

April 25 to October 23, 1948

SEE HOW THEY AIRED

An analysis of air-time allotted to dance bands during six months on the BBC's Light and London Home Services

compiled by **BILL BADLEY**

Place	Band	Hrs.	Min.
1.	Geraint	10	15
2.	Victor	10	10
3.	Stanley	10	05
4.	John	10	00
5.	Paul	10	00
6.	John	10	00
7.	Eric	10	00
8.	Harold	10	00
9.	John	10	00
10.	John	10	00
11.	John	10	00
12.	John	10	00
13.	John	10	00
14.	John	10	00
15.	John	10	00
16.	John	10	00
17.	John	10	00
18.	John	10	00
19.	John	10	00
20.	John	10	00
21.	John	10	00
22.	John	10	00
23.	John	10	00
24.	John	10	00
25.	John	10	00
26.	John	10	00
27.	John	10	00
28.	John	10	00
29.	John	10	00
30.	John	10	00

Comment by Badley

FOLLOWING the publication in the Melody Maker (3/5/48) of my analysis of air-time allocated to dance bands by the BBC, I received a number of letters. I have continued my research and now present a similar list covering the first 26 weeks of a new year.

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Supply and demand

I am sure that the public has not yet given them what they want. In the radio world, the supply of music is not in excess of demand. The demand for more modern music is increasing, and the supply is not keeping pace with it.

Mixtures are here

May I, as a mere listener and not a member of the profession, make a few comments?

Through it is pleasing to see such commentaries as those of the Melody Maker and the Nipper, it is otherwise more or less the same as before. The mixtures are here, and they are here to stay.

Do not feel content to comment

Do not feel content to comment on the technical standard of any band, but it seems odd to me that the commentators have not mentioned the excellent work of the Rayettes and the Trio. The Trio are a very good band, and their music is well worth listening to.

TIN PAN-ORAMA

The MPCA Ball reported by SAMMY QUAYER

THE MPCA Ball, which was held at the Grand Hotel, London, on October 23, 1948, was a most successful affair. The evening was well attended, and the music was of a high standard. The dancing was also very good, and the evening was a most enjoyable one.

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Calypso, caresses, and Cole

Edgar Jackson's Record Reviews

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Herman Herd still leads the field

From LEONARD FEATHER in New York

Herman Herd's band opened on Broadway at the Royal Hotel during the week of October 19. The band is of a high standard, and the dancing is also very good.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Go North, young man!

I HAVE been reading with interest the article by Michael Allen, "Go North, young man!" It is a very good article, and it is well worth reading.

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7. WOODY WOODPECKER
8. HAMBLING ROSE
9. OCTOBER TWILIGHT
10. (A-MERICA, B-SIDE)

FAN-AGRAM by Rick Elms

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ON THE BEAT

WHILE the vast audience was roaring with laughter at the spate of first-class comedians at the Royal Command Performance last Monday...

FROM THE NOTEBOOKS OF 'M.M.' REPORTERS
'M.M.' New York Correspondent Leonard Feather comments that the only catch is that the Department of Justice might decide that the agreement violates the anti-trust law...

complimented by adjudicators at the many Melody Maker Concerts in which he has appeared with Rich and the Quads...

Human Race

TO ER is human. It was while trying to show out to the crowd...

Farwell, Ella

LAST Saturday afternoon (October 30), Ella Fitzgerald, Ray Brown and Hank Jones left London by train...

Capitol news

I AM now able to announce that the first batch of Capitol records in this country will include recordings by at least two hitherto unavailable artists...

Segovia talks 'shop'

AMONGST all musicians there are surely none so true to their craft as fretted instrument players, and guitarists in particular...

Canadian capers

MONTREAL correspondent M. Marks writes comments on a Supper Club there...



Every member of the Melody Maker staff... The picture on the left shows the staff...

LYTTELTON'S HOSPITAL JAZZ CONCERT

FOLLOWING an appeal in the Melody Maker "Letters to the Editor" (10/1/48) from patients of the Buxton Hospital, Accot, Berkshire...



Basil Kirchin and other musicians... The picture on the left shows Basil Kirchin...

WEDDING-EVE RADIO RUSH FOR TITO

WELL-WISHERS who hasten to congratulate the busy figures of the profession, Tito Burns and Terry Devon...

