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Max Merrit in Pon Speak -



# THE NEW SCENE

# America takes over from

The domination of the Pop Music Scene by British groups is about to end. No longer are American groups slavishly following the lead of the English. A new sound and a new style has emerged.

The new sound is labelled Psychedelic.

It's the sound of "Count Five", "The Monkees", "Question Mark", "Love", "Left Banke",

NORMIE WRITES

LYNNE RANDELL

**FLYS TO USA** 

**BROTHERS** 

**MIXTURES** 

FINISHED?

Doug Panther reports the new sensation on page 3.

WALKER





Rationals

## IAN MELDRUM REPORTS

## **'AUSTRALIAN GROUPS BETTER** THAN AMERICAN' says Tim Rooney

Australian pop scene. I asked his impressions and he said that he felt that the Australian groups were even better than most American groups — they had a lot more polish and thumped out a better sound.

Apart from the big names, groups Apart from the oig names, groups in America spend little time practicing, but facilities for recording gives them a much more polished sound on their records. His brother Mickey Rooney Jnr. has a goup of

of Mickey Rooney, accompanied his father to Australia for a holiday and spent his time looking at the TELEVISION SHOWS

"The Shows in America have a The Shows in America have a large budget and rely on overseas acts, such as The Stones, Herman's Hermits etc. to make them top class. However, in Australia, the shows rely on their own local talent and yet can bring out a presentable program. The trouble in America is that the teenagers are always looking for something new, and thus are very hard to please".

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14.	High Noon Bobby and Laurie	TO-MORROW NEVER
15.	Just Like A Woman Johnathon King (Man. Mann)	NOT JUST THE LONELY
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12.	Born Free Mat Monroe	A TINY DROP OF
16.	Black is Black Los Bravos	SADNESS TWEEDLE DEE
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26.	True True Lovin'	FANNIE MAE
27.	With a Girl Like You Troggs	ALMOST PERSUADED
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36.	Going Out of My Head Lynne Randell	BEND IT
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# all the latest POP DISCS



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GO-GO WHO

the WHO and their record

"I'm A Boy". They are the most talented with it, best

looking group in the world. No-Go to Lynne Randell who thinks she's just IT.

Lots of Go-Go's to the Bris

and blues groups in Austra

NO-GO GO SET POP

PANEL

One big fat NO-GO to the Go-Set Pop Panel for the ridiculous rating of C (mediocre) they gave to the

Stones' new record "Have

You Seen Your Mother Baby Standing In The Shadow?"

It certainly deserved an A rating and Adelaide disc-jockeys were bewildered by

the panel's bad taste Never

theless, it will still be a hit.

Disgusted,

GO-GO DEEP PURPLE

Go-Go to the DEEP PURPLE for a really good performance at The Scene last Friday. Come on pro-

moters, here's real talent

North Balwyn, Melb

Unley, South Aust.

Peter Mitchell.

Ge-Go and Ne-Go,

Hundreds of Go-Go's to

BABY
GET ME TO THE
CHURCH ON TIME
HE'S A THIEF
TOMORROW NEVER
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C Just remember, you said it.
B Just gets by
D You're not kiddin'
D And keep on walkin'
A Very flexible

# GO:GOS &

GO-GO JOHN JONES

Go-Go John Jones of the Richard Wright Group. Ha long hair looks great and i well looked after. I know he must get a lot of rubbis! ing wherever he goes be cause of his hair, but he snows himself up as a rea man by having the guts to keep it long despite all this

Lots of Go-Go's to the Bris-bane R and B group the Chelsea Set . . . Go-Go Purple Hearts and Loved Ones for being the only true rhythm GO-GO RONNIE BURNS

Go-Go to the gorgeous looking Ronnie Burns and his fantastic record "True True Lovin" which reached number 1 on 6XY top 15 No-Go to Johnny Young) version of "Let It Be Machick sounds like a brok to record compared to Ronnie's version. I think the people who watch "Go will agree with me that Johnny Young can't sind No-Go to L.B.J.

Ronnie Fan

GO-GO R.J.S.S.

The Running Jumping Standing Still have com bined to bring to the teen age audience a really excing stage act with plenty their deep instrument numbers. We, in Sydner numbers. We, in Sydney would like to see much mon of them as these boys can not fail to become Austra

lia's next top pop group.

Leonie Stora
Randwick, Sydner

# THE AMERICAN POP REVOLUTION

enough, English pop critics are raving about the American pop

resurrection. Groups whose acts, antics and music are said to be the greatest thing since running water have already claimed the allegiance of young Americans and the imagina-tions of the under-teen Britishers, and seem prepared to storm their way into another decade of Ameri-can dominated pop.

One can only guess at the origins of this new found invigoration. When one Australian female returned from a trip to America some three and a half years ago America was at its lowest ebb; the life seemed to have been sucked away; America had become more conscious of her world position and scious of her world position and her character suffered correspond-ingly. There was nothing left of the (gaudy) aggressiveness and grass-roots sentimentalism which characterized them for generations.

The pop output became maudlin and repetitious in its My Baby Done Left Me fashion. To this visitor it seemed as if America was now aware of her isolation as a power, had taken the world on her shoulders and was developing an American equivalent to Stiff Upper Lip, Establishment, respectability, etc.,

Britain by this time had quite visibly lost her role of responsible matriarch to half the world and retained neither influence or affluence. In the ferment that followed British West Britain produced ... need we name them all again? Whatever ailed America has evi-

dently now been extracted, because now there's a revival, and as the Mersey Sound was to the Beatles and their contemporaries, "Psy-chedelic" music, so-called, is to these fantastic new American groups.
Without delving now into the

misuse of the word or aiming at de-fining it in pop terms we'll say only that it affects you like all good music only moreso because its cal-

culated.

One of the leaders in Psychedelic music in America are the Monkees. Producers of an American TV show advertised in a trade paper for boys to form a group for a TV show. The show was about the fortunes and adventures of a group on their way to stardom. A song from the show, "Last Train to Clarkes-



ville" was released as a single and has become one of the biggest in American charts this year. Count Five, whose first record

"Psychotic Reaction" is selling big all over, call their brand of music "psychedelic" Under the influence of certain hallucinatory drugs, images, shapes and impressions occur which, if reproduced visibly, for the benefit

of the whole audience, heighten the effect of the music, make it a more total experience

Question Mark, lead singer of Question Mark and the Mysterians, joined the group one night at a night club. Not even the members of the group know his real name. He refuses to give details of his past and lives like a recluse. The mys-tery only adds of course to the im-pact of their current hit, "96 Tears".

