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MAMAS & PAPAS

Dunhill Records has filed suit in Los Angeles against three of the Mamas & Papas, charging them with "failure to live up to contractual agreements". Michelle, John and Denny have been named defendants in the action, which specifically excludes Mama Cass.

Cass has recorded "Dream A Little Dream Of Me" for Dunhill as a single artist

and is aparently fullfilling the requirments of her contract.

The Mamas & Papas have not recorded anything new for Dunhill in about a year. Their "Farewell To The Golden Era, Volume 2" is a compilation of old track. Dunhill admits owing back royalties to the group but maintains that the group owe the label new recordings. Dunhill has deposited an estimated \$250,000 in escrow, pending the outcome of the legal action.

Part of the suit centers around a 1965 agreement between the Mamas & Papas and Trousdale the privilege of assigning all rights on the group's material to Wingate Music, a subsidiary of Dunhill. The agreement was further amended in September, 1967, increasing the share of royalties for the Mamas & Papas.

The outcome of the suit is most contingent on the L.A. court's interpretation of the 1967 amendments to the 1965 agreement between the Mamas & Papas and



## HERMAN TO WED FRENCH GIRI

"I don't like the way pop stars behave - all that long hair, drugs and foolish clothes," Mirielle Strasser has reportedly said, "but Herman is quite different. A really nice and wonderful boy."

The young lady was talking about Herman of Herman and the Hermits, who happens to be the man she is marrying on November

Herman, whose real name is Peter Noone, announced at a press conference that he would wed Mirielle on his forthcoming birthday. Mirielle is the 22-year-old daughter of a wealthy French businessman from Strasburg. They met in France about four months

Proving that he is something of a traditionalist, even though he is a pop star, Peter supposedly proposed on one knee. They will be married in a Catholic church; he is Catholic, while Mirielle is Jewish.

Two leave Spencer Davis



It has been rumored for some time now that one or more members of the Spencer Davis Group would leave. Those rumors were confirmed in England a few days ago by Davis. At that time he reported that organist Eddie Hardin and drummer Pete York would in fact leave the group. York have been with the group since its inception.

Davis has been reported as saying: "Eddie and I didn't really agree over the musical policy of the group. The musical direction I wanted to move in didn't suit them." Many people close to the group felt that York would leave since he is essentially a jazz drummer.

Guitarist Ray Fenwick will remain with Spencer and though replacements have not as yet been named Spencer will reform the group with bass, drums, lead and rhythm guitars. Concerning the group's new musical policy Spencer has reportedly said: "I just want to play more heavy music like the old Spencer Davis Group."

In Detroit at the fifth game of the World Series they decided to do something different and have pop singer Jose Feliciano sing the National Anthem. Unfortunately, things did not work out as well as everyone expected. It seems that Jose did his own arrangement of the anthem which is somewhat slower and somewhat more soulful than the traditional.

For his efforts Jose received many boos from the over 53,000-plus fans present. Jose has reportedly said: "I was a little scared when I was asked to sing the Anthem. I was afraid that people would misconstrue it and say I'm making fun of it. But I'm not, it's the way

Apparently his meaning was misconstrued by most of those present. It is reported that Jose said: "America is young now, and I thought maybe the anthem could be revived now. This country has given me many opportunities. I owe everything I have to this country. I wanted to contribute something to this country, express my gratification for what it has done for me.'

Jose complained that he had some trouble with the lower notes when he tried the traditional arrangement, but "when I began singing it, the way I felt it should be sung, it expressed my love for this country and everything this country for and everything seemed all

Among those who liked Jose's version was TV announcer and former Yankee shortstop Tony Kubek. Tony was reported as having said: "I think he did one heckuva job. I've seen him before and he's one of the top folk guitarists in the country. I feel the youth of America has to be served and this is the type of music they want.

One women said that she was so outraged by the performance that she was going to write to her Senator.

Among the people who reacted favorably to Jose's rendition of the Star Spangled Banner was RCA Records. As we were going to press they announced that they were releasing a one-minute 55-second version by Jose. They were to be shipped out immediately.

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A few weeks ago in this column I complained about Sly & The Family Stone keeping their audience waiting for almost two hours without any explanation at the Electric Circus. Sly later explained to me that they had to wait for the right organ to arrive and that's why they were late. In any case, I told Sly that I would see the group perform at the Fillmore East, but that I hoped this time I wouldn't have to wait.