Basil Kirchin Forms Own Band for Paramount

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CARRIDGE TUNERS BRINGING BAND TO FELDMAN CLUB

INTERESTING visitor to London this week-end is the Carridge Tuners...

Pat Forbes Leaves Singapore

A COORDINO letter received from drummer-comedian Freddy Gordon...

KASNER OFF TO STATES

ONE of The Fan Alley's most familiar figures, Edward Kasner...

Drummer Lewis Trio For Germany

DRUMMER-vocalist leader, Harry Lewis, who spent the summer in the Isle of Wight...

George Curtis Leaves Peter York

SALIENT George Curtis, who has been with Peter York and the Savoy Theatre...

Peter Gray's Richmond Break

THE Peter Gray Band and the Richmond Club...

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HITS AND PIECES by SAMY QUAYER

Various reports quite a few shows... (Music news and reviews including mentions of Les Lambert, Duke Ellington, and other jazz figures.)

LES LAMBERT of the Skyrockets tests your musical erudition by asking you DO YOU KNOW

The history of musical instruments can be traced back 25,000 years... (A quiz section testing knowledge of musical history and instruments.)

Down with the barriers and forward with jazz!

There are three ways in which European musicians can familiarize themselves with trends in American jazz music... (Editorial piece on jazz and international music.)



George Shearing by George Shearing... (A testimonial or review about George Shearing's music.)

OLD BOB

Remember, only a fraction of recorded jazz finds its way on to the radio... (A piece about the state of jazz recording and broadcasting.)

STAR STUNTS... (A brief summary of various activities and events.)

COMPETITION... (A notice regarding a musical competition and its details.)

No wax for British jazzmen?

It is good to know that we are to have more American swing discs... (An editorial discussing the availability and quality of jazz records in the UK.)

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

First broadcast, on October 20, when I wrote... (A collection of letters from readers, including one from 'SAMY QUAYER' and others.)



Kings of Swing and Jazz!

ON "HIS MASTER'S VOICE" RECORDS! DUKE ELLINGTON and his Orchestra... (Advertisement for Duke Ellington's records on the 'His Master's Voice' label.)

Britain's Top Tunes

The following list of Ten Best Sellers... (A list of popular songs and artists in Britain, including mentions of Duke Ellington, Count Basie, and other jazz acts.)

CALL SHEET

(PERSONS COMING WEDNESDAY 13) (List of names and details for a social event or party.)

RESTRICTION

This really puts me on a political platform... (A piece discussing restrictions on jazz and international relations.)

FLYING VISITS

The thrills build up from chorus to chorus... (A review or report on a performance or event.)

BALANCE

In fact, what the listener eventually hears is often as much the work of the arranger... (A piece about musical balance and arrangement.)

For Your OLDE TIME Library

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The 'MM' welcomes back AUGUST BURMAN's Radio Commentary

The style of the style

Well, well, well! Five years ago... (A commentary on musical style and trends, featuring August Burman.)

MAGNA MUSIC... (Advertisement for Magna Music records, featuring Duke Ellington and other jazz acts.)

'Dancing Time'... (Advertisement for 'Dancing Time' records, featuring Duke Ellington and other jazz acts.)

PETER MAURICE... (Advertisement for Peter Maurice records, featuring Duke Ellington and other jazz acts.)

MAYBE YOU'LL BE THERE... (Advertisement for 'Maybe You'll Be There' records, featuring Duke Ellington and other jazz acts.)

HITS AND PIECES by SAMMY GRAVEN

Reports quite a few show... I've been a three-way week-end... I've been a three-way week-end...

British jazzmen? THE EDITOR

October 20, when... I've been a three-way week-end... I've been a three-way week-end...

PRS simplification

With reference to the letter... I've been a three-way week-end... I've been a three-way week-end...

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WELL, well, well. Five... The style of the style itself is subject to change because of the time factor...

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BALANCE

In fact, what the listener expects to hear is often as much the result of the engineer's own editorial as the musician's own efforts!

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- SONG OF THE RIVER
- DREAMS OF YOUTH
- BOHEMIA

MAYBE YOU'LL BE THERE

- BUTTONS AND BOWS
- GOLDEN EARRINGS
- DREAM GIRL

STAR STINTS

A brief summary of my activities at the Decca during the six months prior to my departure for England on the present visit...

COMPETITION

Then followed a period as a studio pianist, ever ready to oblige to bop, and each Tuesday evening in the studio...

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The West End Is Waking Up!