Most of a group called "Love" come originally from Memphis and live in Los Angeles. These are the ones most raved about in compara-tively enlightened London circles, the ones most accepted by the

group, ex of straight rock, now mar-ried to harpsichords and similiar strings. "Walk Away Renee" sprinted to the top of American charts

for them.

Personally, I don't care much what sort of label they care to at-tach to their music or even if they stage it differently to achieve the desired effect. (A man is a dog's



Monkees

Gurus



Vhite Whales Turtles

### TIM ROONEY REPORTS

"Dances are not prominent in America and I am amazed at the number of discotheques there are in Australia. I must say they are really good and would love to see more of them in the States. Of

I asked him what it was like to be the son of a famous film star and he replied that his life was like most other people's lives — it had its ups and downs, but on the whole

friends, most of whom have parents

in show business. His early education was at the film studios but he went to a normal high school later on. "At first, the kids at school had a

# brothers and sisters".

# **FEW DANCES IN USA**

course, there are such places as Arthus, Sybil Burton's amous dis-cotheque, but these are for the richer kids"

He lives in Beverly Hills, Los Angeles, and has only a few close

they just treated me as one of the crowd. Although there are seven children in my family, Mickey Rooney Jnr is my only blood brother, all the others are step "My ambitions? - Well I hope

to become an actor, but I don't want to trade on my father's name. I have already made 12 films, in-cluding one for Walt Disney, also, I used to be one of the Musketeers, and when I get back to America, I start filming straight away for Warner Brothers"

"Most of my friends are not aware of Australia and imagine it as a country with small towns and kangaroos. So you can imagine my surprise when I saw how big it was! From what I have seen, I love it, and hope to come back sometime next year on a working holiday for

Left Banke

grudge against me, but later on.

# WALKER BROS. THE END?

the exciting, glamorous group who tour Australia in lanuary, are on the verge of

reaking up.
No-one is sure where or now the story started, but D.J.'s have recently echoed the report, until even the "Walkers" must be left wondering. Main point of contention seems to be Scott Engel, the voice of the group. Undoubtedly he gets more than his fair share of the limelight - his looks. personality and stage actions make him the biggest heartbreaker since Paul McCartney and form the drivingforce behind their biggest hits. His popularity is to the other two Walkers combined

Whereas John Maus and Gary Leeds get due credit as talented musicians and even as sex idols, it's Scott who is almost a god to his fans. The fan-mail is split anything but evenly Scott's pile makes him a postman's nightmare

said of a host of other top-Mick Jagger, line groups. Mick Jagger, Eric Burdon, Judy Durham and locally, Little Stevie and

"Johns", the affectionately

obstreperous butler who has

dusted, draped and deliver-

ed Bobby and Laurie on

Channel 2's "Dig We Must" for the past ten weeks, is

at the same time as Lynne Randell and will fly from there to London for work

When John Muirehead re-

turned to Australia after

will be in New York

leaving

in a new play.

Richard Schmeiszel

gled out as the basis of their group's popularity.

Yet this has not influenced them to turn exclusively solo. A stronger argument in favour of the Walker Brothers splitting is that off-stage, the group do not

After a concert when Scott walks into his own seclusion, the last persons he wants to mingle with are John and Gary But this is the complicated, lonely personality that makes Scott Walker. He is highly strung whose rigid standards as an able even to himself.

He talks only of music jazz mainly - and art. The other two are more obsessed with cars and life ir general. Because of this an act, they go their separate ways Success, however, has been too hard-won and they've been through far too much together for

to turn solo They've reached the elusive high in the teenage

he thought there would be

work galore, not anticipat

ing that there would be practically no current pro-ductions and even less

Froducer Barry Langford sought, for the replacement,

a specimen resembling the

absolute opposite of clean-shaven, dapper, controlled

manicured and pedicured

So next week I start in

Gold Record for Johnny

Young following his national success with "Caralyn" and

cording company H.M.V. and have signed with the Dayman label Sunshine Incidentally.

wonder why their manager Jeff Joseph has shifted into

Dayman's Melbourne office

um, who was with the John

Hawes band for seven years has now left them and is

reported to be forming his

owa brass group Belinda Alderton to leave Kommo-

Seems though quite a few of our big names on the pop scene will marry

within the next year. Head-

ing the GO-SET happiness list are Tony Barber and

Drummer Dave McCal

Wild Colon

"Step Back" Wile ials have left their

drawing-board for luv!

So it's back to the

**Doug Panther joins** 

"DIG WE MUST"



world and he's not about to throw it in. Scott has said he thinks the group has another two years as a top-selling pop drawcard. Unthe party for the Walker Brothers will go on

"Pretzel" Peck Cherokee's

guitarist Lindsay Morrison and "Dad You're A Square"

hostess Gloria Hutton, Kom

motion Sandra Turnball and

Rod Turvey, Graham "Garth" Thompson, Stran-

ger's drummer to Carol at the Lido, and why even Eileen and Mark are getting

married in January! Can't work out how John-

ny Young will be able to

compere GO! when he starts

his six week Australian tour

next month. Maybe we'll see a new compere . . .

Dig We Must well on the

way to becoming Australia'

SET's Doug Panther has

joined the Dig We Must cast

John Muirhead leaves for

the continent next month

"Butler"

top teenage show

as a caveman

## brisbane beat BOB 4BC Geoff, Tony, Bob

#### Escorts

The Escorts are back again in Brisbane playing the dance circuit and appear ing on Brisbane's local teen age TV shows. These boys would be one of the most-travelled groups in Australia and very talented - and yet still no record! Record Companies have been handing out contracts every-where — but not in the right direction - or so it seems.

