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STOP! Sam Brown

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MY BAG Lloyd Cole & The Commotions Capitol - B-44253

ALBUM PICK



MARY MARGARET O'HARA Miss America VL4-2559-W

After more than twenty years of grueling club dates and record releases, Patrick Norman is now a superstar in his native Quebec and is gaining recognition across the rest of Canada. - Page 7

COUNTRY

HIGHWAY ROBBERY
Tanya Tucker
IN THE LONG RUN
Ken Harnden
LIFE AS WE KNEW IT
Kathy Mattea

I'D FALL FOR THAT FEELIN
Carroll Baker

BYE BYE LOVE Silver & Degazio

HEY HEART
Dean Dillon

ALL THE GOOD ONES
ARE TAKEN
Linda Davis

COUNTRY LULLABY
The Walters Family

CMPA hosts annual Song of The Year awards

The Canadian Music Publishers Association held its annual CMPA Song of The Year Awards and Celebration of Songwriters' dinner at Toronto's Park Plaza Hotel (Nov. 28/88). In attendance were many of Canada's foremost music publishers, songwriters and industry leaders. Special guest was Flora MacDonald, Communications Minister, who has been responsible for extensive copyright change in Canada.

CMPA President Greg Hambleton acted as coordinator of the evening and began by welcoming everyone and thanking CAPAC and PROCAN for their support.

The first presentation of the evening went to Mel Shaw for heading the CMPA campaign "Two Cents Too Long", Shaw gave recognition to the past efforts of John Mills, John Bird and the late Harold Moon, for the decades of work they put in on behalf of all songwriters. Shaw's plaque consisted of a montage of newspaper clippings and a photo of the songwriters who travelled to Ottawa to meet with Flora MacDonald. In a



Greg Hambleton (r) presents Mel Shaw with CMPA plaque for heading up CMPA's Two Cents Too Long campaign.

FACTOR video funds committed for fiscal year

FACTOR's Board of Directors has announced that the funding for its Video Program has been "fully committed" for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1989. However, they will resume accepting applications on February 28th. This funding is administered by FACTOR on behalf of the Department of Communications.

When it became obvious that funding was entering a critical period, FACTOR contacted the DOC in July of this year in an attempt to raise more funds, but they have not, as yet, received a response.

FACTOR has supported the production of 47 music videos for Canadian artists over the past fiscal period and since the program was established in September of 1986, has supplied funding for 149 video projects.

Heather Sym, Director of Operations for FACTOR, points out, however, that there is funding still available through the Professional Publishers and Songwriters Demo Award Program, the Radio Syndication Program and the New Talent Demo Award Program for regions other than B.C. and Quebec.

gesture of appreciation, Shaw offered his award to MacDonald, for which both received a prolonged standing ovation.

The first awards, based on income made, were for the Country Songs of The Year with Try, written by Greg Keelor and Jim Cuddy, taking top honours. Old Photographs, written by Terry Carisse and the late Bruce Rawlins, and I Love You More, written by Barry Brown, were the other winners in the category. The awards were presented by Al Mair, President of Attic Music Publishing Group.

The top Adult Contemporary/Pop Song of The Year went to Moonlight Desires, written by Larry Gowan. Other winners were Together, written by Joey Gregorash, Norman Lampe and Brian MacMillan, and Teenland, written by Jay Semko. The awards were presented by Jerry Renewych, head of Warner/Chappell Music Publishing.

The Rock Song of The Year went to Closer Together, written by Philippe Bernard, Jean Pierre Brie, Jean Marc, Guy Pisapia and Luc Papineau, all members of The Box. Other winners were Heat Of The Night, written by Bryan Adams and Jim Vallance, and Boy Inside The Man, written by Tom Cochrane. The Rock awards were presented by Frank Davies, who heads up Thompson Music Publishing.

Greg Hambleton then introduced the guest speaker of the night, Dan Hill, who offered some highlights from his career. He was very well received as he expressed the inner workings of songwriting and his collaboration with Barry Mann for his world hit, Sometimes When We Touch. In ap-

Doyle appointed MCA Ontario marketing rep

Peter Diemer, Director of Promotion for MCA Records Canada, has announced the appointment of Liz Doyle to the position of Ontario marketing representative. She will be responsible for promotion/marketing duties in the Ontario branch.

Doyle has chalked up an impressive career in the retail field, having been with Sound Insight for the past eight years. She proved herself in various positions with that organization, including store manager, singles buyer and most recently as Regional Sales Manager.

Space still available at CIRPA's MIDEM Booth

Mary Vrantsidis, booth coordinator for CIRPA's Canada Booth, advises there "is still space available" for those wishing to attend MIDEM '89. She points out that those who "have masters or publishing available for licensing or for those who wish to acquire such product and/or wish to expand their international contacts, MIDEM is the place for you."

There are twenty-three Canadian music companies registered in the Canada booth to date. Deadline has been set as December 15 for registration, which will guarantee a listing in the MIDEM Guide, the listing of all companies attending MIDEM.



Flora MacDonald with Dan Hill and her Scholarship Award which she presented to Fanshawe's Phil Main.

preciation of his outstanding career the CMPA instigated a Dan Hill Scholarship Award that he presented to Pamela Lilliard, a student at Trebas Recording Institute.

Following Dan Hill was a special CMPA recognition for Flora MacDonald and the presentation of a special "One Of A Kind" symbolic CMPA Song of The Year Award. Hambleton noted that the "first Canadian copyright change in sixty years, Bill C-60, passed on June 8th, 1988 through the efforts and heartfelt work of Flora MacDonald as Minister of Communications." A very pleased MacDonald presented the scholarship award to Phil Main, a songwriter from Fanshawe College, who acknowledged the inspiration of Jack Richardson, now a teacher at Fanshawe.

Paul Berry was the final speaker of the evening and he spoke of the immense work of Flora MacDonald in the passage of the new copyright bill.

The awards dinner was a unique success and has, in two short years, become a true Celebration of Songwriters, and, with the passing of Copyright Bill C-60, there was a sense of accomplishment for all.

A&A boost to Cancon with Music In Motion

Robin Ram, Senior Director - Advertising and Promotion for A&A Records & Tapes, reports "excellent" consumer reaction to their Music In Motion program. As of the 14th of November, the program became a multi-media support campaign featuring extensive in-store product labelling and display, continual in-store play through their store produced 90-minute cassette, store stuffers profiling each of the acts, plus television and consumer-oriented magazine advertising.

Running for a month in all 225 A&A stores across Canada, the campaign guarantees positioning for the ten-pocket rack. As Ram explains, "based on the amount of good Canadian product released over the last quarter, we took advantage of it and basically went full ahead with the promotion . . and it's working." He concludes with, "We're confident that the joining together of Canada's largest music-retailer with Canada's great new talent will ignite tremendous consumer interest."

The ten acts included in the campaign are David Gibson, Big Bang, The Jeff Healey Band, The Spoons, Barney Bentall, Blvd., Candi, Pursuit Of Happiness, One To One, and Frozen Ghost.

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That old Shaw magic . . . ! Over the next few months we could see Mel Shaw's name up in lights on Old Broadway. His rock musical is progressing nicely with ten demos finished and early backers are Kangro, Mimran and Wolinsky . . . who are all smiles over the songs. A big boost was given to Mel by Canada's record industry giant, who arranged a meeting with the Geffen people for January. (EC: Give my regards to Broadway . . .!)

Where there's a way ...! Wait till you hear who's vying for that all important, but



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- Pierre Juneau

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nobody really wants... job as head of a very prestigious organization (EC: Prestigious?) and get your photographers ready. (EC: No, you gotta be kidding...!!)

Another step up for the ladies...? The male dominated and very jealously guarded A&R segment of the recording industry is about to be invaded by . . . the ladies, and maybe that's not such a bad idea. They might not be very good car drivers, with a few exceptions, but I've met more than a few in the business who have an uncanny perception when it comes to music. (EC: The beginning of a new era . . . ?)

We'll call you...! Talk about tunnel vision. There's one, very new, bushy-tailed account exec in place at a large soft drink company who wants nothing to do with "the oddballs" from the Canadian songwriting community. He doesn't want to listen to any demos and he doesn't want to be bothered by any outsiders . . . even if it's a burgeoning young Michael Jackson. Big firms apparently have a closed door policy when it comes to jingles and commercial properties. Something about ownership . . . total ownership. (EC: It's not who you are . . .!!)

A real challenge ...! Nice to see that WP won't be among the unemployed ... not that we'd ever have to have a tag day for him, but he's got a job ... right back where he started, and all he has to do is get a department together. (EC: Talk about starting at the bottom ...!)

Just asking...! Whatever happened to that record catalogue of CIRPA's that was supposed to be so valuable... and to whom? (EC: Don't ask...!)

Moneytakers . . . or grubbers! We don't hear too much about one area of the industry that REALLY has a license to print money, but let me tell you, the new rock millionaires are moving into new quarters and their cash registers are jingling. They don't part with their money too readily and complain that they get NO respect! (EC: Who could he talking about, . . ?)