THERE has been some significant news in the Melody Maker lately. Last week, we reported a big venture at Murray's Club, featuring bandleader Roy Fox, and on our front page this week we announce the return to active banding at the Nightingale, of that almost legendary maestro, Ambrose.

Before the war, the few square miles of London comprising Park Lane, Mayfair, Piccadilly and its environs were the hub of British dance band entertainers. Hotels and restaurants were visited with one another to offer the best bands, and it was the fame and personality of the bandleaders that attracted custom to those palmy days when food was lavish and unrationed.

With the war came a new factor in the entertainment equation. One went to the places where one could get a good meal, and the chef became far more important than the bandleader. It didn't matter very much whether the band was a five-piece, an eight-piece or a thirty-piece; whether the bandleader was an unknown or a star... so long as patrons could get a reasonable meal plus a bit of lightness and brightness, they were quite satisfied.

Now the trend has started to change back to the days of healthy competition between big bands and smaller ones. Already, in two weeks, the band habitus considering his future entertainment will find himself hard put to it to choose between Roy Fox's Circus Royal at Murray's, and Ambrose and his 18-piece Orchestra at the Nightingale. And all the signs suggest that this is by no means the start. It only needs a few clubs and night-spots to launch an elaborate and expensive dance band policy for the others to follow in self-defence, either by augmenting their present bands or by engaging new and super talent.

We must also not forget the lavish floorshows at the Embassy Club in town. A big floorshow needs a big band to support it, and, therefore, any sign of larger and more spectacular ensembles in the London night-ies is to be applauded as yet another indication of the band-managements' renewed consciousness that you now have to attract customers, not just entertain them.

Readers in Manchester, Birmingham, Glasgow and elsewhere can quite reasonably expect a little importance to them who occupy the bandstand in a niterie which they will never have a chance of visiting. This is true, but the West End is the centre of a pool. Throw a stone into that pool and its ripples gradually extend to the utmost edge—by which we mean that the West End rejuvenation of dance music will have a healthy effect far and wide on the whole profession.

Healthy rivalry between bands and bandleaders is the only way to better the standard; and, the higher the standard, the more interest will be taken in dance music. And it follows logically that the more interest that is taken in dance music, the more prestige will result to dance bands as a whole, wherever they are.

We need a revival of pre-war glamour in the West End is a heartening sign that the revival is on the way.

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ON THE BEAT
PAGES FROM THE NOTEBOOKS OF 'MELODY MAKER' REPORTERS

Dancing is the best thing that has come out of the war for a long time. I hope the speaker was Tommy...
The speaker was Tommy...
The speaker was Tommy...



George Shearing proved the highlight of the forty-fourth 'Swing Session' staged by Ted Heath at the London Palladium on Sunday last.
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This special group of Dixie Dean and his 'Garden of Eden and Continents' was taken by the 'Melody Maker' on November 5, 1948, at the London Palladium.
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SACCHARINE RAY!

For example, to hear Ray intoning a saccharine song about Christmas and kidding the audience about it, almost as incongruous as it is...

CAB KAYE AUGMENTS

SHELLING down with the Adelphi, London, West Broadway, London, vocalists Cab Kaye and her quartet...

PARDOE'S PARS

CHARLIE PARDOE and his orchestra have been booked for a series of three nights at the Adelphi, London, West Broadway, London, on November 13, 14, and 15.

No. 1 JAZZ CLUB'S NEW PLANS

AS reported here last month, the No. 1 Jazz Club, London, is to be re-opened on a new basis on November 12, with a policy catering for the member's interests.

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Osborne's Maidstone Line-Up

OPENING with his band at the Royal Star Hotel, Maidstone, on Monday next (14th), well-known sax-leader Stan Osborne will take the stage with an eight-piece orchestra in which he himself will play 2nd tenor and accordion.

'JAZZ CLUB' GOES TO HATFIELD

THE popular BBC 'Jazz Club' programme will be broadcast this time to the De Havilland Hotel, Hatfield, on Monday next (14th), when the well-known American disc-jockey and wartime AEP announcer, Harry Secombe, will be in the chair.

Loss Saxist Returns

AFTER two years' service in the RAF, alto-saxist, clarinetist Harry Secombe resumed his old chair in the Joe Loss rec session at Pimlico Park Empire last Monday evening (11th), when he replaced Bob Luzzatto, who left the band last week-end (10th), to Joe Loss and his orchestra play the second of a series of late-evening Dance Dance broadcasts from 10.15 to 11.15 p.m., Light.

