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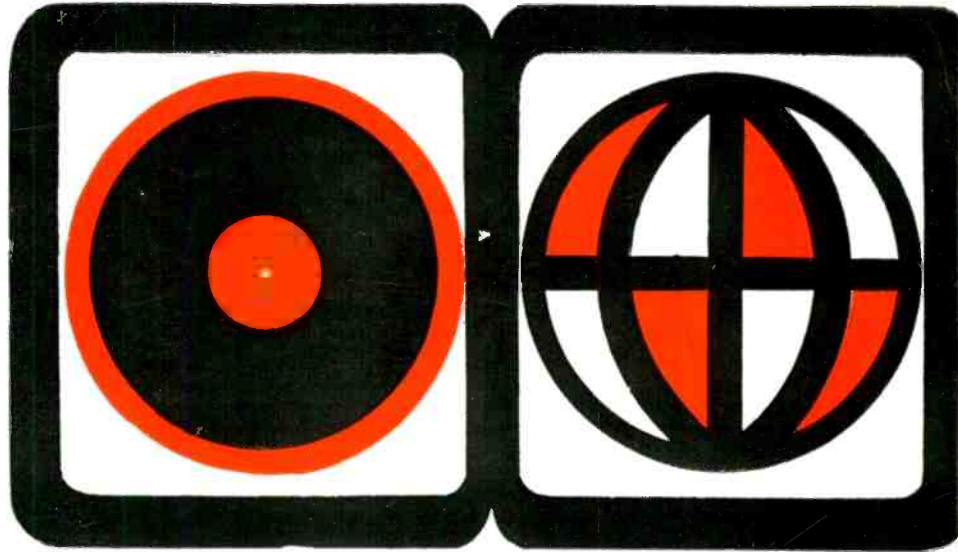
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## WHO IN THE WORLD



**Young Kama Sutra Toppers Ripp, Mizrahi & Steinberg Finish 2nd Successful Year As Experts on the Young Market with Growth Plans. Stories Inside.**



### In the opinion of the editors, this week the following records are the **SINGLE PICKS OF THE WEEK**



Trendsetting Bob Dylan goes after a more soothing musical background than usual on this ditty, with perceptive lyrics, about a precocious teeny bopper (Columbia 4-43792).



Absolutely nonsense song with gritty delivery by Miller. Should catch ears across the country as Roger, with his TV series about to bow, recalls his odd uncle (Smash 2055).



Gentle love song, "A Time for Love," by Oscar winners Paul Francis Webster and Johnny Mandel should score for Tony whose taste and style remains impeccable (Columbia 4-43768).

### **SLEEPERS OF THE WEEK**



Duo does "Said I Wasn't Gonna Tell Nobody" like it should be done. Sam and Dave will appeal to large crowds with the bouncy r/ber (Stax 198).

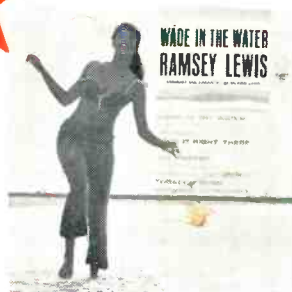


The Uniques have been coming up with sounds that have been just right for the market. "Run and Hide" could be their biggest to date. Keep an eye on it (Paula 245).

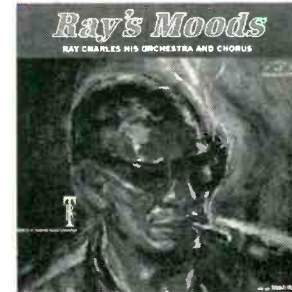


The nifty country song "Evil on Your Mind" provides Teresa Brewer with what could be her biggest hit in quite a while. Her perky, altogether winning voice is in rare form (Philips 40389).

### **ALBUMS OF THE WEEK**



Funky pianist's latest single, "Wade in the Water," provides the peg for this collection of swinging tunes. Larger ork than usual backs him up on "Message to Michael," "Up Tight," "Day-tripper," "Hurt So Bad" and other familiar themes (Cadet LP/LPS 774).



The genius, Ray Charles, runs through a series of high and low moods doing old blues numbers, old pop tunes, new swingers in his inimitable, saleable way. "By the Light of the Silvery Moon," "A Born Loser," "Sentimental Journey" (ABC Paramount ABC/ABCS 550).



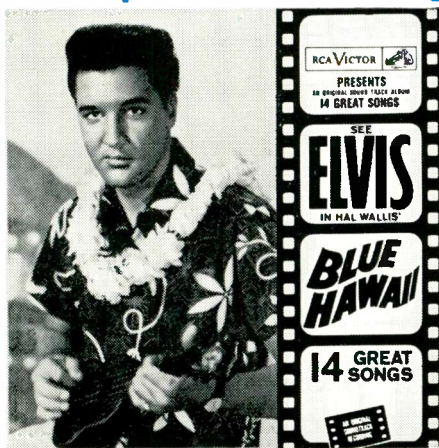
Crack comedy writers Kenny Solms and Gail Parent have taken verbal photos of the Pat and Luci Nugent nuptials and the results are glossy, aisle-rollingly funny and knife sharp. Kenny and Gail perform along with Fannie Flagg, Jo Ann Worley and Robert M. Klein (Jamie JLP 3028).

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# BLUE HAWAII

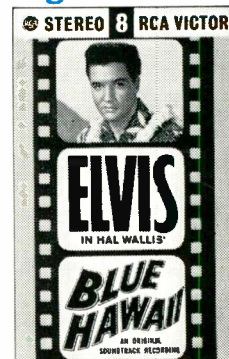
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**RECORD WORLD—September 3, 1966**



NEW YORK—MGM Records announces the appointment of Harvey H. Cowen to the newly created post of Assistant Advertising Manager reporting to the company's Ad Director, Jack Maher.

Cowen returns to the music business after an absence of a few years in which time he was sales manager for an advertising agency specializing in product promotion on network television.

The company handled all the prize merchandise for the famed Goodson-Todman program, "The Price is Right," and also produced sales films, contests, displays and handled advertising for some accounts.

Prior to that Cowen had been involved in all major phases of the music business: records, music publishing and a programming stint at Radio Station WNEW.

He was local promotion manager for Columbia Records and held a similar position with the Mercury Record Corporation. His introduction to the music business after graduation from high school was as a counter boy (while he attended Queens College in the evenings) then a song-plugger for Music Publishers Holding Corporation.

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# SINGLES REVIEWS

## THREE STAR ★★★ PICKS

**EVERYBODY KNOWS MY NAME**  
(Seasons Four-Saturday, BMI)

**COME THE MORNIN'** (Seasons Four, BMI)

**THE BITTER END SINGERS**—Atco 6433.  
The Bitter End Singers get very bitter on this folkrock cut that might turn into biggie. ★★★

**HERE THERE EVERYWHERE** (Maclen, BMI)

**YOU'VE CHANGED** (Jaep, BMI)

**THE FOURMOST**—Capitol 5738.  
Extremely pretty version of the new Beatles tune introed on "Revolver." Deserves clickdom. ★★★

**THEME FROM THE WILD ANGELS** (Dijon, BMI)

**IS IT THEM OR ME?**  
(Little Darlin'-Low-Twi, BMI)

**THE VISITORS**—Tower 268.  
Nitty gritty theme song from new Nancy Sinatra-Peter Fonda movie about wildeat Calif. motorcyclists. ★★★

**FREAK-OUT, U. S. A.** (Rising Sons, BMI)

**OFF THE WALL** (Rising Sons, BMI)

**THE COMMUNICATION AGGREGATION**—RCA Victor 47-8930.  
Take-off of current record way out sounds. All sorts of Bob Dylan—Mrs. Miller's included. Funny. ★★★

**SUNNY** (MRC, BMI)

**RIVER DEEP, MOUNTAIN HIGH** (Trio, BMI)

**LES McCANN LTD.**—Mercury 72612.  
Les pounds out a new and striking version of "Sunny" and backs it with strong "River Deep, Mountain High." ★★★

**YOU'RE THE ROOT OF MY EVIL**  
(Little Guy, BMI)

**ALL YOU HAD TO DO WAS LOVE ME**  
(Blackwood, BMI)

**JEANNIE THOMAS**—Minuteman 206.  
Seems to be in the right groove for teeny bopper appeal. Jangly rock ode. ★★★

**LONELY DAYS AHEAD** (Billbert, BMI)

**YESTERDAY'S GONE** (Billbert, BMI)

**THE FLORESCENCE**—Cavalcade 2000.  
Guys get marketable sound not unlike Mamas and Papas funk. Good beat and good chances. ★★★

**CARAVAN** (American Academy, ASCAP)

**SPECTRUM** (Kiki, BMI)

**JOHNNY DUPONT**—Columbia 4-43762.  
This instrumentalist recently joined Barbra Streisand for her tour and helped break it up. Wax shows why. ★★★

**FOR OLD'S TIMES SAKE**  
(Knob Hill-Janjo, BMI)

**LOVER'S ISLAND** (Knob Hill-Janjo, BMI)

**JIMMY SERETTA**—Boyd 158.  
Beat beat r/b number about two ex-lovers who meet after awhile apart. Big arrangement. ★★★

**HEART** (Leeds, ASCAP)

**MY FIRST HEART BREAK** (Edwood, BMI)

**2 OF CLUBS**—Fraternity 972.  
New gals sing sweetly and intently on this build ballad in contemporary groove. Could be. ★★★

## FOUR STAR ★★★★ PICKS

**DOMMAGE, DOMMAGE (TOO BAD, TOO BAD)**  
(Feist, ASCAP)

**PROMISES** (Springfield, ASCAP)

**JERRY VALE**—Columbia 4-43774.  
Singer grows wistful about love's embers on this extra-strong ballad by Paul Vance and Lee Pockriss. ★★★

**TREAT ME LIKE A LADY** (Saturday, BMI)

**MAYBE NOW** (Buffee, BMI)

**LESLEY CORE**—Mercury 72611.  
Bob Crewe and Lesley team for this commanding new rock sound. Lots of beat. ★★★

**REACH OUT I'LL BE THERE** (Jobete, BMI)

**UNTIL YOU LOVE SOMEONE** (Jobete, BMI)

**FOUR TOPS**—Motown 1098.  
A new score for the quartet. They get that beat rolling and wail a strong love oath. ★★★

**IF YOU GO AWAY** (Marks, BMI)

**WHEN THE FOG ROLLS IN TO SAN FRANCISCO**  
(Youmans, ASCAP)

**DAMITA JO**—Epic 5-10061.  
Rod McKuen has added words to Jacques ("What Now My Love") Brel's potent lovelorn tune. Damita scores. ★★★

**THE SKATE** (Barles, BMI)

**GIRL I'M LEAVIN' YOU** (Barles, BMI)

**THE INVITATIONS**—MGM 13574.  
New dances is skated across by new fellows. The beat couldn't be better. Alan Lorber produced. ★★★

**FOR ONCE IN MY LIFE**  
(Stein & Van Stock, ASCAP)

**ALL OF A SUDDEN MY HEART SINGS**  
(Leeds, ASCAP)

**JEAN DUSHON**—Cadet 5545.  
A ballad to watch. It builds and builds under Jean's expert guidance. ★★★

**EVERYBODY NEEDS SOMEBODY**  
(Keetch Ceasar-Dino, BMI)

**BE-BOP-A-LULA** (Lowery, BMI)

**THE FIVE CARDS STUD**—Red Bird 10-082.  
These Yale men follow in footsteps of older ex-Yalie Rudy Valee with hot, timely musical sounds. ★★★

**MY BABY** (Rittenhouse-Rumbalero, BMI)

**KEEP ON SMILIN'** (Rittenhouse, BMI)

**GARNET MIMMS**—Veep 1234.  
Wailing a-plenty on this side about love's pains. Certain r/b click for the guy. ★★★

**MEXICAN RIDE** (Bourne, ASCAP)

**I DON'T WANNA GO HOME**  
(United Artists, ASCAP)

**THE LEASEBREAKERS**—United Artists 50050.  
Breezy, bright and brassy instrumental in the Tijuana bag. Should win amigos. ★★★

**GREEN HORNET THEME** (Hastings, BMI)

**FUZZY AND WILD** (Dobo, BMI)

**THE VENTURES**—Dolton 323.  
Hot guitars pound on this version of the "Green Hornet" theme song. ★★★

**DOMMAGE, DOMMAGE (TOO BAD, TOO BAD)**  
(Feist, ASCAP)

**SEXY** (Robbins, ASCAP)

**PAUL VANCE**—Scepter 12164.  
Song of resignation to bad love affair in charming Budapestian musical setting. Writer Vance is just right. ★★★

**THE OTHER SIDE OF THIS LIFE**  
(Third Story, BMI)

**SOMETIME LOVIN'** (Blackwood, BMI)

**PETER, PAUL AND MARY**—Warner Bros. 5849.  
Gently swinging, hearty tune about the wanderlust will find favor. Flip is subtle, inspiring love song. ★★★

**SEE SEE RIDER** (Leeds, ASCAP)

**SHE'LL RETURN IT** (Slamina-Sealark, BMI)

**ERIC BURDON AND THE ANIMALS**—MGM 13582.  
The Ma Raney oldie in rousing new version by Eric Burdon and the Animals. Funky. ★★★

**ALMOST PERSUADED** (Al Gallico, BMI)

**IT'S THE WORLD OUTSIDE** (Vintage, BMI)

**PATTI PAGE**—Columbia 4-43794.  
Lovely rendition of the popular country disk. Should be a heavy score for Patti. ★★★

**MY DEAR AND KIND SIR** (Brent, BMI)

**I THINK I'M DOWN** (Brent, BMI)

**HARBINGER COMPLEX**—Brent 7056.  
Wistful folkrock song marks Brent's entry-in-a-big-way into singles field. Listen. ★★★

**SOMETHING TO SING ABOUT**  
(Groton-E. B. Marks, BMI)

**AUTUMN IN NEW YORK** (E. B. Marks, BMI)

**RANNY SINCLAIR WITH DAVE BRUBECK**—Columbia 4-43759.  
Breathy, bright warbling from echo-chambered girl with Brubeck scatting cross the keys in back. ★★★

**I'M ON MY WAY** (Invador, BMI)

**LOVE COMES ALONG** (Susaper, ASCAP)

**ROBERT MOORE**—Momentum 668.  
Guy with sweet, smooth voice does gospel-folk-blues number with fingers snapping. ★★★

**HITCH HIKE** (Jobete, BMI)

**THE OLD RAG MAN** (Sea-Lark, BMI)

**EDDIE HODGES**—Aurora 161.  
This groovy dance ditty gets vivacious reprise from smiling Eddie Hodges. Chart ride ahead. ★★★

**HIT AND RUN** (SFO, BMI)

**LOCK ALL THE WINDOWS** (SFO, BMI)

**THE KINGSTON TRIO**—Decca 32010.  
The trio is in very folkrock bag with gritty sound all-present. Could catch. ★★★

**COME ON AND SING** (Cedarwood, BMI)

**IT'S A SIN** (Milene, ASCAP)

**BOB LUMAN**—Hickory 1410.  
In the same vein as the guy's "Let's Think About Living." Cheerful message could catch. ★★★