Here's a scoop...! But it'll probably be as cold as Molson's on a platter by the time we hit the streets tomorrow (Dec. 9). Greg Slaight has resigned from CFGM... and I think I know where's he's going, but it's not country. Imagine, after all that work and effort he put into moving CFGM to the middle of the dial and with a much stronger signal...he ups and leaves. (EC: All in the family...?)

Organized to work well...! Promotionally Yours, the PR company headed up by Martin and Kierans, put together a press conference for Phil Collins when he was in Toronto to promote the film, Buster, and it went off without a hitch. Collins handled himself like a real pro and it was nice to see a press reception handled so well.

It's not the end of an era...!Well Gino Empry has called it quits as Entertainment Director of Toronto's Royal York Hotel. What I'll miss most is sitting at Gino's table, in the Imperial Room, watching the big names strut their stuff and, of course, the

scrumptious dinner, one of the lookedforward-to perks for the first-nighters. Some say it's the end of an era . . . and I suppose eighteen years of booking and promoting acts for one of the largest rooms of its kind in North America is an era . . . of sorts, but watching Gino welcome the hundreds of very close friends to his annual Christmas party, and there were some pretty important people there. I think it's safe to say it's the beginning of a new era for Gino, who still has this town tied up when it comes to PR. Just to show what some of his clients think of him. Carman's sent over a ton of his very popular ribs for the party, Shopsy's sent over a bunch of deli trays, and the Brownstone Hotel delivered dozens and dozens of steak tartare hors d'oeuvres. The Kanata Hotels couldn't be missed with their giant 6 litre bottle of 1982 Chateau Fumet Peyroutes - Siat Emilion. The bottle was three feet high and weighed 75 pounds. It took a pretty muscular waiter to pour for the lineup of wine connoisseurs. As well, the Essex Park Hotel sent over a bunch of their famous Santa Barbara Shrimps, and Molson's supplied their product for part of the liquid refreshment. Not too shabby for a guy who lost his job . . . ! (EC: You should do so well, when it's your turn . . . !)

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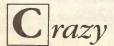
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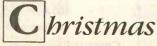
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1	2	(9)	KISSING A FOOL George Michael - Columbia - 38-08050-H (LP) Faith - OC-40867-H	35	36	(9)	COPPERHEAD ROAD Steve Earle - Uni - 8848-J (LP) Copperhead Road - UNI-7-J		68	54 (.,
2	3	(13)	HOW CAN I FALL Breathe - Virgin - VS-1550-W (LP) All That Jazz - VL-3029-W	36	51	(7)	WELCOME TO THE JUNGLE Guns 'N' Roses - Geffen - 92-77597-P (LP) Appetite For Destruction - XGHS-24148-P		69	78 (4
3	1	(12)	DESIRE U2 · Island · 97080·J (LP) Rattle And Hum · ISL·2·1204·J	37	42	(15)	COME BACK TO ME Barney Bentall - Epic - C4-3064-H (LP) Barney Bentall - BPEC-80131-H	MA	0	77 (
0	7	(11)		38	58	(3)	AS LONG AS YOU FOLLOW Fleetwood Mac · Warner Bros · 92-76447-P (LP) Greatest Hits · 92-58011-P		0	80 (4		.p
5	6	(11)		39	27	(13)	ONE MOMENT IN TIME Whitney Houston - Arista - AS-19743-N (LP) One Moment in Time - AL-8551-N		1	92 (24192-Р
•	8	(11)	WAITING FOR A STAR TO FALL Boy Meets Girl - RCA - 8691-7-R-N (LP) Reel Life - 8414-1-R-N	40	38	(5)	BEST OF TIMES Peter Cetera - Warner Bros - 92-77127-P (LP) One More Story - 92-57041-P		73	56 (
0	11	1 (8)	BABY LOVE YOUR WAY/FREEBIRD Will To Power - Epic - 34-08034-H (LP) Will To Power - BFE-40940-H	41	30	(12)	AGE OF REASON John Farnham - RCA - XB-01425-N (LP) Age Of Reason - 3418-1-XL-N		74	79 (MA
8	10	0 (8)	I DON'T WAN'T YOUR LOVE Ouran Ouran - Capitol - B-44237-F (LP) Big Thing - C1-90988-F	42	50	(5)	SMOOTH CRIMINAL Michael Jackson - Epic - 34-08044-H (LP) Bad - OE-40800-H		75	82 (4		
9	5	(12)	BAD MEDICINE BAD Jovi - Mercury - 870 557-7-Q (LP) New Jersey - 885 345-1-Q	43	63	(3)	HOLDING ON Steve Winwood - Virgin - VS-1457-W (LP) Roll With it - VL-2532-W		76	40 (16		(A)
0	13	3 (11)	WALK ON WATER Eddie Money - Columbia - 38-08060-H (LP) Nothing To Lose - FC-44302-H	44	48	(6)	THE PROMISE When In Rome - Virgin - VS-1454-W (LP) When In Rome - VL-3048-W		77	83 (4		
11	4	<u>(</u> 15)	WILD WILD WEST The Escape Club - Allantic - 78-90487-P (LP) Wild Wild West - 78-18711-P	45	33	(18)	NEVER TEAR US APART INXS - Atlantic - 78-90387-P		78	44 (9		
D	17	7 (8)	HANDLE WITH CARE The Traveling Wilburys - Wilbury - 92-77327-P (LP) Volume One - 92-57961-P	46	52	(7)	(LP) Kick · 78-17951-P HIPPY HIPPY SHAKE The Georgia Satellites · Elektra · 96-93667-P (LP) Cocktail/Soundtrack · 96-08061-P		79	NEW	ANGEL OF HARLEM U2 - Island - 97085-J (IP) Rattle And Hum - ISL-2-1204-J	
13	_ 15	5 (10)	GIVING YOU THE BEST THAT I GOT Anita Baker - Elektra - 96-93717-P (LP) Giving You The Best That I Got - 96-08217-P	0	57	(4)	CONFIDENCE MAN The Jeff Healey Band - Arista - AS1-9790-N (LP) See The Light - AL-9553-N		80	NEW	MY HEART CAN'T TELL ME NO Rod Stewart - Warner Bros - 92-77297-P (LP) Out Of Order - 92-56841-P	
14	9	(17)	KOKOMO The Beach Boys - Elektra - 96-93857-P (LP) Cocktail/Soundtrack - 96-08061-P	48	62	(4)	MY PREROGATIVE Bobby Brown - MCA - 53383-J (LP) Don't Be Cruel - MCA-42185-J		81	88 (3	110/1 OVE	
15	16	5 (13)	HOLD ME NOW One To One - WEA/Bonaire - BON-12127-P (LP) 1-21 - BON-12121-P	49	65	(5)	YEAH YEAH YEAH Judson Spence - Atlantic - 78-89997-P (LP) Judson Spence - 78-19021-P		82	69 (6		
16	12	2 (15)	THE LOCO-MOTION Kylie Minogue - Geffen - 92-77527:P (LP) Kylie - XGHS-24195-P	50	59	(5)	SOMETHING SO STRONG Jim Capaldi - Island - 97084-J (LP) Some Come Running - ISL-1214-J		83	NEW.	STILL IN LOVE Corey Hart - Aquarius - AQ-6042-F (LP) Young Man Running - AQR-551-F	(1)
.17	19	(9)	DOMINO DANCING Pet Shop Boys · EMI/Manhattan · B-50161-F (LP) Introspective · E1-90868-F	51	49	(8)	IT'S MONEY THAT MATTERS Randy Newman · Reprise · 92.77097-P (LP) Land Of Dreams · 92.57731-P		84	90 (6		
(B)	24	(5)	AMERICAN DREAM Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young - Atlantic - 78-90037-P	52	67	(4)	BACK TO SQUARE ONE lan Thomas - WEA - 25-77387-P (LP) Levity - 25-56961-P	(1)	85	89 (2)	and the marian and com-	
19	20	(8)	IN YOUR ROOM The Bangles - Columbia - 38-08090-H (LP) Everything - OC-44056-H	53	39	(10)	SHANGRI-LA Roman Grey - Attic - AT-376-W (LP) Edge Of The Shadow - LAT-1249-W	(A)	86	99 (2)		MA
20	34	(4)	TWO HEARTS Phil Collins - Atlantic - 78-89807-P (LP) Buster/Soundtrack - 78-19051-P	54	45	(12)	WHAT'S ON YOUR MIND Information Society - Tommy Boy - 92-78267-P (LP) Information Society - TBLP-25691-P		87	94 (2)		
21	23	(7)	MISSING YOU Chris DeBurgh - A&M - AM-1254-W (LP) Flying Colours - SP-5224-W	5 5	66	(4)	GHOST TOWN Cheap Trick - Epic - 34-08097-P (LP) Lap Of Luxury - 0E-40922-H		88	96 (2)		
22	32	(6)	PUT A LITTLE LOVE IN YOUR HEART Annie Lennox & Al Green - A&M - AM-1255-W (LP) Scrooged/Soundtrack - SP-3921-W	56	64	(5)	WE CLOSE OUR EYES David Gibson - SP-9148-W	A	89	97 (2)	BABY CAN I HOLD YOU Tracy Chapman - Elektra - 96-93567-P (LP) Tracy Chapman - 95-07741-P	
23	26	(7)	TILL I LOVED YOU Barbra Streisand/Don Johnson Columbia · 38-08062-H (LP) Till I Loved You · OC-40880-H	9	72	(2)	IF EVER A LOVE THERE WAS Four Tops/Aretha Franklin - Arista - AS1-9766-N (IP) Indestructible - AL-8492-N		90	NEW	INTO TEMPTATION Crowded House · Capitol · B 44226-F (LP) Temple Of Low Men · C1-48763-F	
24	44	(14)	A WORD IN SPANISH Elton John - MCA - 53408-J (LP) Reg Strikes Back - MCA-6240-J	58	70	(3)	I REMEMBER HOLDING YOU Boys Club - MCA - 53430-J (LP) Boys Club - MCA - 42242-J		91	NEW	MAN WHO WOULD BE KING Jeffrey Hatcher/Big Best · Columbia · C4-3065-H (LP) Cross Our Headest · FC-80132-H	e e
25	31	(8)	PAUPER IN PARADISE Frozen Ghost · WEA · 25-77657-P (LP) Nice Place To Visit · 25-57051-P	59	84	(6)	UNDER YOUR SPELL Candi · IRS · 53458-J (LP) Candi · IRS · 42260-J	MA	92	.60 (9)	SHADOWS OF A DOVE	MA
26	29	(12)	EARLY IN THE MORNING Robert Palmer - EMI/Manhattan - 50157-F (LP) Heavy Nova - E1-48057-F	60	68	(3)	SILHOUETTE Kenny G - Arista - AS1-9751-N (LP) Silhouette - AL-8457-N		93	NEW	ALL THIS TIME Tiffany - MCA - 53371-J (LP) Hold An Old Friend's Hand - MCA-6267-J	
27	18	(16)	GROOVY KIND OF LOVE Phil Collins - Atlantic - 78-90177-P (LP) Buster Soundtrack - 78-19051-P	61	37	(17)	DON'T WORRY, BE HAPPY Bobby McFerrin - EMI/Manhattan - PB-51046-F (LP) Simple Pleasures - E1-48059-F		94	61 (8)	DOWNTOWN LIFE	
28	22	(10)	ANOTHER LOVER Giant Steps - A&M - AM-1226-W (LP) The Book Of Pride - SP-5190-W	62	81	(2)	BORN TO BE MY BABY Bon Jovi - Mercury - 872 156.7-Q (LP) New Jersey - 836 345-1-Q		95	NEW	MY SENSATION Eye Eye - Duke Street - 10037-J (LP) Common Ground - DSR-31037-J	
29	41	(7)	FIVE LONG YEARS Colin James · Virgin · VS-1455·W (LP) Colin James · Vt. 3044·W	63	76	(2)	WILD WORLD Maxi Priest - Virgin - VS-1459-W (LP) Maxi Priest - VL-3038-W		96	43 (17)	DON'T YOU KNOW Steve Winwood - Virgin - VS-1447-W (LP) Roll With It - VL-2532-W	
30	55	(6)	EVERY ROSE HAS ITS THORN Poison - Capitol - B-44203-F (LP) Open Up And Say Abh! - C1-48493-F	64	71	(4)	WHENEVER YOU NEED SOMEBO Rick Astley - RCA - PB-41567-N (LP) Whenever You Need Somebody - 6822-1-R-N	DDY	97	NEW	FISHERMAN'S BLUES The Waterboys · Chrysalls · CS-8850-J (LP) Fisherman's Blues · CHS-41589-J	
31	28	(12)	RAVE ON John C. Mellencamp · Elektra · 96.93707.P (LP) Cocktail/Soundtrack · 96.98061.P	65	73		HARD TO LAUGH Pursuit Of Happiness · Chrysalis · CS-8846-J (LP) Love Junk · CHS-41675-J	MA	98	95 (17)	BRING ME SOME WATER Melissa Etheridge - Island - 97081-J (LP) Melissa Etheridge - ISL-1181-J	
32	21	(14)	MY SONG Glass Tiger · Capitot · B-73065-F (LP) Diamond Sun · C1-48684-F	66	86		ARMAGEDON 870 692-7-Q (LP) Hysteria - 830 675-1-Q	EPG)	99	NEW	STOP! Sam Brown - A&M - AM-1234-W (LP) Sam Brown - SP-5195-W	
33	35	(5)	MOBODY'S PERFECT Milke & The Mechanics - Atlantic - 78-89907-P (LP) Living Years - 78-19231-P	67	46		FOREVER YOUNG Rod Stewart - Warner Bros - 92-77967-P LLP) Out Of Order - 92-56841-P		100	93 (10)	(LP) Sam Brown - SP-5195-W WALK AWAY Michael Bolton Columbia - 38-07983-H (LP) The Hunger - BFC-40473-H	
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Patrick Norman takes hold on a national scale