It was the Battle of Amberley, and BC's boys played the R.A.A.F. boys at Amberley at . . . what was it? . . . that's it. cricket — amongst other things. The BC boys say they came out on top — but as it all happened at

### but, but, but

Of late, so many people have stated that to be able to sing is not one of the requisites of an aspiring pop star. Well, one thing for sure, you certainly don't have to be able to sing to get a turnultous welcome in Brisbane streets equal to that of the reception given the Beatles. But — and it's a very large "but" — you do need to have a wonderful

#### L.B.J. visit

Brisbane streets took twice as long as was scheduled due to the enthusiasts crowd which turned out to welcome him to the Sur shine state. To the chants of the Twilights' "We're with you all the way" and good old Australian "coo-ces" the President made his way to Lennons where he was to stop the night. If he would have been travelling in a yellow car, it could have been easily mistaken for "Yellow Submarine" as 1 was certainly submerged be was certainly submerged be-neath the people in some places up to forty deep. Maybe the Twilighters' re-cord won't be a Top 40 con-tender but it was certainly given quite an amount of airplay during the Presi tent's visit - even on the

### Ensy score

And in England - the Easybeats are scoring wildly with "Friday on My Mind". George and Stevi have prov-ed their writing ability and the sound they've obtained on their first English re-lease is just great. Watch out for it — it could be out late November. Meanwhile, here in Aussie-land, they've another No. 1 with "Sorry and "Funny Feelin'

L.B.J. arrived in Brisbane and the motorcade through

Amberley Air Base, it could have been only a "Mirage".

personality to appeal to the people — and this is exactly what President Johnson did.

## **Max Merrit**

# It does'nt take four policemen to control one little girl

#### The Police

They're never there when you want them, and when you don't want to see them they're invariably around What is really rough is the way they throw kids around at pop concerts — it doesn't really take four huge police to control one little I've seen policemen actually throw kids off the

### English groups v. American groups

Actually there are very few English groups that I like, because most of 'hem (and this includes the top groups) are copying American singers and vocal groups. and most of the time they do it poorly. Take an example — The Stones version of "Under The Broadwalk" you just can't compare it to the Drifters version. I think that the only time English groups shine is when they do original material, such as the Beatles. This isn't just a copy of American negroid music, but is becom-

ing more folky.

L.B.J.'s Visit Politically it is the best thing in the world he could have done. In America, he polls about 49% of the polls so in the next elections he'd be quite likely to go down. The worst thing he could do would be to keep campaigning for the local candidates America, so getting out

### for Johnson to act as he did. Teenage TY shows Teenage TV shows have a few things about them that bug me — mainly the lack of interest that producers

of the country was the best

thing he could do. Since the cold war demands that

America and its allies pre-

communist bloc, and since

Holt desperately needed vis-ible support for his stand on

Vietnam, politically it was wisest for both countries

take in them — they think that all they need are teenage idols there, and they don't worry about sloppy productions, etc. Another thing that bugs me about live TV shows is that half the time the mikes aren't on. They don't worry about who sings what part, and focus the camera on anybody! I think that the best teen TV show on at the moment is "It's All Happening".

#### Australian groups

I haven't seen many Australian groups working live I think that one of the best groups I've seen for ages is Python Lee Jackson. I have n't seen Ray Hoff and the Offbeats for a long time, but I've always been a great admirer of Ray.

Favourite dance gigs Small clubs like Sebas-tians and Pinnochio's are my drag the audience in on the

lavourite because you can



numbers in which we like to get the audience clapping and singing with us. can't do this in a big place with 1,500 kids, because no-one would hear. You find in small places people usuappreciate the music and this makes the atmos phere really tremendous. Also in small discotheques. etc., the sound is invariably much better. I think that the only big place I've enjoyed playing at we the Sydney Stadium.

#### Booze

Love it! Can't say any more, I'm off to the pub with Doug Panther!

#### Jazz and Blues

Right now, Jazz and blues are moving closer together In Sydney, jazz muso's who have been playing jazz for years, are coming down lis-tening to, and sitting with Blues groups.



their first record. Many Smith wrote all songs and stories on one side. This people are talking about stories on one side. This their "alpert sound and could be a good Christmas booked for shows past present for the young bro-Glad to hear the Harts are

yourself The Southern Gentlemen have been augmented to a nine piece band with two Kevin Smith of D Coys

## Adelaide

**Bev Harrell** Sydney to say things are all on Nov. 9th in hand for TV shows

appearances.

Bev put down two sides of her first disc last week The Wesley Three have and if the songs are the just released their third L.P. ones she promised to re-

release they will be GASS Lovable Brass (great name

on the

scene

Christmas.

Is the Big Band sound

coming back to dance halls? Well go to Princeton Club any Thursday or Saturday Burnside and hear for D-Coys

## now lead sing r

extra saxes and frombone. now lead singer with the Wow! this is the sound for the Cherokees and Alister brass is with the Wild Colornals. **Twilights** Card from the Twilights

says they're having a ball on board ship Laying on the sundecks and getting plenty bev Harrell writes from then they have been duestions?

Bev Harrell writes from when they hat Southampton young things are all on Nov 9th of suntan and after four

## Wesley Three

The Wesley Three have called The Wesley Three pre-Banjo (the singing rabbit) and Mister Thump. It is, of course for advisory for children and mister thump. It is, of course for advisory but watch the pronuncia-tion!!) have just given me news that they will be flying news that they will be flying to Sydney seen to put down of course, for children but has a wide appeal. Keith stories and

back in business with a new bass and guitar player. I heard the most surpris-ing news last week that

What happened belies

Y'4 report that they are going with it. Melbourne along with Vibrants and Clefs rating as the Top Three

The Twilights according to Paddy McArtney's wife Pat. will probably only spend 20 days in England. If they want to spend more time there, they will have to wait 'til February for the next

See you where the ACTION is.