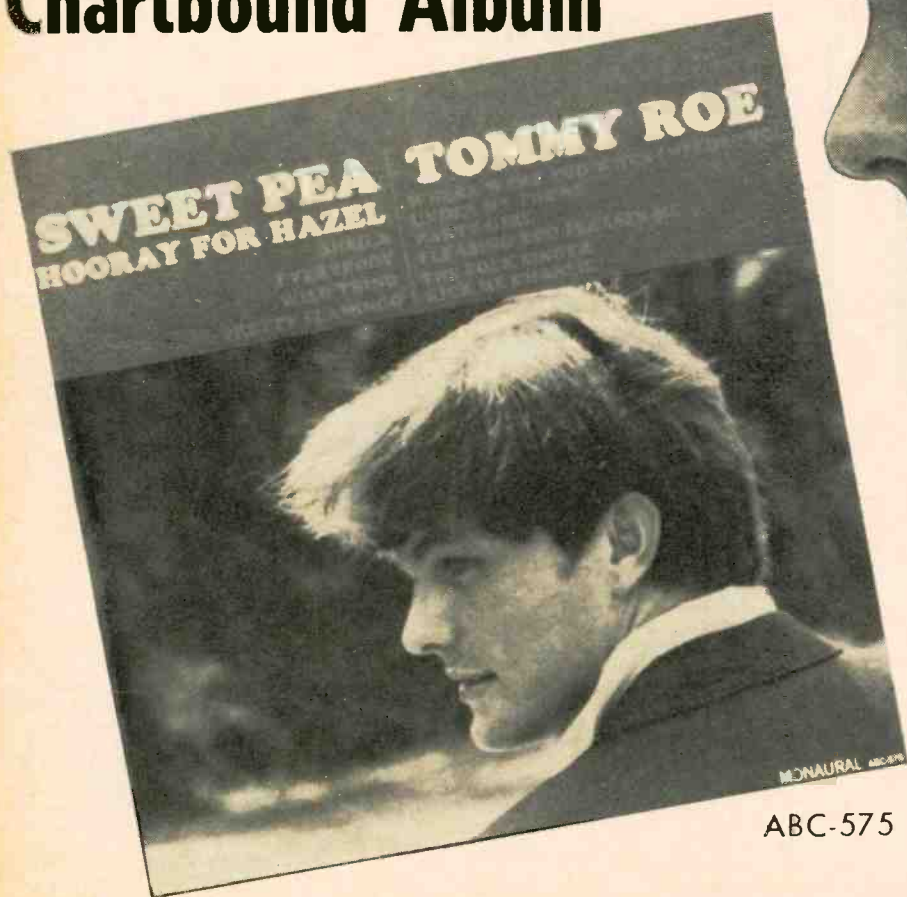
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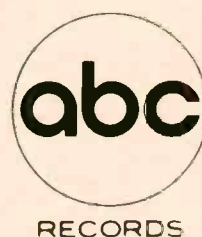
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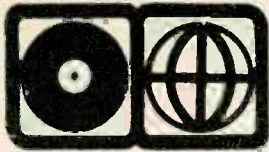


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# ALBUM REVIEWS

## PICK HITS

### BOTH SIDES OF HERMAN'S HERMITS MGM E/SE 4366.

As "This Door Swings Both Ways" rides chart high, The HH's swing 11 different ways—music hall-like, French-like, rock and roll-like. "Bus Stop," "L'Autre Jour," My Reservation's Been Confirmed," "The Future Mrs. 'Awkins."



### THEY'RE COMING TO TAKE ME AWAY, HA-HAAA! NAPOLEON XIV— Warner Bros. W(S) 1661.

There are those who think that Napoleon offends with his songs about mental illness. There are others who think the world takes itself a little too seriously sometimes. This album is for the latter. Amazing silly songs.



### STEVE LAWRENCE SINGS OF LOVE AND SAD YOUNG MEN Columbia CL 2540; CS 9340.

Beautiful singing and beautiful songs on this new package. Lawrence does the terrific but practically forgotten "With So Little to Be Sure Of" from "Anyone Can Whistle" and "The Ballad of the Sad Young Men." Other manly torches.



### ANIMALIZATION THE ANIMALS—MGM E/SE 4384.

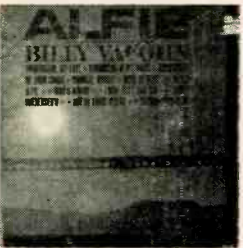
More Animal noises. Cagey guys know how to infuse blues with grits and hard beat. They do it for two sides worth with such ditties as "Don't Bring Me Down," "See See Rider," "What Am I Living For," "Sweet Little Sixteen." Nifty.



### ALFIE

### BILLY VAUGHN— Dot DLP 3751; DLP 25751.

Movies and B'way show music are Billy's fodder for this album. His lead-off tune is the Bacharach-David Oscar contender, "Alfie." Also Oscar winners "Shadow of Your Smile," "Days of Wine and Roses" and "Who's Afraid," "I Will Wait for You."



### NEW KICK!

### THE NEW CHRISTY MINSTRELS—Co- lumbia CL 2542; CS 9342.

Thrilling arrangements of some recent hits and some unfamiliar (like "A Corner in the Sun"). The Christys sound particularly exciting on one of their best packages. "What the World Needs," "Homeward Bound," etc.



### RIGHT FROM THE HEART

### JIMMY ROSELLI—UAL 3529; UAS 6529.

This guy just gets better and better. On this package he takes a chestnut like "Day In, Day Out" and makes it fresh and new. He also gives classy intros to some new songs. His voice is big and so's his talent. "Sleepy Time Gal," etc.



### MORE OF BOBBY'S GREATEST HITS

Epic LN 24187; BN 26187.

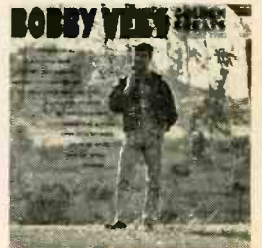
The song included are "Dum-De-Da," "L-O-N-E-L-Y," "Satin Pillows," "Long Lonely Nights," "Clinging Vine," "What Color is a Man," "Tears," "Careless," "Theme from Harlow," "Petticoat White." Incentive enough for buyers.



### BOBBY VEE'S GOLDEN HITS VOLUME TWO

Liberty LRP 3464; LST 7464.

Bobby reprises "Charms," "Cross My Heart," "The Night Has a Thousand Eyes," "I'll Make You Mine," "Never Love a Robin," "Armen's Theme," "Ev'ry Little Bit Hurts," "Hickory, Dick and Doc," "A Girl I Used to Know," "Pretend You Don't See Her." A come-on.



### 60 YEARS OF SONGS (60 ANS DE CHANSONS)

MAURICE CHEVALIER—  
London GN 46001/4.

Decades, eras materialize as Maurice Chevalier sings (mostly en francais) the songs he made famous during the last 60 years. The de luxe package will delight Chevalier fans. There are four disks of newly recorded bands.



### YOU DON'T HAVE TO SAY YOU LOVE ME

RAYMOND LEFEVRE—  
Kapp KL 1510; KS 3510.

One of the leading European pop orchestras, this crowd gives lush and vibrant treatments to recent love themes like "You Don't Have to Say You Love Me," "Yesterday," "Spanish Eyes." A few unfamiliar but pretty tunes round out disk.



### JEFFERSON AIRPLANE TAKES OFF

RCA Victor LPM/LPS 3584.

This crazily-titled gang of California songsters go fast and slow down on a number of bands geared for the teen ear. "Blues From an Airplane," "Come Up the Years" "Don't Slip Away." Package could catch on.



### JAZZ

### PRESENTING THAD JONES, MEL LEWIS & THE JAZZ ORCHESTRA

Solid State SM 17003.

New label seems intent on getting high class jazz in the grooves and that's what they're doing. Thad Jones and Mel Lewis have written and play some scintillating pieces here with 16 sidemen enhancing the sound. Well-arranged excitement.



### SOUNDTRACK

### THE WILD ANGELS

SOUNDTRACK—Tower DT 5043.

Here's the music from the American entry at the current Venice film festival. Mike Curb penned the themes that back up the tale of a California motorcycle gang. Very raunchy, very hot, very fast. Likely package.





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## Mantovani Tour

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visual sales aid, in the form of a monthly Mantovani "Mr. Music" easel for all retailers. The blow-up will have a seasonal motif with the hands of Mantovani as the background on each. Initial unit in this phase of the drive will be issued in September with new ones due each month through January.

The Mantovani tour opens Saturday, Sept. 24, and will extend through Sunday, Dec. 4. During the 10-week period, the maestro will travel throughout the East, Midwest, Canada and the Far West. There will be two New York concerts at Philharmonic Hall on Sunday, Nov. 27.

Briton arrives here on the heels of a special honor, accorded him by Sir Edward Lewis, Chairman of Decca Ltd. in England, parent firm of London Records of America. Sir Edward presented Mantovani with a gold baton, emblematic of the maestro's 25 year association with the company.

## ASCAP Pays New Writers More

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Stanley Adams, song writer and President of the Society, whose membership includes some 8,500 composers and 2,800 publishers of popular and serious works, said: "ASCAP is doing something concrete and realistic—in dollars and cents terms—about giving financial encouragement to new writers in the early, uncertain years of their careers and, at the same time, providing them with a measure of financial stability and security as they progress in the profession."

Adams said: "Under ASCAP's present payment system, members have a choice of being paid for their performances all in one year or averaging their performances over a period of years for payment purposes. Most young writers who are planning to become professionals want the security in royalty payment which is offered by the system which averages their performances over a period of years. However, in their early years, young writers are usually in a precarious situation financially and need their royalties as quickly as they can get them. The new ASCAP plan will enable a young writer to start out on the current performance system of payment and, if he changes to the long term system of payment after three or four years, to have those years counted again in his average. We believe this will be particularly attractive to a new writer. It gives him his money quickly, and at the same time it allows him to build toward a more secure future as a professional song writer."

### Second Benefit

A second benefit new writers will receive from the ASCAP proposals is that their credits for performances appearing in the ASCAP survey will be multiplied so that they will never be paid on less than the equivalent of a full year of performances. This puts the new writer on the same track as all other members who are paid on current performances during the preceding survey year. As part of this proposal, ASCAP will use performances that occur nine months prior to a new writer's membership as a basis for payment, rather than going back only six months as at present. As an added feature, ASCAP will use performances of works which were licensed by another organization as a basis of payment to new writer

members, provided that the works are part of the ASCAP repertory following the new writer's election to membership.

ASCAP also proposes to pay writers who are not members of the Society for performances of compositions which are included in the ASCAP repertory. Under this proposal, ASCAP will log performances of compositions first published by an ASCAP publisher member after January 1, 1966 and written by a non-member (either alone or in collaboration with an ASCAP writer member), and will pay both its members and the non-member provided that ASCAP is the only organization which licenses performances of the composition in the United States. If one of the writers of a work is affiliated with a performing rights licensing organization other than ASCAP, ASCAP will pay the writers and publishers based on performances of the work if the other organization releases the work. This will provide a way for writers who are not members of ASCAP or who are affiliated with another organization to receive the full writer's reward when collaborating with any ASCAP member.

"With these proposals, ASCAP hopes to accomplish three objectives: first, to give all possible aid, encouragement and financial assistance to new talents who wish to enter the song writing profession; second, to keep song writing as a profession alive and independent; and third, to build an American musical repertory equal to the stature of our nation," President Adams said.

At the same time ASCAP is making two other changes in its rules governing the crediting of performances. The first will provide additional credit for performances as themes at the opening or closing of a musical or variety program on television, where the performance is rendered on-camera (either vocally, instrumentally, or by dancers) and is the principal focus of audience attention. The second will formalize an increase in the credit for background music which was announced by ASCAP in February, when the credit for durational background music was increased from 20% to 25% of a use credit for three minutes of music.

The changes are described in great detail in a 44-page booklet which ASCAP mailed to all members on Monday, Aug. 22.

## Epic Tops

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in the Top 10. The immediate acceptance of "Sunshine Superman" prompted Epic to release an album by Donovan, of the same title, shipping this week. The overnight national success of the single could repeat with the "Sunshine Superman" LP. Both the single and the LP were independently produced in England by Mickie Most.

"Almost Persuaded," by country-and-western favorite David Houston, was released approximately three months ago, and was immediately established as a C&W hit. Within a few weeks, however, the record showed strong signs of becoming a pop hit as well. Currently, while "Almost Persuaded" holds the #1 spot on the C&W charts, it is also climbing fast to the #1 position on the pop charts. The success of this single prompted Epic to release a Houston LP, also titled "Almost Persuaded."

"Sunshine Superman" and "Almost Persuaded" are paving the way for other Epic and Okeh singles as they rapidly climb the charts. Included among these are the Yardbirds' "Over Under Sideways Down," "Satisfied With You," by The Dave Clark Five, "Cry Softly" by Nancy Ames, "The Beat" by Major Lance and Walter Jackson's "After You There Can Be Nothing."

## LP Vaude Story

London Records will release a new Phase 4 album which covers the musical story of more than a half century of vaudeville: "The Vaudeville Story," with the arrangements (with live audience backgrounds) of Eric Rogers and Orchestra.

According to Herb Goldfarb, Manager of Sales and Distribution, package marks another example of the increasingly diversified repertoire being turned out by the Phase 4 line.

## Col Inks Arkin To Long-Termer



Shown during a recent recording session, Alan Arkin (right) and David Rubinson, producer, Columbia Records Popular Artists and Repertoire, confers with composer and arranger Sid Ramin. Arkin's debut single, "Barney's Love Song" c/w "I Like You," is scheduled for immediate release.



tion, Blocker was Promotion Manager for Hart Distributors in Los Angeles. Blocker will be announcing his future plans shortly.

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## Epic 45s Top Pop, CW Chart

Epic Records, currently riding high in sales with both albums and singles, is in the #1 position this week on both the popular and country-and-western best-selling singles charts with "Sunshine Superman" by Donovan and "Almost Persuaded" by David Houston.

"Sunshine Superman," Donovan's debut single for Epic, was one of the fastest breaking national hits the label ever experienced. Within five weeks of its release, the half million mark in sales was achieved, with re-orders rising steadily, and in its third week on the best-selling charts, the singles was already

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## Block Leaves WB

BURBANK, CALIF.—In an amicable parting, Gene Block, National Sales Manager of Warner Bros. Records Sales Corp., has left his position with Warners. Block came to the label from Columbia Records. He is mulling several offers and will announce his plans shortly.

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## ASCAP to Pay New Writers More - And Faster

The American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers (ASCAP) has announced plans for a series of significant changes in the distribution of performance fees to new writer members. These changes will result in putting more performance money in the pockets of

new writer members and in giving new writers their money much sooner. In line with this policy, ASCAP will now make advances to writers based on evidence of current activity, such as listings of songs in trade paper popularity charts.

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# Mantovani's 10th US Tour

Britain's Mantovani arrives in America next month to commence his 10th annual tour, the longest he has ever made in this country. London Records, which has sold close to 15 million Mantovani LPs, is tying in with the visit by releasing a new deluxe Mantovani package.


"Mr. Music." An all-out promotion on the album is now being blueprinted.