Selling 350,000 albums in Canada today isn't really that earth shattering. However, the fact the artist was a Canadian creates a little more interest . . . but here's where the eyebrows really go into contortion . . the 350,000 albums were sold in the province of Quebec, which represents only one third of the population of Canada. The artist, a Quebecois named Patrick Norman . . . the album, Quand on est en amour, the title track of which was honoured with the 1986 Gala Metrostar Song of The Year award, and its performer top honours as the Singer of The Year. One year later, he won the Best Male Performer Award at the ADISQ Awards show.

Norman is as at home with English as he is with French, the result of something he treasures to this day, an English and French mother and father, the latter a well-known musician in Quebec. He fondly remembers being cradled in his father's lap at a very young age, learning to pick a guitar. "It took a long time, but my dad and I kept it up until I was finally able to play a song right through." The young Montrealer was confident of breaking into the music business, but he knew there was a lot of paying of dues ahead for him. He started out by playing in several country and rock bands and covered the Quebec circuit.

"They were tough times," he recalls, "It

European radio market a priority at MIDEM

While Canada's broadcasting industry enjoys what some might describe as "a comfortable romance" with the Canadian Radiotelevision and Telecommunications Commission, their European counterparts aren't as fortunate. Numerous reports from broadcasters indicate that national governments in Europe blatantly block radio expansion in the free enterprise, commercial field. This action has forced stations in some countries to seek protection from legislators by fleeing to extra-national, satellite distribution.

The above findings are the conclusion of Margot Gardett, one of the organizers of this year's series of MIDEM seminars on the future of radio in Europe. She apparently reached her controversial views after mounting a hectic research project that took her to more than six countries. She describes that what she found was "government bureaucracies from Holland to Portugal, making business impossible . . and with the option to use satellite and cable distribution of the broadcast signal a reality, enterprising commercial radio stations will soon avoid government legislation by using satellites."

The three days of seminars will be held at MIDEM from January 22 through 24 at the Palais des Festivals in Cannes, France. Radio industry VIPS from all over Europe are expected to attend and discuss programming, syndication, finance, rights, needletime and new technology. The question of Is There A European Radio Market? will be priority as well as the position of advertising and sponsorship in the revenue mix.

took years and years of touring and some recording to finally get my foot in the door. I ran into all the problems that most young musicians come up against . . . and a few more than I bargained for. Just when I thought things were about to happen for me, suddenly it all went wrong. They were very frustrating years, but I wasn't about to give up," He was almost into the second decade of his career when he released an album titled Quand on est en amour, but it took another two years before the record was recognized, and that was when the title track was released as a single. "It was like an overnight happening," says Norman. "All of a sudden my album, which everyone seemed to think was new, was being played on almost every radio station in Ouebec.'

Now, for the real challenge, breaking into English Canada. It took a lot of marketing strategy, but his first English-language album, Only Love Sets You Free, caused a bit of a ripple on release. However, after the title track was released as a single, the pattern began to form with Adult Contemporary pro-

Taylor takes Video Hits to HMV's Superstore

Samantha Taylor, who hosts CBC-TV's Video Hits, took her popular show to the HMV Music Store's superstore located in Square One in Mississauga, Ontario for two shows (Nov 14 & 15). This is the first time in Canada where a major network production has emanated from a music store retail outlet.

The HMV people have made a concerted effort, over the last few months, to attract consumer and trade attention to its operations, particularly the Square One outlet, through showcasing artists in a concert setting. This latest coup served as an important sales vehicle for the sound tracks Taylor aired on both dates.

grammers, 150 of which playlisted the single.