BOB FRANCIS





"The Eusybeuts"

I am completely puzzled by number one, lack of new from the Easybeats in Exclaind. — number two pleasts in Explaind. — number

### Loved Ones

Unusual to think Normie's new record release co-incides with the date he travels to America to appear on the Australian Stand at too in Causada's After this, on the 8th November, Normie fless into America to meet Festiva Record executives, Fred Marks and Noel Brown, whom we hope by this Small accident to Gerry Humbries of the "Loved Ones". He was run down the Loved Ones". He was run down the humbries of the "Loved Ones". He was run down the humbries around swith doctors and humbries around the foreign the humbries are the foreign the humbries around the foreign the humbries are the foreign the humbries are the humbries around the foreign the humbries are the humbries ar

#### Johnny Young

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Crispian St. Peters

Playboys Leave
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More than make it at the sections of the critical section of the control of the c





## LYNNE RANDELL OFF TO U.S.A.

Last Friday, Australia's top female pop singer Lynne Randell flew out of Melbourne on her way to America. Accompanied by her manager Carol West, they will fly via Honolulu, making stopovers in Spain, Italy, France and England.

"The aim of this trip" said Carol "is not an attempt by Lynne to break into the American scene, but rather to introduce her to people from whom we have had offers of American tours.

If anything comes of these offers, then naturally we'll be returning there, but whatever happens Lynne will be coming back by December, as she is booked for a tour of New Zealand - I suppose you could say this is really an initiating trip. Also Lynne will be doing fashion promotions for Noleen King over there.

Ask Lynne why she is going over, and you get, "I'm going to see my grandmother who I haven't seen for twelve years. We're not telling her that we're coming, and we're just going to walk up to her house in Liverpool and say "Hello". Other things I'm looking forward to? Well, I want to buy David Garrick, and

#### watch movies on the plane' OFFERS

Why are Lynne and Carol going to America instead of England? "Well apart from the fact that the offers we received were from America, I definitely believe that the scene is shifting to America. At the moment, there is more money to be made in America, and the scene always shifts to where

the money is."
At 16, after singing profes-

# sionally for only 20 months

Lynne would be quite just fied in sitting back content edly. The story of her "d covery" while an apprentic hairdresser, by Carol West is now legend. Acknowledge as Australia's top female po singer, in her short care she has already collected the 3UZ sound awards in Aug ust, 1965, the "GO" show award also in 1965, and re cently was voted top femal Australian singer in GC SET's 1966 Pop Poll awards As well as this, Lynne ha the distinction of being the only girl singer whose re cords have always risen : high positions in the charts

We at GO-SET wish Lynns and Carol "Bon Voyage" and

## Scott Walker collapses



Scott Walker, of the Wal ker Brothers, collapsed in a dressing room at a television centre in London last week. Scott was given medical treatment and was later taken to his home. It was reported that he had taken some tablets to calm his nerves which upset him. He continued his tour later that evening.

## The Four Tops tops in Britain



The Four Tops have eached number one in the British Charts with their hit "Reach Out And I'll Be appeared at majo There". The Four Tops, a all over America. Detroit group, became pro-fessional when they won a weeks to reach number on talent contest and secured in England and was als an engagement at Cleve number one in America.

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## **Normie** writes to Go-Set LILY BRETT REPORTS

I received another letter from Normie last week. Dated the 19th of October. Normie said that the many reports of his homesickness were infuriating him . . don't see any reason why I shouldn't be homesick . . . I left my friends behind me. specially the kids. I miss

them you know!"

Normie went on to say
... "By the way, I'd like to thank everyone to do with GO-SET's Pop Poll. Thanks

to the people who voted for me . . . also I'd like to thank Billy Adams for accepting the award for me . . . please pass these thanks on." "I feel that fashions here

are not that far ahead of home . . . but boy, those mini skirts are so high!"
"The big thing for little money, is for the girls to wear sequins stuck to their

cheeks and just under their eyes!"
"Also lop-sided hairdo's



one side, long on the other, and hanging over one eye!" "I'll write again in a week or so, and tell you about the

Bye for now



## Crispian St. Peters permit trouble

Crispian St. Peters, due leave for America last Friday, was unable to leave as he had last minute cancellation of his working permit. This was because the

changed some of the dates migration authorities, how ever, another permit will be issued and Crispian will be leaving four days behind

## **KEITH TO QUIT BIRDS**

Strong rumors are circu-Strong rumors are circu-lating suggesting Keith Relf of the Yardbirds will leave the group due to illhealth. Keith 23, has suffered poor health for some years and

a punctured lung. However, a spokesman for the group denied the rumors and said that Keith would be going to America with the group next week for their tour with the Dick Clark package show which will last seven weeks.



## **Normie Rowe meets Spencer Davis Group**



A night on the tiles in London means a night under-ground. Deep below Lon-don's bustling Oxford Street is London's top teenage night

Called, of course, Tiles. It was in Tiles that Nor mie Rowe met one of Bri-tain's top pop combinations

- the Spencer David Group.
"I swore I would do two things when I left home", said Normie. "One was to try my hardest to make a

hit record and the other was to meet Spencer Davis.

The Spencer Davis Group pushed the Beatles from off the top of the British charts earlier this year with their hit "Keep on Running".

Two days after meeting Normie at Tiles, the Spencer Davis Group was filming at Finewood Studios. And Normie was invited to the Studios as their special

"I was shown over the entire studios", said Normie. "I even managed to look at the production of the new James Bond film "You Only Live Twice". It looks as though it's going to be the most spectacular of all the Bond films."

Normie is in London to

make records for the Polydor label. He has already cut several tracks and his first single is expected to be released early November.



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Edgel At the moment, John



The Mixtures have a new image! The mixtures have a new record, which looks like a hit for them! The Mixtures are on the way!

The Mixtures were for-The Mixtures were for-merly known as Terry Dean's backing group— something they never intend-ed becoming... says Laurie Arthers, "Twe always been a good friend of Terry's, and we had the same agent, therefore, we were posked therefore, we were booked for the same spots. After a while we found that we couldn't get away from this

backing group image, so we came to a mutual agreement with Terry, and decided that we wouldn't perform to-gether any more."

Their first record Koko Joe/I've Been Wrong came about quite by accident. The Mixtures were at the recording studios putting down so we put down two tracks of our own — E.M.I. was very impressed by these tracks, gave the Mixtures a contract, and released "Koko

Creech, Laurie Arthur and Creech, Laurie Arthur and Edgell James are all work-ing very hard to get away from the backing group image, and show people their versatility — musically speaking. "We don't stick to the same type of music, the same type of music, we play everything, though we do try to put our own distinctive mark on our music, through re-arrangement re-writing, or composing originals.

