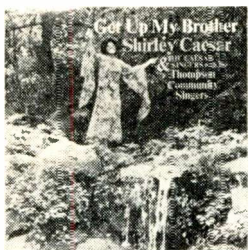
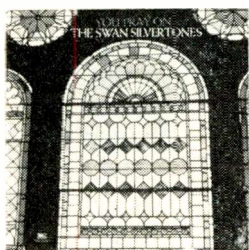




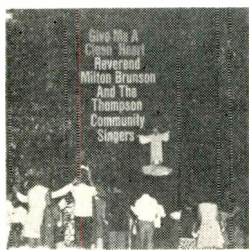
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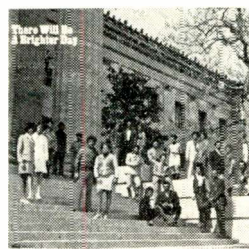
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Starday-King Sets Gospel Release

■ NEW YORK — In an effort to bring widespread public attention to the field of traditional gospel music, Starday-King has announced the release of seven new albums, all on the King label, featuring gospel artists of both old and recent vintage.

Included among the new releases are "If It Wasn't For The Lord," by the Harrison Gospel Singers and "I'm Going Home," by Gales of Joy, two albums by popular gospel artists currently under contract to King Records. The five additional albums are "Count Your Blessings" by the

Four Interns, "Days Past and Gone" by the Spirit of Memphis, "I Cried Holy" by Swan's Silver-tone Singers, "Jesus Knows," by the Patterson Singers, and "Reverend Abraham Swanson," by the Reverend Swanson, a new collection of vintage gospel tracks from the King catalogue.

Due to the current popularity of so many musicians playing highly-derivative gospel-type music, it is Starday-King's belief that the general public may now be receptive to the music in its original form.

Berry On Budget

■ NEW YORK—Rich Lionetti, Marketing Director of Pickwick/33, announced last week that the economy priced label is putting into immediate release an lp by Chuck Berry titled "Johnny B. Goode" that includes such Berry classics as "Roll Over Beethoven," "Sweet Little 16," "Memphis Tennessee," "Maybelline," the title tune "Johnny B. Goode," "Back In The U.S.A.," "Rock & Roll Music," "School Days" and "Reelin' & Rocking." The album will also be available on Pickwick/8, economy priced stereo cartridge tape.

O'Dell Stereo Busted

■ PORTLAND, ORE. — Permanent injunctions barring O'Dell Stereo Center, Inc., and Howard and Hazel Harrison, doing business as The Spirit of 82nd and The Spirit of 17th, from engaging in the manufacture, sale or offering of unauthorized duplications of sound recordings were issued last week by Judge William M. Dale of the Oregon State Circuit Court for the County of Multnomah.

The order by Judge Dale stemmed from a class-action suit brought by Warner Bros. Records, Inc. and A & M Records, Inc., in behalf of themselves and all other entities similarly situated.

Judge Dale also denied a motion to dismiss a temporary restraining order issued against A. E. Stone and Jerry O. Stone, doing business as Stone Electronics, as part of the same litigation.

Bell Releases Three

■ NEW YORK — Bell Records announced last week the release of three new albums; The Partridge Family "Notebook," "Re-Focused" by The Monkees, and the innovative Marlo Thomas "Free To Be . . . You And Me."

B.B. Accepts Plaque



Norman A. Carlson, Director of the Federal Bureau of Prisons, presents plaque to B. B. King, Co-Chairman of FAIRR, at the Atlanta Federal Penitentiary on November 6, 1972. Standing left to right: Carlson; King; Wayne Smith, Executive Director of the Foundation for the Advancement of Inmate Rehabilitation & Recreation (FAIRR); and James Henderson, Warden.

Trans-World Unveils CATV Converter

■ ANAHEIM, CALIFORNIA—Trans-World Communications, the closed circuit television division of Columbia Pictures Industries, Inc., in conjunction with Oak Industries, Inc., International Video Corporation and the K'Son Corporation, unveiled the first complete CATV pay cable system that will enable CATV operators to transmit, with one set-top converter, up to four channels of pay-TV programming along with the standard 22 off-air and local origination channels.

The Trans-World system utilizes an origination console unit built by International Video Corporation which has the capability of transmitting five channels of programming. Programming for CATV homes will consist of two channels of movies, one free preview channel containing trailers of these movies and a fourth channel devoted to other special events. Outside the U. S., this latter channel will also be used to air locally-produced programs to meet the requirements of various national regulatory agencies.

The Trans-World/IVC consoles have complete back-up capability for each channel—a totally redundant system, assuring uninterrupted programming.

Faces Tour

■ NEW YORK—American Talent International Limited has announced that the Faces featuring Rod Stewart, have set plans for an April tour of the States.

Dates are going to be set for an approximate twenty day tour covering the East coast and midwestern sections of the country including some dates in the South.

Avalanch Inks Caiola

■ LOS ANGELES—Al Caiola, one of the world's premier pop guitarists, has been signed to an exclusive disc contract by Avalanche Records. Avalanche is the disc arm of the United Artists Music Publishing Group, whose President, Murray Deutsch, made the announcement last week.

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