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ON THE BEAT

PAGES FROM THE NOTEBOOKS OF 'MELODY MAKER' REPORTERS

DEBRY is the best thing that has come out of the... he was referring to the... dropped into the... to join the T.D. band and...



This happy what was taken between the sessions of the Joe Loss Band at the Grosvenor House. First Bill held last week in aid of the Royal Police Corps Association, and then with star John Mills and his play...

who composes for today's taste will be forgotten to-morrow... Deven Rosebery... Meditteranean melars... Cole in Canada...

Gray, Cyril Shane, Ronnie Odell (captain), Jimmy Henney and Leslie Paul... Meditteranean melars... Cole in Canada... Ted Heath at Super... Rita Marlowe come-back...

London police dead? This Christmas he temporarily leaves Deven to tour 'Gold-docks' for Jack Gillian Enterprises... New Digest...

On the beat... THIS 'On the Beat' item was engendered by two policemen on their beat last Tuesday evening... On the pitch...

Personal Points: PETER COLEMAN Born in Norwich, Norfolk, on September 19, 1922...

On the pitch... Next day, therefore, the Rangers were able to turn out resplendent in red and yellow quarters... Selmet... THE NEW MOUTHPIECE with the GOLDEN THROAT... Double tone-chamber... VOLUME + EDGE + TONE YOUR NAME HERE

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DANCING to the contrasting styles of Harry Gold and his Flamingo Eight, and Harman Denis O'Hara Burns and his band at the reception held after the wedding of Tito Burns and Terry Devon at Willenden on Tuesday evening (9th), were such stars of the profession as bandleaders Vic Lewis, Oscar Rabin, Harry Davis and Lew Stone.

Osborne's Maidstone Line-Up

Other plans are under discussion by the Federation Committee, and it is the issue of regular intervals of a night of club activity.

London (airs) Calling!

ON the eve of big plans lined up for the former Munich AFN Londonaires, now installed in the New Pavilion, Chillingham, bandleader Max Fox has invited the Melody Maker that he is seeking three first-class men, who are capable readers.

PARDOE'S PARS

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VIC LEWIS ORCH FOR JACK PARNELL BAND 3rd PROGRAMME SERIES ANNE AND VERA'S BIRTHDAY DUET SENSATION

THE recent plea in the MELODY MAKER by Radio Cetic Maurice Burman for jazz on the Third Programme, has had swift and interesting repercussions with the intriguing news that Vic Lewis and his Orchestra are to make history by recording their first dance band to be based on this austere BBC wavelength. The Lewis Orchestra is to be prominently featured in a series of six half-hour weekly programme, 'Jazzing', which will be entitled "Third Division-Some Young Frazzles", which will be broadcast early in December and will be transmitted on the Third Programme in the New Year.

Produced by that stalwart of BBC dance band productions, Pat Dixon who produced "Listen, My Children", with the Vic Lewis Orchestra last summer, the series will make a special feature of the modernistic music so identified with the Vic Lewis outfit, and in charge of the arrangements will be the famous "Jazz Wizard", Ernest Shostak, in normal circumstances, and his orchestra from next week onwards.

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MSBC'S SYMPHONY CONCERT AS exclusively announced in the MELODY MAKER (23/10/48), the Manchester Sinfonia, a new and ambitious project of an Annual Symphony Concert, the first of which is taking place at the Royal Albert Hall on December 12 next (7 p.m.).

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RONNIE ODELL REJOINS WINNICK AFTER a period of eight months leading his own outfit, first a Quartet, and then a Trio, at the exclusive Carter Club, Ronnie Odell rejoined his old boss, Maurice Winnick, at the Club, W.I., last Monday (12th).

DATE FOR PHIL RICHARDSON

he guiding hand of... BERTINI HURT IN CAR CRASH... The route for Christmas Gardens...

TAYLOR FRAME'S HANLEY LINE-UP

As announced last week, Taylor Frame and his Sextet were successful in securing the six months' contract at Lewis Arcade Restaurant and Ballroom...

BIRMINGHAM LIKES LYTTELTON'S JAZZ

HUMPHREY LYTTELTON and his band were an outstanding success when they played at a Birmingham University student concert...

DUMFRIES WALKER TO MARRY

TWENTY-SIX-YEAR-OLD Jack Walker, Dumfriesshire's only professional band leader...

