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WELCOME (1th) **BACK PAUL ANKA**

Second British Concert Tour

MICHAEL IS TOPS

GREAT NEW HOLLIDAY ISSUE

THE recent success of Michael Holliday's version of "The Story of My Life" has caused great excitement in music circles. Ballads are few these days in the Hit Parade, but Michael stormed through all competition to give himself that coveted No. 1 spot, a position which has long been over-due for him.

his achievement, and they be-lieve he can do it again with his latest release. Due for release last week, Michael does a wonderful performance on DB.4087 with "In Love" and "Rooney".

This is Michael Holliday in absolute top form. Words from us are unnecessary to tell you just how good that can

Following the success of his Pouring late June, Michael recent BBC television series, Holliday begins a long summer Michael is to commence a residency in Blackpool.

Everyone at COLUMBIA long variety tour, opening at has been delighted to witness Nottingham Empire on March

Michael's tour continues on consecutive weekly engagements at Leicester, Sheffield, Newcastle, Sunderland, Hanley, Birmingham, Liverpool, Brighton and Cardiff.

These are the dates as we go to press, but further exciting plans are being arranged for him including TV dates.



MICHAEL HOLLIDAY

AS forecast in last month's RECORD MAIL, young singing star Paul Anka has returned to our midst. In doing so he is a most welcome visitor, and is making a more rapid return than is

It was only last December when Paul made his first visit to Britain. Such was his impact in this country, discussions were taking place for a return visit before he left the country on December 22.

As we go to press, Paul Anka should be part way through the first week of an extensive con-cert tour arranged for him by impressario Harold Fielding.

During the coming weeks, During the coming weeks. Anka is scheduled to visit Brighton; Bristol; Bourne-mouth; York; Hull; Harrow; Plymouth; Manchester; Liver-pool; Hanley; Lincoln; with a closing concert arranged for Croydon.

TV dates will be arranged if other commitments allow, but meanwhile Paul Anka is assured of a big welcome everywhere be might visit.

He has maintained popularity since his last visit with his tremendously successful COLUMBIA issue—"You Are My Destiny" on DB.4063.

young entertainer.



PAUL ANKA

Paul has made very many friends in this country and has looked forward eagerly to re-newing these friendships on his My Destiny on DB.4063.

Having watched him perform in person during his last visit, when he made a Transatlantic we advise you to eatch one of telephone call to B.B.C telehis shows if you can. He is vision studios to send congratulations to the "Six-Five Special" on the state of the state o on its first birthday.

SPIKE GOES STRAIGHT!

NEW PARLOPHONE RELEASE BY "GOON" MILLIGAN

Many people have been sur-prised at the Parlophone issue which has introduced Goon Spike Milligan as a straight ballad singer.

This interesting new record style by Milligan on R.4406, shows off perfectly the vocal capabilities of this favourite TV and radio clown on "Wish I Knew" and "Will I Find My Love Today ".

Though one usually associates Spike with his special brand of zany humour, he is actually quite a musician. Anyone who has attended "warm-ups" of famous Goon Show will know that they can usually ex-pect some good trumpet playing from Milligan. Though he never remains serious for too long, he has a deep appreciation of music, and is quite an authority on classical music.

This Parlophone issue cer-This Parlophone issue cer-tainly displays fully another talented facet of the fabulous Spike Milligan. Play it to your friends without telling them the identity of the singer. You are

FRANK CORDELL MAKES THE MELODY LINGER ON

An H.M.V. high-spot this month is the issue of a Long Play by that wonderful con-ductor—FRANK CORDELL.

Called "The Melody Lingers On" (CLP.1153) this lush Cor-dell recording has a host of wonderful melodies, beautifully scored.

scored.

Titles include "Fascinating Rhythm": "Easy To Love": "Cherokee": "You Go To My Head": "The Continental": "Yesterdays" and "Just One of Those Things".



FRANK CORDELL

MORE T.V. TIMES FOR **RUSS CONWAY**

Popular RUSS CONWAY'S commercial television programme which started in January with just two weekly appearances planned, has now been extended "indefinitely" because of tremendous public demand demand

Previously screened on Mondays from 10-10.15 p.m. these spots have been lengthened by minutes and moved to a peak viewing period on Fridays from 6.40 to 7 p.m. Says a delighted Russ: "In

the first two weeks we received over four thousand requests for over four thousand requests for songs—and they are still coming in." The type of song and playing that are helping to cause this furore among the viewing public can be heard on the latest Russ Conway Columbia release "Pal Joey Pops" (DB.4079).

"Humph," the affectionate title for **Humphrey Lyttelton**, has had his Granada-TV series extended due to the success of the initial programmes.

The programme is of 30 minutes duration, and is transmitted each Friday from 6.10 to

VAUGHAN FOR THE ROAD

VARIETY DATES FOR MALCOLM

GREAT NEW HMV ISSUE

H.M.V. singing star, Malcolm Vaughan until recently resident in a long successful pantomime engagement in Wolverhampton, is to return to variety with his partner Kenneth Earle.

Dates so far known include Hulme Hippodrome on March 10, Belfast on March 17, and Chester on April 21. On May 26 Malcolm is lined up to play his home area at Cardiff.

Shortly Malcolm and Ken are to make a trial tele-record-ing for AR-TV for a possible series later in the year.

Malcolm Vaughan has enjoyed tremendous success with his HMV release—"My Special Angel" on POP.419, and a new issue made last week has all the Hit Parade ingredients. This is a high-grade Malcolm Vaughan performance with the titles "To Be Loved" and "My Loving Arms" on POP.459.

Many people believe that this Malcolm Vaughan at his is Malcolm Vaughan at his finest. We think that way too. and hope that it gives this great singer another Hit Parade



MALCOLM VAUGHAN

THANK YOU!

We're happy to know that you We're happy to know that you like us. Reports from all over the country tell us that the "Record Mail" has had an enthusiastic reception, and for that we say sincerely "Thank You!" We aim to give you interesting news and views of your favourite E.M.I recording record of the control of the c stars, and to see that you know all about their latest discs. you like to write to us (post-cards please) with your comments, criticisms, questions and requests-well, we'll welcome any or all of them. In fact we any or all of them. In fact we have already had many letters with suggestions about features you would like to see in your "Record Mail." And see them you shall !

Our purpose is to help you get as much pleasure as possible from your records and if, in doing that, we have your interest and support the "Record Mail" will go from strength to strength.
And speaking of going from
strength to strength we're happy to hear that the launching of our sister paper, the "Record Times," has been equally successful. For many of you interested also in the light classics and classics this is another paper you will want to read. Both the "Record Mail" and the "Record Times" will be catering for record enthusiasts everywhere, what-ever the type of musical moments you wish to spend in the com-

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JAZZ

by Nevil Skrimshire

Each year at Newport in America, there is held the gigantic week long series of Jazz Concerts which goes under the title of the Newport Jazz Festival. The rights to record the whole series goes to a different company each year, by arrangement, and Norman Granz had this wonderful opportunity at the 1957 Festi-Now, on Columbia Clef series we are presenting in two issues of seven volumes each. last year's sensational recordings. In the first issue

volumes by GEORGE LEWIS and TURK MURPHY: ELLA FITZGERALD and BILLIE HOLIDAY: the COLEMAN HAWKINS - ROY ELD-NS - ROY ELD-ALL STARS: DIZZY GILLESPIE: and many others. Among the lesser known artistes is TOSHIKO the

Japanese girl pianist.
Traditional fans should look out for the GEORGE LEWIS and TURK MURPHY record especially, while modern fans will like the TOSHIKO and LEON SASH offerings, and for mainstream lovers there is printy BRAFF with PEE lovers the mainstream lover RUBY BRAFF WEE RUSSELL.

This month also sees the release on H.M.V. of three modern jazz LPs from A.B.C. Paramount, "Go West, Man" Paramount. "Go West, Ma CLP 1157 is the title of record by young negro arranger QUINCY JONES. The per-sonnel features such names as sonnel leatures such names as ART PEPPER, BILL PER-KINS, PETE and CONTE CONDOLI, BENNY CARTER and HARRY EDISON. CLP 1158 is by URBIE GREEN and his big band.

Tenor player ZOOT SIMS also plays alto and baritone saxes on CLP 1165 in an album GEORGE HANDY of GEORGE HANDY com-positions. Not so modern is an LP by pianist MEADE LUX LEWIS called "Out of the Roaring Twenties" DLP 1176. Also on H.M.V. is an EP of Violinists STEPHAN GRAP-PELLY and EDDIE SOUTH playing with Django Reinhardt the famous gypsy guitarist. TEG 8324.