"While everyone else is busy making their groups

bigger in numbers, we're onger in indinotes, we're concentrating on getting a bigger sound. We've spent the past year not worrying about achieving a famous image, but working practicing and getting a name as a reliable punctual group, so that we now feel ready to concentrate on achieving fame." Their manager Brian Shipman added without malice, I feel sure: "Most people are really astounded at the sound the Mixtures achieve - only being a

three-piece group."

This was proved when the

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group played at the Thum-pin' Tum's first birthday celebrations they absolutely outshone themselves — a hard task, considering that the audience was composed of very harsh critics-men-bers of groups, managers

and disc jockeys All the Mixtures would like to say thanks to their fan club. "The most faithful fan club in the world". In case you want to join, the address

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GREG MARRS, Lake Ave Yallourn, Vic. Age 16. In-terests — pop music, mod clothes, tennis. Would like

JANICE BARRETT, 29

Normie, dancing, pop group. Would like p.p. anywhere

girl p.p. anywhere.

McArthur Street, Moorab-bin, Vic. Age 15' 2. 'Interests — dancing, swimming, Elvis, pop music Would like p.p. anywhere except Vic. JUDITH HEARNES, Royal Victoria Hotel Motel, Wan-garatta, Vic. Age 15. In-terests — m o d dancing, fashion. Would like p.p. anywhere.

KLAUS SCHOENHERR (male). D8756 Kahl/Main. Forststr. 6, West Germany. Age 18<sup>12</sup>: Interests — sport and pop music. Would like p.p. 14-17.

PATRICIA BARRETT, 29

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the rays.

2 Protect the skin with an oil based product or moisturising sun lotion. The difference is that oils gener-ally give a faster tan. They also stay effective longer than the creamy white kind. Lotions will give better protection against burning and have moisturising ingred tents that benefit the skin as well as protect it. There are exceptions though so read the labels. Whatever type you use - re-apply every few hours, or if swimming every time you come out of the water.

3 Of course different types of skin need different types of lotions. For instance, a very fair skin will need a preparation to encourage tanning whilst screening

An olive skin will only require a routine slosh of oil an onversion will only require a routine siosn of oil In between skins constitute the majority. Again, read the labels of the packages or ask a chemist. Backs tan faster than other parts of the body — for an even brown use a suntain encouraging oil for arms, legs, etc. and

slather an effective filter product to the back.

The temptation to get as brown as you can as fast as you can is irresistable. We don't wish to be clinical, but overtaining, which can damage the deep layers of skin, isn't healthy. Besides, a moderate brown looks

far better than a darker skin resembling leather Once you have acquired your suntan the best way to extend its life is to use no soap in the shower or bath The alternatives bath oil shower oil or a non-soap cleansing oil, are excellent for the preservation of any

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## The Python Lee **Jackson Sound**

sound is unique ... almost every member of the group a different musical background, blues, pop, jazz and the total sound is all their own, obviously R & B inspired it was probably best described by Sydney blues harpist and singer. Shane harpist and singer. Sname Duckham, who called it "a real powerhouse sound". They are one of the few groups on the scene whose electric organ has not taken over, leaving the rest of the band tagging along in the

Mick Lieber on lead guitar has just as much to say as David Bentley the organist (ex-the Id). Mick and Dave Montgomery are the two remaining original members

## rock soul music

Melbourne audiences who heard the group at the Thumping Tum during the groups recent trip south were impressed not only with the frantic wild sound of the Jacksons, but also with the sensitivity and the complexity of the group. Bentley's organ sound weaving in and out, the incredible succession of notes that the deadpan Mick Lieber's guitar threw out; the feeling wholeness about the sound. Another feature of the group is Malcolm Mc-Ghee's stage act, not only is he fine to listen to, but just

watching him move about is impressive.
The main influences on the group have been Wilson Pickett, B. B. King, The Buterfield Band, Elvis Presley, Booker T and the M.G.'s.

The group is "not trying to sound like negroes", the blues are inter-racial, in fact, the group doesn't even want to be called an R & B group. "R & B's become a much misused tag, more rock and

soul if anything".

According to Malcolm

McGhee, who has only recently joined the group from The Cherries, the Jackson Band is more orgamsed, more sophisticated and David Bentley feels that the group is more aggressive than the ID





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## TONY BARBER SHOT

More "Sutchy". The Az-tecs had moved into yet another hotel and "Sutchy" was in his room unpacking. he and Tony Barber were was ready and wait ing in his doorway. Suddenly "Sutchy" spun around and spat out "You hate me, don't you? I've known all along, well your time has come." What happened next was very fast. Sutchy drew a gun from his coat and aimed it straight at Tony's chest and fired three times Tony was shocked — so Tony was snocked — so shocked that he thought he had been shot and crumpled up into a lifeless heap. Sutchy then began to be worried, but soon Tony

rose, cursing and they went off shopping.

The hotel they were stay-ing at was the Southern Cross in Melbourne and as

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radio station.

they had been travelling all day, they went to bed early. At about 2 a.m., there was a blood curdling scream — not a thing to be seen, no dead body, no blood, no monster, just an empty hall-way. Enquiries were made in the morning — as sus-pected, it had been "Sutchy". He had crept into the hallway, carrying a portable loudspeaker and had let out a murderous scream waking a murderous scream waking up half the hotel. He then hid the loudspeaker and complained to the night porter who apologised profusely for the noise and saw Sutchy safely to bed.

J. Kramer and the Dakotas This tour took them to New Zealand. Apparently a strange place for audiences. The Aztecs were greeted by a reserved polite audience

The next tour arranged or the Aztecs was with Billy

show of the tour gave the audience something to remember them by! Aztecs were, at this stage, good friends with the Dakotas and they played jokes on each other frequently. While the Aztecs were on stage in this particular per-formance a shabbily dressed man wearing a huge hat shuffled on to the stage and proceeded to sweep with a gigantic broom. There was dust everywhere and to add to the confusion, one of the Dakotas walked across the stage with his head and body covered by an amplifier The audience had quiten-

who applauded them only

by quiet clapping. The last

ed down and the Aztecs were in the middle of a song. when a trap door opened in the centre of the stage - it was one of the Dakotas just in a white cloth and wearing a funny type of hat. On his shoulder he carried a broom. He saluted all the Aztecs and then slowly disappeared under the stage

After completing one tour with Heinz and Ray Colum-bus and the Invaders and a pantomime (mad) - they put out "Somewhere Over The Rainbow", which was their most successful record, and this was when the Aztecs broke up, each one to their own individual suc-

Bye, luv Pretzel.