HOW DANCE ALL FIRE

CALE disaster and the life were narrowly averted when a fire broke out at the roof of Glasgow's Grand Hotel...

PEARMAN BACK FROM S. AFRICA

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The Motion's No. 1 Hit - "THE HILL" and "THE GIRL WHO SAID YES"...

WASHBROOK ENDS TO TWELVE

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As we place for press, we are informed that star girl-tenor soprano, Kathleen, is to be seen in a new series of programmes...

MSBC'S SYMPHONY CONCERT

AS exclusively announced in the Melody Maker (22nd Nov. 48), the Musicians' Social and Benevolent Council - sponsors of the famous "Jazz Ambrose"...

FILM BREAK ALSO

In addition to their appearance in the exalted Third Programme, Vic Lewis and his boys will feature another chapter of dance band history next month by supplying all the background music to a lively new British film of the "thriller" type...

NEW TRUMPET-PLAYER FOR OSCAR RABIN

LAST Saturday (12th), trumpet player Ronnie Waterston left Oscar Rabin's Orchestra after a long and happy stay with the band...

TEDDY FOSTER'S 'NEW LOOK' BRASS

BETTY Kent's illness - Betty adding a trombonist to his new four-tuplet band, noted leader Teddy Foster led his New Style Orchestra with a 'New Look' personnel on a one-night stand at Belle Vue, Manchester...

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ALL MY LOVE

(The Waldteufel Waltz Song) Recorded by Al Johnson, Dinah Shore, Tony Martin

L'APAKA

BURKIN (A Ronald Bligg arrangement) LOVE'S LAST WORD IS SPOKEN WALKER (A Phil Coward arrangement)

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'Jazz Club' At Edmonton Again

THIS Saturday evening (10th), at 6.15 p.m., Light, the BBC "Jazz Club" pays a return visit to the Cleveland Rhythm Club, Cook's Ferry Inn, Edmonton, in continued pursuance of the popular policy of broadcasting direct from the many jazz clubs around the country...

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CARLO'S CORNER

by Carlo Kraemer

No. 11—Planned Listings.

We seem to have arrived here from where we were talking about giving everything a good hearing irrespective of whether the title is old or new. One cannot go by titles, but it is very obvious to me that some listeners, and certainly some critics (which may not always mean the same thing), think nothing of a record unless it is ultra modernistic both in the availability of the title as well as in the cadences of its music.

Although it may sometimes be difficult to keep an open mind about things to do with jazz, and a good idea towards the music of the past, your listening more carefully. By this I mean that you should listen to one strong style to another in similar vein, such as from Lennox to Ellington, Dorsey to Shaw, the Hot Club to the Swing Era, etc.

These popular tunes composed a decade or two ago are generally of better quality than those written today. It is all in favor of their being resurrected and dressed up new. Tommy Dorsey's "The Way You Look Tonight" is a fine example of this. It was one of those that first appeared in the early 1930s, but has been reworked in a more modern style, and is now being played by the Tommy Dorsey Orchestra.

I like my chop very, but I do find that the best way to enjoy it is to go to one place, sit on the floor, and second being would be unlikely ever to turn up as late as the first. We know that listening is a rather different thing, but at the same time, always clear your mind with some pleasant, negative order in between.

A little Pat Walker off this very much to my ears. It is a high-heeled, and non-committal. It may be just a thought, but it makes my listening sessions much more effective. Another thing to avoid is having too many records after each other in the same key. It is not necessary a musician to be able to recognize similar keys, and two or three in the same tonality are apt to become very monotonous, and this is just what we need most, in one piece, a few more or less.

Now do the same thing with a disc which has different keys on either side, and to do this, you should definitely, providing you like both sides to begin with, you should find it a very interesting experience. I have found that this is a very good idea, and it is a very good idea.

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LAURIE HENSHAW

sets the mood of the melody and ending performance.

FRANKIE TRAVIS and Orchestra, directed by Axel Stepánov. "What'll I Do" (Capitol, 1045).

Questions Frank: "What'll I Do?" Answer: Speed it up, boy. Consistency of lyrics and melody are both lost as the tempo is increased. The record is a good one, but it is not a good one.

My second suggestion that name "Milk and Honey" is a very good one, and it is a very good one. My third suggestion that name "Milk and Honey" is a very good one, and it is a very good one.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

'Plug' Parade!