There is a new HUMPHREY LYTTELTON LP. This is on Parlophone PMD 1052 and is titled "Kath Meets Humph". This record was made during the time that KATHY STO-BART played tenor sax with the Lyttelton Band in place of Jimmy Skidmore who was ill in hospital.

CLP1152 HMV

BEST SELLERS ON LP

I LOVE TO SING - Alma Cogan

Have You Got Them?

STUDENT PRINCE - Mario Lanza	ALP1186	HMY	
GLENN MILLER STORY	DLP1024	HMY	
PEARL BAILEY A BROAD	335X1065	COL	
YOU WERE NEVER LOYELIER — Victor Silvester and his silver strings	33SX1061	COL	
HERE'S HUMPH	PMD1049	PAR	
SIX FIVE SPECIAL	PMC1047	PAR	

GERRY WILMOT'S JAZZ "RECORD HOP"

A Famous Disc Jockey Surveys the Music Scene

WELCOME once again to "Record Hop," and I hope that you have been tuned in to our weekly get-together on Radio Luxembourg since we last met in RECORD MAIL. I'm sure that Luxembourg since we last met in RECORD MAIL. I'm sure that you don't really need any reminding, but it is each Friday evening, the time is 10.15 p.m. to 11 p.m., and the wavelength is 208

Meanwhile, let's not waste valuable time or newsprint space, so how about a look around the recent issues from the labels of H.M.V., COLUMBIA, PARLOPHONE and M.G.M. Stand by, and let's go for our usual record spin.

On H.M.V. the fabulous needs no introduction to you MISS COGAN has another is FRANK1E LYMON. great disc issue. Alma has a release—POP 450. Two sen-sational sides. Take your choice. "Sugartime" or "Get-tin Ready For Freddy". For me, my choice is the exciting

Two newcomers on the HM.V. label with interesting effectings. Firstly AL JONES on POP 451, with "Mad, Mad World" and "Lonely Traveller". Second visitor is LEE ALLEN and his band on POP 455 with a lively "Walkin". 452 with a lively "Walkin' With Mr. Lee" and "Promen-

watch out too for "Short Shorts". A big possibility from an American team — THE ROYAL TEENS, To give good value for money, the "Teens" also breeze in with "Planet Rock". Certainly a disc to watch, and the number is POP 454. POP 454.

Another one to keep your eye on, and your ear for that matter, is the newest issue by our own MALCOLM VAUGHAN. Malcolm is ridin' high at the moment, and his new follow-up "To Be Loved", is really a wow! Here is this great balladeer in truly top form. The flip-side is titled "My Loving Arms" and the number to ask for is POP 459.

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FRANKIE AVALON Frankie makes an interesting bow on H.M.V. with "Dede Dinah" and "Oooh La La". Make a note of the number.

It's POP 453. Now the stars of the COLUM-Now the stars of the COLUM-BIA label come into view. Isn't that young TERRY WAYNE? Of course it is, and it's a cracker from Terry with "All Mama's Children" and "Forgive Me". A great dise from this young British lad, and the number is DB 4067. Still on home ground and the bewitching voice of DOROTHY SQUIRES. And that's a sneaky introduction to the title of Dorothy's latest on DB 4070. She sings with all the sincerity and feeling you'd expect on "Bewitched" and expect on "Bewitched" and
"A Secret That's Never Been
Told". Song-stylist LUCILLE
MAPP is with us again, and
that's good news. Lucille lilts

that's good news. Lucille hits a couple of titles from the show "Lady At The Wheel" in which she is currently star-ring—"Love Is" and "The Early Birdle". Just ask for DB 4071, you won't be dis-appointed. A couple of excit-ing American platter raise out appointed. A couple of exciting American platters spin our
way. THE TECHNIQUES
with "Hey! Little Girl" is
quite a disc and the reverse
title of "In a Round About
Way" makes DB 4072 a good
duo. The other American who

Frankie has another big pos-sible with his version of "Thumb Thumb" on DB 4073. To complete Frankie's disc, he offers you "Footsteps".

JOHNNY DUNCAN has a

couple of great sides in true Duncan tip-top form this month. Johnny and the Boys do a great job on "If You Love Me Baby" and "Good-night Irene" and this could well be the really big dise that Johnny deserves. The number Johnny deserves. The number
DB 4074. Ireland's own songthrush RUBY MURRAY has
delightful offerings on both
"Forgive Me Darling" and "Forgive Me Darling" and
"Keep Smiling At Trouble".

Just mention DB 4075 and you'll be sure of having a good RUBY MURRAY platter.

ONES TO WATCH! PICK OF POPS

SINGLES

EDDIE CALVERT Mandy (Pansy) DB3956

JIMMIE RODGERS Oh! Oh! I'm

Falling in Love DB4078

MICHAEL HOLLIDAY In Love DB4087

ROYAL TEENS Short Shorts POP454

MALCOLM VAUGHAN To be Loved POP459

THE SILHOUETTES Get a Job R4407

TONY CROMBIE and his Rockets come flying round in orbit again, and they are sending out some interesting signals for us to receive. "Dumplin's" has quite a tempo, and it doesn't let up on "Twon Special". The number is DB 4076. BUDDY KNOX returns to our British turntables with the sort of excitement we asso-ciate with his discs. Buddy's newest release on Columbia DB 4077 is "Whenever I'm Lonely" and "Swingin'

Lonely" and "Swinger Dady".

Lonely "A of the Consultation of the strength to strength, and his and "Let The School Bell Ring newest issue can only add to that. With a selection called "Pal Joey Pops" you can have FANCIS, who has long been a host of wonderful tunes on under-rated in this country, one valuable package. The brings us on MGM975 "Who's package identification is DB Sorry Now" and "You Were 4079, from the BIG BEN Only Fooling." 78 r.p.m. and 45 r.p.m. standard — 6s. 31d.

BANJO BAND we have the happy sounding "Holland Polka" and "Happy Birthday

That "Kisses Sweeter Than Wine" purveyor Wine" purveyor, JIMMIE RODGERS, is back with two big sides which I draw your particular attention to this month. Jimmie with that won-derful style of his makes an derful style of his makes an excellent dise even better. Listen to "The Long Hot Summer" and "Oh-Oh, I'm Falling In Love Again" and make a note of the number. It's Columbia DB4078, Two American discs also for your attention. Firstly THE PLAY-MATES with "Jo-Ann" and "You Can't Stop Me From DF40844; and VALERIE CARR with "You're The Greatest" and "Over The The Greatest " and " Over The Rainbow" on DB4083, Before leaving the COLUMBIA label. lend a special ear for Scotland's JIMMY JACKSON. A nice job from Jimmy with "Photo-graphs" and "Love-A Love-A" on DB4085. Now MICHAEL HOLLIDAY

with a tremendous new release, I "go a bundle" on Mike's latest—"In Love." Another Hit Parade contender for sure, and the number is DB4087. For the reverse. Michael gives addi-tional value with "Rooney."

tional value with "Rooney."
Spollighting and pagine now.
Parlophone's own JIM DALE.
A great new Dale waxing called
"Don't Let Go." A really fine
disc from Jim, and it's on
R4402. With it also goes
"Sugartime" and another firstrate Jim Dale performance. A
fascinating new Parlophone
issue is by THE JOHNNY
PATE QUINTET. I think their
"Swingine Sheoherd Blues" is "Swinging Shepherd Blues great. The number is R4404 and is coupled with "The Elder." Big-voiced singer VICTOR LABATI with a smooth issue on R4405, Listen to his technique on "His Arms" and "On Blade of Grass." There's DONNIE ELBERT

There's DONNIE ELBERT with "Wild Child" and "Le's Do The Stroll "on R4403; and THE SILHOUETTES with "Get A Job" and "I Am Lonely "on R4407, I don't need o tell you much about little AURIE LONDON. He has already made his own mark in no uncertain terms. Now he is about to do it again with "The Gospel Train" and "Boomerang" on PARLO-PHONE R4408.