The follow-up single, True Love Will
Find A Way, was brownbagged to radio as a
"Mystery single", and says Chris Allicock of
The Music Brokers, "radio loved it and programmers were pleasantly surprised to learn
that the singer of this upbeat song was
Patrick Norman." It was obvious by this
response that Norman had successfully
reached the rest of Canada.

The third single was a double-sided release, with Two Shades Of Roses, charting at A/C radio and Love's A Crazy Game, becoming Norman's first certified hit with country programmers, opening a whole new market for him. He has parlayed his simplistic lyric approach and his warm, almost caressing vocal charm, into a dynamic career that has captivated the 25 to 49 year old age group, a demographic that is only now being targeted as a "powerful" record buying public.

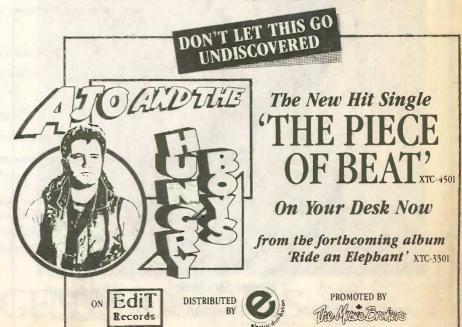
Norman is currently on his follow-up country single, I'd Rather Have You, another single from his first English album, expected to be certified as gold before the end of the year.

Breit Bros hit the road in support of album

The Breit Bros., recently signed to the RCA label, are currently on tour in support of their debut, self-titled album, which Kevin and Gary Breit co-produced with Tom Treumuth at a variety of studios in Canada, the U.K. and the U.S.

Their current single, Slow Train, an edited version of the album track, is accompanied by a video shot by Maverick Pictures of Toronto.

The band opened with Buckwheat Zydeco at Toronto's Diamond (Dec. 5), which was followed by a couple of dates with Omar & The Howlers: Thorold's Front 54th (6) and Dr. Rockets in London (7), and three dates with Myles Goodwyn: Highlands in Cambridge (8), Belleville's Doctor's Hotel (9), and Lakeview in Kingston (10).



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Rocktoria winners on vinvl

Turk And The Rat, Messenger, Drums And Wires and The Revolvers, the winners of Q100's Rocktoria (Victoria, B.C.), will be featured on an EP to be released early next year. It has been decided to include music from each night's winner rather than featuring only one overall winner. For information contact Dave Gaudet or Ed Bain at 604-381-0100.

92/CJCH Christmas Wish

In cooperation with the Salvation Army, the Halifax, Dartmouth and Bedford Police Departments and the Sackville RCMP, 92/CJCH will stage their 17th annual Christmas Wish. Listeners are encouraged to drop off a new, unwrapped toy at Halifax area McDonald's restaurants. On Saturday, December 17 the Christmas Wish Grand Finale will take place at the Quinpool Rd. McDonald's featuring CJ the bird, McDonaldland characters, CJCH personalities and Santa Claus.

Great debut for CHRX 600AM

Vancouver's newest radio station, and only classic rock station, CHRX 600AM, is off to an excellent start according to the BBM Fall Book released December 1. The station debuted with "a weekly audience of 164,700 listeners, the largest audience for a new Vancouver station in its first BBM rating period," reports President and General Manager George Madden and Program Director Bob Morris. The station also scored good numbers in key advertiser target age

groups. CHRX first aired on September 2, of this year with its classic rock format, replacing CJOR which had been on the air since 1926. The all-talk format was pioneered by CJOR 25 years ago.

Miller and Wiskin make news at CKNX CKNX welcomes Matt Miller, who takes over as Program Director of CKNX AM920, and Mark Wiskin, who becomes the new morning personality. Miller came in from CJSL Estevan where he was PD and Wiskin from

Unique FOX Horn Poll predicted a Tory win

Three days before the recent federal election, 99.3 The Fox conducted a Horn Poll from the roof of the radio station at the corner of a busy intersection in downtown Vancouver.

As Jim (JJ) Johnston, the station's Program Director explains, "Starting the event with our two crazed morning dudes, Larry & Willy, we broadcast the morning, mid-day and afternoon shows from this ideal vantage point and invited listeners to drive by and 'honk out' their vote. We asked for one honk for the Tories, two honks for the Liberals and three honks for the NDP."

The full results were announced on The Liz & Valerie afternoon show at 5:50 pm and according to The People's Horn Poll, "It was clear," continues Johnston, "that the Conservatives would win a sweeping majority." The poll put the New Democrats in second place, followed by the Liberals.

Johnston concludes with, "The results of the poll had a guaranteed accuracy within 99.3 percentage points."

the morning drive at CJCS Stratford. We also have news that Derek Botten has left CKNX FM102's PD/morning drive job for the private sector.

Secret Diamond Giveaway at OM-FM

Just to prove there's more than meeting recording artists at Windsor's CJOM, Keith Chinnery, Promotions Coordinator at the



CJOM morning personality Andy Stuart (r), handing out a jeweler's bag.

station, sends news of the success of their Secret Diamond Giveaway. For three consecutive days, a limousine took station personalities to select areas in the city where they randomly handed out jeweler's bags, seven hundred in total, each containing a "faux" diamond. However, one of the bags contained a real diamond worth \$1,000. People who received a bag were instructed to visit the participating jeweler to verify the stone, and that's how the winner was discovered.

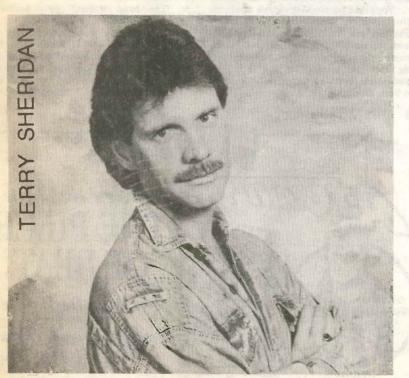
CKOC's Christmas Miracle

1988 marks the 16th anniversary of CKOC's annual toy drive, supported by the East Hamilton Optimists, the Hamilton-Wentworth Police and Eastgate Square. Listeners are able to individually sponsor a specific needy child by purchasing the item the child has requested and depositing it at the Eastgate Mall drop-off location for sorting by the Optimists and delivery by the police. CKOC is also hosting a special screening of the new Walt Disney film, Oliver & Company, on December 10. Listeners have a chance to win family passes to the showing, and those attending are requested to bring a new, unwrapped toy to aid the CKOC Christmas Miracle.

Seltech shopping Rock Canada

For Group Two and Group Four stations looking for "Canadian programming with a punch", Seltech offers Rock Canada with host Ross McIntyre. Each week, two different Canadian artists, established and upand-coming, are spotlighted with up-to-date interviews.

The show has a running time of 52 minutes, including an optional bonus track to increase running time to 56 minutes, and airs in five segments, providing for four breaks. Available programs include After All, The Northern Pikes, Tom Cochrane, Big Bang, Roman Grey, Grapes Of Wrath, Frozen Ghost, Clean Slate, Ian Thomas, Colin Linden, 54-40, Kim Mitchell and more. For more information contact Seltech at 416-597-2299.



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IRON EAGLE II · Pop/Rock Soundtrack · Various artists Epic · SE-45006-H

The Iron Eagle II Soundtrack album was designed specifically to attract that segment of the population who enjoy their music to the fullest, when it serves as a soundscape for scenes of jet fighter planes in battle. Many of the song titles seem to reflect Air Force lingo, to the point of including a tune that contains the name of a notoriously feroclous aircraft in Tomcat Prowl. The Spirit classic I Got A Line On You was electrocuted with 1980's guitar bombast and Alice Cooper's patented vocal raunch. That killer, and a Billy Vera/Ruth Pointer ballad are both being released as singles, and retailers would be well advised to front rack this one due to the popularity of soundtrack aibums in recent times.



MIKE & THE Pop/Rock
MECHANICS - Living Years
Atlantic - 78-19231-P

With their startling debut of a few years back, the band quickly established a very warm rapport with radio and Nobody's Perfect, the first single from the follow-up, has entrenched litself with equal speed. However, above and beyond the lead track, the hits do not seem so blatant. Although both Phill Collins and Tony Banks help out on Black & Blue, neither it nor the rest of the songs have the prowess and stamina to carry this album through the charts. Perhaps Mike & The Mechanics need a fresh infusion of talent, or an oil change, to take their next album to the top.

THE WATERBOYS - Pop Fisherman's Blues Chrysalis - CHS-41589-J

Unfortunately, not much of a departure from their last effort, This Is The Sea, and Mike Scott promised so much after Karl Wallinger left the band. Sure to

please the fans and repentant programmers who missed the boat last time. Interesting to note also that World Party is included and Van Morrison's Sweet Thing; perhaps time was short. Musically self-indulgent and, at times, lyrically boring.

SASS JORDAN - Pop Tell Somebody Aquarius - Q1-552-F

CHR should take to Sass Jordan quickly. Her voice is reminiscent of that of
Tina Turner, belting out one pop rocker
after another, backed by power quitars
and synthesized everything else. The title track single has already attracted
attention from a good number of programmers and will likely be ingrained
in the minds of record buyers just in
time for Christmas but, unfortunately
for Jordan, so will a lot of other
material. AOR programmers should
also check out So Hard.