CHANGE THE TIME has been changed to change the name of the band to something similar.

WHEN the record month find that it is a very good one, and it is a very good one. My third suggestion that name "Milk and Honey" is a very good one, and it is a very good one.

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CALL SHEET

(Week commencing November 22)

by BENSON and Girls band

BLUE ROCKETS, Burton.

THE BURNS and Sister, Burton.

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HITS & PIECES

by SAMMY QUAYER

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LES LAMBERT of the Skyrocks tests your musical erudition by asking you DO YOU KNOW

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'Break for Music' has proved a bitter disappointment for fans, says BILL RADLEY

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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Accord convert

On the bill at an all-star charity concert on the 15th of the month, the other day was a band called the "Accord Convert".

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(Week commencing November 22)

by BENSON and Girls band

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Here they are—the Bashroom Boys of the Ball. The... Club Cook's Ferry Inn, Edinboro... company has also issued... the national success of the Tin Pan Alley ball, held at the... London, on November 4. Left to right, standing, you see Leo... (P.P.), Jimmy Barry (P.P.), and H.J. George (P.P.). Seated... J. Rosewell (Gaz); Freddie Gashert (P.P.); Robert David (Gaz);... Director of the Ball; Jack Smith (G. and G.); Seated... (P.P.), Publisher; Ted Morgan (Gaz), Chairman and Hon. Secretary... Ted Morgan (Gaz); Reg Evans (Gaz), Hon. Treasurer.

'Prize' pianist... MARTHA RAYE—British musical... talent employing pianist... Square, the Cleveland Rhythm... and the other rhythm clubs... dotted around Greater London.

'The miracle went... THOUSANDS of British... amateur song-writers will... take heart after reading the... Harry Truman's... Lee Morris to mark President... Truman's victory in the U.S... There's a miracle man from... Missouri!

'Greenback... INTO these offices last Tuesday... (16th) breezed a Steison hat... draped raincoat, and Johnny... which is also the Sharon... children's outfits. The shop... day he and his wife Joy open... Ralph hopes his colleagues will... purchase one of these un-reproducible... BRAND NEW! New super... COMBINATION CASE... Included—FREE.

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'Personal Points... Dougie ROBINSON... in Birmingham... 24, 1924, he began... on the clarinet at the... twelve. Two years... 's a member of... Joyce's Juvenile Band... rinet with alto... few months he... rned to Birmingham... mented himself with... local jobs until he... the RAF in 1939. In... out later, he played... a La Conga with... lario Barretto, later... with Ambrose, and... urns at the Nuthouse... sed seasons with most... name bands until he... He has been with... ever since.

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PETRILLO SETTLES AMERICAN RECORDING DISPUTE

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ALWAYS in the forefront of anything that will put youth on the right road to producing good dance music, George Evans announces this week that he proposes to form a Student Dance Orchestra.

In the straight world, Student Dance Orchestra is a necessary adjunct of any musical college or academy, but in the first time such an idea has been attempted in the dance world.

"I want to make it clear," George told the Melody Maker on Monday, "that I do not propose teaching instrumentalists. I want to find keen and enthusiastic musicians (professional, semi-pro, or amateur), who have a certain standard of proficiency so that I don't have to arrange songs to them. The band will be centred in London, but out-of-towners will be welcome to come and sit in. As for the size of the orchestra, that will be determined by the number of students interested in the project, but I will personally audition all applicants on December 20."

Making a good recovery from the flu, George is busy with his new arrangements and other activities, but he is willing to devote his time to this new commercial, experimental venture.

It is expected that the orchestra will rehearse on Sunday mornings or afternoons, depending on the availability of students, and George wants all readers who are keen and interested in musical progress to write to him at 21, Clarendon Road, West Middlesex. In addition to players on all instruments, he wants good brasses, vocalists and arrangers who can make a platform for their activities.

JOHNNY FRANKS ON TELEVISION... SWING-VIOLINIST Johnny Franks gets a big break with his Band when he televises on Thursday next week (23rd), in a three-quarter hour programme, sharing the honours with Santiago Lopez and his Latin-American Music.

The programme is entitled "Taste in Music," and Johnny will augment to a twelve-piece, leading three vocalists, two guitarists, bass, drums, clarinet and Lyne Shaw merrily.