Personality gal BONNIE LOU springs up and dynami-cally displays her talents on R4409 with "La Dee Dah" and "Let The School Bell Ring

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IN THE FINER GROOVE By Mervyn Douglas

This Month's Review of Long Playing Records

As always I'll start on H.M.V. and with their Long Play re-leases, so off we go! I'll keep it brief, but remember there are full details of all LP and EP issues on pages 6 and 7 of this

First to catch my attention is an LP by that lovely lady of song EYDIE GORME on CLP1156. Eydie has long been a favourite in America and it cannot be long ere she gains her rightful place ing is superb also, and contains in the British music scene. This many of America's top-ranking delightful LP can certainly fur musicians.

LIER, JEAN SABLON, LUIS MARIANO and GILBERT BECAUD. A host of wonderful French talent, and a collection of great songs. I always like to think that I know a good vocal group when I hear one. One which I heard quite some time

ago has come our way from the States on CLP1161. Titled "Hello, We're The Axidentals," this group and their first H.M.V. disc bring themselves in with a bang. I suggest you take a listen to this disc—you won't be disappointed. Their musical back-ing is superb also, and contains

Hello again. It's always nice France is supplied to us via finest arranger-conductors in the to be a purveyor of good news. DLP1173—titled "Gentlemen of country. Frank has placed many and it is always my pleasant task Paris." The gentlemen? None of his talents on a beautifully in spotlighting for you some of other than MAURICE CHEVA- scored LP under the title "The the outstanding LP and EP issues LIER, IEAN SABLON, LUIS Melody Lingers On". A host from the labels of HMV. MARIANO and GILBERT of well-known tunes, but served CCUMBIA. PARALOPHONE and BECAUD. A host of wonderful up with a new freshess by up with a new freshness by Frank Cordell on CLP.1153. He has provided the backing for many of the H.M.V. vocal stars with great success. Now this LP showcases his own perfectionism.

No need to make introduction for BILLY DANIELS. He has done that himself in the past with his record achievements. It's a big welcome therefore to his H.M.V. record "You Go to My Head" on DLP1174. A col-lection of well-known Billy My Head" on DLP1174. A col-paniels favourites, and perhaps a of these will be found elsewhere few new titles for you also, in this issue of RECORD MAIL.

may be intruding on my jazz colleague's territory, but I would ike to point out for you Out Of The Roaring Twenties." great jazz sound from MEADE LUX" LEWIS on DLP1176.

A quick survey of the COLUMBIA label soon reveals that popular pianist RUSS CONWAY, Russ has an easy-to-listen-to collection of piano listen-to collection of piano favourites that should be a conravouries that should be a con-stant visitor to your turntable. The title is "Piano Requests" on 335X1077. There is a host of great CLEF LP's this month, so I'll leave these to my more experienced colleague.

That wonderful bevy of beauties, with voices to match — THE VERNONS GIRLS, have an LP to themselves this month on Parlophone. With the PETER Parlophone. With the PETER KNIGHT Orchestra, the girls sing in their own special way a on PMC1052. A record you could listen to at any time of the day (or evening), and over and over again. I've kept my contribution shorter this month, for there's a delightful LP can certainly furmusicians.

ther that aim. In a wonderful A most welcome H.M.V. Long
Want to dance? Then try No. 13 Over then to my second feature,
selection of songs, Miss Gorme Play release this month from ace
in the series "Dancing Time For
for there is entertainment for all
gives ample demonstration of conductor FRANK CORDELL. Dancers" with JOE LOSS and on the EP lists this month. See
her vocal abilities. An aroma of Long acknowledged as one of the

PERSONAL CHOICE

LP's and EP's FRANK CORDELL **ORCHESTRA** The Melody

Lingers On CLP1153 **EYDIE GORME CLP1156 ELLA SINGS**

Pal Joey 7EG8327 RUSS CONWAY Piano Requests

33SX1077 THE KING BROTHERS Lullabys of Broadway GEP8665

HANK WILLIAMS

Songs for a Broken MGM-EP-639 Heart

FESTIVAL OF DANCE MUSIC

B.B.C sound radio are to make increased presentations in the near future of popular Dance Music programmes, and some of the bands involved in

From March 30, the Light programme will have regular broadcasts by the Dankworth Orchestra each Wednesday, Joe Loss and his band, also on Wednesdays, and Ken Mackin-Thursday tosh every

Saturday.
Every Tuesday Ballroom
dancing will be supplied by
Victor Silvester and his Or-

chestra. "Skiffle Club" will also con-tinue every Saturday morning and, though names have not yet been announced, you may be sure of most of your favourite artists from H.M.V. Columbia and Parlophone appearing



JOE LOSS

-AND ON EXTENDED PLAY

On now to the EP lists and I find such a host of good things that I hardly know what to select and where to start.

Firstly a look at the H.M.V. lists and what do we find? Well the DEEP RIVER BOYS are always welcome and I note an EP by this popular group on 7EG8321. "Romance A La Mode" brings four songs in their refreshing style. From the States—CONRAD SALINGER States—CONKAD SALINGER scores for an Orchestra con-ducted by BUDDY BREG-MAN. The title is "Long Ago And Far Away" and the number is 7EC8322. If your taste is for THE TOMMY WHITTLE QUARTET recommend that you try 7EG8325

—you won't be disappointed.
AL HIBBLER needs no introduction to British record
buyers, so there will be a welbuyers, so there will be a wel-come for his "Al Hibbler Sings Love Songs." This compact package comes to you on 7EG8326. Like a jewel, ELLA FITZGERALD continues to sparkle. Hear her on the "Pal Joey" selection on 7EG8327. It's wonderful.

The girl who virtually created the words "Chi Chi" — ROSE MURPHY arrives this month with her own happy brand of singing and piano playing. The title is "Not Cha Cha But Chi Chi" and the number to ask



EYDIE GORME

to music comes from EDDIE to be found on GEP8658.
SOUTH and STEPHANE TOMMY WATT and his OrGRAPPELLY. The number is
TEG8324. In very contrasting

On now to COLUMBIA, and On now to COLUMBIA, and I notice one of my favourite British pianists—DILL JONES. Called "Top Of The Poll," the DILL JONES TRIO dispense some delightful piano jazz on SEG7764. For those that like tenor voices DAVID LLOYD is here. is here to please on "The Voice of David Lloyd" on SEG7765. one to specially listen to.

Many, many people have a
very soft spot for SOPHIE
TUCKER, I am one of those,
so I welcome an EP of four of her famous songs on SEG7766. In this same category, though very different in style, I place JACK BUCHANAN. I would like to draw your attention to "Memories of Jack Buchanan." You know there are good things in store for you on this, and the number, which you are bound to need is SEG7767. Scotland's own country-and-western singer — JIMMY JACKSON, Jimmy has another JACKSON, Jimmy has another welcome EP issue this month on SEG7768. Hands up for those that want JIMMIE RODGERS. I knew there would be a crowd, for this American singer has built himself a feature of the second of self a fabulous British follow-ing. Two oldies plus two new ones are found on SEG7770.

MAX JAFFA has a rightful EP with a rightful title—
"Fascination in Music." A
delightful record on SEG7771. LUCILLE MAPP continues to add to her laurels. A new COLUMBIA issue on SEG7773 can only bring this deserving singer further praises.

Over now to the PARLO-PHONE label and my eyes rest, with obvious delight, on "Mistinguett at the Casino De Paris." Songs in her inimitable manner come refreshingly on GEP8659. In complete trast. try THE KE KENNY

for is 7EG8323. Nice to listen- BAKER OUARTET who are



LUCILLE MAPP

chestra are now well estab-lished on the British music scene—and deservedly so. Their oh-so-smooth brand of music is served up for you on GEP8660. Ready for feet-GEP8660. Ready for feet-tapping music, then sample FREDDY RANDALL and his band on GEP8661. It is just what the doctor ordered. Some of the best of recent RON GOODWIN issues are packaged together in a welcome EP Excellent fare on GEP8662. Famous blues singer LONNIE JOHNSON shows off his art on "Lonnie's Blues" (GEP8663).

Young LAURIE LONDON Young LAURIE LONDON has certainly made his mark in the space of a few months. If you wish all his great titles in one, try GEP8664. It's a creaker! Still on the home front — THE KING BROTHERS, Britain's top vocal group, present "Lullabys of Broadway" (GEP8665).

GEP8665).

"Two Weeks With Love" an excerpt from the sound-track of the film of the same name. Delightful songs served up by two delightful lassies—

JANE POWELL and DEBBIE REYNOLDS. They are also joined by CARLETON CAR-PENTER on this refreshing record. The number is MGM-EP-633, Still in the film sphere there is calculated. there is a selection from the film "Wedding Bells" (MGM-EP-635). That lovely singer of songs. KATHRYN GRAY-SON has an EP all to herself, and no-one would complain about that. Called "Wanting You" the number is MGM-EP-636.