COWBOY JUNKIES - Pop The Trinity Session RCA - 8568-1-R-N

This band's preference for bare bones recording techniques is well-suited to their hauntingly hollow sound where the absence of ear candy allows each instrument enough space to assert its individual character. Restraint is the key word in any description of the Junkles' sound, a slow country-blues lope accented by the clear voice of Margo Timmins. Their version of Lou Reed's Sweet Jane is getting some airplay off the album and is as representative of the entire project's mature strains as any selection.

THE SCREAMING - Po TRIBESMEN - Bones * Flowers Ryko - RALP-10077-H

On the strength of a string of Australian independent chart success stories comes the first North American release by The Screaming Tribesmen. Contains most of their past hits. Mick Medew is the main songwriter and lead vocalist backed by this guitar-oriented band. Although the group hails from down under, production, writing and artist credits to Chris "Klondike" Masuak (guitar, vocals) qualify seven of the album's ten tracks as Cancon.



RATT - Rock Reach For The Sky Atlantic • 78-19291-P

Atlantic - 78-19291-P

The Ratt Gang are back with their fourth LP which is highly reminiscent of their first and most successful album, Out Of The Cellar. Stephen Pearcy's distinctive delivery is still simplistic and slightly monotonal, which could make things tiresome were it not for the three backing vocalists in this band who endeavour to keep the harmonies interesting. Warren Di Martini's ripping guitar leads abound as expected, but the group surprised some with Way Cool Jr., whose brass and class is provided by The New West Homs. That Jazzy struter is already receiving AOR play as could What's it Gonna Be, one of the more melodic tunes from the Ratt catalogue. Solid production effort once again from Beau Hill and Mike Stone.

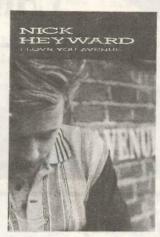
FISHBONE Truth And Soul Columbia - FC-40891-H

Columbia - FC-40891-H

This album is guaranteed to confuse. It's difficult to discover what Fishbone is all about when they adopt such a variety of styles with no threads of consistency to connect their divergent explorations. Primarily funk in nature, the absence of a strong black music market in Canada will be a deterrent to large sales figures. In addition to funk, there are a couple of thrash-influenced songs clocking in at around 90 seconds in length, an acoustic ballad, and the ska that they are known for emerges only on Ma And Pa and Question Of Life, where it appears in a grossly altered form. It seems unlikely that the current state of this country's music scene is at a point where it is ready to welcome Fishbone with open arms.

JOHN MAYALL'S - Bluer BLUESBREAKERS - Chicago Line Island - ISL-1215-J

Veteran bluesman John Mayall once again delivers a package that will satisfy the high expectations that any performer with such an illustrious history must meet. By employing many different blues styles, he manages to produce an album which is both coherent and various. The fact that no track stands out as superior to the rest bears witness to the solidity of the effort as a whole.



NICK HEYWARD - Pop I Love You Avenue Reprise - 92-57581-P

Reprise - 92-57581-P
Although You're My World, the first single selection, has gotten off to a slow start at radio, it contains all the necessasry ingredients for success: slick production, accessible lyrics, and a toe-tapping beat that should win friends at the dance club level. In fact, the whole album is extremely well-crafted pop that would fit nicely on a playlist between George Michael and Whitney Houston. Hold On (Money Don't Buy Love) is a good choice for programmers desiring to dig deeper into this pop goldmine. Truly, It would be difficult for CHR to find a track which was not suitable for the format.

MARY MARGARET - Po O'HARA - Miss America Virgin - VL-2559-W

Virgin - VL-259-W
This debut by Canadian artist Mary
Margaret O'Hara features both quiet,
jazz-influenced pieces and harsher
discordant experimentations. Fortunately the former outnumber the latter. Her voice, expressive, acrobactic
and, at times, disturbing, is truly the
name of the game. In the heavier songs
its subtleties are often masked by the
music, but when the mood is mellow, it
is truly engrossing and demands the
listener's compiete attention. It is
unlikely that CHR is ready for the
freshness of the album's strongest
tracks, but campus, alternative and
open-minded AORs should listen to
Keeping You in Mind (featuring Hugh
Marsh), To Cry About, and You Will Be
Loved Again, where the Interplay
between O'Hara's vocals and the
acoustic bass accompaniment is
nothing short of exquisite.

GUITAR SPEAK Various Artists I.R.S. - 42240-J

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I.R.S. - 42240-J.
I.R.S. - Chairman Miles Copeland's brainchild, Guitar Speak, is a celebration of the rock guitarist as a solo artist. For the project, twelve of today's virtuosos were each given a one track superheroes such as Rick Derringer, Steve Howe and Alvin Lee. The inner sleeve liner notes include biographies original instrumentals recorded specifically for this album by six-string superheroe's such as Rick Derringer, Steve Howe and Alvin Lee. The inner sleeve liner notes includes biographies of the musicians, some discography information and details about amplifiers and special effects used. In short, this package makes the perfect Christmas gift for a fretboard fanatic, or anyone else who appreciates the work of these gifted musicians.



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VARIOUS ARTISTS - Christmas A Country Christmas 96.3 FM - CFMK - 963-1988

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A very pleasant and well-crafted production of Cancon to fill that void for the coming holiday season. Kingston radio station CFMK put together this ten-song package, the proceeds of sales of which will go to the Partners in Mission Food Bank. Charity saide, this Cliff Edwards production is very well done and fellow broadcasters should tap its contents. Participants include Don Cochrane, Anne Banks, Kevin Simpson, Bill Johnston, Christine Hunter, Kevn Head, Dieter Boehme, Ken Hamden, Dan Kennedy and Terry Sherldan. The final mix was supervised by Edwards and Cam Shillington.



JOHN ARPIN - Instrumental Plays His Anne Murray Favourites Home Choice Recordings - HRCC-002

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Canadian keyboard virtuoso John Arpin is one of this country's unsung, yet least recognized musical heroes. He has been a major player in the world of studio session people and, for the most part, has been on the backburner when it comes to recognition. Now, he is front and centre with an impeccable showing of his keyboard talent, and he couldn't have picked a better subject for his instrumental foray into the pop world, Anne Murray. Excellent material for intro'ing and extro'ing news, specials or whatever. Includes You Needed Me, Danny's Song, Shadows in The Moonlight and, of course, Snowbird. An exquisite production.

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Diamond Sun (Capitol)
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The Innocents (Sire)
(LP) 92-57301 (CA) 92-57304 (CD) 25730-P 26 (14) 66 60 (15) 99 98 (35) RICK ASTLEY 25' (46) 67 51 (10) ANTHRAX State Of Euphoria (Island) (LP) ISL-1208 (CA) ISLC-1208 (CD) CID-1208-J 100 91 (35) MORE DIRTY DANCING Whenever You Need Somebody (RCA) (LP) 6822-1-R (CA) 6822-4-R (CD) 6822-2-R-N Soundtrack (RCA) (LP) 6965-1-R (CA) 6965-4-R (CD) 6965-2-R-N