When I got into the cab to go downtown to the theater, I found out that Sly was already there. It turned out that the cab driver had just deposited Sly at the Fillmore.

Sly & The Family Stone certainly create excitement when they play. As Sly told me, he likes music that makes you "feel the spirit". That is exactly what his music does. It's joyous and fun, not heavy and blue. You just know that the group are having a good time on stage, for the feeling immediately catches on with the audience.

As they play members of the group "dance to the music" and the way they move underlines the good spirits. From start to finish Sly & The Family Stone keep up the pace with enthusiasm and spontaneity. They do rate as one of the best live acts in contemporary music.

Sorry to say that I was not as enchanted with Ten Years After who packed The Scene recently. The group are made up of good musicians, but they are too hung up on the blues. Although I enjoy the blues, I find that it gets monotonous unless it is being done by one of the greats like a Muddy Waters or Albert King.

Tim Hardin had people lined up around the block to see him at the Cafe Au Go Go on a recent Saturday night. Hardin sounded very good during his stint in the Greenwich Village spot. One night Marcello Mastroianni, Michael J. Pollard and Faye Dunaway dropped by to hear

> In November a new album by TRAFFIC will be released by United Artists Records. Have your record dealer reserve a copy for you now.

#### An experience that was worth waiting for him. Final sessions on Hardin's album are

upcoming Columbia scheduled for late November. The Jefferson Airplane were a

Loraine Alterman

supplement to the light show by Glenn McKay at the Whitney Museum in a special show in New York... The Steve Miller band have re-signed with Capitol Records... The next Mitch

Ryder single should move straight to the top of the pop and R'n'B charts... Lesley Gore is out on the speaking circuit for Citizens For Humphery

Blood. Sweat & Tears sold out their Boston dates at the Psychedelic Supermarket... October 18 the Four Seasons play at the Westbury Music Fair and the following night sees Dionne Warwick at the same spot on Long Island... Woody Allen, whose new Capitol album was just released, stars on Broadway in this own play "Play It Again Sam" this spring.

Tom Paxton is in concert at Philharmonic Hall in New York's Lincoln Center on November 1... Mary Hopkin just recorded 'Those Were The Days" in French, Italian and Russian... Dick Kallman's first Dot single is "Oldham County Line".

Truth are playing at the new East Side club, Earth, and will do a concert at the Bitter End on October 26. That concert is part of the Greenwich Village club's Saturday and Sunday rock matinees. Groups who wish to audition can call Steve Mislove at GR 5-7804 after nooand leave their names and phone numbers.

Reprise Records has signed The

Holy Mackerel... The new United Artists single from the Serendipity Singers features Nick Holmes singing lead. He also wrote the tune, "What Will We Do With The Child?". 1. The Downtown Tangiers Rockin' Rhythm 'n' Blues Band and the Kranis Consort were just on tour for the Electric Circus.





THE JEFFERSON AIRPLANE are now back in the United States after an extremely successful tour of Britain, which was highlighted by their performance (above) at one London's top night spots, The

Their outgoing style, the groovy light show plus the magnificent vocal work of Gracie Slick (something of a legend in Britain) and the irrepressible Marty Balin brought them tumultuous applause from the

If other visiting American groups show the same professional poise and expertise they are assured of a great welcome here in London as well as the rest of the British Isles.

critical S.R.D. London audience.

THE DOORS are likely to play more London concerts either late this year or early next en route for Amsterdam. When the group appeared there recently, Jim Morrison was ill and they promised to return as soon as possible.

JOHNNY CASH is to record a live album during his London Palladium' concert on October 27. Most of the dates on Cash's British tour are already sold out and agent Mervyn Conn is already negotiating a return visit next

THE SYMBOLS had to remain in England to plug their new single and

By 1 Richard Green

thereby had to postpone their projected American tour.

The revised date for the five-week visit was October 10, when the group began two weeks of concerts and college dates, followed by a three-week season in Las Vegas.

THE HUSBAND-AND-WIFE British songwriting team of Tony Hatch and Jackie Trent flew to Hollywood this menth to see Frank Sinatra, who is recording an entire album of their

Sinatra flew into London recently for meetings with the couple and Hatch has agreed to arrange and produce the sessions as well.