London has already earmarked a maximum station distribution of the new album. All stations, distributors and distrib salesmen will also be provided with a batch of copies of a new 10 by 12, black and white caricature drawing of the maestro designed to familiarize an even greater audience with the Mantovani visage. All 3500 radio copies of the album will include the drawing print.

## Air Interviews Set

Radio interviews are being lined up for Mantovani in many of the cities to be visited on the tour. Some stations are expected to have LP prize promotions as well among listeners. Expected to have unique impact is a special new

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In New York recently, George Wooler, Chairman of the Board of the Radio Corp. of New Zealand, Ltd., was awarded a gold disk for having sold over 100,000 copies of the original soundtrack album to "The Sound of Music" which has turned into one of the biggest world-wide hits in the record industry. Presenting award to Wooler are (l.) George R. Marek, VP and General Manager of the RCA Victor Record Division and (r.) Dario Soria, Division VP, International Liaison Department.

with his fifth anticipated within the next month.

Miller, who tees off his every Monday night network TV show on NBC-TV Sept. 12th, also has a "gold record" for the million-unit sale of his song "King of the Road." Composer-singer Miller also holds the record for Grammy Awards from the National Academy of Recording Arts and Sciences. He received the unprecedented total of five in 1964 and broke his own record in 1965 with six wins.






# UP SINGLES COMING

- 1 I'VE GOT YOU UNDER MY SKIN  
(Chappell, ASCAP)  
4 Seasons—Mercury 40393
- 2 BLUE SIDE OF LONESOME  
(Glad, BMI)  
Jim Reeves—RCA Victor 8902
- 3 WHEN YOU WAKE UP  
(Craggee, Special Agent, BMI)  
Cash McCall—Thomas 8830
- 4 MIND EXCURSION  
(Tender Tunes, BMI)  
Trade Winds—Kama Sutra 212
- 5 JUST LIKE A WOMAN  
(Dwarf, ASCAP)  
Manfred Mann—Mercury 72607
- 6 YOU GOT YOUR HEAD ON BACKWARDS  
(Burdette, BMI)  
Sonics—Jorden 908
- 7 AIN'T GONNA LIE  
(Screen Gems, Col., BMI)  
Keith—Mercury 72596
- 8 OPEN UP YOUR DOOR  
Richard & The Young Lions—Philips 40381
- 9 WE'LL MEET AGAIN  
(Remick, ASCAP)  
Turtles—White Whale 234
- 10 CAMPFIRE GIRLS  
(Lowery, BMI)  
Billy Joe Royal—Columbia 43740
- 11 LOVE IS A HURTIN' THING  
(Rawlon, BMI)  
Lou Rawls—Capitol 5709
- 12 WE CAN'T GO ON THIS WAY  
(Metric, BMI)  
Teddy & Pandas—Muscor 1190
- 13 BAD LITTLE WOMAN  
(Bernice, BMI)  
Shadows of Knight—Dunwich 128
- 14 A WOMAN OF THE WORLD  
(Tree, BMI)  
Gentrys—MGM 13561
- 15 MAN LOVES TWO  
(Febe, BMI)  
Little Milton—Checker 1149
- 16 REACH OUT, I'LL BE THERE  
(Jobete, BMI)  
Four Tops—Motown 1098
- 17 BABY, YOU DON'T HAVE TO TELL ME  
(Saturday, BMI)  
Walker Bros.—Smash 2048
- 18 I WORSHIP THE GROUND YOU WALK ON  
(Fame, BMI)  
Jimmy Hughes—Fame 1006
- 19 I CAN MAKE IT WITH YOU  
(Blackwood, BMI)  
Poza Seco Singers—Columbia 43784
- 20 SAFE AND SOUND  
(Chevis, BMI)  
Fontella Bass—Checker 1147
- 21 COME ON SUNSHINE  
(Rock, Voodoo, BMI)  
Gil & Johnny—World Pacific 77833
- 22 ALFIE  
(Famous, ASCAP)  
Cilla Black—Capitol 5674
- 23 FAREFOOTIN' TIME IN CHINATOWN  
Lester Young—Barry 1009
- 24 DIANNE DIANNE  
(Buckhorn, Al Gallico, BMI)  
Ronny & Daytonas—RCA Victor 8896
- 25 TOMORROW'S OK BY ME  
(Leo Feist, ASCAP)  
Arthur Godfrey—MGM 13517

- 26 KISSIN' MY LIFE AWAY  
(Screen Gems, Col., BMI)  
Hondells—Mercury 72065
- 27 WALK AWAY RENEE  
(Twin Tone, BMI)  
Left Banke—Smash 2041
- 28 THE JOKER  
(Peer Int'l, BMI)  
Sergio Mendes & Brazil '66—A & M 807
- 29 MELODY FOR AN UNKNOWN GIRL  
Unknowns—Parrot 307
- 30 WITH THE WORLD AT MY FEET  
(T.M., BMI)  
Gini Eastwood—Tower 249
- 31 JUG BAND MUSIC  
(Faithful Virtue, BMI)  
Mugwumps—Sidewalk 900
- 32 BABY TOYS  
(My Songs, Saturday, BMI)  
Toys—Dynovoice 222
- 33 I WONDER IF SHE LOVES ME  
(Terrace, BMI)  
Do's and Don'ts—Red Bird 10-072
- 34 IT'S TIME TO SING  
(Manor, ASCAP)  
Ray Charles Singers—Command 4085
- 35 A SIGN OF THE TIMES  
(Duchess, BMI)  
King Richard & Fluegel Knights—MTA 107
- 36 COUNTING  
(Metric, BMI)  
Marianne Faithfull—London 20012
- 37 PSYCHOTIC REACTION  
Count Five—Double Shot 104
- 38 HE'LL BE BACK  
(Stanc, BMI)  
Players—Minit 32001
- 39 SHE AIN'T LOVIN' YOU  
(Saturday, BMI)  
Distant Cousins—Date 1514
- 40 WALKIN' ON NEW GRASS  
Kenny Price—Boone 1042
- 41 PEACE OF MIND  
(Sid-Lee, BMI)  
Magnificent Men—Capitol 5608
- 42 PLEASE LET ME KNOW  
(BMI)  
Overtones—Ajax 173
- 43 NOWADAYS CLANCY CAN'T EVEN SING  
Buffalo Springfield—Atco 6428
- 44 GLORIA'S DREAM  
Belfast Gypsies—Loma 2051
- 45 IMPRESSIONS  
(Screen Gems-Col., BMI)  
Jones Boys—Atco 6426
- 46 GONNA FIX YOU GOOD  
(South Mt., BMI)  
Little Anthony—Veep 1223
- 47 I'M NORMAL  
The Emperor—Current
- 48 IT HURTS ME  
(Unart, BMI)  
Bobby Goldsboro—United Artists 50056
- 49 I STRUCK IT RICH  
Len Barry—Decca 32011
- 50 A TIME FOR LOVE  
(M. Witmark, ASCAP)  
Tony Bennett—Columbia 43768

## Cartridge Corner

### Decca Enters 4 - Track Stereo Cartridge Field

Sydney N. Goldberg, Vice President and General Sales Manager of Decca Distributing Corporation, has made the simultaneous announcement of the company's entry into the four track stereo tape cartridge market along with the release of 11 tapes, all by name artists, from the Decca and Coral catalogs.

This new product from Decca Records, a division of MCA, Inc., follows by a few months the announcement of the firm's entry into the eight track stereo tape cartridge field. The company has now released 71 eight track stereo tape cartridges to date from the Decca, Coral and Brunswick catalogs. This initial four track cartridge release, the

first of a regular schedule, is being supported by an aggressive merchandising program on the dealer and consumer level.

The first Decca-Coral four track stereo tape cartridge release includes product by Brenda Lee, Pete Fountain, Bert Kaempfert, Earl Grant, Carmen Cavallaro, the Dukes of Dixieland, Lenny Dee, Wayne King, the Surfariis, Guy Lombardo and a package titled "America's Greatest Music Makers," encompassing individual selections by some of the industry's top musical artists.

Goldberg stated: "The wonderful reception to our entry into the stereo tape cartridge field a short while back with the release of our eight track product has been very gratifying, and has more than justified our faith in the dominant role that Decca will play in the growth and development of this new and exciting facet of our industry."

#### Bestselling Tapes — 4 Track

SEPTEMBER 3, 1966

1. STRANGERS IN THE NIGHT  
Frank Sinatra—  
Reprise (10-427) (Muntz)
2. GOING PLACES  
Herb Alpert and the Tijuana Brass—  
A&M (51-112W) (ITCC)
3. MEET THE TEMPTATIONS  
Gordy (G4911) (Tamla/Motown)
4. SOLID GOLD SOUL  
Various Artists—  
Atlantic (21-284) (Muntz)
5. NO MATTER WHAT SHAPE YOUR STOMACH'S IN  
T-Bones—Liberty (LTR 4614) (Liberty)
6. VERSATILE HENRY MANCINI  
Liberty (LTR 4617) (Liberty)
7. STRIKE UP THE BAND  
Tony Bennett, Count Basie—  
Roulette (F22-2531) (ITCC)
8. THE SHADOW OF YOUR SMILE  
Johnny Mathis—  
Mercury (MC 464018) (Mercury)
9. HELLO DOLLY  
Louis Armstrong—  
Kapp (F52-3364) (ITCC)
10. FOUR SEASONS' GOLD VAULT OF HITS  
Philips (PC4610-004) (Mercury)

#### Bestselling Tapes — 8 Track

SEPTEMBER 3, 1966

1. BEATLES SONGBOOK  
Hollyridge Singers—  
Capitol (8X2T2223) (Capitol)
2. RAMBLIN' ROSE  
Nat King Cole—  
Capitol (8X2T2510) (Capitol)
3. PEOPLE  
Barbra Streisand—  
Columbia (18-10-0020) (Columbia)
4. HEAVENLY  
Johnny Mathis—  
Columbia (18-10-004) (Columbia)
5. WHAT NOW MY LOVE  
Herb Alpert and the Tijuana Brass—  
A&M (L51-114) (ITCC)
6. THE SOUND OF MUSIC  
Soundtrack—  
RCA Victor (0851001) (RCA)
7. ALL I REALLY WANT TO DO  
Cher—Liberty (LTR 18606) (Liberty)
8. MICHELLE  
Bud Shank—  
Liberty (LTR 18609) (Liberty)
9. MY FAIR LADY  
Soundtrack—  
Columbia (18-10-0004) (Columbia)
10. TURN, TURN, TURN  
Byrds—  
Columbia (18-10-0060) (Columbia)  
(Courtesy of Wally's Stereo Tape City)

## ROULETTE'S Aces of the Week


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**"SHAKE SHERRY"**  
Harvey Russell  
& The Rogues  
Roulette 4697

**"I COULD HAVE LOVED YOU SO WELL"**  
Chance Eden  
Roulette 4698

**"OUT OF SIGHT, OUT OF MIND"**  
Wayne Anthony  
Roulette 4694

◆  
**A**



# ROULETTE



## Aqui Argentina . . .

By JORGE A. JACOBSON

Sigue en increíble viaje de luna de miel **Leo Dan**. En los países que visita, especialmente los del Pacífico, revalida sus condiciones de cantante con plaza favorable y promociona los films que lo tienen por protagonista, distribuidos por **Pelmex** . . . Alegría en **Odeon** Contrariamente a lo que ocurre con otros artistas que bajan en ventas tras visitar un país, las facturaciones de **Richard Anthony** se incrementaron notablemente . . . El exitoso **Palito Ortega**, después de cumplimentar su labor discográfica y en cine, se apresta a debutar en teatro. Lo hará junto al actor **Rodolfo Beban** (galan sexy) en "Extraña pareja," en una sala de la calle Corrientes . . . A su regreso de los Estados Unidos, **Armando Di Guglielmo**, **Douglas Taylor** y **John Lear**, gerente general, comercial y director artístico de **Columbia**, se encuentran abocados a la puesta en marcha de planes aprobados en la reunión celebrada por ejecutivos de ese sello en el país del norte . . . Placas del artista brasileño **Dorival Caymi** con "The girls of Bahia" serán lanzadas en breve con el título de "Saudades de Bahia" . . . "La fascinación que cautiva" es el rótulo del segundo LP de **Nancy Sinatra** artista de "Reprise," editada en Argentina por **Music-Hall** . . . Por vez primera en la discografía mundial se concreta la realización de una obra con la intervención de los catorce poetas más importantes de Argentina con igual número de compositores encargadas de musicalizar los temas de aquellos. "Catorce poetas para el tango," nombre de la obra referida es editado por **Fermata**, con la incuestionada capacidad y conocimiento de quien lanzó la idea motriz: **Ben Molar** . . . **Nestor Selasco**, presidente de **Sicamericana** adquirió en Estados Unidos los derechos para editar la produc-

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## DESDE NUESTRO RINCON . . . (Internacional)

By TOMAS FUNDORA

(This column appears first in Spanish and then in English)

Grabo **Lyda Zamora**, de "la Nueva Ola" colombiana, un disco de larga duración para el sello **Zeida**. Entre las grabaciones que más sedestacan en este "elepé" figuran "La Luna y el Toro," y "Flamenco" . . . Saldrá un nuevo "álbum" de **Julio Jaramillo** dentro de pocos días . . . Ya salieron en 78 r.p.m. de este "elepé," "Tragedia de Amor," y "Maldita Suerte." Grabó **Blanca Libia** el bolero "Hambre" en Colombia . . . Muy mejorada de las graves quemaduras que sufriera, al incendiarse el yate en que iba de paseo, la conocida y muy querida locutora **Maucha Gutierrez** . . . **Maucha** reside en Miami . . . Hacemos votos por su pronto restablecimiento . . . Muy bueno el "álbum" que **Discomoda** acaba de lanzar al mercado, en el cual "Los Melódicos" interpretan: "Que Gente Averiguá," "Un Domingo Sin Tí," "El Trabalenguas," "La Vieron Llorar," y otras . . . También lanzó este sello el "álbum" titulado "Sonoramica," interpretado por la Orquesta del mismo nombre, y en el cual se interpretan: "José el Feliz," "Pregúntale a La Noche," "Delito," "Toca tu Clarinete," "Negra No te Vayas," y otras . . . Cantan en esta grabación **Nelson** y **Pepe** . . . Acaba de ser nombrado Gerente de Ventas de la **Miami Records**, para los Estados Unidos y Puerto Rico, el buen amigo **Carlos Franco B.** . . . ! Un acierto! . . . Esta empresa acaba de adquirir los derechos para sacar al mercado los discos de **Sonia Lopez** . . . Está impulsando notablemente **Myrta Silva**, a los artistas escogidos para figurar en sus programas de TV (En Español) en Nueva York . . . Cada vez que **Myrta** presenta a un



Guillermo A. Guedes



Myrta Silva



Vicentico Valdés

artista, sus grabaciones aumentan en popularidad . . . Tal es el caso de la **Orquesta Broadway**, que popularizó inmediatamente su "Arrimate Pa Ca," así como **Anibal de Pñea**, con su "Virgen Negra" . . . **Guillermo Alvarez Guedes**, de **Gema**, estará en Nueva York durante dos semanas, que empleará principalmente, en lanzar dos nuevas grabaciones de este sello y además, para impulsar el "Gran Estreno" de la película "Dios Te Salve Psiquiatra" en Nueva York Regresó **Vicentico Valdés** de Europa, y se encontró con una venta "record" de su grabación de "No Puedo Olvidar" (Strangers in the Night).