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BMG CRS CAPITOL ELECTRIC MCA WHEN YOU SAY NOTHING AT ALL
Keith Whitley - RCA - 8637-7-N
(LP) Don't Close Your Eyes - 6494-1-R-N Compiled from radio station charts and playlists 4 (12) A TENDER LIE Restless Heart - RCA - 8634-7-R-N (LP) Big Dreams - 8517-1-R-N DON'T YOU CRY FOR ME The Ellis Family Band - Burco BR-110 (LP) N/A WHEN KAREN COMES AROUND
Mason Dixon - Capitol - PB-44249-P
(LP) Exception To The Rule - C1-91020-P 35 42 (10) HOT DOG Buck Owens · Capitol · PB-44248 F (LP) Hot Dog · C1-91132 F CHISLED IN STONE Vern Gosdin - Columbia - 38-08003-H (LP) Chisled In Stone - FC 40982-H WHAT I'D SAY 52 (9) Earl Thomas Conley - RCA - 8717-7-R-N (LP) The Heart Of It All - 6874-1-R-N SPANISH EYES Willie Nelson w/Julio Iglesias · Columbia 38-08066-H (LP) What A Wonderful World · FC-44331-H RUNAWAY TRAIN Rosanne Cash - Columbia - 38-07988-H (LP) King's Record Shop - FC-40777-H HANGIN' BY A THREAD Jenny Lee West - Roto-Noto - RN1058 (LP) N/A (12) 27 (23) 76 (5) MAMA KNOWS Shenandoah · Columbia - 38-08042-H (LP) N/A I SANG DIXIE Dwight Yoakam - Reprise - 92-77157-P (LP) Buenas Noches From A Lonely Town - 92-57491-P THERE WILL NEVER BE ANOTHER Albert Hall · Axe · AXE-105 (LP) Courage · AXS-530 38 71 (7) 8 (11) MY BABY'S GONE Sawyer Brown - Capitol/Curb - 44218-F (LP) Wide Open - C4-90417-F LIFE AS WE KNEW IT Kathy Mattea - Mercury - 872 082-7-Q (LP) Untasted Honey - 832 793-1-Q LET'S GET STARTED
The Statler Brothers - Mercury - 870 681-7-Q
(LP) N/A 72 51 (6) 78 (4) IF YOU AIN'T LOVIN (You Ain't Livin)
George Strait - MCA - 53400. J
(LP) If You Ain't Lovin - MCA-42114-J NEW SHADE OF BLUE Southern Pacific · Warner Bros · 92-77907-P (LP) Zuma · 92-56091/4-P YOU BABE Merle Haggard - Epic - 34-08111-H (LP) Chill Factor - FC-40986-H 40 73 79 (3) WE MUST BE DOIN' SOMETHIN' RIGHT Eddle Rabbitt - RCA - 8716-7-N (LP) Eddle Rabbitt - 6373-1-R-N I BETTER GO NOW Terry Sheridan - Celebrity - CR-1003 (LP) N/A RIGAMOROLE SK&B · MTM · E4-72115-H (LP) Easy Horses · ST-71064-H 74 45 (8) 83 (4) SHE'S SITTIN' PRETTY Billy Parker - RCA - JB-51012-N (LP) Always Country - KZL1-0596-N I'D RATHER HAVE YOU Patrick Norman - Star - STR-3039 (LP) Only Love Sets You Free - STR RAININ' IN MY HEART Jo-El Sonnier - RCA - 6374-1-N (LP) Come On Joe - 6374-1-N 42 48 75 10 (16) 039 - STR-8001 I KNOW HOW HE FEELS Reba McEntire - MCA - 53402-J (LP) Reba - MCA-42134-J DON'T WASTE IT ON THE BLUES (It's Always Gonna Be) SOMEDAY Holly Dunn - MTM - E4-72116-H (LP) Across The Rio Grande - MTM-71070-H 76 60 (5) 89 (3) WISH I COULD FALL IN LOVE TODAY MY IMAGINARY TREE Murray McLauchlan - Capitol - B-73070-F (LP) Swinging On A Star SONG OF THE SOUTH Alabama - RCA - 8744-R-N (LP) Alabama Live - 6825-R-N 53 (5) 91 Barbara Mandrell - Capitol - PB-44220-F (LP) I'll Be Your Jukebox Tonight - C1-90416-F HOLD ME K.T. Oslin - RCA - 8725-7-N (LP) '80s Ladles - 5924-1-N BURNIN' A HOLE IN MY HEART Skip Ewing - MCA - 53435-J (LP) The Coast Of Colorado - MCA-42128-J JUST A LITTLE DOLL Dan Paul Rogers - Altair Four - 3-5864 (LP) N/A 78 23 (8) 63 (6) 80 (6) CHANGE OF HEART The Judds - RCA/Curb - 8715-7-N (LP) Greatest Hits - 8318-1-N **BOOGIE WOOGIE FIDDLE BLUES** ROCKY ROAD The O'Kanes · Columbia · 38-08099-M (LP) The O'Kanes · FC-44066-H 46 41 (15) 79 Charlie Daniels Band · Epic · 34-08002-H 81 (4) I'VE BEEN LOOKIN' BABY MAKES ME LOSE CONTROL Gilles Godard - Bookshog - BSR-779-N (LP) Lose Control - BSR-755-N SUMMER WIND 47 29 (18) 80 6 (16) Nitty Gritty Dirt Band - Warner Bros - 92-77507-P (LP) Workin' Band - 92-57224/1-P 82 (4) Desert Rose Band - MCA/Curb - 53354-L (LP) Runrung - MCA-42169-J LONG SHOT Baillie & The Boys - RCA - 8631-7-N (LP) Baillie & The Boys - 6272-1-R-N LIGHT YEARS
Glen Campbell · MCA · 53426-J
(LP) Light Years · MCA-42210-J COME AS YOU WERE T.Graham Brown - Capitol - P-B-44273-F (LP) Come As You Were - C1-48621-F 48 38 (10) 17 (10) 85 (3) I GIVE YOU MUSIC
The McCarlers - Warner Bros - 92-77217-P
(LP) The Gift - 92-57374/1-P DESPERATELY Don Williams · Capitol · B·44216·F (LP) Traces · CLT-48034-F I'M IN LOVE AND HE'S IN DALLAS Marie Osmond · Capitol · P-B-44269-F (LP) All in Love · C1-48968-F 49 36 (16) 16 (9) 86 (3) BLUE SIDE OF TOWN
Patty Loveless - MCA - 53418-J
(LP) Honky Tonk Angel - MCA-42223-L BRIDGES AND WALLS Oak Ridge Boys • MCA • 53460-J (LP) Monongahela • MCA-42205-J DARLENE 50 35 (17) 18 (9) 83 95 (2) T.Graham Brown · Capitol · B-44205-F (LP) Come As You Were · C1-48621-F EVERY STEP OF THE WAY Wagoneers - A&M - AM-1230-W (LP) Stout And High - SP-5200-W NOT ENOUGH LOVE Tom Wopat - Capitol - PB-44243-F (LP) Don't Look Back - C1-90121-F 21 (12) 99 (2) T.G.Sheppard - Columbia 39-08119-H (LP) Crossroads - FC-44421-H BLUE TO THE BONE Sweethearts of the Rodeo - Columbia - 38-07985-H (LP) One Time One Night - FC-40614-H **ALL THE REASONS WHY** BABY'S COMIN' HOME Wayne Pronger & Friends - Three Flamingos - 5928 52 37 (26) 20 (9) 85 90 (3) Highway 101 - Warner Bros - 92-77357-P (LP) Highway 101 - 92-57421/4-P I'LL LEAVE THIS WORLD LOVING YOU Ricky Van Shelton - Columbia - 38-08022-H (LP) Wild Eyed Dream - FC-40602-H BUSY BEING BLUE K.D. Lang · Sira · PRO-919-P (LP) Shadowland · 92-57241/4-P 53 57 Brian Sklar - Uptown - UT-111 (LP) N/A 93 (2) 13 (12) THE RHYTHM OF ROMANCE JANINE Errol Ranville · HDM · HDM-1000 (LP) N/A SWEET NOTHIN'S 15 (17) 54 58 (10) 87 88 (5) MA Michelle Wright - Savannah - SRS-87: (LP) Do Right By Me - SRL-9830-P THAT'S THAT SINCERELY I WISH I WAS STILL IN YOUR DREAMS Conway Twitty - MCA - 53456-J (LP) Still in Your Dreams - MCA - 42115-J Michael Johnson - RCA - 8650-7-R-N (LP) That's That - 6715-1-R-N 55 66 (5) 88 12 (16) Forester Sisters - Warner Bros - 92-76867-P (LP) Sincerely - 92-57464-P HOLD ON (A Little Longer) Steve Wariner - MCA - 53419-J (LP) I Should Be With You - MCA 42130-J HIGHWAY ROBBERY
Tanya Tucker - Capitol - P.8-44271-F
(LP) Strong Enough To Bend - C1-48865-F NOBODY'S ANGEL 25 56 39 (22) 89 NEW Crystal Gayle · Warner Bros · 92-78117-P (LP) Nobody's Angel · 92-57061/4-P SHE'S CRAZY FOR LEAVING Rodney Crowell - Columbia - 38-07918 H (LP) Diamonds & Dirt - FC-44076 H THOUGHT LEAVING WOULD BE EASY Terry Carlsse - Savannah - SRS-869-P (LP) None Of The Feeling - SRL-9827-P FIDDLE TEXAS STYLE Cindi Cain - Golden Eagle - GE-153 (LP) Cindi Cain - GELP-113 57 43 (22) 90 97 (2) OLD KIND OF LOVE Ricky Skaggs · Epic · 34-08063-H (LP) Comin Home To Stay · FE-40623-H IT'S YOU AGAIN Exile - Epic - 34-08020-H (LP) Shelter From The Night - FE-40901-H DOWN IN THE ORANGE GROVE John Anderson - MCA - 53441-J (LP) 10 - MCA -42218-J 25 30 58 46 (14) 91 87 (5) IN THE LONG RUN Ken Harnden - RCA - SD-51021-N (LP) N/A REBELS WITHOUT A CLUE Bellamy Brothers - MCA - 53399.J (LP) Crazy From The Heat - MCA-42039.J BIG WHEELS IN THE MOONLIGHT Dan Seals - Capitol - B-44267-F (LP) Rage On - C1-46976-F 59 73 (4) NEW MA DEEPER THAN THE HOLLER Randy Travis - Warner Bros - 92-76897-P (LP) Old 8x10 - 92-57384/1-P HENRIETTA Mel McDaniel · Capitol · 44244-F (LP) Now You're Talkin' · 48058-F CRAZY IN LOVE Kim Carnes - MCA - 17669-J (LP) View From The House - MCA-42200-J 60 47 (7) 94 :(4) 32 (5) 93 PAINT THE TOWN
J.C. Crawley · RCA · 8747-7.N
(LP) Beneath The Texas Moon · 8370-1-R·N LIFE AS WE KNEW IT Kathy Mattee - Mercury - 872 082-7-Q (LP) Ontested Honey - 832 793-Q LIVING A LIFE I CAN'T AFFORD Ronnie Hawkins - Epic - 7CDN-65-H (LP) Mary Lou - PEC-80127-H 61 65 (7) NEW LOVE HELPS THOSE
Paul Overstreet • MTM • E4-72113-H
(LP) N/A HOT ROD LINCOLN Asleep At The Wheel - Epic - 34-08087-H (LP) Western Standard Time - FC-44213-H I STILL BELIEVE IN YOU The Desert Rose Band - MCA/Curb - 53454-J (LP) Running - MCA-42169-J 62 40 (6) 77 (4) 95 100 (2) LONG DISTANCE George Fox - WEA - PRO-630-F (LP) George Fox - 25-55551/4-P GONNA TAKE A LOT OF RIVER The Oak Ridge Boys · MCA · 53381-J (LP) Monongahela · MCA-42205-J I'D FALL FOR THAT FEELIN' Carroll Baker - Tembo - TS-8810-N (LP) At Home in The Country - TMT-4333-N 50 (16) 96 NEW THAT OLD WHEEL Johnny Cash - Mercury - 870 688-7-Q (LP) N/A SCENE OF THE CRIME Lori Yates - Columbia - 38-08055-H (LP) N/A BYE BYE LOVE Silver & Degazio - A&M - AM-775-W (LP) N/A 31 (11) 97 SHE REMINDED ME OF YOU Mickey Gilley - Airborne - 10008-H (LP) Chasing Rainbows - ABT-61001-H BORDERLINE The Shooters - Epic - 34-080082-H (LP) N/A HEY HEART Dean Dillon · Capitol · P-B-44294-F (LP) Slick Nickel · C1-48920-F 72 (5) 98 NEW EARLY IN THE MORNING Hank Williams Jr. . Warner Brs · 92-77227-P (LP) Wild Streak · 92-57251-P SOMEDAY GONNA RIDE IN CADILLAC Matt Minglewood - Savannah - PRO-628-P (LP) The Promise - SRL-9830-P ALL THE GOOD ONES ARE TAKEN Linda Davis - Epic - 34-08057-H (LP) N/A 33 49 (7) 66 99 JUST CAN'T SAY NO TO YOU Moe Bandy - MCA - 10513-J (LP) No Regrets - MCA-10600-J