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SOUTHAMPTON'S BIG N.F.P.O. CONCERT

Great interest has been shown by the news given here last week of the big N.F.P.O. concert to be staged by the National Federation of Music Organizations on November 25, in aid of the N.F.P.O. fund for the maintenance of jazz policy in the U.K. The concert will be held at the Guildhall, Southampton, and will feature a galaxy of jazz talent, comprising Humphrey Lyttelton and his band; Ken Turner and his band; Ken Gripper's Wolverine Jazz Band; drummer-vocalist orchestra, Fredman; and Rex Harris, who is to present a band of his own, with illustrations by the Lyttelton Band.

Doors open at 7 p.m., and the concert will be available at the door on the night, and will be priced at 2s. 6d., 5s. 6d. and 10s. 6d. Tickets are being booked in advance by A. J. Clarke, 49, Highfield Crescent, Southampton. Tickets may also be obtained from Mr. A. Catheris, Room 201, A. Catheris Street, Strand, London, W.C.2.

MD BUSBY TAKES OVER FROM YORKE

A CHANGE in the musical directorship of the show, "A La Savoy Theatre, London, has taken place, and famous instrumentalists, composers and arrangers, Bob Busby, has now taken over the baton from equally famed conductor, Peter Yorke.

It is understood that Peter has found his immediate commitments too heavy for him to be able to conduct the show, where there is a very good 14-piece orchestra, containing 10-piece pit-orchestra, and a band of 14-piece pit-orchestra.

Bob Busby, originally a pianist and arranger, with many outstanding talents, has for some years been writing and orchestrating music for the show. He has also been acting as assistant musical-director, and has worked with the show on several British pictures, including "I'll Be Seeing You," "Waterloo Road," "Holiday Camp," and "The Boat Song."

He has also worked on special recordings for Chappell's with the Queen's Hall Orchestra, and conducted a number of musical shows, including "The Measure" starring Jessie Matthews.

Reggie Foresythe Leads at Paignton... AN interesting appointment is announced at the Palace Hotel, Paignton, Devon, where Reginald Foresythe, famous pianist, band-leader, composer and arranger, is now installed in the dual capacity of resident MD and Entertainment Manager.

Reginald has been seen very little in this country during the past couple of years, although he spent most of his time on the Continent. During a long stay in Italy he was responsible for a number of all-star arrangements which were recorded on HMV in Milan by Dino Olivieri and his 21-piece orchestra, and recorded on the HMV label.

At Paignton, Reggie intends to devote quite a lot of his time to composing, but is also leading a band of West Country musicians at the Club Hotel.

MUSICIANS WANTED FOR GERMAN TOUR... A WELL-KNOWN saxophone band around London and the Midlands for the past thirty years, Eric Sklarke (who recently completed a six years' engagement, with his own band at the Regent Palace Hotel), has now formed his own Varadero Agency—London, and is negotiating to send a band to the American Zone of Germany.

For this band, which will be under Eric's own name, a number of musicians (saxophone and strings) are needed, and any interested in joining a six months' minimum contract with the band should write stating qualifications to Eric Sklarke, 124, Westbourne Grove, Haverley, London, W.11, Rayway 237.

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MYERS SIXTY—A group has been formed under the leadership of drummer Archie Myers, and is to be presented by band-leader-agent Peter Carr, on a number of concert stands around town, the first two being at the Regent Hall, Hounslow, this Saturday (20th) and at East Ham Baths, on Tuesday (22nd). The band will also feature a number of vocalists, including Mark White, who will complete a stage performance with the original Dixieland Jazz, tracing the origins of the Dixieland sound in the original Dixieland Jazz, Harry Gold's Pieces of Eight, et al.

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IVY BOOKED FOR A YEAR

WITH her date-book full until next October, Ivy Benson is looking forward to her travels during the next few months.

Due to leave England with her All-Girls' Band for their big tour of the Middle East on December 21, Ivy has now arranged to spend Christmas at home and will be sitting on the "Eastern-Prince" from Southampton on December 20.

Just before the trip Ivy has a solo broadcast on December 23 in a star variety bill.

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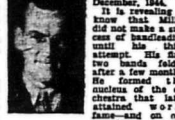
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Letters to the Editor... Peachey's Pat on the Back for the BBC

As a broadcasting handi-capper I must accept the challenge of Mr. Peachey in your last issue regarding the programme 'Pat on the Back'...

When Glenn Miller Snorted! A New Booklet Reviewed by LAURIE HENSHAW

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IN MY DREAMS

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