Recibimos postal de **Darcia Moreti**, desde Buenos Aires, Argentina . . . Prensará y representará **Remo Records**, las grabaciones de **Sono-Radio del Perú**, en los Estados Unidos . . . Fabulosas las interpretaciones de **Carmita Jiménez**, para este Sello, que ahora impulsara nuestro buen amigo **René Moreti**, en esta nación norteamericana . . . Nos escribe el Maestro **Munar** desde Puerto Rico, donde se encuentra como Director Musical, del Ballet de **Roberto Iglesias**, actuando en el Hotel **Flamboyán** . . . Muy bueno el "sencillo" **RCA** interpretado por **Pablo Beltrán Ruíz** y su Orquesta, en el cual ofrecen "La Sombra de tu Sonrisa," y "Agua Miel" . . . Al circular esta edición, estaremos en la ciudad de Miami saludando a nuestros buenos amigos de la "industria del disco" . . . Y a la semana siguiente dirigiremos nuestros pasos a la bella isla de Puerto Rico . . . Desde allá informaremos todo lo nuevo . . . Se casaron en Nueva York, la actriz puertorriquena **Gilda Mirós**, con el fotógrafo cubano **Rafael Llerena** . . . ! Felicidades! . . . Y ahora, hasta la próxima . . . ! Saludos!

## Lend an Ear . . . In English

**Lyda Zamora** recorded an LP in **Columbia** on which she interprets "La Luna y el Toro" and "Flamenco" (**Zeida** label) . . . A new album by **Julio Jaramillo** will be released in a few days . . . "Tragedia de Amor" and "Maldita Suerte," contained in this

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## Latin American Single Hit Parade

- HAMBRE**  
Autor: Rosendo Montiel  
Blanca Rosa Gil (Velvet)  
Fernando Albuerne (Suaritos)  
Magda Franco (Columbia)  
Armando Vega (B.M.C.)  
Mariam Batista Monge (Spanoramic)
- CUANDO VIVAS CONMIGO**  
Autor: José Jiménez  
Felipe Pirela (Velvet)  
Fernando Albuerne (Suaritos)  
Antonio Aguilar (Musart)  
Pepe Jara (RCA)-(Ansonia)  
Jose A. Jimenez (Ansonia)  
Mariam Batista (Spanoramic)  
Hermanas Huerta (Columbia)  
Javier Solís (Columbia)  
Lucha Villa (Musart)
- EL PITO**  
Autor: Jaime Sabater  
Joe Cuba (Tico)  
Wilfredo Figueroa (La Epoca)
- JUANITA BANANA**  
Manolo Muñoz (Musart)  
Luisito Aguilé (Parnaso)
- PAYASO**  
Autor: F. Z. Maldonado  
Javier Solís (Columbia)  
Bienvenido Granda (Musart)  
Daniel Santos (Velvet)
- NO PUEDO OLVIDAR**  
(EXTRAÑOS EN LA NOCHE)  
Autor: Bert Kaempfert  
Vicentico Valdés (Seeco)  
Miguelito Valdés (Valmont)  
Marco Antonio Muñoz (RCA)
- EL DESPERTAR**  
Marco Antonio Muñoz (RCA)  
Juan Jose Ramos (Musart)
- UNA LIMOSNA**  
Autor: Indalecio Ramirez  
Flor Silvestre (Musart)  
Marinés Rodriguez (Musart)  
Javier Solís (Columbia)
- ESOS OJITOS NEGROS**  
Autor: De la Calva-Arcusa  
Dúo Dinámico (Parnaso)  
Gran Combo (Gema)  
Lucretia Benitez (Hit Parade)  
Los Trovadores de España (Montilla)
- CELOSA**  
Autor: Pablo Rodriguez  
Flor Silvestre (Musart)  
Blanca Rosa Gil (Velvet)
- VIRGEN NEGRA**  
Autor: Jorge Monsalvo  
Anibal de Peña (Kubaney)  
Los Brillantes (Discorico)  
Hnos. Reyes con Teresita (Musart)  
Daniel Santos (Velvet)
- LA CRUZ DE PALO**  
Autor: Raúl González  
Tony Aguilar (Musart 4197)
- ARRIMATE PA'CA**  
Autor: R. T. Márquez  
Org. Broadway (Musicor)  
Wilfredo Figueroa (La Epoca)
- LA BANDA BORRACHA**  
Autor: Rafael Sánchez  
Mike Laure (Musart)  
Porfi Jiménez (Velvet)  
Dominico (NRC)  
Los Corrumberos (Miami)  
Los Corraleros (Fuentes)  
Los Tropicales (Discomoda)
- HOGUERA DE AMOR**  
Autor: Julio Rodriguez  
Julito Rodriguez y su Trio (Ansonia)
- PEDACITO DE LLUVIA**  
Autor: Manuel del Valle  
Los Condes (Gema)
- LA PEREGRINA**  
Autor: Vazquez-Valdés  
Miguelita Valdés (Valmont)
- HOY SIN AYER NI MAÑANA**  
Autor: Myrta Silva  
Trio de Oro (Remo)  
Myrta Silva (Musicor)
- MIS NOCHES SIN TÍ**  
Autor: M. T. Márquez-D. Ortiz  
Vicentico Valdés (Seeco)  
Olga Chorens (Parnaso)  
El Trio de Oro (Remo)  
Daniel Santos (Velvet)  
Gilberto Monroig (Gema)
- RONDANDO TU ESQUINA**  
Autor: Charlo  
Raúl Marrero (Montilla)

## Glad 'Pollyanna'

Capitol reports "good airplay" on the Classics' "Pollyanna" in Atlanta, Charlotte, Birmingham, Raleigh and Jacksonville.



# Latin American LP Hit Parade

1. ESTAMOS HACIENDO ALGO BIEN  
Joe Cuba (Tico)
2. HAMBRE  
Blanca Rosa Gil (Velvet)
3. PAYASO  
Javier Solis (Columbia)  
Bienvenido Gronda (Musart)
4. CUANDO VIVAS CONMIGO  
Felipe Pirela (Velvet)  
Antonio Aguilar (Musart)  
Pepe Jara (R.C.A.)
5. SE SOLTÓ  
Ricardo Ray (Alegre)
6. DESCARGAS  
Tico All-Stars (Tico)
7. JUANITA BANANA  
Manolo Muñoz (Musart)
8. ANIBAL DE PEÑA CON LOS DIPLOMATICOS  
Anibal de Peña (Kubaney)
9. ARRIMATE PA'CA  
Orquesta Broadway (Musicor)
10. EL "RAY" CRIOLLO  
Ray Barreto (UA)
11. CELOSA  
Flor Silvestre (Musart)
12. ASÍ CANTA EL CORAZON  
Vicentico Valdés (Seeco)
13. "TE NECESITO"  
Javier Solis (Columbia)
14. SU ALMA VENEZOLANA  
La Lupe (Tico)
15. TU Y MI CANCION  
Dominico Acevedo y La Panamericana (Tico)
16. TRIUNFAMOS  
Trio Los Panchos (Columbia)
17. EL DESPERTAR  
Marco A. Muniz (RCA)
18. PARA ENAMORADOS VOL. II  
R. Ledesma (Gema)
19. RONDANDO TU ESQUINA  
Raúl Marrero (Montilla)
20. GIRA ROMANTICA  
Los Diplomaticos (Kubaney)

## Aqui Argentina

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cion Warner Bros. en este país. Se estudia el mercado de acuerdo al plantel artístico del importante sello . . . José Antonio acaba de completar para Microfon su primer longplay, con títulos de éxito: "Yo soy aquel," Una casa en la cima del mundo" y "Mi credo" entre otros. José Antonio viajara en breve a España llamado por Lola Flores.

# Latin American Album Reviews

## EL DESPERTAR

MARCO ANTONIO MUNIZ—  
RCA MKL-1713.

"El Despertar" se esta convirtiendo en un "hit" Internacional. Adicionalmente, "El Vicio," "Extranos en La Noche" y "Te Doy Dos Horas," entre otras, le haran un buen vendedor.

"El Despertar" is very hot. "Strangers in the Night" and "El Vicio" complete a very well balanced repertoire.

★★★★

## LOS TRIUNFADORES

TRIO VENEZUELA—Velvet LPV-1335.

Muy buenas las interpretaciones de este Trio. Figuran entre otras "Besos Inolvidables," "Mariana" y "Casados sin Amor."

Trio Venezuela is selling well. Also included in this package: "Mariana," "La Locura," "Amar Duele" and "Dulce Veneno."

★★★★

## AMOR AND VIOLINS

LOS VIOLINES DE PEGO—  
Kubaney MT-304.

Un instrumental formidable, con unos arreglos y orquestaciones de primera. "El Silencio," "En Mi Viejo San Juan," "La Flor de la Canela," y "Cuando Calienta el Sol," figuran entre otras joyas musicales.

"Los Violines de Pego" has been selling very well. This instrumental LP in which "A Taste of Honey," "The Sound of Music," "Java" and others are interpreted reflects top arranging. A very fine recording!

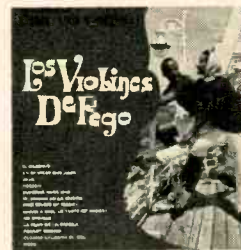
★★★★

## QUE GENTE AVERIGUA

LOS MELODICOS—Discomoda DCM 310.

Son indiscutiblemente buenos Los Melodicos. Se lucen Rafa Perez, la genial Emilita Dago y Manolo Monterrey. Entre otras figuran: "La Pollera Colora," "Un Domingo Sin Ti" y "El Trabalenguas."

Los Melodicos are expert. Their arrangements by Stelio Bosch Cabrujas plus very fine renditions will make a good seller out of this album.



## TV Twosome



Gema Records' Rolando Laserie and actress Geraldine ("Dr. Zhivago") Chaplin appeared on a TV show in Buenos Aires, Argentina, to much acclaim.

## Cesana Signs

NEW YORK—Audio Fidelity Records has signed Cesana, composer, arranger and conductor. A series of LPs by the maestro (he uses 75 musicians) are being planned by the label, with the first due in September.

Cesana records in Rome, London, Paris and other world capitals. Label calls him "our Mantovani."

## Chezar US Rep

HOLLYWOOD — In connection with the announcement made last week that Jim Bailey will represent Pye and Vogue Records, it has been further explicated that Bailey will represent the labels outside of the continental United States.

Irving Chezar will represent the labels within the continental U. S.

## Lib Branch Moves

The Liberty/Imperial/Dolton distributor branch for the New York area has moved to 8-15 37th Avenue, Long Island City. Phone number there is 937-1100.

## Patty Re - Serviced

Atlantic Records is doing a complete re-servicing of radio stations on the Patty and the Bluebells disk of "I'm Still Waiting." Label's reports indicate a smash.

## DJ Changes

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## DESDE NUESTRO RINCON ... (Internacional)

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package, were released a few days ago in a single (78 r.p.m.) ... Blanca Libia recorded "Hambre" (bolero) in Colombia ... Discomoda released an album by Los Melódicos, in which they interpret "Que Gente Averiguá," "Un Domingo Sin Tí," "El Trabalinguas," "La Vieron Llorar" and others. A very fine recording! They also released an album by Orquesta Sonoramica in which "José el Feliz," "Pregúntale a la Noche," "Delito," "Toca Tu Clarinete" and "Negra No Te Vayas" are rendered. Nelson and Pepe are vocalists ... Carlos Franco B. was appointed General Manager for U.S.A. and Puerto Rico by Miami Records. This label will manufacture Soni Lopez' records in the United States ... The "Myrta Silva Show" on TV (Channel 47, N.Y.), "Una Hora Contigo," is promoting fantastically the recordings of the artists who perform each week. Sales went up terrifically when Orquesta Broadway performed on this show and "Arrimate Pa'Ca" became a smash. The same happened with Anibalde Pena and his "Virgen Negra." Congratulations, Myrta! ... Guillermo Alvarez Guedes from Gema Records is in New York promoting the film "Dios Te Salve Psiquiatra" of the same company, and two new LPs which will be released in two weeks, one by Trio Los Condes and the other one by Roberto Ledesma ... Vicentico Valdes returned from his trip to Europe and found out that his single of "Strangers in the Night" had sold by the thousands.

Post card from Darcia Moreti, who is in Buenos Aires, Argentina ... Remo Records will manufacture and represent Sonoradio of Peru in this country. Recordings of Carmita Jimenez, on this label, are wonderful, and good sellers ... Mail from Maestro Munar, who is in Puerto Rico, with the ballet of Roberto Iglesias, as Musical Director, performing at the Flamboyan ... Next week, this columnist will be reporting from Miami and Puerto Rico ... RCA released a single by Pablo Beltran Ruiz y su Orquesta, interpreting "La Sombra de tu Sonrisa" (The Shadow of Your Smile), which is very good.



La industria de la música comienza verdaderamente con los compositores, pues de no haber quien componga las selecciones, que tocarían los músicos, ni que grabarían las empresas grabadoras que hoy constituyen la industria tan importante como lo es nuestra industria del disco.

En el terreno de la música latinoamericana, han habido varios compositores que se han destacado mundialmente por sus grandiosas obras, y entre ellos pudieramos citar a Rafael Hernandez compositor puertorriqueño que falleció recientemente, y que nos ha traído muschísimas composiciones que vivirán entre nosotros una eternidad. De Puerto Rico también, se han destacado muchísimo las composiciones de Pedro Flores que vive aún, y a quien tuvimos el gusto de conocer personalmente hace algunas semanas en Puerto Rico. Otro de los grandes compositores en el terreno latinoamericano lo es Ernesto Lecuona, quien por muchos años vivirá en el corazón no solo de los cubanos, sino de todo el mundo que conoció sus obras y que sigue recordando sus composiciones, al correr de los años.

Estos y todos los demás compositores, se hacen representar por los editoriales de música, y es justo que dirijamos nuestra columna de hoy, a precisamente donde comienza la Industria Disquera, o sea a Los Editoriales.

Entre las editoriales de música que mayor catálogo representa de obras latinoamericanas, contamos con la "Southern Music Publishing Co., Inc." y "Peer International Corporation," que fué fundada en el año 1928 por el Señor Ralph S. Peer. En la actualidad, dichas corporaciones son presididas por su viuda, la Sra. Monique S. Peer-Morris, una dama de origen Danés, que siempre ha viajado por Latinoamérica, y que se define como gran amante de nuestra música latina.

Las oficinas principales de ambas Corporaciones se encuentran en el 1619 de Broadway en Nueva York, y están dirigidas por la Srta. Provi Garcia, que es natural de Puerto Rico, y que en su cargo de Gerente Internacional de la División Latinoamericana, ha logrado no solo el mejor entendimiento de cordialidad con los compositores a quienes representan, sino también una gran amistad con las Compañías Disqueras que licencian sus composiciones para producirlas en discos.