There is surely only one SARAH VAUGHAN. You'll know why when you listen to "I'm Thru With Love". Beautiful songs, sung as only Sarah can, on MGM-EP-637. Sarah can, on MGM-EP-637.
"Swingin' With Tex" is a show-case for the famous TEX BENEKE Orchestra on MGM-EP-638.

If you like your country and western music to be authentic, then you cannot do better than listen at any time to the voice of HANK WILLIAMS. There is a great offering by this artist on MGM-EP-639, under the collective title "Songs For A Broken Heart". Someone quite different, and from this side of the Atlantic too— ROSEMARY SQUIRES. ROSEMART SQUIRES.
Rosemary is at long last gaining recognition, and "My Love Is A Wanderer" on MGM-EP-640 must certainly enhance her

BEST SELLERS ON EP

Have You Got Them?

HEAR MY HEART—Ella Fitzgerald	7EG8303	HMY
"FATS" WALLER IN LONDON	7EG8304	HMV
LOVIN' SPREE — Eartha Kitt	7EG8258	HMV
RELAX WITH MIKE - Michael Holliday	,	
•	SEG7752	COL
RUSS CONWAY	SEG7735	COL
THE KING BROTHERS SING JOLSON	GEP8651	PAR
DANCE WITH JIMMY SHAND	GEP8641	PAR

THE TECHNIOUES

A new American vocal group makes its debut on Columbia DB4072—The Techniques, Their first titles are "Hey Little Girl" and "In a Round About Way."

The Techniques comprise four enterprising young seniors from the University of Georgia Tech. They are "Three Jims and a Buddy," namely: Jim Tinney, first tenor; Jim Moore, bass; Jim Fallin, baritone; and lead singer Buddy Harold.

The four fratemity brothers, started vocalising while busily engaged in mundane fraternity chores, and their fellow brothers liked what they heard. The boys found themselves singing at college social events and their popularity grew by leaps and bounds. Soon they were appearing over local radio and T.V. shows.

shey were appearang over local radio and 1.v. snows. By this time they began to find singing lucrative with local advertising agencies hiring the group to do commercials. Two guest appearances with the Atlanta" Pops" concert and a tow weeks engagement at the San Souci Lounge proved to be good seasoning the boys and it was during this latter engagement to the control of the contr

The audience's response to the song prompted the boys to tape the song and take it to Mr. Bill Lowery an Atlanta music publisher. Bill in turn brought the

group and the song to the attention of a record com-

pany which wasted no time in getting the record

"Hey Little Girl" hit all the American best-seller

charts and on Thanksgiving Day 1957, The Techniques opened on the stage of the Brooklyn Fabian Fox as

featured performers in a variety show, "Hitmakers of

The Techniques plan to finish their senior year at

Georgia Tech and then trade their proposed engineer-

ing careers for the business there is no business like-

ALMA CONQUERS

IN ICELAND

Alma, who made many appearances in Iceland during

February, plus a number of broadcasts, won herself a big

new following and found, despite the climate, that the

released and the reaction was immediate.

COLUMBIA RELEASE FILM THEME

Singing and whistling star, Ronnie Ronalde, is to leave Britain on April 8 for his first theatre visit in Australia.

Ronnie is scheduled to play for two months in Perth, followed by engagements in Sydney and Melbourne. This is the result of a long-standing invitation to play in Australia where his records enjoy extremely good sales.

Most Most recent activity by Ronalde has been the whistling on the sound-track of a new British film — "Innocent Sinners." It is used as a theme throughout the film, and is a Columbia release on DB 4092. Backing is "Sweetwater Mountain."



MARVIN RAINWATER TO VISIT BRITAIN

Maryn Rainwater is all set to Jazz Band. visit Britain.

A date has been arranged for him on the popular "Sunday Blues" Night at the London Palladium" TV presentation for April 20. No further plans are known at this point, but our Trevor Williams on trumpet known at this point, but our lever remains our under the will reveal these include further public cool. emphasis, with greater they include further public cool. emphasis with greater the cool. they include further public jazz is based on a subtle, almost cool, emphasis, with greater appearances.

Rainwater's latest M-G-M release is a dynamite-packed record called "Whole Lotta Woman" and "Baby Don't

Swinging Shepherd Blues The Elder

Will I find my love today

Down by the riverside Wooden Joe's weary blues

One blade of grass (in a meadow)

BONNIE LOU AND RUSTY YORK

Let the school bell ring ding-a-ling

THE TEDDY LAYTON JAZZ BAND

You were only fooling (While I was falling

Wish I knew (from "Lady at the Wheel")

VICTOR LABATI

DONNIE ELBERT

Let's do the stroll

SPIKE MILLIGAN

Get a job

La dee dah

THE SILHOUETTES

LAURIE LONDON

CONNIE FRANCIS

The Gospel train Boomerang

COOL TRADITIONAL JAZZ

M-G-M's singing star, country and western exponent perfect description of the music

play "Down by the Riverside" and "Wooden Joe's Weary

This six-piece group (no piano) is led by clarinettist Teddy Layton with the stalwart usual jazz bands,

Of interest also is the fact that this band has passed its B.B.C audition and will broadcast during March for the first time.

Sounds like a contradiction in

On Parlophone R4411 they

attention to arrangement and tone colour than is found in

inhabitants needed no thawing out. It was a warm wel-

RONNIE RONALDE



R4404

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R4403

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R4409

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MGM975

ALMA COGAN

come where-ever she appeared

We drew your attention to "I Love To Sing" in last month's issue of RECORD MAIL, and we have no hesitation in reminding you of again

Meanwhile, Alma has been winning praises for her first H.M.V. Long Play Record—

"I Love To Sing" (CLP.1152)
—whilst she has been away.

Received with great favour

by disc jockeys and press

reviewers, the raves have been deservedly handed out to her in

If you haven't already heard it, then you are really missing something.

Currently Alma's single issue - "Sugartime" and "Gettin' Ready For Freddy" (POP.450) is adding to her laurels also.

JOHNNY DUNCAN RECOVERS

Columbia etar IOHNNY

Though in great pain, in the Johnny managed to keep all engagements with the exception one concert.

Meanwhile, Johnny Duncan Meanwhile, Johnny Duncan enjoys great success on all his concert, variety, and TV dates with his latest COLUMBIA issue on DB.4074—"If You Love Me Baby" and "Goodnight Irene ".

ANOTHER WINNER FROM RODGERS

JIMMIE RODGERS, that young American singer who has DUNCAN is recovering from a made such an impact in Britain broken bone in his foot caused during recent weeks with his from slipping after escaping from over-enthusiastic fans.

during recent weeks with his Columbia release of "Kisses Sweeter than Wine" (DB.4052), has been repeating that success pain, in the States with his latest

Now issued on Columbia DB.4078, the titles on this exciting new Rodgers record are "The Long Hot Summer" and Oh-Oh I'm Falling In Love Again ".

Here is another worthy contender for the Hit Parade by Jimmie Rodgers.

LAURIE LONDON

March, 1958

SUCCESSES EVERYWHERE

NEW PARLOPHONE ISSUE

YOUNG Laurie London has recently embarked on a series of one-night stand engagements with great success. Wherever he has visited, Laurie has caused an impression nothing short of sensational. Further personal appearances include Oxford on March 23 and Manchester on

Exciting news for Laurie London recently has been that his recording of "He's Got the Whole World In His Hands" has just been released in America.

Talks have been going on of a possible visit to the States in the near future to help the success of his record on an exploitation tour.

Meanwhile, Laurie's latest Parlophone release in Britain has got away to a great start. Titles of this new issue on R.4408 are "The Gospel Train" and

OUT OF THE "MAIL"-BAG LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

from Shiela Richards of Birmingham.

March, 1958

Three cheers for RECORD MAIL. It tells me all I wish to know about your record releases in the most interesting form. If you can mention my favourite, Jim Dale, every month I'll be delighted!

Cheers accepted gratefully. Cannot guarantee to mention Jim Dale EVERY month, but it is difficult to keep this popular PARLOPHONE star out of the news.

from George Mills of Dundee

What a great idea you have in RECORD MAIL. May it continue to give us the news about our favourite record stars. Could we please have a "Spotlight on a star each month?