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## 10 What was the title of his first record?

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7. How many gold awards has Normie won? 8. When was Normie born?
9. What is the name of Normie's Australian Re-

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1. When did Normie leave for England?....

2. What is his London agent's name?....

6. What is his backing group's name?...

in which Doris Day starred?

4. What is his manager's name?

cording company?

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## **Rolling Stones** obscene

I can't understand why The Federation of Commer cial Broadcasting banned the Troggs new record "I Can't Control Myself". I think it is utter rubbish for them to do so and I'd like to suggest a few things to them which would soon be banned. If they have to ban anything, why this record, as there have been so many records worse than this one

Take Billy Fury's early re-cords, which were so sug-gestive that it wasn't true, Stones? If you listen to th words on some of their records, I'm sure that many eyes would be popping in the Federation of C.B.! So wake up to yourselves — do not be prejudiced! Fed up Troglidyte,

## Are they ashamed of Brisbane?

I have been reading Go-Set since it first started up here and I think it's great except for one thing. Why is it that when **Brisbane** groups and singers make it big down there in Melbourne and Sydney, they become identi-fied as a Melbourne group ned as a Melbourne group or singer. To my way of thinking these groups are either ashamed of the fact that they come from Brisbane or someone doesn't realise just how much of Australia's talent comes from Brisbane. We've got a thriving music scene up here, especially when

comes to rhythm and blues and I think that ex-Brisbanites should be proud of the fact that they got their start in Brisbane, not Mel-

If anyone was to take the trouble to look, they'd see that a good percentage of Australia's top groups and singers come from Brisbane. e.g., Mike Furber, Billy Thorpe. Purple Hearts, The Five, to name a few! So come you Melbourneites, wake up to the fact that

Brisbane (of course)

way to go.

But Australia has the artists, "Easybeats, Allusions, Brisbane's a real swinging town with plenty of talent. Brisbanite,

## Australian groups not all that good

I believe I am signing my death warrant by writing this lette., however, I'd better clear up some points Go-Set readers have been asking and asking. For a start, wherever does Brenstart, wherever does Bren-don Cooke get the idea that records such as "Needle In A Haystack" ,"Early In The Morning" and "Everlovin" Man" are as good as those of the Beatles?

This is ridiculous to say the least. Listen to such tracks as "Dr. Roberts". "Your Bird Can Sing" and
"Tax Man" (just to name a
few) from the "Revolver"
L.P., and then listen to any record by any Australian artist, and it will be easily seen that Australia has still a long

Johnny Young and Ronnie Burns, etc., excluding Normie Rowe and a lot of others. How Normie Rowe ever got to the top is beyond me. As one critic sald — "if Normie Rowe doesn't succeed in London, then my faith in pop music will be

success to the early training

known musician who wanted something of a backdrop when his musical days were

had about 30,000 students.

nowadays, students a re studying harder than ever.

"They take it more seriously-than before", he said "This

is probably due to the in-tense interest shown in

music throughout the world

"They have suddenly realised that if they are

dedicated, big money can be made." At the school, nearly half the students learn the

guitar, the rest are divided

evenly among drums, saxa-

phone and piano.

However, Mr. Toppano said it was unwise to con-

centrate solely on the one instrument. "To be equip-

ten about so-called "com mercial" groups, sound, etc. take "commercial" mean singing for money and not singing just for the fun of it. Who doesn't sing for

records, didn't have engage ments, etc., they would be penniless. Everyone sings for money - who doesn't Just because one group makes more than anmoney? If such groups such as Purple Hearts (they're other, this doesn't mean the former is "commercial"

## **BEATLES JUST A PASSING FANCY**

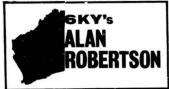
I suppose the "commer-cial" Beatles are a passing fancy, just "history"? As many people have said, their music is eternal. They've even had one of their records buried in a Time Capsule to be opened someting around 2800 — so don't let's hear anymore of this "com-

I see an Australian Pop Film is going to be made. I wish this venture every success with a word of warning.

the usual sloppy pop films Films such as those made by Elvis Presley, etc., are shocking and artificial to say the least. The script is usually poor and the acting is atrocious. The model film therefore, is "Help!" which theatre critics have acclaimed as one of the best omedies they've seen.

As a conclusion, I say Go-Go Go-Set and Go-Go to "Elenor Rigby" — the finest and greatest song ever. Side Liner

Innisfail, Nth. Quens.



## WEST COAST REPORT

#### But not all

Everyone in Western Australia's trying to get into the act — and if the ama-teurs don't stop overpro-moting, the act is going to get worse. When will certain groups and managers and other hangers on realise that there's barely room in W.A. for the reasonably good artists, without worry-ing about the also-rans. In Western Australia there's an unhealthy undercurrent at work, and although nobody talks about it much, every second group seems to think that a "fairy godmother" is suddenly going to appear from nowhere and make

them "big stars"! Let's face it fellas, half of you aren't good enough anyway — and unless you've got a few things like

genuine appeal, originality in material, a style and sound of your own, a smart manager, and a lot of good contacts to pull strings, you might as well forget it. I'm all for promoting Perth talent, but let's not rush it.

### Locals top three weeks

For three consecutive weeks, an Australian produced record has made No 1 m 6KY's West Coast 30 — Ronnie Burns made it, then was followed by the Twi-lights and the Loved Ones!

#### Cookie

For various diplomatic reasons I didn't talk to Colin Cook on my show when he was in town—sorry Colin. Good luck with future plans though!