YOU MIGHT WANT TO USE ME AGAIN Johnny Rodriguez · Capitol · 4425·F (LP) Gracias · C4-90040·F

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COUNTRY LULLABY
The Walters Family WFS WF88
(LP) N/A

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Whitley tops RPM 100

Keith Whitley moves into the No. 1 berth this week with his RCA single, When You Say Nothing At All, from his album, Don't Close Your Eyes. George Strait is challenging this position with his MCA single, If You Ain't Lovin (You Ain't Livin'), which was taken from his album, If You Ain't Lovin', and watch for K.T. Oslin to make tracks to the front of the herd with her RCA single, Hold Me. New to the chart, at No. 89, and expected to move upwards very quickly is Tanya Tucker's Highway Robbery, culled from her Capitol album, Strong Enough To Bend. Also new and looking good at No. 92 is Ken Harnden's latest RCA single, In The Long Run. Kathy Mattea checks in at No. 94 with Life As We Knew It, and Carroll Baker gets the nod at No. 96 with her Tembo single. I'd Fall For That Feelin', a track taken from her At Home In The Country album, which many country programmers carted in view of the vinyl problems the label was having. That old Everly Brothers hit, Bye Bye Love gets a Cancon twist from the team of Silver & Degazio, and the A&M people are marshalling their promotion troops behind this one as it enters the chart at No. 97. Dean Dillon looks a little stronger with his latest Capitol single, Hey Heart, which was taken from his Slick Nickel album, and charts this week at. No. 98, followed by Lynda Davis with her Epic single All The Good Ones Are Taken. and The Walters Family with their WFS single, Country Lullaby, which Brian Edwards has been feverishly promoting.

Blue Rodeo featured on The Journal
Originally scheduled for CBC-TV's The
Journal on Friday Dec. 9th, the feature on

MCA bows Universal a new Nashville label

Irving Azoff, President, MCA Music Entertainment, and Jimmy Bowen, Executive Vice President, MCA Records Inc., have jointly announced the formation of Universal Records. Bowen, who was most recently President of MCA/Nashville, has been named President of the new label.

"I wanted to start a new label from Nashville," says Bowen, "and to do so with Irving Azoff and MCA is the best of all worlds." He continues with, "The support MCA has given MCA/Nashville will be there for Universal, and we will have a major label in a short time." Under the new agreement, Bowen will now be an exclusive producer for both Universal and MCA/Nashville.

Universal will have its own A&R and promotion staff, the first named being James Stroud who has been appointed Director of A&R. Other staff members will be named shortly but in the meantime the new label will utilize the marketing and administration services of MCA/Nashville. The label will be distributed by MCA Distributing.

Signed to the roster already are Roger Whittaker, Joe Barnhill, Jr., Lacy J. Dalton, Larry Gatlin & The Gatlin Brothers, Joni Harms, Scott McQuaig, The Nitty Gritty Dirt Band and Carl Perkins. Signed to the Universal Master Series are Images, Larry Knechtel, Preston Reed and Sojiro.

the making of Blue Rodeo's new album, has been rescheduled to the following Friday (16). The segment was filmed at Toronto's Donland's Theatre where the band is currently wrapping up recording with the help of producer Malcolm Burn. Coincidentally, the CBC cameras turned up in time to catch a surprise birthday celebration for lead singer Jim Cuddy, along with family and friends.

Rumours continue about MTM

Those rumours about MTM folding aren't true, but there is something happening to this Nashville label, and that's the reason there aren't album releases from Holly Dunn and Schuyler, Knoblock and Bickhardt. The latest rumour has Howard Stark buying the label. He headed up the company from when it was formed back in 1984.

Comstock signs Robbie Lee Sexton

Frank Fara of Comstock Records, recently moved into new offices in Scottsdale, Arizona, reports the signing of Quebec artist Robbie Lee Sexton. His initial release, Burning Up The Night, has reportedly caught the attention of some "heavy duty stations," says Fara, "joining in early play and rotation."

Mercey Brothers record Whittaker song Momma Mary, one of Roger Whittaker's most requested Christmas songs, has been included on the Christmas In The Valley album, which was produced in conjunction with Stag Creek Music. This is Volume 3 from the label, which annually benefits The Children's Hospital of Eastern Ontario and the Royal Ottawa Health Care Foundation. Says Tembo's Ed Preston, "The Mercey

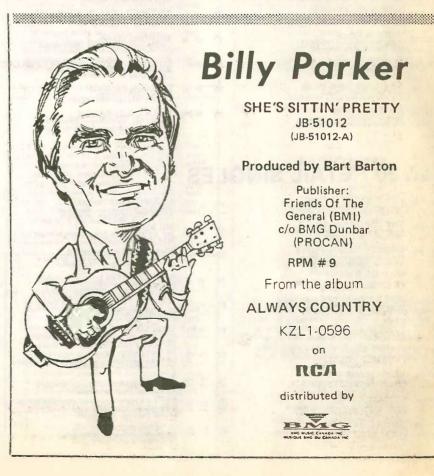
Brothers have added a good country feel to the song."

Christmas offering by Tom Wade

What could become a perennial for this time of year is Tom Wade's latest release She Love's Christmas Eve, a compelling song written by James Stevens, whose lyrics bring home the fact that Christmas can be a very lonely time for a lot of people. The single is released on the Toronto-based Reflection label. David Gibson produced, and this is the second single for Wade this year, his first being Lost In Your Eyes which he recorded with Vickie Van Dyke. Wade is perhaps better known as the bassist for the Mercey Brothers, but he has chalked up an enviable track record in the session field as well.



George Fox, in Toronto for Anne Murray taping, met WEA labelmate Dwight Yoakam at Dwight's Massey Hall concert, seen here with WEA's Randy Sharrard and Roger Desjardins.