Your suggestion noted George. Thanks for your interest. Space permitting we hope to give you a "Spollight" feature occasionally. You will see we have done it with Jimmie Rodgers this month. Ed.

from Miss Warburton of Bexhill.

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I've read both editions of your RECORD MAIL and I thought I must write and say what a wonderful paper it is,

I am a great fan of Paul Anka and in both issues I've been able to read about him and to have pictures.

Thank you for the nice words of praise. We hope to go on pleasing you in this way. You'll find more about Paul Anka in this issue. The boy really is NEWS. Ed.

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from David Davies of Cardiff.

Congratulations all concerned with the publication of RECORD MAIL. It is nice to read all the release information in this new presentation. Incidentally, praises too to your Radio Luxembourg disc jockeys who put on such sparkling programmes each week for our enjoyment.

Our Editorial staff take a bow, and appreciate your thoughts on our behalf.
We blush in company with Gerry Wilmot, Michael Jackson and Freddie Mills, Ed.

ALWAYS PLEASED TO HEAR FROM OUR READERS—OUR ADDRESS IS (Mandy). But the public has ON PAGE 2

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Introducing

JOHNNY PATE

John William Pate, born on December 5th. 1923, at Chicago Heights, Illinois, attended the grammar and high school there, and finished his education at Bloom Township High School in 1942.

He took piano lessons as a child and also playe the bass tuba during his schooldays. He enlisted in the Army in 1943, joined the 218 A.G.F. Band in 1944, playing bass and arranging. In 1945 he was appointed leader of the dance orchestra with the Army

Discharged from the Army in 1946 he joined the Coleridge Davis band in Atlantic City. In 1947 he joined the Stuff Smith Trio in Chicago and from 1948 to 1950 was with the Red Allen—J. C. Higginbotham

Johnny then became staff arranger at the Club de Lisa in Chicago and "house bassist" at the Blue Note where he accompanied Ella Fitzgerald, Sarah Vaughan and Eddie South.

He toured with Eddie South until July, 1952, when he joined the group at the Streamliner in Chicago where he stayed three years. He formed his first group in 1954 while at the Streamliner and in 1955 became a permanent fixture at the London House for a year, also making two appearances at Chicago's Blue Note.

In 1955 and 1956 the Johnny Pate group was voted Chicago's outstanding combo. He has arranged and composed for Joe Williams, Carmen MacRae, George Shearing, Lurlean Hunter, Don Shirley, Anita O'Day, and many others. In 1957 he worked with Dorothy Donegan and Ralph Sutton.

His first release in this country is already causing considerable interest, especially "Swinging Shepherd Blues." This plus "The Elder" may be found on Parlophone R4404.

BIG INTEREST IN CALVERT RECORDING NEW TITLE FOR COLUMBIA DISC

THEY have an apt term in America for a record which is slow to move off the mark, then suddenly arouses attention. It is called a "Sleeper," and that term could aptly be used for Eddie Calvert's polished Columbia recording of a tune called "Mandy."

Issued last year in June on DB3956. Eddie's version of this Italian-origin tune has been a consistent seller. However it has suddenly taken on a new lease of life, has gained further impetus and is attracting a great amount of interest

When this captivating melody started its climb into the bestseller charts the title was changed to "The Pansy" had the last word : they decided that they prefer So "Mandy" it is. " Mandy

Sales reaction is reported as being tremendous.



EDDIE CALVERT

"DON'T LET GO" SINGS JIM DALE

JIM DALE'S popularity goes from strength to strength. He is well established on his Parlophone records, and his fortnightly appearances on "Six-Five Special" have further stimulated interest in him.

His disc successes prove, that Jim has a new Parlophone without doubt, the strong release on R.4402. It has two regard that the record buyer of the best sides he has ever has for Jim Dale as a singer, made and we recommend you but he also has tremendous to ask for a copy.

appeal as a likeable personality. The titles are "Don't Let
We on RECORD MAIL can
confirm for you that he is one this a great double-sided Jim of the nicest people you could Dale issue.
wish to meet, both inside and Incidentally, Jim Dale's first

release in America is already You will be glad to know causing considerable interest.

THE KING BROTHERS IN VARIETY TOUR

BLACKPOOL FOR SUMMER

Parlophone's great British vocal group, The King Brothers, have variety dates lined up for them in the immediate future.

The King Brothers are due to visit Boston (Lincs.) on March 10; followed by London's Fins-bury Park Empire on March 17, and the Empire, Chiswick on March 24.

They will be seen in Blackpool this year for the whole of the summer season. This in itself would be a good reason for choosing this particular resort for your holidays.

The group is enjoying success with their most recent Parlo-phone record issue—"Put A Light In The Window" and 'Miss Otis Regrets"

ALMA COGAN I Love to Sing



THE KING BROTHERS

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Dancin' Pants; Blues Day; Bright Moon; No bones at all; The Oom is Blues; Be my guest: Medley (What's new, We'll be together again, Time on my hands, You go to my head, Laura); London Derriere; Kings Road Blues

CLP1157 London Derriere; Kings Road Blues

ALL ABOUT URBIE GREEN and his Big Band Cherokee: I ain't got nobody; Stella by starlight; Little John; With the wind and rain in your hair: Round midnight; Sleep; Soft winds; Springsville; Plain Bill from Bluesville; Home

HELLO, WE'RE THE AXIDENTALS

HELLO, WE'RE THE AXIDENTALS
Orchestra conducted by RUSSELL GARCIA
I lead a charmed life: June is bustin' out all over; You and the
night and the music; I can't give you anything but love; Hello;
Rock-A-Bye your baby with a Dixie melody; I can't believe that
you're in love with me; Quiet wind; Look for the silver lining;
Love is sweeping the country; For me and my gal; What a
difference a day made; Hey Ma! I'm in love

CLP1161

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ZOOT SIMS
Plays Alto, Tenor and Baritone
GEORGE HANDY COMPOSITIONS
Blinuet: The trouble with me: Where you at?: Zonkin:
Noshin': Major, Major: Minor, Minor; Pegasus
Personnel: Zoot Sims (alto, tenor and baritone), Johnny Williams
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OUT OF THE ROARING TWENTIES with MEADE "LUX" LEWIS
Ain't she sweet; Meade's deed; Bill Baily won't you please come home; My Monday date; I want a little girl; I ain't got nobody; Lux flakes; Deed I do DLP1176

GENTLEMEN OF PARIS Great Songs by MAURICE CHEVALIER AND JEAN SABLOM LUIS MARIANO AND GILBERT BECAUD

Oh! la! la!; Mes mains; Appelez la comme vous voulez; Je tire ma reverence; J'Attendrai; Priere Peruvenne; Ce N'est que votre main, Madame; Notre Espoir; Toi L'Oiseau; Bonsoir M'Amour

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JOE LOSS AND HIS ORCHESTRA

Quicksteps — I'm in a dancing mood; Elizabeth; Cheek to cheek;
Foxtrots — Love letters in the sand; Blue moon; Melodie S'Wonderful

S'Wondertul D'Amour : April love Waltz — Parlez Moi D'Amour : Diane DLP Series (10-inch LP)—27/10c.

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COLUMBIA

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SKIN TIGHT AND CYMBAL WISE

Arvell's Tune; Man plays a horn; Moten's swing; Skintight and Cymbal Wise; Budd's idea; Blue Lou; Taft's Blues; What have you done with the key to your heart; Every day blues; Did I

Featuring — Taft Jordon (trumpet), Vic Dickenson (trombone). Budd Johnson (tenor), George Berg (baritone), Andre Persiany (piano), Arvell Shaw (bass and leader), Gus Johnson (drums)

TRADITION IN COLOUR
TERRY LIGHTFOOT'S JAZZMEN
Green for danger: Blue turning grey over you; Orange blossom;
Yellow dog blues: Red wing: The old Grey Mare: Burgundy
Street blues: Black diamond rag: Mood indigo; My blue heaven;
(What did i do to be so) Black and Blue
33SX1073

COLUMBIA 12-inch Long Play "CLEF" SERIES

GEORGE LEWIS AT NEWPORT

Side 1 — Basin Street Blues; Bourbon Street Parade; Tin roof blues; Royal garden blues Personnel — George Lewis (clarinet), Joe Robichaux (piano), Jack Willis (trumpet), Bob Thomas (trombone), Alcide "Slow Drag" Paragean (bass) Joe Watkins (drums)

Side 2 - GEORGE LEWIS AND TURK MURPHY AT NEWPORT That's a plenty; St. James Infirmary; Weary blues; Down by