Sinatra's London visit took many people by surprise and his unexpected stop off at the Speakeasy - the "in" club for the show biz set - meant that many regulars were unable to get seats.

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## One Of The World's Top Ten Beauties

Lovely and talented Motown recording artist Barbara McNair was recently named one of the ten most beautiful women in the world by the International Society of Cosmetologists, making her the first pop singer to make their poll.

In addition to this honor the Negro beauty has recently achieved the status of "movie star". She is introduced as Lily in Cinerama Releasing Corporation's "If He Hollers, Let Him Go!," a color suspense drama written, directed, and produced by Charles Martin.

Back in Racine, Wisconsin, where she grew up, she won all the amateur school singing contests in the area – and nobody knows more about working for what you want than she.

She studied music at UCLA, but quit after a year because "college can teach you only so much about singing; soul can't be taught".

#### SOUL DATE AT NEW GARDEN

James Brown and troup will be performing at the new Madison Square Garden in New York on October 22. It will be Brown's first appearance at the new Garden. He will also be appearing in St. Louis, Indianapolis; Augusta, Georgia; Macon, Georgia; Miami, Tampa and Gainesville, Florida.

James will also be having a movie made about him by the United States Information Agency. Shooting will take place this month and the film will be shown throughout the world by the Agency. SJS films in New York have been authorized by the USIA to do the documentary.

"t be taught".

"Bobby" did much to establish Miss McNair as a recording star, and she moved on to the Broadway stage, replacing Diahann Carroll in "No Strings" and then starred in the national road company. She has appeared on almost every top variety show on TV; guest-starring on Dean Martin, Danny Kaye and Ed Sullivan

## TIM HARDIN — THE MAN WITH A VOICE IN CONTEMPORARY MUSIC

"My singing is much stronger now. I've got my health back." Tim Hardin, in New York City to play an engagement at the Cafe Au Go Go, was speaking of his music and his life.

Tim lives with his wife, Susan, and 19-month-old son, Damion, in a log house on 45 acres of wooded land near Woodstock, New York. He likes the rural life but, when not on tour, spends about two days per week in Manhattan.

He says: "I just come into town to take care of business matters. I can write any place, whenever I get an inspiration. Susan is responsible for a lot of my songs. She gives me the inspiration.

"When I write a song, I start with the words and then I sing at them. I improvise the music as I read the words as a poem, as I read the poem musically. I can't describe the direction my songs are heading. They're better, though. I'm writing better all the time. The poetry is better.

"When I'm home, I write and I like to spend a lot of time outside. We have a beautiful place there, meadows, woods, springs. . . 45 acres is a sizeable hunk."

Susan added: "The natural colors up there are warm. But, now that it's beginning to get a little colder, the colors are getting a little colder too. Right now, the wildflowers are blue, later on they'll be purple."

At 26, Tim Hardin is responsible for a good deal of contemporary music. Perhaps most notable among his compositions are "The Lady Came From Baltimore" and "If I Were A Carpenter". Tim has recorded them and they've been recorded by numerous other performers as well.

As far as his own tastes in musical listening go, Tim says: "I've never bothered much with records. I guess the only records I've ever bought were

By ALLAN DALE

by Ray Charles and I haven't bought any of them in a long time."

Tim had just returned from recordings sessions at Columbia's studio in Nashville. "Some of the songs I did down there may or may not be in the new album. We don't know yet.

"I think we got some good staff though. I feel good now and I think the sessions were good too.

"I find it easy to work the Go-Go. I think just about anybody would. My audiences there have been very good, just beautiful.

"The winter concert season has just started and I'll be out doing a lot of

touring this season. I've slways played the large metropolitan areas like Philadelphia, Boston, L.A., New York and Montreal.

"That's where I'm best known but I'll be doing many college concerts this season. I think the reception will be pretty much the same there as in the metropolitan areas. They have the same type of intelligence there and the same basic range of interests as in the cities. I think they'll come to see me.