Provi como le llamamos amistosamente es asistida en su cargo por la Señorita Margarita Ponsi y conjuntamente con el Sr. Albarto Salinas, Sub-gerente de la División Latinoamericana, quien es cubano de nacimiento y gran conocedor de su catálogo, contribuyen al engrandecimiento de ese gran EDITORIAL, que constituye hoy por hoy, la mayor cadena mundial de editoras de música.

En las oficinas de Nueva York, Southern y Peer emplean más de 25 hispanos para atender las innumerables llamadas de los artistas y músicos que graban sus canciones, además de que continuamente someten a la consideración de los mismos, discodemstracion de las obras que ellos controlan para promover grabaciones, y una vez relaizadas las mismas, se ocupan de promover las mismas por emisoras locales, ayudando así tanto al compositor como a los artistas en sí.

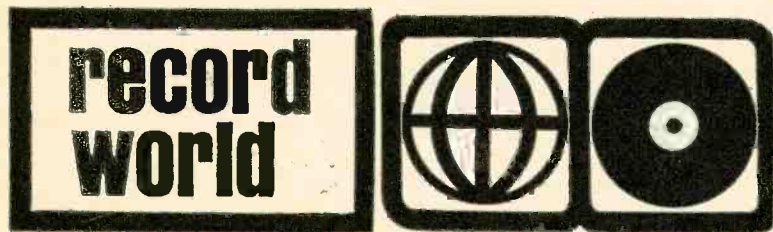
Peer International Corporation es representada en Puerto Rico por sus oficinas sucursales, dirigidas por el habil y buen amigo Angel I. Fonfrias, persona muy capacitada en el género de la música, y buen amigo de todos los compositores, y asistido por su hermano Paquito Fonfrias, quien es a la vez un gran compositor.

En Colombia, La Peer cuenta con su sucursal dirigida por el cubano Ramon Paz, también compositor, quien anteriormente radicaba en las oficinas de Nueva York, habiendo solicitado su traslado a la hermana República Sudamericana.

Además de las sucursales mencionadas, Peer y Southern mantienen oficinas afiliadas alrededor del mundo entero, por lo que es fácil solicitar material de los compositores latinos para cualquier repertorio, con la seguridad de obtener obras de los mejores compositores en el género.

En la semana próxima, informaremos sobre las demás editoras que controlan la música latinoamericana, y a las que pueden dirigirse para escoger el mejor repertorio con la seguridad de adquirir lo mejor en música que se haya escrito.

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## Money Music (Continued from page 30)

Julie Monday; Critters; Dave Clark 5; Shelby Flint; Unknowns; Ronny & Daytonas; Sidekicks are in the battle for hitsville all the way, and stand a good chance of breaking through. The Temptations are going No. 1 R&B for whatever that is worth pop, and they are getting pop play in some nice stations, but not yet nearly enough.

WXYZ, Detroit, went on "You Busted My Mind," Judy Clay, Scepter, and "That's Enough," Roscoe Robinson, is #4 on every Detroit pop chart and went on WMCA. Apparently, this is another sleeper R&B-pop smash, just like the Bobby Moore. The new Dionne Warwick ships in a few days, and Pete Garris says, "It will mess up your mind!"

I think that Columbia has a sleeper pop hit in "That's All You Got To Do," Oval and the Overtures, (Joe Laury Music of "Sweet Pea" fame). So, Tommy Noonan, pay attention and get on the ball.

Our hot tip on "96 Tears,"? and Mysterians, Cameo, is a giant in Detroit and Cleveland, went on WQXI, Atlanta, WMCA, KFVB, KQV, KDKA and will be a giant everywhere. That's as good a tip as we ever get to handle . . . "Cherry Cherry, Neil Diamond, Bang, is getting bigger and bigger. Bang Records is very excited about the big Seattle breakout on "Sticky, Sticky," Bobby Harris, on Shout, because Seattle is certainly the most unlikely R&B area in the country. As we said all along, this is a pop smash . . . "Head On Backwards," Sonics, Jerden, is also large in Seattle . . . "What Becomes of the Brokenhearted," Jimmy Ruffin, Soul, is very big R&B, and is big pop in L.A. . . . "Psychotic Reaction," Count 5, Doubleshot, is a big Denver winner, and is getting all the pop play that it needs.

Congrats to KQV & KDKA, Pittsburgh, for being the first to break "Rumors," Syndicate of Sound, big, sales are over 12,000 . . . When we went out on the limb three weeks ago and called "Workin' In the Coal Mine," Lee Dorsey, "Record of the Week," we knew what we were doing—in two days last week 140,000 were shipped. It should go over a million in sales. We're glad to see Marshall Sehorn become affluent.

"I'm Your Puppet," James & Bobby Purify, Bell, went right on WCAO, Baltimore . . . There is a hot little station, WSMD, in the Baltimore area at La Plata, Md., and I received a call from Dave Harris. He goes on many records long before there is national action. He feels that the C&W winner on Boone, "Walkin' On New Grass," Kenny Price, can be a big pop thing. He is big on the Seattle smash, "Open Up Your Door," Richard & Young Lions, Philips. I agree with him that Fred Edwards of Ambassador-Newark Records can have a smash with "Surprise Surprise," Loved Ones. We are getting good action with it in the Philadelphia area with Ron Diamond on WIFI-FM and Super Lou in Morristown.

Did You Know: The writer of "Impressions," Jones Boys, Atco, is a professional confrere of mine named Dr. Milton C. Addington, and he is a consulting psychologist in Memphis, with a Ph. D. from the Univ. of Tenn. They now use the clinical method in executive selection and development. Milt and I both think the record business and any other business can use psychologists to service management. Dr. Addington also wrote the new Jerry Lee Lewis, "Memphis Beat," and Shelby Singleton of Smash is very high on its chances for success. It's got that funk bass line going. Dr. Addington feels that Memphis has more music talent per capita than any other city, and it is a "town that innovates—the background for this innovation is simple—a rich combination of Negro, country, river and gospel music. Memphis interacts, interlocks, plays music together, writes music together and combines aspects of these different kinds of music into something new. Memphis produced Anita Kerr, Bill Justis, Roy Orbison, Johnny Cash, Jack Clement, Jerry Lee Lewis. But they migrated to Nashville." (By the way, the Jones Boys are Dickie Lee and Allen Reynolds.)

Memphis is the one place where white musicians can really "feel" and play Negro music. Most sessions combine white and Negro talent. Addington says, "Keep your eye on the Memphis scene and watch them move." People like Jim Stewart and Steve Cropper and their brand new studio are JUST STARTING to move. Their last six R&B releases in a row are smashes. Wait until you hear the new Carla Thomas LP. As Milt says, "Watch us move!"

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## New Lines, New Product Boost Premier's Outlook

NEW YORK — Premier Albums, Inc., sales for the fiscal year to end July 31, 1966, will be ahead of the \$3 million grossed by Premier last year, according to Philip Landwehr, President.

A combination of factors contributing to the sales increase includes widespread acceptance of Premier's new record lines, improvement in custom pressing operations and expanded overseas activities.

Landwehr said that Premier now has five budget priced record lines and three higher priced lines, including the new Blue Ribbon personality series developed in cooperation with Mercury Record Corporation. The new Blue Ribbon line features top musical arrangements from jazz to pop and classical masterpieces.

Included in the new Blue Ribbon series are albums featuring the Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra and the Detroit Symphony Orchestra. In the special Blue Ribbon "personality series" are such titles as "Pete Rugolo — Brass At Work;" "Billy Eckstine Belts The Hits;" "Josh White Sings;" "Rusty Draper—Gambler's Guitar;" "David Carroll and his Orchestra;" "Harry Simeone Chorale;" "Richard Hayman—Sizzlin';" "Josh White—Feelin' Blue;" "Rusty Draper—A Little Bit of Western Style;" "Billy Eckstine—Mr. B."

Additional new product lines are being readied for introduction according to Donald J. Pasin. Premier's Sales Vice President. Pasin said that Premier is preparing new sets of five and 10 record boxed packages and is in its final stage for the release of nine three-record boxed packages. Also coming off the presses will be 10 new Coronet and 10 new Spinorama releases plus five new Twinkle kiddie numbers. Pasin stated that these new lines and record releases all will be ready for the NARM convention in Chicago.

Pasin concluded by saying that Premier Albums, Inc. is moving rapidly into the tape cartridge business and would have an announcement to make to the industry shortly.

Lou Werth has joined Premier Albums as West Coast divisional sales manager, headquartered in Los Angeles.

### New Presses

Increased custom pressing business and company produc-

tion has been aided, it was noted, by Premier's development of a new double shuttle press which increases production of both 10-inch and 12-inch records by more than 50 percent. The new presses, already in use in Premier's Clifton, N. J. plant, are expected to be in operation in several foreign markets in the near future. Landwehr said that foreign licensees are planning to either import or manufacture the press from Premier's designs.

Also abroad, Landwehr reported that Premier has entered into new licensing arrangements with Vogue Records of France and Deutsche Vogue in Germany. A joint venture with Combined Record Sales Ltd. already is underway and delivering records in Great Britain.

### Domestic Operations

Expanded U.S. sales volume is due partially to increased custom pressing activity, Landwehr said. In this area, the company has actively sought large volume contracts and recently learned it is low bidder on a United States government general services administration contract to be awarded later this year. Landwehr declined to comment further on the potential government award except to note that it is a "substantial and significant contract."

Another facet of the record business which Premier has been expanding is that of premium sales. The company recently undertook premium programs for several national food product concerns including G & W Pizza, a division of Beatrice Foods. Recently, Premier has concluded successful premium programs for such companies as General Foods and Canada Dry. All premium fulfillment is handled in the Clifton, New Jersey facilities.

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## Jazz

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## Hugh Masekela: Phenomenon of the '60s

In South Africa where the rigid apartheid policy has been described by novelist Alan Paton as "the finest blend of cruelty and idealism ever devised by man," we have witnessed significant breakthroughs through the emergence of important and talented performers.

The most recent expatriate from the land of the Afrikan is a young, brilliantly endowed



Del Shields

black and white is really white, it is amazing that there is still a song left in his heart.

Through the ages we have learned that man has always been able to use his God-given talents to project laughter or sorrow in his attempt to express and relate his feelings; Masekela is indeed a phenomenon of the '60s.

His most recent album on MGM is titled, "The Americanization of Ooga Booga . . . Hugh Masekela." Do not, however, be misled by the title. Hugh Masekela is very much American and soulful in this album.

The album was recorded live at the Village Gate which has the distinction of being known as the most popular recording studio also used as a night club in New York. Herbie Mann, Carman MacRae, Les McCann, Horace Silver and others have found this cellar club and its inhabitants an ideal setting for recording.

What one notices immediately in Hugh's style is a powerful and full sound that is crystal clear. There is a potent urgency that borders on the earthiness, yet evolves in a sophisticated style.

We had the delightful experience of seeing him perform at the New York Hilton recently. We were struck by the setting which was most unusual. Instead of the band

playing behind him, the band led by Elliot Lawrence was set up in front of the stage.

Hugh, after being announced, walked out on stage and there basked in the spotlight stood this youngster who measures all of five feet three or four inches, wearing what appeared to be a short choir boy robe.

### Brought Back Memories

When the lights dimmed and the music began, he placed the trumpet to his lips and what we heard was a sound that brought back memories of the fullness of the late Cliffee Brown and Fats Navarro. There was fire. And as the musicians often say, "the boy came to play."

The tunes he played as he does on the album were all originals. It made no difference to the audience what the origins of the tunes were. What was important was that he was communicating in the most universal language known to man. This was music!

That night was a high point for us. For he shared the bill with such giants and polished performers as Lena Horne, Harry Belafonte, Henry Fonda, Sidney Poitier and Miriam Makeba. Like the hundreds of others in the room, we recognized that this was a young man destined to be a part of the music scene for a long time.

In his album, Hugh repeats most of the numbers he played that night. And upon hearing him, you too, will be struck by the fire and the high degree of musical validity he shows. There is also an unbelievable maturity for one so young.

We have not stated anything about the various chants and the dialects he sometimes uses in singing between choruses on his trumpet. They are there, not as embellishments but as part of the richness of his material.

It doesn't seem possible that in this day of the long hair, the mod suits and the superficial stars created in the studios that there looms on the horizon a really genuine talent, who emerged from South Africa, presently in America, equipped with so much talent.



Hugh Masekela

But it is true. Hugh Masekela is here.

\* \* \*

Some years ago, Herb Lance, a young vocalist, recorded a tune that sold over a million copies. Any veteran jazz collector prized the record as one of his valuable possessions. And in conversations discussing the merits of male vocalists who never quite made it or disappeared from the scene, the name of Herb Lance and "Close your Eyes" was a part of the conversation. Those of us who followed Herb have been aware that Herb (we now call him "Cuz") is one of the big R & B jocks who is also a leading jazz jock at Atlanta's WERD and TCB'ing. Somehow, the people at Chess lured Herb back into the recording studios. What has resulted is a swinging album that may possibly launch Herb on the second round of a career that was cut short some years ago when he was victimized by critics who said that "he sounded too much like Billy Eckstine."

Herb has brought to us a definitive style that deserves to be heard. He can swing and he can shout the blues and he knows his way around a ballad. But Herb has no gimmick. He just sings. His version of the "The Comeback," which was on the "B" side of the original "Every Day" by Joe Williams, is a pure gas. And he has responded to the requests of many by re-doing "Eyes."

Cuz may possibly lead us back to the era when blues, swing, soul and jazz were all related instead of the rigid departmentalization we are now experiencing. The name of the album is "Herb Lance, The Comeback."

## TOP 20 LPs Jazz

- 1. GOTTA TRAVEL ON**  
Ray Brant—  
Cadet LP-767: LSP-767
- 2. SOUL MESSAGE**  
Richard "Groove" Holmes—  
Prestige PR-7435
- 3. LOU RAWLS, LIVE**  
Capitol T-2459: ST-2459
- 4. LIVE AT THE LIGHTHOUSE '66**  
Jazz Crusaders—  
Pacific Jazz PJ-10098: ST-20098
- 5. JOHN HANDY—LIVE AT MONTEREY**  
Columbia CL-2462: CS-9262
- 6. TELL IT LIKE IT IS**  
Richard "Groove" Holmes—  
Pacific Jazz PJ-10105: ST-20105
- 7. MONDAY NIGHT AT THE VILLAGE GATE**  
Herbie Mann—Atlantic 1462: SE-1462
- 8. UNO, DOS, TRES**  
Willie Bobo—Verve 8648: V6-8648
- 9. RHAPSODY**  
Ahmad Jamal—Cadet 764: S-764
- 10. A TOUCH OF TODAY**  
Nancy Wilson—  
Capitol T-2495: ST-2496
- 11. HOOTCHIE COOTCHIE MAN**  
Jimmy Smith—Verve 8667: V6-8667
- 12. TOGETHER AGAIN**  
Willis Jackson & Jack McDuff—  
Prestige PR-7364: PRS-7364
- 13. CRYIN' TIME**  
Ray Charles—ABC-Paramount  
ABC-544: ABCS-544
- 14. HEY LET'S PARTY**  
Mongo Santamaria  
Columbia CL-2473: CS-9273
- 15. SOULIN'**  
Lou Rawls—Capitol T-2566: ST-2566
- 16. INTRODUCING THE AFRO BLUES QUINTET PLUS ONE**  
Mira LP-3002: LPS-3002
- 17. TENDER LOVING CARE**  
Nancy Wilson—  
Capitol T-2555: ST-2555
- 18. A CHANGE IS GONNA COME**  
Bro. Jack McDuff  
Atlantic 1463: SD-1463
- 19. TEQUILA**  
Wes Montgomery—  
Verve V-8653: V6-8653
- 20. SOUL SISTER**  
Aretha Franklin—  
Columbia CL-2521: CS-9321



## Money Music (Continued from page 31)

"Flamingo," Tijuana Brass, is the best instrumental version of this evergreen since the late, great alto sax genius, Earl Bostic, on King Records. Earl died recently of a heart attack, and he was still in his forties. His albums are still giant sellers, and I'd like to put him in George Lorenz' proposed "Monument to Modern Music." I hope Bostic is not already forgotten, because many of us loved his music and grew up on it listening to many R&B and pop record radio shows in the fifties . . . Juke box action on Keely Smith's "The Wonder of You" is terrific. This is a Jimmy Bowen revival of the Ray Peterson classic version on RCA, summer of 1959.