That's a pienty, so, panison, the riverside Personnel — Turk Murphy (trombone), Bill Napier (clarinet), Larry Gonger (trumpet), Thad Vandon (drums), Pete Clute (piano), Al Conger (tuba), Dick Lammi (banjo)

33CX10099

ELLA FITZGERALD AT NEWPORT

Side 1— This can't be love: I've got it bad and that ain't good: Body and soul: April in Paris: I've got a crush on you; Airmail Special; I can't give you anything but love Accompanied by Don Abney (piano), Wendell Marshall (bass),

Side 2—BILLY HOLIDAY AT NEWPORT
Nice work if you can get it; Willow weep for me; My man;
Lover come back to me; Lady sings the blues; What a little moonlight can do Accompanied by Mal Waldron (piano), Joe Benjamin (bass), 33CX10100 EYDIE GORME

TOSHIKO AT NEWPORT

Side I — Between me and myself; Blues for Toshiko; I'll remember April: Lover Personnel — Toshiko Akiyoshi (piano), Gene Cherico (bass), Jake Hanna (drums)

2-LEON SASH AT NEWPORT

Side 2— LEON 3A3H AT HETT VAL Sash-Kebos; Meant for Brent; Carnegie Horizons; Blue Lou Personnel — Leon Sash (accordion), Ted Robinson (tenor and clarinet), Lee Morgan (bass), Roger Price (drums) 33CX10101

THE CECIL TAYLOR QUARTET AT NEWPORT

Personnel — Cecil Taylor (piano), Steve Lacey (soprano sax).

Dennis Charles (drums), Buell Neidlinger (bass)

Side 2—THE GIGI GRYCE-DONALD BYRD JAZZ LABORATORY AT NEWPORT

Slittin; Batland; Love for sale
Personnel — Gigi Gryce (alto), Donald Byrd (trumpet), Hank
Jones (piano), Osie Johnson (drums), Wendell Marshall (bass)

THE COLEMAN HAWKINS ALL STARS AT NEWPORT

can't believe that you're in love with me; vay yay, Embraceable you, Moonglow, Sweet Georgia Brown Personnel — Coleman Hawkins (tenor), Roy Eldridge (trumpet), Pete Brown (alto), Jo Iones (drums), Al McKibbon (bass), 33CX10103

THE RUBY BRAFF OCTET WITH PEE WEE RUSSELL AT NEWPORT

Side 1 — It don't mean a thing; These foolish things; Oh lady

be good
Personnel — Ruby Braff (trumpet), Pee Wee Russell (clarinet),
Sam Margolis (tenor), Jimmy Welch (valve trombone),
NatyPierce (piano), Steve Jordan (guitar), Walter Page (bass),
Buzzy Drootin (drums)
Side 2 — BOBBY HENDERSON AT NEWPORT
Literachus WBIY Kapajia guit of mischiaf now "Blues for Louis".

Jitterbug Waltz ; Keeping out of mischief now ; Blues for Louis ; Honeysuckle Rose

Personnel - Bobby Henderson (piano - solo)

THE DIZZY GILLESPIE BAND AT NEWPORT

Dizzy's blues; School days; Doodlin; Manteca Theme: I remember Clifford; Cool breeze

BENNY CARTER

BLUE Skies; Blue Prelude; It's d'lovely; You turned the tables on me: Comes love; Just lin to the comes love; Just lin to the line like a melody from



PARLOPHONE 12-inch Long Play

THE VERNONS GIRLS with the Peter Knight Orchestra

with the Peter Knight Orcnestra
The song is you: Rain on the roof; I've told every little star;
Over the rainbow; Come dance with me: We'll gather lilacs;
Sing for your supper; Lonely Ballerina; The cuckoo in the
clock: The boy next door; Dancing on the ceiling; Song of songs
—PMCTOSJ.

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MASTER'S VOICE

March, 1958

12-inch Long Play

THE MELODY LINGERS ON FRANK CORDELL AND HIS ORCHESTRA

ORCHESTRA
Fascinating Rhythm; Easy to
Love; Lover; You stepped out
of a dream; Dance little lady; or a dream; Dance little lady; The man I love; Cherokee; You go to my head; The Continen-tal; Yesterdays; Just one of those things; The song is ended CLP1153



Orchestra conducted by Don Costa

I'll take romance; This is na laughing matter; Fine and Dandy; Day by day. The Gentleman is a Dope; Too close for comfort; Guess who I saw to-day; Be careful, it's my heart; Saturday night; First impression; How long has this been going on; Gypsy in my soul



33CX10104 YOU GO TO MY HEAD

on me; Comes love; just in time; Just like a melody from out of the sky; How am I to know; You go to my head; Hallelujah DLP1174



PARLOPHONE 10-inch Long Play

TRIP TO MARS
JACK PARNELL and his
Orchestra
The Hawk talks: Sure thing;
Carioca: April in Paris; Cottontail; Catherine Wheel; Trip to
Mars; Summertime; The Champ;
Skin deep
PMD1053



COLUMBIA 12-inch Long Play

PIANO REQUESTS RUSS CONWAY with accompanied directed by GEOFF LOVE

Good Morning; You'll never know; On the sunny side of the street; The Pansy (Mandy); You brought a new kind of love You brought a new kind of love to me; Sentimental journey; Matador from Trinidad; The glory of love; Jumping for joy; Making whoopee; South of the border; Buttons and Bows; The whistling cat; Moonlight Cocktail; Armen's Theme (Yesterday and you); September in the rain; Chicago 33SX1077 33SX Series (12-inch LP) 35/10d.

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In a mellow tone; Gee baby ain't I good to you; Packet of blues; Rain; Kath meets Humph; Moten Swing
Personnel—H. Lyttelton (trumpet), Tony Coe (alto), Kathy
Stobart (tenor) John Picard (trombone), lan Armit (piano).
Eddie Taylor (drums), Brian Brocklehurst (bass)

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EDDIE SOUTH AND STEPHANE GRAPPELLY

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As time goes by : Confessin' (that I love you) ; Romance á la mode : Come rain or shine 7EG8321

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Orchestra conducted by Buddy Bregman
The Continental; The boy next door; Long ago (and far away) 7EG8322 Our Love affair

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Day by day; Laura; Love is the sweetest thing; Squeeze me 7EG8325

AL HIBBLER SINGS LOVE SONGS AL HIBBLER

AL HIBBLER
Accompaniment by Leroy Lovett and his Orchestra
Believe it Beloved; There is no greater love; As time goes by:
7EG8326 I'm getting sentimental over you

ELLA SINGS " PAL JOEY "

ELLA FITZGERALD
The Lady is a Tramp; I could write a book; Bewitched
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DILL JONES TRIO
Opus Caprice: Yesterdays: In a mist: Rufus SEG7764
Personnel — Dill Jones (piano), Frank Clarke (bass) and Eddie Taylor (drums)

DAVID LLOYD (tenor) with Gerald Moore, piano The Voice of David Lloyd

SEG7765

SOPHIE TUCKER

Life begins at forty; Fifty million Frenchmen can't be wrong The man I love; My Yiddisher Momma SEG776 SEG7766

MEMORIES OF JACK BUCHANAN

There's always tomorrow; Who: I think I can; Sweet so and so SEG7767

COUNTRY 'N' BLUES

JIMMY JACKSON
Midnight Train; Western Plain: There's a time for moving: Reckon I'll go too SEG7768

SWEET AND RHYTHMIC TONY CROMBIE AND HIS SWEET BEAT

TONY CROMBIE AND HIS SWEET BEAT Sweet as a song; How sweet are you; Sweet and lovely; Sweet SEG7769-Sue, just you

Orchestra
Moonlight in Vermont; Lovin'
ya—Lovin' ya—Lovin' ya; I'll
take romance; She didn't say
ves SEG7773 JIMMIE RODGERS

with Hugo Peretti and his Orchestra Woman from Liberia; Kisses sweeter than wine; Hey little Woman from Libe baby; Honeycomb SEG7770

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MAX JAFFA (violin) and his Orchestra
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Fascination: Softly awakes my heart (March of the Israelites):
I love the moon: Serenade
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RAY MARTIN AND HIS CONCERT ORCHESTRA Love walked in; A fine romance; Dancing in the dark; I'm in the mood for love SEG7772

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LIZZIE MILES WITH BOB SCOBET'S BAND
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RON GOODWIN and his Orchestra

RON GOODWIN and his Orchestra Lingering Lovers; Swingin' Sweethearts ; Swedish Polka ; Laughing GEP8662

LONNIE'S BLUES LONNIE JOHNSON

Call me darlin'; It's been so long; Pleasing you; Tomorrow night **GEP8663**

LAURIE LONDON

with Geoff Love, his Orchestra and Chorus

He's got the whole world in his hands; I gotta Robe; Handed down; The Cradle Rock GEP8664

LULLABYS OF BROADWAY THE KING BROTHERS

with orchestral accompaniment directed by
GEOFF LOVE with the RITA WILLIAMS SINGERS
Lullaby of Broadway; Tenement Symphony; Manhattan; Broadway Melody

GEP Series (7-inch EP)-11/11d.