"With the winter concert season starting up, I'll be working almost all the time. I've got one concert coming up at Hunter College in N.Y.C. but I don't know the exact date. My managers, Charlie Koppelman and Don Rubin, usually line all that up and then remind me a couple days before I go



#### ALL STAR BILL

The Teamsters Annual Charity Show in St. Louis will be host to one of the most valuable line-ups in show business. Top billing will go to Frank Sinatra. Among the other stars who will appearing with him are: Dean Martin, Nancy Sinatra, Ella Fitzgerald, Jack Jones, Alan King, The Fifth Dimension, Pat Henry, The Dunhills and Gail Martin.

The Benefit will be held in St. Louis' Fox Theatre and is expected to gross over \$60,000. The proceeds will be divided among the more than one dozen charities the Teamsters donate to each year. The show will be held on October 31 and is to be chaired by Harold J. Gibbons. Tickets prices are: \$250, \$100, \$50 and \$10.

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## DANDY DAN IS RIGHT— AGAIN!

unbroken. If you can remember way back to April you will also remember that Dan picked St. Louis and Detroit to win the pennant in their respective leagues. Then shortly before the World Series began Dan proclaimed to a disbelieving world that the Tigers would take the Series in seven games.

At first it seemed that Dan had finally goofed but as the days went by it became evident that Dan had done it again. This is not without its problems. Dan is constantly besieged by bookies, political party leaders and the mayor himself to forecast the



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Well it seems like Dan Daniel outcome of various races, the up streak of remarkable coming elections and New York's prognostications continues many strikes. Clearly pressure is mounting on this simple boy from Texas who is apparently gifted with occult powers.

> Will Dan's predictions for the football season prove as accurate? Unfortunately, we will have to wait till January to find out.

## tuned



## Chucker

"The Chucker" will arrive on Wednesday, October 23. The Chucker is in fact Chuck Browning and be sitting in for the 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. slot, Monday through Saturday.

Chuck is a native of Memphis, Tennessee, where his parents still live. After graduating from South Side High School, Chuck began his radio career. He worked as a Program Director in Memphis and Nashville. As a deejay he has worked in Philadelphia, Louisville, Indianapolis and Detroit.

Program Director Terrell L. Metheny, Jr., has said: "We at Radio WMCA consider ourselves extremely fortunate to be able to add the great talents of Chuck Browning to our already star-studded roster of personalities. New York area radio listeners are in for

So if you can be sure to catch the Chucker starting next Wednesday at 10 a.m.

## Meet Jack - King hops

Happy Jack Spector — the W.M.C.A. all-time Hop King will be host four record hops for all you wonderful people out there.

The first of the series will be at Our Lady of Snows Church, located at 258-15 80th Avenue. That's North Floral Park (we found out that it's in Nassau County), on October 19 at 8 p.m.

The next will be Our Lady of Grace at 6 p.m. on Sunday, October 27. The address there is Avenue W and East 2nd Street, Brooklyn.

Then on October 30 Jack will be at Linden High School in Linden, New Jersey.

The fourth site is Queen of Peace High School on November 1. Queen of Peace is in North Arlington, New Jersey, on Ridge Road.

So we hope that all of you nice folks in those areas will make it a point to drop in. We're sure that you will enjoy Jack and the music.

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Jack Spector received a like Jack's assistance in some of the latest records. call at WMCA this past getting some records and Sunday from a G.I. in tapes to play on the Army

Jack naturally agreed to station over there. They do all he could to get records explained to Jack that the and tapes over to Vietnam as

## Follow Your Lee Der



Hi on you my people! Well I've been running around a lot here in Fun City. I went to a really groovy party for the Credence Clearwater Revival and sat around on the floor of the City Squire Inn. Then I had lunch with Tom Dooley (Tom's got that great record "My Groovy Baby") and we talked about the problems of being a deejay. Tom's a deejay down in Louisville, Kentucky.

Then over the weekend I went to one of the greatest concerts I've ever seen. I saw lady soul - Miss Aretha Franklin. She was great, really great. And don't let me forget the fabulous Drifters, who were there, too.

The weekend was rather hectic. I went flying again (in a plane that is) up to Connecticut. First I stopped at New Haven and had a bacon and egg sandwich with a Coke. Then I went up to Hartford and stopped in for a couple of hamburgers and a Coke. The plane was a little show coming back to N.Y. but that was probably due to all the excess weight I was carrying after all those snacks. But I did make it back to the city just in time for dinner.