I can see why the original "Emperor," Bob Hudson, is such a big deejay on the West Coast. His record of "I'm Normal" on Current is really a very funny bit, and the guy has a magnificent, scintillating projection of personality. He is now on KBLA, and I think John Fisher can spread it well from his hit action in Seattle, Phoenix, and L.A., etc. . . . Henry Stone tells me that WFUN & WQAM, Miami, went on "Out of Sight," Cannibal & Headhunters, Rampart. It's a wild funky record, and I think that nice guy Eddie Davis of L.A. has finally come up with that long awaited WINNER! Good luck!

Stan Lewis is very excited about the action on "In the Middle of a Heartache," Charlie Daniels, Paula. It is doing very well on WNOE & WTIK, New Orleans, where Stan picked it up and it is spreading through the South . . . The title of the new Uniques on Paula: "Run and Hide" . . . "Sweet Thang," Nat Stuckey, is selling in Dallas, Houston, Oklahoma City, Memphis, Nashville, Charlotte, Chicago, Newark New England.

"B-A-B-Y," Carla Thomas, Stax, is on WQXI, Atlanta, WFUN, Miami, WSGN, Birmingham (Pick with Dave Roddy Bless You); and other pop stations.

I hear that Clark Race gave up his TV show in Pittsburgh . . . WIBG, Philadelphia went on the "B" side of the Ray Head, "Don't Cry No More," and it's a great groove.

Flash: Two weeks ago we were the first to predict that "Ain't Gonna Lie," Keith, Mercury, would be a hit. It went on all three pop stations in Detroit and is over 8,000; broke on WIBG, Philadelphia, Dallas, and Boston; and hit the trade charts Top 100. Mercury Records is all out to spread this record. This good looking artist will become a top star in a short time, and has been booked on the Dick Clark tour. It is time we gave deserved recognition to Jerry Ross, the producer of not only this record, but the nation's No. 1 record, "Sunny." The "Sunny" LP is racking up sensational sales, and is heading for the 100,000 mark fast. It looks like the new single will be "Satisfied Mind" from the LP. This was a C&W giant about six years ago, and has become a standard, but it never went pop. Bobby Hebb will be around a long time. The Les McCann single of "Sunny" looks very potent for boxes.

"Philly Freeze," Alvin Cash, Mar-V-Lus, is another one of those smash R&B instrumentals that has to fight for pop recog-

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### A Sellout

The Mama's and Papa's concert at Chicago's McCormick Stadium on Aug. 20 was the fastest sellout in the stadium's history. Within three days, every ticket (5,000) was sold.

### Premier Outlook

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Landwehr said that Premier also has developed new products completely nonrelated to the record manufacturing industry. He said that Premier research personnel have developed a plastic fresnel lens for use in cameras and other varieties of photographic equipment and lamps. Several equipment and lamp manufacturers are now using the Premier lens on a test development basis.



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## 'Wild Angels' Soundtrack Heads Tower Fall Release of Nine LPs

NEW YORK—Tower Records has nine albums available for strong fall sales, announces Hugh Dallas, label's new National Sales and Promotion Manager. Highlighting the release is the soundtrack (Tower's first) from the American International Picture, "The Wild Angels."

The film, which stars Peter Fonda and Nancy Sinatra, has already opened in some cities and will continue its initial run throughout the country for the next few months. The album features Davie Allen and the Arrows, the Hands of Time and the Visitors. Score was penned by Mike Curb, President of Sidewalk Productions, who also set the deal between Sidewalk and A.I.P. for the Tower album. The film deals with outlaw motor cycle groups that harass the citizens of many Coast communities. It is the American entry in the Venice Film Festival.

Kay Adams, up-coming young C&W star for the label, is featured in her first album, "Wheels and Tears," produced by Cliffie Stone. The disk is a collection of trucker songs from the "girls who wait at home" point-of-view. Miss Adams was co-starred with Dick Curless on Tower's "A Devil Like Me Needs An Angel Like You" album.

A Dean Martin disk, "Happy In Love," is also on release.

"Ian Whitcomb's Mod, Mod Music Hall" shows the young British rocker in a change of pace album featuring original rag time tunes from the early part of this century, as well as some Whitcomb originals.

The Louvin Brothers perform in "Two Different Worlds," material recorded before the passing of the late Ira Louvin.

Two packages with religious and ethnic overtones are also included on the release: "Canticle of the Gift" and "Jewish Songs," the latter featuring Malka and Justin Wilson's Cajun humor is again exposed in "Whoooo Boy!," a live performance by a man who has become a legend throughout the South and whose fame as a story teller is spreading.

The first album release on the Uptown label is also available from Tower. It stars Gloria Jones, young pop-R&B prospect whose "Heartbeat, Parts I and II," hit the charts some months back. "Come Go With Me" is the title of the album and single released a few weeks back.

### In Good Standing



The Standells, with "Sometimes Good Guys Don't Wear White" clicking for Tower and a new elpee on the way, are doing promo appearances while waiting to start a series of fall TV shots. The first will be an Ed Sullivan stint in late September. Guys, who have played themselves in a couple of TV situation comedy shows, are hoping to wrap up a film deal shortly in which they would act as well as sing.

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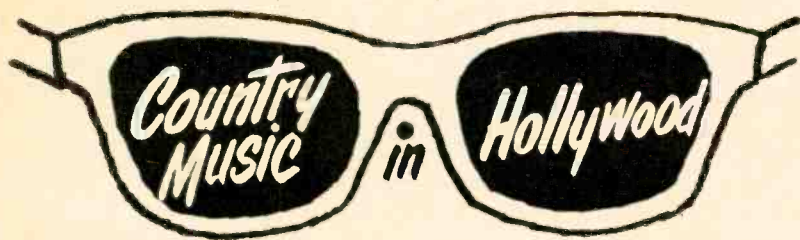
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Johnny Bond, the man who makes people laugh while never cracking a smile, has a new approach to "saying" records which he and Red Sovine just completed. A funny session in Nashville which "Lets the people laugh." Johnny has so many irons in the fire he has an "iron file." He starts shooting the fall series of Gene Autry's "Melody Ranch" syndicated TVer, spun off the Hollywood-based show that bears the famous Autry Radio show name . . . Kay Adams "Towers" over a completely new approach to the truck drivers' songs with her new "Little Pink Mack" single, taken from her new all-girl truck drive album. The distaff side is finally represented in the Truck Stop hit parade.



Biff Collie

Tommy Wiggins, longtime So-Cal Country promoter, recently moved to Bakersfield to the headquarters of Semie Mosely's Moserite Guitar and Record Company headquarters. Moserite firm recently purchased the giant Dobro guitar factory and expanded their operation to include the Dobro product. Eddie Dean recently sessioned for the exploding Moserite label and expects a release momentarily. Eddie is writing better than ever (He wrote "I Dreamed of a Hillbilly Heaven," "One Has My Name," "Hank Williams' Guitar" and other country classics) . . . Ben Landis, well-known Texas country dj for years, now homing in So-Cal and working in the Nashville Record Shop organization . . . Bob Burrell, responsible for numerous hit country song etchings of late by pop recording giants, has a hot new property soon to jump into the country record-go-round. Bob says his young singer will tip the country

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## Money Music (Continued from page 33)

dition as a genuine hit. It is #1 in New Orleans and a giant in Atlanta, Cincinnati, Miami, Memphis, Washington, Pittsburgh and has made it big at many big pop stations such as WMCA, N.Y. Dick Reus in the Southern Music Survey says, "If you've been waiting, don't wait any longer" . . . Big sales in N.Y.C. and other markets on the funny LP, "Our Wedding Album," Kenny Solms & Gail Parent, Jamie . . . "Summer Kisses," Floyd & Jerry, selling in the South . . . "Pollyanna," Classics, Capitol, is getting all the big picks it needs . . . "Tomorrow Never Comes," B. J. Thomas, Scepter, is great and airplay is immediate . . . Tremendous teen requests on "Roller Coaster," Ides of March, Parrot. I feel it's a hit . . . Tijuana Brass has to be a smash . . . "Indications," Zombies, large in the mid-West . . . Big picks on "Sunday the Day Before Monday," Tommy Boyce, as A&M gets wealthier . . . "It Hurts Me," Bobby Goldsboro, looks good in Detroit, good play in Seattle, etc. . . "Glorio's Dream," Belfast Gypsies, Loma, is spreading from Seattle . . . "Ashes to Ashes," Mindbenders, Smash, is big in Baltimore and many other markets and refuses to die . . . Ditto "May I," Zodiaks, Deesu, which is very large now in Charlotte . . . April and Nino are helping keep the music gold pouring into the West Coast . . . Temptations going big pop and #1 R&B.

Don Douglas of KOAM, Pittsburg, Kansas, reports the "B" side of the new Shadoms of Knight happening—title: "Gospel Zone" . . . Gary Grossman of WHUC, Hudson, N.Y. reports a hot cut in the Cyrkle LP, "A Fire in the Fireplace" . . . Los Bravos broke big in Philadelphia as did the Len Barry . . . 4 Seasons is a smash in Philadelphia . . . "Lonely Time," Long Brothers, Jubilee, is now on a number of Texas stations as Harry Goldstein works.

Late flash from Pete Garris: "Dommage, Dommage," Paul Vance, Scepter, now on following pop stations: Long Shot, WMCA, New York; WLS, Chicago; WBZ, Boston; KRLA and KFWB, Los Angeles; KQV and KDKA, Pittsburgh. Could be another "Strangers in the Night."

## COUNTRY SINGLE REVIEWS

BALLAD OF THE GREEN BERETS (Music, Music, Music, ASCAP)  
THE DYING HERO (Mayhew, BMI)

JOHNNY PAYCHECK—Little Darlin' 0011.

Persuasive country rendition of the Barry Sadler phenomenon tune. Could do it again in country areas.

MOMMY, DADDY, TELL ME (Regent, BMI)  
REMEMBER US (Wilderness, BMI)

TEX RITTER—Capitol 5697.

Narration about a little child who discovers that Daddy is seeing another woman. Intriguing story line, rendition.

ALMOST PERSUADED (Gallico, BMI)  
WHY DON'T YOU BE MY BABY (Starday, BMI)

BETTY AMOS WITH JUDY AND JEAN—Starday 778.

Newest country standard given smooth harmonizing on this steel guitar-backed deck.

PRISSY (Vector, BMI)  
LA FIESTA (Wallace Gillman, ASCAP)

CHET ATKINS—RCA Victor 47-8927.

Perky instrumental with Chet showing his guitar expertise off once again. Easy listening.

ALMOST PERSUADED (Al Gallico, BMI)  
HAD YOU ON MY MIND TODAY (Ly-Rann, BMI)

AUDREY WILLIAMS—MGM 13583.

Very hefty country gal version of the chart topper. Should get sales and play.

HOW'S MY EX TREATING YOU (Tree, BMI)  
SHE AIN'T STARTED CRYING YET (Stringtown, BMI)

JOHN SILOVER—K-Ark 702.

Song about a gal who cheats every man she goes with. Slowly swinging number could catch on.

LITTLE PINK MACK (Central, BMI)  
THAT'LL BE THE DAY (Central, BMI)

KAY ADAMS—Tower 269.

The Cliffie Stone Group backs up gal as she cutely sings about her decorated Mack truck.

HER AND OUR BABY (Surfire, BMI)  
ONE MORE MOUNTAIN (Kenetta-Fabor, BMI)

JOHNNY RUSSELL—Fabor 149.

Song about a rat who has second thoughts about maltreatment of his wife and kid. Will pull tears.

THE BIG BALL IS IN COWTOWN (Saran, BMI)  
RAINBOW IN THE VALLEY (Saran, BMI)

CHARLIE "SUGARTIME" PHILLIPS—Longhorn 574.

Singalong about hot time in the old town tonight. Has spirit and appeal as Charlie chants it.

I'M GONNA HANG UP MY GLOVES (Blue Book, BMI)  
DADDY'S COMING HOME (NEXT WEEK) (Southtown, BMI)

CHARLIE WALKER—Epic 5-10063.

Charlie talks about his marriage which is like a prize fight. Good idea and well done.

NOW TELL ME (Glad, BMI)  
AFRAID (Milene, BMI)

GEORGE JONES AND MELBA MONTGOMERY—United Artists 50015.

This compatible twosome have a tune country fans will love. They'll tap along in no time.





By PAUL PERRY

## Two Big c/w Shows Score

Not one but two big, special country and western shows were given last Thursday night here in collaboration with the 32nd annual Southeastern Shrine Association convention which began on Wednesday the 24th and carried over into the weekend. The event was a giant and brought about the biggest parade in Music City's history. Faron Young and his Dupities, Dottie West, Archie Campbell, Merle Travis and the Hardin Trio highlighted the 7 and 9 p.m. shows. Then last Friday evening Ray Stevens, the Stoneman Family, Charlie McCoy and Norris Wilson did a performance other than the regular Opry activities. Members of the local Al Menah Temple, by the way, include Eddy Arnold, Roy Acuff, Tex Ritter, the Wilburn Brothers, Charlie Walker and the Duke of Paducah.

A supposed-to-be 10 lap breath-taking feature auto race that actually went 16 laps because flagman Marty Robbins got so excited was held at the local fairground speedways last Tuesday night as part of Country Music Night at the racing arena. Mercury's Roy Drusky came home the winner after Jim Edward Brown led for eight turns. Brown came in third as Stan Hitchcock took second, Johnny Darrell was 4th and Hal Willis 5th. Other participants included Ray Pillow, Don Winters, Ernie Ashworth, Ralph Emery, Jerry Collins and Bobby Lord. Skeeter Davis and Demetriss Tapp chauffeured the pace vehicle while Del Wood helped Marty with the flag-waving chores. A season's high in attendance, 10,000, for a Tuesday night turned out for the festivities which included local all C & W Weno's 1966 a go go show for an hour afterwards. Everybody stayed.