M - G - M 7-inch Extended Play

TWO WEEKS WITH LOVE

(Excerpts from M-G-M picture of same name)
Starring Jane Powell, Carleton Carpenter and Debbie Reynolds with Georgie Stoll conducting the M-G-M Studio Orchestra and Chorus

My Hero; By the light of the silvery moon; Row, row, row;
Aba daba honeymoon

M-G-M-EP633

WEDDING BELLS

WEDDING BELLS
(Excerpts from M-G-M picture of same name)
Starring Jane Powell and Fred Astaire
with Johnny Green conducting the M-G-M Studio Orchestra
Too late now; I left my hat in Haiti; Open your eyes; How
could you believe me when I said I loved you when you know
I've been a liar all my life

M-G-M-EP635

WANTING YOU (Great songs of stage and screen)
KATHRYN GRAYSON

with Orchestral accompaniment

Always: (All of a sudden) My heart sings; They didn't believe me; Wanting you M-G-M-EP636

I'M THRU WITH LOVE SARAH VAUGHAN

SARAH YAUGHAN
with Orchestral accompaniment
You're blase; A hundred years from today; You're not the kind;
M-G-M-EP637

SWINGIN' WITH TEX
TEX BENEKE AND HIS ORCHESTRA
Palladium Patrol; Singin' in the rain; S'Wonderful; Blue moon M-G-M-EP638

SONGS FOR A BROKEN HEART HANK WILLIAMS

Nobody's lonesome for me; You win again; Why don't you love me; Take these chains from my heart M-G-M-EP639

MY LOVE IS A WANDERER ROSEMARY SOUIRES

Summer is a-comin' in; My love is a wanderer; Just another day wasted away; April heart M-G-M-EP640 M-G-M-EP640

M-G-M-EP Series (7-inch) EP-11/11d.



LUCILLE MAPP

Orchestra



COLUMBIA

7-inch Extended Play

with Steve Race and his

SPOTLIGHT ON JIMMIE RODGERS

major record company was being redecorated, with carpenters, electricians and builders running around busily, a young man walked into the midst of this confusion seeking an audition!

The young man, Jimmie disappeared! Rodgers, was born in Camus, The recor Washington, on September 18th, 1933. He started singing when he was five, taught himself to play piano and guitar, and up until the time he enlisted in the Air Force during the Korean conflict, lived a normal teen-ager's life.

During Jimmie's four-year engagement in the Air Force he

began to blossom as a singer.

By the time he was due for demob, he knew what he wanted most of all. To sing professionally. The road to doing that was not at all easy. Jimmie roamed over America, working on logging camps and He continued to add to his growing knowledge of folk music by listening to his fellow workers.

One day a friend in the music business heard Jimmie in a club

At the time an American in Nashville, and urged him to ajor record company was be- go to New York and seek a record contract. Jimmie by now had become accustomed to the well-known "brush off." After an audition he was asked to call again in a few days, but he took it as another "brush off" and

The recording manager was serious about recording Jimmie. He tried for days to fix him for a session but couldn't find him. Jimmie had done a good job of getting himself lost. Hundreds of 'phone calls and concentrated searching finally found him in his hometown. Some six months later!

Jimmie Rodgers received a letter and the fare to go to New York for the record session. Oddly enough, he recorded the

Oddly enough, he recorded the same two titles he sang at his audition — "Honeycomb" and "Their Hearts Were Full Of Spring." "Honeycomb" soared to the top of the Hit Parade, There's a new Columbia release on DB.4078. Already a big success in America, you should hear The Long Hot Summer and Oh-Oh, I'm Falling in Lova Agin. in Love Again.

POPAAT

POP451

IDOL GOSSIP

Michael and his charming wife in the way! Panic stations for Margie took the opportunity of Glen, for he had a film jot to a well-deserved break between do soon after. He had the task the conclusion of his recent of removing in short time the successful BBC-TV series, and offending dark spot around his his forthcoming variety tour. eye. . The DENE BOYS, that On this trip, Michael hopes to vocally smart group on H.M.V., meet up with many of his are handy boys to have around record-buying friends that he the house. They look after has been unable to see before themselves in a flat in London, now, through his long TV and they don't mind the house-engagements in London. As hold chores. Whilst waiting now, through his long TV engagements in London. As with many stars, Mike's hobby is movie photography. No doubt he has obtained a lot of new and exciting shots after his holiday trip. JOHNNY DUNCAN recovering from a broken bone in his foot. Escaping from over-enthusiastic fans Johnny slipned in climbing caping from over-enthusiastic fans, Johnny slipped in climbing over a railing and came a-cropper. Apart from missing only one show, Johnny managed to keep faith with his public, and continued to entertain, though often in very great pain Bandleader KEN MACKINTOSH gets away from show-business by thing

from show-business by flying. Living as he does near Croydon Airport, Ken has become quite an expert pilot, and already has more than 200 flying hours to his credit. He enjoys his ses-sions in the club-house where talk of entertainment is almost taboo. Whenever Ken Mac wants to blow the cobwebs away, and take his mind off the away, and take his mind of the trials and tribulations of the band business, he hops off to the Isle of Wight, over the coast, or even on to the Continent . . . GLEN MASON is an active member of the famous box bits alone featball trees. show-biz eleven football team. The team is doing wonderful things for charity, and we sus-

MICHAEL HOLLIDAY, have a thoroughly good time Britain's No. 1 singing too. Glen got himself a black star has just completed eye recently in one of these his first Continental vacation matches. Someone's elbow got Michael and his charming wife in the way! Panic stations for and they don't mind the house-hold chores. Whilst waiting for the big break they have found themselves jobs as clerks in London offices. They hail from Newcastle, and chose their name from nearby holiday resort Jesmond Dene . . . SID PHILLIPS, that talented com-poser-bandleader can write poser-bandleader can write equally well with either hand. He has been known to write two separate band scores with each hand at the same time! ... JIM DALE, is an excited father these days, and we offer

and his wife on the arrival of a daughter . . . CONNIE FRANCIS, that delightful singer on the M-G-M label, can be heard but not seen in a current movie. Connie supplies the main singing voice in the film Disc Jockey Jamboree ... Piano star on COLUMBIA, RUSS CONWAY, has a distinguished naval and merchant navy career to his credit. He usually avoids talking about his exploits, and far prefers to steer the conversation towards music

Interesting to see that
MALCOLM VAUGHAN was
invited to sing in a Midlands
church recently during a service.

belated congratulations to he

An experiment which did nothing but good and a nice acknowledgment to a popular singer of popular songs . . .

