single for the week, and this week is the most added at AC making its debut

Alabama enters the chart at #73 with the most adds for their new RCA single, Once Upon A Lifetime. The track was taken from their American Pride album and is also included on BMG CD compilation #15.

Lorrie Morgan's new release, What Part Of No, enters the chart at #75, while her previous single, Watch Me, the title track of her BNA album, begins to descend the chart.

Tracey Prescott & Lonesome Daddy will soon be on release with a new single, If Only You Knew, which was written by Barry Brown. The new track is included on the trio's selftitled debut for Columbia. This will be the follow-up to Something Big, now moving down the charts.

Don Neilson still looks good with his Epic release, The Other Side Of You, which bullets up to #22. Sony's Bill Bannon reports that a new single, Hometown, written by Tim Thorney and Erica Ehm, is now being prepared to ship. Both tracks are on The Other Side Of You, Neilson's debut for Epic.

Larry Mercey has a new single, I Might Be Down (But I Ain't Out Yet). The track is included on Hillcrest CD compilation #7. The song was written by Steve Wilkinson from Wooler, Ont. He also wrote Mercey's hit of last summer, Keeping Up With The Jones', and co-wrote I Love You Canada, Mercey's highly successful tribute to Canada. Wilkinson is also showcased on the Hillcrest compilation with I Refuse To Play A Two Step.

The Mountain Music Festival is already gearing up for another hot summer in Merritt, B.C. Early Bird tickets are now on sale for the July 8-11 festival in the sunny high country. Acts firmed to date include Ricky Van Shelton, Tanya Tucker, Lorrie Morgan, Sammy Kershaw and Hoyt Axton. Perryscope Concert Productions has more information at 604-731-4621.

Ronnie Prophet and Glory-Anne are now enjoying the country life of Tennessee. They sold their Nashville condo and moved out to Franklin. Says Prophet: "We now have dogs on our lawn, not ours. Goats across the road, not ours! And moles underground, ours! Those little devils sure know how to mess up a good lawn."

CBC Country Beat has scheduled interviews for its Jan. 16 edition with Skydiggers, Tanya Tucker and Rob Crosby. They'll be showing videos of Skydiggers, Tanya Tucker, Ricky Van Shelton, Jeff Healey Band, Debra Allen, Emile Benoit, and Tim Mensy. For the Jan. 23 edition, the video lineup includes Reba McEntire, Barney Bentall, John Gorka, Cowboy Junkies, Toy, Caldwell, Gibson/Miller Band, and Paradise Motel. Interview sessions have been scheduled with rodeo photographer Rosamond Norbury, John Gorka, Clint Black, Mike McDonald and Jane Hawley.

Looking ahead! We'll have a couple of interesting pieces on the return of Tony White and his new releases, and the busy schedule and new releases of Lennie Gallant.

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