Alan Robertson, 6KY

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Lou Toppano discusses guitars with Normie Rowe

ped for later years, it's a terrific advantage to be versatile," he said. "In this way you are assuring your-self a place in a group no matter what the current trend may be "You must be prepared to

work hard, very hard and at the same time keep up with the changes — never take the business too lightly and, of course, if you know you haven't the talent, don't take it too seriously — look around for another source

"There is tremendous scope for those who are really talented, but a great deal depends on the right breaks - even the top groups need a amount of luck.

"If you've made it fairly big in Australia, the thing to do is gain overseas expeience. "Give it a try, it's essential for your own satisfaction — if you don't you'll never know whether you could have made it.





For the jazz and blues enthusiast, there is a great lack of programmes in their field on television. Glance through the TV programme lists in any paper and hidden at the bottom of the list in the "Epilogue" area you will find listed "Jazz 625" on ABV 2 on Saturday nights at 10.40 p.m., and "Jazz Scene U.S.A." on ATV-0, Sunday, at 11.00 p.m.

"Jazz 625" is a British pro-

## feather on jazz

A series of 13 short weekly programmes called "Feather on Jazz", in which Leonard Feather, a recognised authority on jazz in America, speaks on the evolution of iazz in America. will be shown on the A.B.C. net-

It starts in Sydney

on the 9th of November at 10.45 p.m.; Melbourne on the 16th November at 10.40; Brishane on 30th November at 10.30 p.m.; South Austra-lia on the 7th December at 10.25; Western Australia on the 14th December at 10.30 and Hobart on 23rd Novem-

gramme which has as resi

dent compere. Steve Race.

and features different groups

and artists each week

Among those who have appeared are Mel Torme. Dave Brubeck, Oscar Peter-

son and Tubby Hayes -those to appear are Woody

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ending shortly, but there is

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Also on the same network, programme of the Modern Jazz Quartet, recorded at the Sydney Town Hall when they were over here in March shown in Sydney on 2nd November at 9.00 p.m.; Mel-bourne on 7th December at 9.35 p.m.: Queensland on 9th

November at 9.15 p.n.); South Australia on 23rd Nov ember at 9.40 p.m. and West Australia on 30th November at 9.40. This will be

ed by another M.J.Q. programme also from the Town Hall Sydney, to be shown in

## azz scene USA

"Jazz Scene U.S.A." is a programme compered by Oscar Brown Jnr. which features different guests each week. Among those who have appeared are Mark Murphy, Cannonball Adder-ley Sextet and Stan Kenton and those who we can look forward to seeing are Ben Pollack and The Jimmy Smith Trio on November 27th in Melbourne.

The programme manager of ATV-0 was asked if they had any plans for future pro

grammes on jazz but appar ently they are not contemplating anything in that line at the moment as they are enjoying great success with pop shows "Kommotion" and "GO" and allotted screen time is filled up with these

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Graham, etc.

## DANCE DOSSIER

#### "YOUNG WORLD", SHEPPARTON

Dance Capitai, "Young World" — Shepparton got together with GMV-6 last month to launch the coun-try's biggest "mod" dance competition which carries a first prize of \$100. To open the quest, GMV-6 produced snort film featuring ung World's" leading "Young World's" leading group "The Shantells", resi-dent Go-Go Girls, and chore

"Young World" realises the immensity of Go-Go and disco-style dancing, and is keeping Shepparton's dancing public ahead of the very latest at all times with its discotheque atmosphere. "Young World" is still maintaining the big dance look, something even the capital cities find it difficult to do.

This and the many unique features exclusive to "Young World" is the reason Shep maintains its following, but continues to attract new dancegoers from a wide

Provincial Australia's area. Promoter from the sponsored dance Bill Rayment says it is ver much "in" to be seen a "Young World", and a be prestige builder for any as lists or groups who perfor on its huge revolving stage As told by Jean McDon to COLIN JAME





the week

Folk-singing may be observed on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays at both the Colonial Inn (Danny Spooner, Gordon Melniyre, Margret Roadknight, Marg. Smitht; and Frank Tray-nor's (Margret Roadknight, Lenore Somerset, Martin Wynd ham-Read, David Lumodess etc.)

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page), so whatever you do, don't miss out. "THE EMERALDS" are arranging for a special bus to travel from Bendigo on this BIG night, so if our readers from this area have difficulty in finding tran-sport, please let me know. The same applies to any other district where transport presents a problem, contact me and we'll see what can be done. We don't want annone to miss out on seeing this fabulous arcist

in person. Anologies to our competition winners of recent weeks for not publishing their names. Congratula-tions to Lawrence Raymer (Shepparton) and Misses Beth and Jenny Lock (Bendigo) for winning our recent Y.M.C.A. contest. Also, a special mention to Louise Danfield (Corio) and Paul Rush (Ballarat) who sent excellent entries in to our "Yellow Submarine" competition and only just failed to win a prize.

Some country reports:

#### HAMILTON

A real treat is heading Hamilton way next Sunday (Nov. 6) when "The Cherokees" will feature at the bis Miss Yalunga International afternoon, to be held at the Wannen Reserve. This ap-pearance of "The Chero-kees" (stars of "Go!") will be just one of the many highlights of a terrific day. Don't miss it, Hamiltonians.

#### BALLARAT

Boy, have I stirred up the "Blues Inc." fans! Many irate "Blues" supporters irate rate "Blues" supporters have written in projest against the "exaggerated statements" made about "The Vogues". One letter, perhaps the most explosive of all, made very humorous reading. To quote: "They ("Blues Inc.") are certainly NOT versatile whoever told you that rubbish ur gently needs psychiatric treatment! They have played the same numbers week after week, year after year.

"For example, every week without fall they strike up "In The Middle Of An Island" which is so ancient and prehistoric that they

have to blow the dust and cobxebs off, as well as scrape the mould and scare the moths on the must manuscripts. By now, they should know it off by heard! As for their gorgeous, terrific sound — I've heard

better on Radio Auditions"

All I have to say in CON
CLUDING this subject is that anyone who can write like that, should have enough intelligence to sign

#### COHUNA

After big weeks with Bobby and Laurie, Johnny Young (who was so well received that Cohuna im-mediately booked him for a return in December) and Jade Hurley, dancegoers will have another big night next Saturday when excit ing young group "The Emer-alds" will appear, together with the ever - popular "Checkmates".

