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DOMESTIC

MEMPHIS

The singing-songwriting team of Dickey Lee and Allen Reynolds plan to mix the Memphis and Nashville sounds as they record and produce in both cities. They are recording International and Sounds of Memphis-Studios personnel to produce a single on Allen for this summer.

LAURA DAVI

Dickey Lee, who recently signed a RCA Records contract, has his new single, "Happy Days." He produced a 45 for RCA in Nashville, and his new single, "All I Need," was released last month. The song was written by Lee and Paul Craft of Memphis. The recording will be issued in early June.

NASHVILLE

JAMES B. REYNOLDS

From the Nashville office of the Tennessee Department of Commerce and Employment, Jim Buchwald reports: "The Nashville music industry is experiencing a renaissance. Recordings by local artists are back on the charts, and new talent is being discovered. The city is becoming a center for new music styles."

FLAMINGO LTD.

Dickey Lee has signed with Flamingo Ltd., a Nashville-based independent record label. The label's president, Bill Flanagan, commented, "We're excited about working with Dickey and Allen Reynolds. They bring a unique blend of Nashville and Memphis sounds to our roster."

Miscellaneous Notes:

- The Nashville Symphony has announced its 2023-2024 season schedule. Concerts will feature a variety of guest artists, including country, pop, and classical performers.
- The Country Music Hall of Fame is set to open its doors to the public this summer. The museum includes exhibits on local and national musicians, providing insight into the history of the genre.
- The annual CMA Awards will take place in Nashville on October 12th. The event showcases the best in the country music industry and features performances from some of the biggest names in the industry.