Paul Perry

Tickets went on sale here last week for the upcoming Music City Pro-Celebrity Golf Invitational slated for Oct. 15th and 16th. This year's tourney includes some of the biggest names in golf and in the entertainment field. It's co-sponsored by the local Chamber of Commerce and the CMA.

### Miss CMA Contest Not Part of Dj Festival

We incorrectly stated last week that the Miss Country Music America contest will be staged as a part of this year's deejay festival. This is not the case at all. The proposed pageant has no connection whatsoever with the birthday celebration of the Grand Ole Opry. Also, the affair fails to have the OK from the CMA.

Boone Records just inked a couple more artists, Chuck Howard and Linda Flanagan. Boone's big chart-riser, "Walking on New Grass," by Kenny Price of Cincinnati, by the way, was cut here and features that Nashville Sound.

Talked with Victor artist Skeeter Davis the other evening for the first time in a year or so. She's been a very busy gal, personal appearance—wise, lately. And a new release that is "real country, with the dobro and all," says Skeeter, is due for release.

Heard from Ricky Sears—the young Prince of Country Music—a week back. This 18-year-old Musicor sensation works out of San Jose, Calif. and his first Musicor effort is "Bring Me Some Water" b/w "Borrowed Love." Both were A & R'd here by Pappy Daily.

Had a beautiful conversation with Audrey Williams yesterday. Audrey has the only girl's version of "Almost Persuaded." She was beaming over Hank, Jr.'s acceptance on the Grand Ole Opry Saturday night. He made two appearances on the show and encoored three times after each number. This came about after a last minute cancelation of a show date.

Monument's new voice Arch Yancy looks as if he has hit paydirt with "Helping Hand." By the way, this former pro-football star with the Houston Oilers exits KNOZ, the Texas town's big top 40 outlet, for KIKI, the all C & W plant, Sept. 5. Arch has been recognized as among Houston's top jocks for a good while.

Former King artist Beverly Buff has moved to Nashville to take up residence. This eye-catching 24-year-old miss had some high flying sounds on King and presently is negotiating with locally based companies.

## Concert Review

### WTHE C/W Show a Wow

ISLIP, LONG ISLAND — A corralful of c/w stars, Capitol's Sonny James and his Southern Gentlemen, Decca's Warner Mack, Columbia's Stonewall Jackson, Little Darlin's Johnny Paycheck and Decca's Jan Howard, brought a whoop-de-do show to the Islip Speedway last week and the smallish crowd was extremely appreciative. Affair was sponsored by WTHE-Islip, Long Island, the new all c/w station.

Each of the participating artists paraded top notch showmanship(woman)ship as they went through their hit lists.

Sonny James stressed versatility as he sang hit after hit, a few folk tunes, like "Tom

Dooley," a comic turn, a couple of fiddle solos. The crowd loved it.

Jan Howard had to sing her "Evil on Your Mind" twice.

Johnny Paycheck did "A-11" and "The Lovin' Machine" and introduced his new version of "The Ballad of the Green Berets."

Warner Mack wowed with "The Bridge Washed Out" and his current single, "It Takes a Lot of Money," among others.

Stonewall Jackson, of course, favored the throng with "Waterloo" and had a couple other familiar goodies as well.

Bob Hensler of WTHE emceed amiably.

## Country Music in Hollywood

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tune scales heavily in the coming months, but won't tell us the new name yet . . . Paul Wyatt, the Tennessee native who now calls Hollywood home, notes special interest in the country recording field from his Columbia H'wd office.

Sept. 12 date set for West Coast Admens' showcase at the world famous Coconut Grove under the auspices of the Country Music Association. Gene Nash will produce the star-filled luncheon sales show, and all West Coast Country Operations will benefit directly from this gala affair. Country station operators interested in participating should contact Dan McKinnon at his KSON Radio, San Diego.

Mel Tillis' new Kapp single making extra trips to West Coast turntables these days. It's a timely story of a guy overseas who wants to go "Stateside." Stonewall Jackson first released it in his latest Col LP . . . Jay Hoffer, top dog at Country #1 in Sacramento, KRAK, notes that his latest "Listening Lesson" turned up another potential "Happy Whistler" on the Fred Fostered Monument release of Don Robertson's "Pianjo." Offers this pretty for balanced programming and potential paydirt. Thanks, Jay!

Cy Coben, the gentleman farmer now planting seeds of song smashes on his spread in Northern California, keeps on writing along. Reminds us of the new Sons of the Pioneers LP bouquet of new Bob Nolan songs. This man has had a few, and although inactive for years as a performer (he was an original SOP) he shows his song thoughts have been busy of late with this dozen dandies, any one of which might be another "Cool Water" . . . Joe Allison uncovered an untapped bonanza of Johnny Horton material. We should be hearing from this cache very soon . . . Frank Page, head hoss of the Louisiana Hayride at KWKH, Shreveport, serves notice of Nat Stuckey's "Sweet Thang" causing commotion constantly on country charts currently . . . Sheb Wooley has pinpointed his new MGMer for a direct hit on the country-pop charts and "Lion" Label bosses predict this new attack on the hit lists as "on target" . . . Don Rhea, the "thinking man" on KCKN Country, Kansas City, informs us that David Houston packed the house in K.C. Aug. 11 & 12.

### Molly, Roy Stay

HOLLYWOOD — Roy Clark and Molly Bee will not be leaving the "Swingin' Country" TVer permanently, as stated in a recent "Country Music in Hollywood" column, but only when previous commitments call.

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 LP'S**



This Wk. Sept. 3	Last Wk. Aug. 27		Wks. on Chart
1	3	<b>THE LAST WORLD IN LONESOME IS ME</b> Eddy Arnold—RCA Victor LPM-3622: LSP-3622	6
2	1	<b>DON'T TOUCH ME</b> Wilma Burgess— Decca DL-4792: DL-75792	9
3	7	<b>CARNEGIE HALL CONCERT</b> 3 Buck Owens & Buckaroos— Capitol T-2556: ST-2556	3
4	2	<b>I'M A PEOPLE</b> George Jones— Musicor MM-20099: LS-3099	12
5	5	<b>MANY HAPPY HANGOVERS TO YOU</b> Jean Shepard— Capitol T-2547: ST-2547	8
6	6	<b>EVIL ON MY MIND</b> Jan Howard— Decca DL-4793: DL-74793	5
7	8	<b>THE COUNTRY TOUCH</b> Warner Mack— Decca DL-4766: DL-74766	7
8	9	<b>SUFFER TIME</b> Dottie West—RCA Victor LPM-3587: LSP-3587	6
9	10	<b>ALMOST PERSUADED</b> David Houston— Epic LN-26213: BN-26213	3
10	4	<b>DISTANT DRUMS</b> Jim Reeves—RCA Victor LPM-3507: LSP-3507	15
11	16	<b>COUNTRY ALL THE WAY</b> 8 Kitty Wells— Decca DL-4776: DL-74776	8
12	11	<b>DON GIBSON WITH SPANISH GUITARS</b> RCA Victor LPM-3594: LSP-3594	8
13	14	<b>ALONE WITH YOU</b> Jim Edward Brown—RCA Victor LPM-3569: LSP-3569	2
14	23	<b>I LOVE YOU DROPS</b> Bill Anderson— Decca DL-4771: DL-74771	2
15	15	<b>PUT IT OFF UNTIL TOMORROW</b> Bill Phillips— Decca DL-4792: DL-74792	4
16	18	<b>MAN WITH A PLAN</b> Carl Smith— Columbia CL-2501: CS-9301	3
17	19	<b>IN A NEW DIMENSION</b> Roy Drusky— Mercury MG-21083: SR-61083	4
18	20	<b>DUST ON MOTHER'S BIBLE</b> Buck Owens— Capitol E-2497: ST-2497	14
19	30	<b>COUNTRY MUSIC SPECIAL</b> 4 Johnny Wright— Decca DL-4770: DL-74770	4
20	27	<b>TILL THE LAST LEAF SHALL FALL</b> Sonny James— Capitol T-2500: ST-2500	2
21	21	<b>JOHNNY PAYCHECK AT CARNEGIE HALL</b> Little Darlin LD-4001: SLD-8001	5
22	24	<b>LONESOME IS ME</b> Charlie Louvin— Capitol T-2842: ST-2842	6
23	12	<b>EVERYBODY LOVES A NUT</b> Johnny Cash— Columbia CL-2492: CS-9292	15
24	13	<b>I LIKE 'EM COUNTRY</b> 19 Loretta Lynn— Decca DL-4744: DL-74744	19
25	28	<b>WEBB'S CHOICE</b> 4 Webb Pierce— Decca DL-4782: DL-74782	4
26	17	<b>LONELYVILLE</b> 10 Dave Dudley— Mercury MG-21074: SR-61074	10
27	(—)	<b>LET'S GO COUNTRY</b> 1 Wilburn Bros.— Decca DL-4764: DL-74764	1
28	22	<b>PLEASE DON'T HURT ME</b> 13 Norma Jean—RCA Victor LPM-3541: LSP-3541	13
29	29	<b>I COULD SING ALL NIGHT</b> 4 Ferlin Husky— Capitol T-2548: ST-2548	4
30	26	<b>ROLL OUT THE RED CARPET</b> 27 Buck Owens & Buckaroos— Capitol T-2443: ST-2443	27

**Acuff - Rose Files Infringement Suit**

NASHVILLE — Acuff-Rose Publications has filed suit in U. S. District Court for the Southern District of New York against five separate defendants charging that the song, "A Million and One," also known as "A Million and One Times," written by Yvonne Devaney, is an infringement of the Acuff-Rose song, "I Can't Stop Loving You," by Don Gibson.

The song has been recently recorded by Vic Dana on Dolton (Liberty) Records, Billy Walker on Monument Records and Dean Martin Reprise (Warner Bros.) Records. Monument Records, Liberty Records and Warner Bros. Records in addition to Miss Devaney and Silver Star Publishing Co., are all named defendants in the action.

**Glen Joins Cliffie**



Cliffie Stone, President of Central Songs, Inc., welcomes Glen Garrison, of Imperial Records, to the firm's artist management branch, Cliffie Stone Productions. Glen's current release is "Green to Blue" and he joins Red Simpson of Capitol Records and Kay Adams of Tower Records for personal management.

**R & B Reports**

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JERRY THOMAS, CURTIS PIERCE, MAD LAD, KNOK, FT. WORTH-DALLAS PICKS

Carter Brothers; T.K.O.'s; Earl Grant. CHARTERED

Booker T.; Bobby Bland; Jimmy Hughes; Lee Lamont; Earl Gains; #1—Buddy Ace; Johnny Taylor.

BUDDY BEASON, WLOK, MEMPHIS TOP 10

Johnny Taylor #1; Bobby Harris; Howard Tate; Carla Thomas; Booker T.; Enchanters.

Pick: Bobby Bland. NICKIE LEE, FRED HANNA, LEE WILSON, WAME, MIAMI PICKS

James & Bobby Purify; J. J. Jackson; Earl Gains; Jackie Wilson; Albert King; Sam & Dave.

CHARTED Sweets Reed; Johnny Moore; Judy Clay; Ricky Allen; Percy Wiggins; Betty Everett; Capitols; Temptations; Bobby Bland; Ben E. King; Bobby Harris; Arthur Conley; Jimmy Hughes; Freddie Scott; Fontella Bass; Anthony & Imperials; Bobby Powell; Janit & Jays; Sol Burke; Platters; D. D. Warwick.

MARTY WEKSER, WWRL, N. Y. Top 10: "Can't Satisfy"—Impressions, ABC. HITS

Fascinations; Dee Dee Warwick; Anthony & Imperials; Top Choice: "My Baby"—Garnet Mimms, Veep.

NEW James & Bobby Purify; Judy Clay; Mighty Sam; Jimmy McGriff; Sam & Dave; J. J. Jackson.

Good Sales: "Philly Dog"—Olympics, Mira. HERB BAMBELL, TOM JOHNSON, SLY STEWART, KSOL, SAN FRANCISCO CHARTED

Karen Small; Ben E. King; Fascinations; Booker T.; Della Reese; Ray Charles; Olympics; Little Milton; Sol Burke; Bobby Bland; Monk Higgins; Chris Clark; Jimmy Hughes; Lou Rawls; Other Bros.; Top 10: Buddy Ace; Mad Lads.





# DISK JOCKEY REPORTS



**ED KOBAK**  
KKAS—Silsbee, Tex.

1. Almost Persuaded (David Houston)
2. Swinging Doors (M. Haggard)
3. Standing In The Shadows (H. Williams, Jr.)
4. Don't Touch Me (J. Sealy)
5. The Shirt (Norma Jean)
6. Blue Side Of Lonesome (Jim Reeves)
7. Flowers For Mama (G. Jones)
8. The Box It Came In (Jean Shepherd)
9. I'll Take The Dog (Jean Shepherd & Ray Pillow)
10. Mommie, Can I Still Call Him Daddy (Dottie West)

**SKIP GRAVES**  
KCIN—Victorville, California

1. Little Boy Walk Like A Man (The Harden Trio)
2. Your Cute's A Showin' (Eddie Drake)
3. Continental Queen (Norville Dollar)
4. Green To Blue (Glen Garrison)
5. Almost Persuaded (David Houston)
6. Streets Of Baltimore (Bobby Bare)
7. We've Gone Too Far Again (Justin Tubb/Lorene Mann)
8. You Just Can't Quit (Rick Nelson)
9. My Way Of Life (Sonny Curtis)
10. I Remember You (Slim Whitman)

**CHUCK OWEN**  
KSON—San Diego, Calif.

1. The Tip Of My Fingers (Eddy Arnold)
2. Almost Persuaded (David Houston)
3. I Remember You (Slim Whitman)
4. It Makes You Happy (Kenny Vernon)
5. Alone In The Crowd (Barbara Mandrell)
6. A Man In My Position (Sleepy La Beef)
7. The Last Thing On My Mind (Tompall & The Glaser Brothers)
8. Walking On New Grass (Kenny Price)
9. Waiting For A Train (Freddie Hart)
10. What's It Gonna Cost Me (Bonnie Owens)

**J. J. HILL**  
KATA—Arcata, Calif.

1. You Ain't Woman Enough (Loretta Lynn)
2. Gettin' Any Feed (Del Reeves)
3. I Can't Keep Away From You (The Wilburn Brothers)
4. The World Is Round (Roy Drusky)
5. Almost Persuaded (David Houston)
6. The Lovin' Machine (Johnny Paycheck)
7. The Great El Tigre (Stu Phillips)
8. Think Of Me (Buck Owens)
9. I'm A Nut (Leroy Pullins)
10. Time And Place (Dave Dudley)

**DEACON DARRYL PORTER**  
WKKD—Aurora, Ill.

1. Sweet Thang (Mat Stuckey)
2. At Ease Heart (Ernie Ashworth)
3. Almost Persuaded (David Houston)
4. Open Up Your Heart (Buck Owens)
5. Sufferthime (Dottie West)
6. I'm Gonna Dress Up (Wilburn Brothers)
7. The Bottle Let Me Down—Merle Haggard
8. Booze And Wine (Queenie (Ben) Stewart)
9. Early Morning Rain (George Hamilton IV)
10. Be Nice To Everybody (Buddy Cagle)

**CHUCK BROWN**  
WJWS—South Hill, Va.

1. Ain't Had No Lovin' (Connie Smith)
2. Mean Old Woman (Claude Gray)
3. Heck Of A Fix In 66 (Jim Nesbitt)
4. I Get The Fever (Bill Anderson)
5. At Ease Heart (Ernie Ashworth)
6. Room In Your Heart (Sonny James)
7. Love's Something (Webb Pierce)
8. Mom's Golden Coffee Pot (Pat Buttram)
9. Blue Side Of Lonesome (Jim Reeves)
10. I Can't Keep Away From You (Wilburn Bros.)