#### SHEPPARTON

The Swingin' "Quiet Vil-lage" disco is attracting more people every week to their Thursday and Sunday evenings when top pop groups are featured. Ben-digo's "Emeralds" will be there this Thursday. Friday is now jazz night, while Satis now jazz night, while Sat-urday is for "folkies". Soft lighting, a friendly warm atmosphere and the music YOU like. Not bad for just YOU like. Not bad for just 50c! Whilst on the Sheppar-ton scene, this week at "Young World" patrons can dance to Terry Dean and "The Mixtures"

#### ST. ARNAUD

Ballarat's top group "The Richochets" (ahem!) are making an effort to bring dancing back to this once popular dance centre. Most recent effort was last Satur-day, when an enthusiastic crowd had "a ball". Rumors are rife that Maryborough group "The Elois" are also planning to try their luck in St. Arnaud very soon. Their manager. Graham Lever (3CV dee-jay) tells me that they have a very large following in that area.

#### CHARLTON

Has only 2,000 population (NOT 3,000 as printed in an earlier edition), which makes their average attendance of over 500 even more complimentary to pro moter Vin Sait. This week' guest band is "The Free-ways" from Bendigo.

#### KYABRAM

Much embarrassment for the "3 To 1" recently, when I wrote that a Kyabram group amost lost a job due to an oversight by their manager. All I can say is that the band concerned was NOT "3 TO 1". Sorry fellers!

Speaking of managers, it's a thankless job which very few people should take on UNLESS they know what they're doing. In the country to the country that they're doing. they're doing. In the country, a good reputation is the best way of getting jobs, whilst in the city there are many tlet us be frank) "suckers" who will play for next to nothing while their "big deal" managers take all the credit — and money the credit — and money. Bands beware, make sure you know a person very well before you make him your manager.

Next week, we'll have news from Bailarat, Colac, Lorne, Morwell, Travalgon, etc. plus a very interesting biography, so order your copy of "Go-Set" right now! See 'ya.

#### COUNTRY DANCE DIARY

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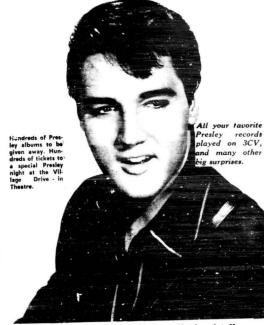
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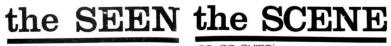
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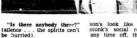






GRAHAM THOMPSON





"If anybody is listening, would you please identify yourself.

The glass moved a bit, then got confused and clammed up completely. So ended the last spiritualists meeting conduct ed by the Strangers.

Actually they were trying to extract prophetic informa-tion from the "spirits" — who can be particularly elu-sive if they want. This is done by means of a "out-ja" board (with letters of the alphabet arrayed on a flat alphabet arrayed on a flat smooth surface, a couple of convinced souls, and a slip-pery, inverted glass).

Naturally the source of in-formation cannot be scienti-fically proved but some "messages" are uncannily cor-rect. That's beside the point

When the Strangers, whose chedule makes Lyndon John-

son's look like a Trappist monk's social round, have any time off, this is their favorite pastime. If they're a delicate finger over the oui-ja board they can usually be found putting down tapes and backings for such people as Grantley Dee, Buddy Engling to the people of the Field Tenns and Terry Dean.

They have backed about Twenty on released records. They have also backed others too humorous to mention on records that have not been released.

Mostly they work at Bill Arinstrong's studios — and "Garth" can't remember any

"Garth" can't remember any other home. Perhaps the greatest pro-blem the Strangers face is that they have no gimmick. The whole four of them are This is best demon strated by their actions. Al-though they have been playing together for four years, (they date it from the start of the Dandenong bushfires) and are very accomplished musicians, they still take singing lessons.

The Strangers worked twenty-nine hours a day, fourteen days a week, four hundred and seventy two days last year. Anyway, they had a pretty rough time last year and it doesn't look like easing up any this year. easing up any this year.

Peter Robinson learned double bass from William Morton (of the Melbourne Morton (of the Melbourne Symphony Orchestra) for four of his twenty-one years, then became interested in guitar. He now has five guitars, including a Fender bass. He has played everything from Trad and Modern Jazz, to wild rock with the Thunderbirds, to the curren versatile style developed by

Graham ("Garth") Thomp-son, so-called because of his

muscular ear lobes, and part of a diploma in Graphic Arts. His hobbies, naturally enough, are Art and photography. He loves mod lazz because of the freedom of expression its fexible limits provide, and Spanish flamenca because he finds it simple. Spanish flamenca because he finds it simultaneously roman-

tic, soothing and exciting. John Farrar plays lead guitar and things the thweet-est falthetto. In music other than pop he applauds classi-cal guitarist Olmeido and revels in some light classical concertos. But to him too, the Beatle boys are the Barons

On rhythm guitar is twenty-year old Frederick ("The Great") Whelan. Fred had his own band before joining the Strangers and has been playing for six years.

To tell the truth, Fred is a To tell the truth, Fred is a chap one immediately suspects of having oddball hobbies . . . Fred tapes Good

shows!!! and loves Negro music and the "dark" sound in general, which is actually a very sensible hobby. Like Garth, his hobby interests lie mainly on the arry side and bies . . Fred tapes Goon water-colorist.

He loves any music "pro-viding it isn't weak and insipid,"

Although it makes me feel like Crusader Rabbit, I don't

like Crussier Rabbit, I don't think the Stranger's proises against record production in Australia should go tarregistered either. They fully agree with the complaints made by the the most overworked group in town. And yet they go unrecognized as one of the leaders, both talent wise and chartwise — we would like the most overworked group in town. And yet they go unrecognized as one of the leaders, both talent wise and chartwise — we would like in the leaders of the le time in the not-too-di



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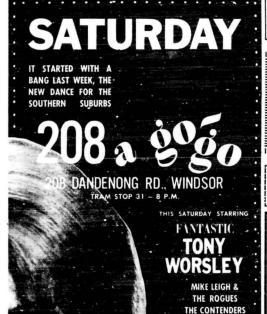
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