IMPORTANT

Records listed in his Supplement. marked LP and EP, are Long Playing (playing speed 33); revolutions per minute) and Extended Play (7-inch records with a playing speed of 45 r.p.m.). When playing such records that the motor is running at the appropriate speed, but also that the correct type of stylus or needle tip is used. A stylus or needle suitable for 78 r.p.m. records could cause serious damage to records of other speeds,

Latest"HIS MASTER'S VOICE" ISSUES 45 & 78

JOE LOSS AND HIS ORCHESTRA

I could write a book (from film "Pal Joey")

JOE LOSS AND HIS ORCHESTRA

Wish I Knew (from musical "Lady At The Wheel") S'Wonderful POP448

THE DEEP RIVER BOYS with Sid Phillips & His Band

Not too old to rock and roll

Slow train to nowhere **POP449**

ALMA COGAN

Sugartime Gettin' Ready for Freddy **POP450**

AL IONES

Mad, Mad World

Lonely Traveller

LEE ALLEN AND HIS BAND

Walkin' with Mr. Lee

Promenade POP452

ROYAL TEENS

Short Shorts Planet Rock POP454

FRANKIE AVALON

Dede Dinah Ooh-la-la POP453

SID PHILLIPS AND HIS BAND

Varsity Drag

The Lolly Rag POP456

MALCOLM VAUGHAN

To be loved My loving arms

POP459

STOP PRESS

MORE ANKA CONCERTS

Dudley Hippodrome

Adelphi, Slough

Gaumont, Rochester

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TERRY WAYNE DR4067

TERRY WAYNE
Forgive Me/All Mama's Children
DB40
VICTOR SILVESTER & HIS BALLROOM ORCHESTRA
I'll Buy You A Star (from musical "A Tree
Grows in Brooklyn")
Wy Special Angel
VICTOR SILVESTER & HIS BALLROOM ORCHESTRA
DB40
VICTOR SILVESTER & HIS BALLROOM ORCHESTRA DB4068 April Love/A Night To Remember DOROTHY SQUIRES Bewitched (from film "Pal Joey") DB4069

vewicined (from film "Pal Joey")
A secret that's never been told
LUCILLE MAPP
Love Is (from "Lady at the Wheel")
The Early Birdle (from "Lady at the Wheel")
THE TECHNIQUES
Hey! Little pittle: DB4070

DR4071

Hey! Little girl/In a round about way FRANKIE LYMON DB4072

Footsteps/Thumb thumb DB4073

you love me baby Goodnight Irene RUBY MURRAY DR4074

Forgive me my darling DR4075 Keep smiling at trouble TONY CROMBIE & His Rockets

DUmplin's/Twon special
BUDDY KNOX with the Rhythm Orchids
Whenever I'm lonely/Swingin' Daddy
RUSS CONWAY DB4076

DB4077 PAL JOEY POPS

The lady is a tramp: I could write a book; There's a small hotel; Bewitched; I didn't

know what tir time it was; My funny valentine

LARKT FAGE
Under Control/This is my life
JIMMY MILLER & THE NEW BARBECUES
Jelly Baby/Cry, Baby, Cry
BIG BEN BANJO BAND **DB4080** DB4081

Happy Birthday polka Holland polka VALERIE CARR DB4087

You're the greatest/Over the rainbow THE PLAYMATES DB4083

Jo-Ann You can't stop me from dreaming **DB4084** IIMMY JACKSON

Photographs/Love-A Love-A Love IIMMIE RODGERS **DB4085**

Oh-oh, I'm falling in love again The long hot summer MICHAEL HOLLIDAY **DB4078** DB4087

In love/Rooney (from film "Rooney")
BOB MERRILL Nairobi/Jump when I say Frog DB4086

DB4079

RECORD MAIL

A MONTHLY REVIEW AND DETAILS OF THE LATEST POPULAR' RECORDS ISSUED BY E.M.I RECORDS LTD. (H.M. V., Capitol, Columbia, Parlophone, M.G.M.)

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WELCOME **BACK** PAUL ANKA

Second British Goncert Tour

MICHAEL IS TOPS

GREAT NEW HOLLIDAY ISSUE

THE recent success of Michael Holliday's version of "The Story of My Life" has caused great excitement in music circles. Ballads are few these days in the Hit Parade, but Michael stormed through all competition to give himself that coveted No. 1 spot, a position which has long been over-due for him.

his achievement, and they be-lieve he can do it again with his latest release. Due for his latest release. Due for release last week, Michael does a wonderful performance on DB.4087 with "In Love" and "Rooney".

This is Michael Holliday in absolute top form. Words from us are unnecessary to tell you just how good that can

Following the success of his Pouring late June, Michael recent BBC television series, Holliday begins a long summer Michael is to commence a residency in Blackpool.

Everyone at COLUMBIA long variety tour, opening at has been delighted to witness Nottingham Empire on March

Michael's tour continues on consecutive weekly engagements at Leicester, Sheffield, Newcastle, Sunderland, Hanley, Birmingham, Liverpool, Brighton and Cardiff.

These are the dates as we go to press, but further exciting plans are being arranged for him including TV dates.



MICHAEL HOLLIDAY

MAKES THE LINGER ON

RELEASE BY "GOON" MILLIGAN

scored.

Titles include "Fascinating Rhythm ": "Easy To Love";
"Cherokee": "You Go To
My Head"; "The Continental"; "Yesterdays" and "Just
One of Those Things".



FRANK CORDELL

MORE T.V. TIMES FOR **RUSS CONWAY**

Popular RUSS CONWAY'S commercial television programme which started in January with just two weekly appearances planned, has now been extended "indefinitely" because of tremendous public demand demand.

Previously screened on Mondays from 10–10.15 p.m. these spots have been lengthened by minutes and moved to a peak viewing period on Fridays from 6.40 to 7 p.m. Says a delighted Russ: "In

the first two weeks we received over four thousand requests for over four thousand requests for songs—and they are still coming in." The type of song and playing that are helping to cause this furore among the viewing public can be heard on the latest Russ Conway Columbia release "Pal Joey Pops" (DB.4079).

"Humph," the affectionate title for Humphrey Lyttelton, has had his Granada-TV series extended due to the success of the initial programmes.

The programme is of 30 minutes duration, and is transmitted each Friday from 6.10 to 6.40 p.m.

AS forecast in last month's RECORD MAIL, young singing star Paul Anka has returned to our midst. In doing so he is a most welcome visitor, and is making a more rapid return than is

It was only last December when Paul made his first visit to Britain. Such was his impact in this country, discussions were taking place for a return visit before he left the country on December 22.

As we go to press, Paul Anka should be part way through the first week of an extensive con-cert tour arranged for him by impressario Harold Fielding. During the coming weeks,

Anka is scheduled to visit Brighton; Bristol; Bourne-mouth; York; Hull; Harrow; Plymouth; Manchester; Liver-pool; Hanley; Lincoln; with a closing concert arranged for Croydon.

TV dates will be arranged if other commitments allow, but meanwhile Paul Anka is assured of a big welcome everywhere be might visit.

He has maintained popularity since his last visit with his tremendously successful COLUMBIA issue—"You Are My Destiny" on DB.4063.

Having watched him perform in person during his last visit, young entertainer.



PAUL ANKA

Paul has made very many riends in this country and has looked forward eagerly to re-newing these friendships on his current tour. More recently he was able to talk to fans here when he made a Transatlantic telephone call to B.B.C tele-vision studios to send congratuwe advise you to catch one of telephone call to B.B.C tele-his shows if you can. He is vision studios to send congratu-highly competent, and a great lations to the "Six-Five Special" on its first birthday.

VAUGHAN FOR THE ROAD

VARIETY DATES FOR MALCOLM

GREAT NEW HMV ISSUE

H.M.V. singing star, Malcolm Vaughan until recently resident in a long successful pantomime engagement in Wolverhampton, is to return to variety with his partner Kenneth Earle.

Dates so far known include Hulme Hippodrome on March 10, Belfast on March 17, and Chester on April 21. On May 26 Malcolm is lined up to play his home area at Cardiff.

Shortly Malcolm and Ken are to make a trial tele-record-ing for AR-TV for a possible series later in the year.

Malcolm Vaughan has enjoyed tremendous success with his HMV release—"My Special Angel" on POP.419, and a new issue made last week has all the Hit Parade ingredients. This is a high-grade Malcolm Vaughan performance with the titles "To Be Loved" and "My Loving Arms" on POP.459.

Many people believe that this is Malcolm Vaughan at his finest. We think that way too, and hope that it gives this great singer another Hit Parade



MALCOLM VAUGHAN

SPIKE GOES STRAIGHT!

NEW PARLOPHONE

Many people have been sur-prised at the Parlophone issue which has introduced Goon Spike Milligan as a straight ballad singer.

This interesting new record style by Milligan on R.4406, shows off perfectly the vocal capabilities of this favourite TV and radio clown on "Wish I Knew" and "Will I Find My Love Today ".

Spike with his special brand of zany humour, he is actually quite a musician. Anyone who has attended "warm-ups" of the famous Goon Show will know that they can usually expect some good trumpet playing from Milligan. Though he never remains serious for too long, he has a deep appreciation of music, and is quite an authority on classical music.

This Parlophone issue cer-tainly displays fully another talented facet of the fabulous Spike Milligan. Play it to your friends without telling them the identity of the singer. You are

FRANK CORDELL

An H.M.V. high-spot this month is the issue of a Long Play by that wonderful con-ductor—FRANK CORDELL.

Called "The Melody Lingers On" (CLP.1153) this lush Cor-dell recording has a host of wonderful melodies, beautifully