**KRSY—Roswell, New Mex.**

1. The World Is Round (Roy Drusky)
2. Get Your Lie (Bonnie Guitar)
3. Lonelyville (Dave Dudley)
4. Almost Persuaded (David Houston)
5. Time To Bum (Waylon Jennings)
6. Everybody Loves A Nut (Johnny Cash)
7. Streets Of Baltimore (Bobby Bare)
8. You Couldn't Get My Love Back (Leroy Van Dyke)
9. 4033 (George Jones)
10. Be Serious Ann (Tommy Collins)

**WYAM—Birmingham, Alabama**

1. Almost Persuaded (David Houston)
2. The Shoe Goes On The Other Foot (Marty Robbins)
3. Swinging Doors (Merle Haggard)
4. A Million And One (Billy Walker)
5. Ain't Had No Lovin' (Connie Smith)
6. You Ain't Woman Enough (Loretta Lynn)
7. Think Of Me (Buck Owens)
8. Tip Of My Fingers (Eddy Arnold)
9. Walking On New Grass (Kenny Price)
10. If You Were Mine To Lose (Conway Twitty)

**BRYAN LESLIE SUTCLIFFE**  
CHNS—Halifax, Nova Scotia

1. You Ain't Woman Enough (Loretta Lynn)
2. Mama (Lefty Frizzell)
3. King & Queen (Gene & Melba)
4. The Travelling Snowman (Orval Prophet)
5. I'm Hurting (Don Gibson)
6. Be Serious Ann (Tommy Collins)
7. Almost Persuaded (David Houston)
8. Molly Brown (Skeets MacDonald)
9. Doggin In The U. S. Mail (Hal Willis)
10. The Loving Machine (Johnny Paycheck)

**DON CHAPMAN**  
WJJD—Chicago, Ill.

1. If Tear Drops Were Silver (Jean Shepard)
2. 4-0-3-3 (George Jones)
3. Tip Of My Fingers (Eddy Arnold)
4. Shoe Goes On The Other Foot (Marty Robbins)
5. Streets Of Baltimore (Bobby Bare)
6. Time And Place (Dave Dudley)
7. A Million And One (Billy Walker)
8. The Great El Tigre (Stu Phillips)
9. You Ain't Woman Enough (Loretta Lynn)
10. Blue Side Of Lonesome (Jim Reeves)

**AL FISHER**  
CFGM—Toronto, Ont.

1. Almost Persuaded (David Houston)
2. The World Is Round (Roy Drusky)
3. You Ain't Woman Enough (Loretta Lynn)
4. A Million And One (Billy Walker)
5. Lonelyville (Dave Dudley)
6. The Tip Of My Fingers (Eddy Arnold)
7. The Streets Of Baltimore (Bobby Bare)
8. Loving You Again (Johnny Burke)
9. Wallpaper Roses (Jerry Wallace)
10. The Right One (The Statler Bros.)

**WEET—Richmond, Va.**

1. Almost Persuaded (David Houston)
2. A Million And One (Billy Walker)
3. What Does It Take (Jimmy Payne)
4. I Hear Little Rock Calling (Ferlin Huskey)
5. The Count Down (Hank Snow)
6. Don't Touch Me (Jeannie Seely)
7. If I Ever Get To Heaven (Skeeter Davis)
8. 4033/Don't Think I Don't (George Jones)
9. Ain't Had No Lovin' (Connie Smith)
10. Think Of Me (Buck Owens)

**BILL STREBECK**  
WJOS—Jackson, Miss.

1. 4033 (George Jones)
2. Almost Persuaded (David Houston)
3. You Ain't Woman Enough (Loretta Lynn)
4. Home Is Where The Heart Is (George Morgan)
5. I Just Can't Keep Away From You (Wilburn Bros.)
6. The Tip Of My Fingers (Eddy Arnold)
7. A Million And One (Billy Walker)
8. The Shoe Goes On The Other Foot (Marty Robbins)
9. Pursuing Happiness (Norma Jean)
10. Room In Your Heart (Sonny James)

**"MAKE-A-MILLION" RATTRAY**  
WRIB—Providence, R. I.

1. Almost Persuaded (David Houston)
2. Shoes On Other Foot Tonite (Marty Robbins)
3. World Is Round (Roy Drusky)
4. Room In Your Heart (Sonny James)
5. Walkin' On New Grass (Kenny Price)
6. Last Thing On My Mind (Tompall)
7. 4033 (George Jones)
8. You Ain't Woman Enough (Loretta Lynn)
9. Anytime (Kenny Roberts)
10. Durango (Gene Mcles)

**JIM THOMPSON**  
WPAQ—Mount Airy, North Carolina

1. Almost Persuaded (David Houston)
2. I Won't Be Long In Your Town (Claude King)
3. You Ain't Woman Enough (Loretta Lynn)
4. Standing In The Shadows (Hank Williams, Jr.)
5. There's More Pretty Girls (Hank Locklin)
6. Sweet Thang (Nat Stuckey)
7. We Gotta Stick Together ("Little" Jimmy Dempsey)
8. Mean Old Woman (Claude Gray)
9. For Lovin' Me (Flatt and Scruggs)
10. I Get The Feeling We're Through (Don Bowman)

**DOUG MAYES**  
WBT—Charlotte, N. C.

1. Almost Persuaded (David Houston)
2. A Million And One (Billy Walker)
3. I Hear Little Rock Callin' (Ferlin Husky)
4. Streets Of Baltimore (Bobby Bare)
5. The Shoe (Marty Robbins)
6. Ain't Had No Lovin' (Connie Smith)
7. 4-0-3-3 (George Jones)
8. Gettin' Any Feed (Del Reeves)
9. Tips Of My Fingers (Eddy Arnold)
10. You Ain't Woman Enough (Loretta Lynn)



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# Brittain to Smith Enterprises

NASHVILLE—Bill Brittain, formerly Editor-In-Chief of Music City News, will join J. Hal Smith Enterprises as coordinator of Advertising and Public Relations beginning Aug. 29.

According to Smith who is General Manager and Chairman of the Board for Pamper Music, Hal Smith TV Programs and Hal Smith Artist's Productions, Brittain will handle public relations for all three companies.

Brittain will work closely with the heads of the three companies as well as the foreign offices. Brittain is a 14 year veteran of broadcasting having worked as a news broadcaster, writer and announcer for WSM Radio, WLAC Radio and was News Director for WSIX Radio in Nashville. He has been heard on all three major radio networks reporting news from Nashville including the late President Kennedy's visit to Nashville and his speech at Dudley Stadium on NBC's Monitor. He covered the Jimmy Hoffa trial in Nashville for Morgan Beaty on NBC.

Brittain will be in charge of editing a monthly publication for Pamper Music entitled The Pamper Pamphlet which contains news of the music business in Nashville to be sent to disk jockeys and station managers. Brittain will work as liaison between Hal Smith Artist's Productions and the Ray-O-Vac Company in producing country music shows in major cities all over the country. Fifty are planned next year by Ray-O-Vac featuring the biggest names in country music show business. Pamper Music and the other companies are presently located in nearby Goodlettsville, but plans are already drawn for a new building to house all three companies on Record Row.



Bill Brittain

## Busy Boyce



Herb Alpert presents the first record to Tommy Boyce who recorded "Sunday, the Day Before Monday" for Alpert's A&M Records. In addition to being a recording artist, Tommy and his partner, Bobby Hart, have written an original musical score consisting of 26 songs for the NBC-TV series, "The Monkees."

## R & B Beat

(Continued from page 29)

KCOH, Houston, was seriously injured in a car wreck in Mexico and is in St. Elizabeth Hospital in Houston. He is now off the critical list, but he was in bad shape.

Flash: Larry Uttal just came up with another sleeper R&B smash—"I'll Make It Easy," *Incredibles*, Audio Arts. It broke to over 3,000 on a night show in L.A. and now KGFJ is on it heavy. It has also broken in San Francisco, Chicago, Miami and Washington.

Marty Wechsler, WWRL, N.Y.C., Top Choice: "My Baby," Garnet Mimms, Veep. New: James & Bobby Purify; Judy Clay; Mighty Sam; Jimmy McGriff; Sam & Dave; Bobby Harris. Impressions is Top 10. Hit Sales on Fascinations and Dee Dee Warwick. Good reports on "Philly Dog," Olympics, Mira.

WIBG, Philadelphia is on the uptempo side of the Roy Head on Backbeat, "Don't Cry No More," and it's a groove like "Treat Her Right."



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## Big 3 Moves

The Big 3 Music Corporation, in recent months enjoying top action via its new moves in the pop field, international and talent, has announced that it is heading in another new direction: to new East Coast headquarters in the recently completed MGM Building at 1350 Avenues of the Americas, New York, after Labor Day.

# TOP COUNTRY SINGLES

This Wk. Sept. 3	Last Wk. Aug. 27	Wks. on Chart	This Wk. Sept. 3	Last Wk. Aug. 27	Wks. on Chart
1	1	11	31	31	7
ALMOST PERSUADED			I REMEMBER YOU		
David Houston—Epic 10025			Slim Whitman—Imperial 66181		
2	3	10	32	39	6
A MILLION AND ONE			A TASTE OF HEAVEN		
Billy Walker—Monument 943			Jim Edward Brown—RCA Victor 8867		
3	7	8	33	40	2
THE TIP OF MY FINGERS			OPEN UP YOUR HEART		
Eddy Arnold—RCA Victor 8869			Buck Owens—Capitol 5705		
4	4	10	34	35	5
THE STREETS OF BALTIMORE			LOOK INTO MY TEARDROPS		
Bobby Bare—RCA Victor 8851			Conway Twitty—Decca 31983		
5	6	11	35	22	18
THE SHOE GOES ON THE OTHER FOOT TONIGHT			DON'T TOUCH ME		
Marty Robbins—Columbia 43680			Jeannie Seely—Monument 933		
6	2	13	36	38	4
YOU AIN'T WOMAN ENOUGH			PURSUING HAPPINESS		
Loretta Lynn—Decca 31966			Norma Jean—RCA Victor 8887		
7	5	16	37	24	16
STANDING IN THE SHADOWS			TIME TO BUM AGAIN		
Hank Williams, Jr.—MGM 13504			Waylon Jennings—RCA Victor 8822		
8	8	15	38	25	13
LOVIN' MACHINE			EVERYBODY LOVES A NUT		
Johnny Panchuck—Little Darlin' 008			Johnny Cash—Columbia 43573		
9	12	5	39	30	18
THE OTHER SIDE OF LONESOME			DON'T TOUCH ME		
Jim Reeves—RCA Victor 8902			Wilma Burgess—Decca 31927		
10	10	14	40	44	4
IT'S ALL OVER			LITTLE PEDRO		
Kitty Wells—Decca 31957			Carl Butler & Pearl—Columbia 43685		
11	11	10	41	41	7
LONELYVILLE/ TIME AND PLACE			YOU DON'T TREAT ME RIGHT		
Dave Dudley—Mercury 72585			Faron Young—Mercury 72567		
12	14	5	42	43	12
ROOM IN YOUR HEART			I'M WILD BILL TONIGHT		
Sonny James—Capitol 5690			Janet McBride & Vern Stovall—Longhorn 571		
13	13	9	43	(—)	1
I CAN'T KEEP AWAY FROM YOU			BOTTLES		
Wilburn Bros.—Decca 31974			Billy Grammer—Epic 10052		
14	18	5	44	45	7
4033			I'D JUST BE FOOL ENOUGH		
George Jones—Musicor 1181			Browns—RCA Victor 8838		
15	9	13	45	46	8
AIN'T HAD NO LOVIN'			I HEAR A LITTLE ROCK CALLING		
Connie Smith—RCA Victor 8842			Ferin Husky—Capitol 5679		
16	27	7	46	49	4
IF TEARDROPS WERE SILVER			HECK OF A FIX IN '66		
Jean Shepard—Capitol 5681			Jim Nesbitt—Chart 1350		
17	16	15	47	(—)	1
THINK OF ME			I'M DOING THIS FOR DADDY		
Buck Owens—Capitol 5647			Johnny Wright—Decca 32002		
18	21	10	48	(—)	1
THE WORLD IS ROUND			IT TAKES A LOT OF MONEY		
Roy Drusky—Mercury 72586			Warner Mack—Decca 32004		
19	19	10	49	50	3
I'M A NUT			THE COMPANY YOU KEEP 3		
Leroy Pullins—Kapp 758			Bill Phillips—Decca 31996		
20	20	11	50	51	3
GET YOUR LIE THE WAY YOU WANT IT			THE LAST THING ON MY MIND		
Bonnie Guitar—Dot 16872			Tompall & Glaser Bros.—MGM 13531		
21	23	9	51	53	4
LOVE'S SOMETHING (I CAN'T UNDERSTAND)			WALKIN' ON NEW GRASS		
Webb Pierce—Decca 31982			Kenny Price—Boone 1042		
22	17	18	52	60	2
SWINGING DOORS			BOA CONSTRICTOR		
Merle Haggard—Capitol 5600			Johnny Cash—Columbia 43763		
23	32	7	53	52	3
BLUES PLUS BOOZE			WACO		
Stonewall Jackson—Columbia 43718			Lorne Greene—RCA Victor 8901		
24	26	8	54	54	4
WALLPAPER ROSES			SUMMER ROSES		
Jerry Wallace—Mercury 72589			Ned Miller—Capitol 5661		
25	29	7	55	59	2
AT EASE HEART			THE BOTTLE LET ME DOWN		
Ernie Ashworth—Hickory 1400			Merle Haggard—Capitol 5704		
26	33	2	56	56	4
I GET THE FEVER			BE NICE TO EVERYBODY		
Bill Anderson—Decca 31999			Buddy Cagle—Imperial 66187		
27	28	11	57	57	2
DOGGIN' IN THE U.S. MAIL			THE GREAT EL TIGRE		
Hal Willis—Sims 2288			Stu Phillips—RCA Victor 8868		
28	36	3	58	(—)	1
MOMMY, CAN I STILL CALL HIM DADDY?			MY WAY OF LIFE		
Dottie West—RCA Victor 8900			Sonny Curtis—Viva 602		
29	37	8	59	(—)	1
MEAN OLD WOMAN			IT MAKES YOU HAPPY		
Claude Gray—Columbia 43614			Kenny Vernon—Caravan		
30	15	18	60	(—)	1
EVIL ON YOUR MIND			THE JUGGLER		
Jan Howard—Decca 31923			Claude King—Columbia 43714		
			60	(—)	7
			NO ONE WILL EVER KNOW		
			Frank Ifield—Hickory 1397		



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