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NEW 40 CANCON SINGLES 20 DANCE SINGLES

1	1	(12)	BIG LEAGUE Tom Cochrane/Red Rider - Capitol - B-73068-F (LP) Victory Day - C1-26570-F	21	10 (15)	HT'S OVER NOW Honeymoon Suite - WEA - 25-78197-P (LP)Racing After Midnight - 25-54451-P	٩	1 (6)	BIG FUN Inner City - Virgin - VSX-1463-W (12") (LP) Techno - Dance Sounds Of Detroit - DIXG-75-W	
2	2	(14)	HOLD ME NOW One To One - WEA/Bonaire - BON-12127-P (LP) 1-2-1 - BON-12121-P	2	26 (5)	BABY IT'S YOU Liberty Silver - Eureka - EK-704-N (LP) Private Property - EK1-2000-N	•	5 (4)	THE ONLY WAY IS UP Yazz & Plastic Population - Elektra - 96-67320-P (12 (LP) N/A	")
3	4	(5)	AMERICAN DREAM Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young - Atlantic~78-90037-P (LP) American Dream - 78-18881-P	23	20 (13)	INTO THE NIGHT Big Bang · Spy · SPY-700-W (LP) Big Bang · SPY-1000-W	3	4 (6)	OUT OF TIME Noel - Island - IS-1212-J (LP) Noel - ISL-4009-J	
4	5	(9)	PAUPER IN PARADISE Frozen Ghost - WEA- 25-77657-P (LP) Nice Place To Visit - 25-57051-P	2	31 (2)	TELL SOMEBODY Sass Jordan - Aquarius - AQ-6040-F (LP) Tell Somebody - AQR-552-F	4	3 (8)	DOMINO DANCING Pet Shop Boys - EMI/Manhattan - E1-75238-F (12") (LP) introspective - E1-90868-F	
6	8	(9)	FIVE LONG YEARS Colin James - Virgin - VS-1455-W (LP) Colin James - VL-3044-W	25	32 (4)	SOME HEARTS REACH HIGH Make A Wish - MCA - 53447-J (LP) N/A	5	2 (7)	BOYS Sabrina · Sire · 92·10140·P (12") (LP) N/A	
6	3	(14)	MY SONG Glass Tiger - Capitol - B-73065-F (LP) Dlamond Sun - C1-48684-F	26	15 (17)	MY GIRL Myles Goodwyn - Aquarius - AQ-6039-F (LP) Myles Goodwyn - AQR-548-F	6	8 (4)	SPRING LOVE Stevie B - Lefrak/Moelis - LMR-4002 (12") (LP) N/A	
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9	6	(11)	SHANGRI-LA Roman Grey - Attic - AT-383-W (LP) Edge Of The Shadow - LAT-1249-W	29	16 (7)	IN THE TWILIGHT BIVG - MCA - 8849-J (LP) BIVG - MCA-42111-J	9	13 (3)	BREAK 4 LOVE Raze - Columbia - 12CXP-7890-H (12") (LP) N/A	
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12	14	(8)	HARD TO LAUGH The Pursuit Of Happiness - Chrysalis - CS-8846-J (LP) Love Junk - CHS-41675-J	32	NEW	ENEMIES LIKE YOU AND ME Ruth Pointer & Billy Vera - Epic - 34-98115-H (LP) Iron Eagle II/Soundtrack - SE-45006-H	12	14 (3)	THE LOVER IN ME Sheena Easton - MCA - 023904-J (12") (LP) The Lover In Me - MCA-42249-J	
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0	18	(7)	I WISH THERE WAS A WAY Diamond In The Rough · Virgin · VS-1551·W (LP) Diamond In The Rough · VL-3025·W	34	34 (10)	SECRET LOVE Debbie Johnson w/Demo Cates - Marigold MPL-742-E (LP) Just Like Magic - MPL-1203-E	14	7 (5)	IT TAKES TWO Bob Base & DJ EZ Rock - Profile - PRO-7186 (12") (LP) N/A	
15	7	(16)	SPOT YOU IN A COALMINE Corey Hart - Aquarius - AQS1-6041-F (LP) Young Man Running - AQR-551-F	35	NEW	SLOW TRAIN The Breit Bros - RCA - PB-51023-N (LP) The Breit Bros - 840-1-R-N	•	NEW .	HEAT IT UP Wee Papa Girl Rappers - Jive- 1159-1-JD-N (12") (LP) N/A	
•	21	(5)	HOPES GO ASTRAY Northern Pikes - Virgin - VS-1458-W (LP) Secrets Of The Alibi - VL-3041-W	36	36 (11)	ANOTHER LOVE IN YOUR LIFE Jay W. McGee - Quantum - QRS-88001-E (LP) Survivor - QR-88001-E	16	18 (2)	DON'T RUSH ME Taylor Dayne · Arista · AD1-9722-N (12") (LP) Tell It To My Heart · AL-8529-N	
0	23	(3)	STILL IN LOVE Corey Hart - Aquarius - AQ-6042-F (LP) Young Man Running - AQR-551-F	37	37 (2)	WITHOUT LOVE Favorite Nation - Autograph - ARPS-45004-N (LP) Favorite Nation - ARPS-12002-N	17	NEW	BRIDES OF FRANKENSTEIN OMD · Virgin · VSX-1461·W (12")· (LP) N/A	
13	25	(7)	MAN WHO WOULD BE KING Jeffrey Hatcher & Big Beat - Columbia - C4-3065-H (LP) Cross Our Hearts - FC-80132-H	38	NEW	SOMEDAY GONNA RIDE IN CADILLAC Matt Minglewood - Savannah - PRO-628-P (LP) The Promise - SRL-9830-P	18	20 (2)	POP DENSITY Live Cinema · Brouhaha · 12CUE-R1·E (12") (LP) N/A	4
19	11	(12)	SHADOWS OF A DOVE After All - Capitol - 73066-F (LP) How High The Moon - C1-90662-F	39	39 (2)	FASHION PASSION Bora Bora · BR · BR·1001 (LP) Bora Bora Last Time · BR-003	19	NEW	UNDER YOUR SPELL Candl - IRS - SOM-1214-J (12") (LP) Candl - IRS-42250-J	A
20	22	(5)	MY SENSATION Eve Eye - Duke Street - 10037-J (LP) Common Ground - DSR-31037-J	40	30 (16)	WALK ON THROUGH Rita MacNeil - Lupins/Virgin - RMS-107-W (LP) Reason To Believe - RM-200-W	20	NEW	DO ME RIGHT Pebbles - MCA - 23912-J (12") (LP) Pebbles - MCA-42094-J	
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2	٩	(14)	THE LOCO-MOTION Kylie Minogue · Geflen · 92-77527-P (LP) Kylie · XGHS-24195-P	12	10	(6)	BIG LEAGUE Tom Cochrane & Red Rider - Capitol B-73068-F (LP) Victory Day - C1-26570-F	22	22 (3)	WALK ON WATER Eddle Money : Columbia : 38-08060-H (LP) Nothing To Lose : FC-44302-H
.3	3	(15)	GROOVY KIND OF LOVE Phil Collins - Atlantic - 78-90177-P (LP) Buster Soundtrack - 78-19051-P	13	11	(11)	WHAT'S ON YOUR MIND Information Society - Tommy Boy - 92-78267-P (LP) Information Society - TBLP-25691-P	23	27 (2)	ALL THIS TIME Tiffany - MCA - 53371-J (LP) Hold An Old Friend's Hand - MCA-6267-J
4	5	(9)	WILD WILD WEST The Escape Club - Atlantic - 78-90487-P (LP) Wild Wild West - 78-18711-P	14	16	(7)	HOW CAN I FALL Breathe · Virgin · VS-1550·W (LP) All That Jazz · VL-3029·W	24	NEW	LOOK AWAY Chicago - Reprise - 92-77677-P (LP) Chicago XIX - 92-57141-P
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6	6	(12)	DESIRE U2 - Island - 97080-J (LP) Rattle And Hum - ISL-2-1204-J	16	18	(15)	TRUE LOVE Glenn Frey - MCA - 53363-J (LP) Soul Searchin' - MCA - 6239-J	26	NEW-	PUT A LITTLE LOVE IN YOUR HEART Annie Lennox & Al Green - A&M - AM-1255-W (LP) Scrooged/Soundtrack - SP-3921-W
7	8	(6)	I DON'T WANT YOUR LOVE Duran Duran · Capitol · B · 44237 · F (LP) Big Thing · C1 · 90958 · F	17	19	(3)	TILL I LOVED YOU Barbra Strelsand/Don Johnson · Columbia · 38-08062-H (LP) Till I Loved You · OC-40880-H	27	28 (2)	HOLD ME NOW One To One - WEA/Bonaire - BON-12127-P (LP) 1-2-1 - BON-12121-P
8	4	(10)	BAD MEDICINE Bon Joyi - Mercury - 870 657-7-Q (LP) New Jersey - 836 345-1-Q	18	15	(9)	RAVE ON John Cougar Mellencamp - Elektra - 96-93707-P (LP) Cockfail/Soundtrack - 96-08061-P	28	NEW	GIVING YOU THE BEST THAT I GOT Anita Baker - Elektra - 96-93717-P (LP) Giving You The Best That I Got - 96-08217-P
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