For all you lovely people who were combing the city for my black sock I just want to tell you I found it. It was in a book, maybe I had used it to keep my place some time. Mom always said I was sloppy.

I spoke to my Mom the other day, in fact she was the one who suggested that I look among my books for the sock. I told her I had a little cold and she said, of course, I had a cold because I never eat my vegetables or wear my rubbers when it rains. She recommended aspirin and chicken soup and said that she'd send me a bill for the consultation.

## Radio WMCA Famous

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- 1 THOSE WERE THE DAYS Mary Hopkin
- 8 MIDNIGHT CONFESSIONS Grass Roots
- 10 ELENORE Turtles
- 4 2 they JUDE Beatles
- 3 LITTLE GREEN APPLES O.C. Smith
- 15 FOOL FOR YOU Impressions
- 4 FIRE Crazy World Of Arthur Brown
- 8 5 I'VE GOT TO GET A MESSAGE TO YOU Bee Gees
- 9 A COURT OF LOVE Unifics
- 10 19 †LOVE CHILD – Supremes
- 7 TIME HAS COME TODAY Chambers Bros.
- 12 6 †OVER YOU – Union Gap
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- 14) 18 SUZIE Q — Credence Clearwater Revival
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- 21 23 BREAK YOUR PROMISE – Delfonics
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  - 27 †Sweet Blindness 5th Dimension
  - 28 My Special Angel Vogues
  - 29 Take Me For A Little While Vanilla Fudge

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- Pickin' Wild Mountain Berries Scott & Benson
- 32 Shame Shame Magic Lanterns
- 33 Keep On Lovin' Me Honey Marvin & Tammi
- Shake Shadows Of Knight
- 35 My Groovy Baby Tom Dooley
- 36 The Straight Life Bobby Goldsboro
- 37 Let's Make A Promise Peaches & Herb
- Goody Goody Gumdrops 1910 Fruit Gum Co.
- The Yard Went On Forever Richard Harris
- 40 I'm In A Different World — Four Tops
- 41 Listen To The Music The Second Time
- Both Sides Now The Johnsons
- Then You Can Tell Me Goodbye Eddy Arnold
- 44 Little Arrows – Leapy Lee
- †Peace Brother Peace Bill Medley
- Who's Making Love Johnny Taylor
- Stormy Classics IV
- Talkin' About My Baby Gloria Walker
- 50 Not Enough Indians Dean Martin
- 51 I Love How You Love Me Bobby Vinton
- 52 Bring It On Home To Me Eddie Floyd
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- 54 The Path Of Love John Cowsill
- Promises, Promises Dionne Warwick
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(3)	Fire
4.	Little Green Apples O.C. Smith – Columbia
5.	Midnight Confessions
6.	My Special Angel
7.	Girl Watcher
8.	I've Gotta Get A Message To You Bee Gees - Atco
9.	Over You Gary Puckett & Union Gap - Columbia
10.	Time Has Come Today
11.	Slip Away
12.	I Say A Little Prayer Aretha Franklin – Atlantic
13_	People Got To Be Free
(14)	Revolution
15.	Say It Loud
16	Suzie Q Credence Clearwater Revival – Fantasy
17.	Those Were The Days
(18)	Hush Deep Purple — Tetragrammaton Piece Of My Heart Big Brother & Holding Co. — Columbia
19.	Piece Of My Heart Big Brother & Holding Co Columbia
20.	On The Road Again
21.	Indian Reservation
23.	1-2-3 Red Light
24.	Elenore
25.	Light My Fire
26.	Shape Of Things To Come Max Frost & The Troupers - Tower
27.	The Snake Al Wilson - Soul City
28.	All Along The Watch Tower Jimi Hendrix Experience - Reprise
29.	The House That Jack Built Aretha Franklin — Atlantic
30.	Hey, Western Union Man Jerry Butler - Mercury
31.	In-A-Gadda-Da-Vida Iron Butterfly - Atco
32.	You're All I Need To Get By Marvin & Tammi - Tamla
33.	1 Met Her In Church Box Tops - Mala
34.	I Met Her In Church Box Tops — Mala Baby Come Back Equals — RCA
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(12)	Wheels Of Fire Cream - Atco
13.	Disraeli Gears
14.	Wild In The Streets
15.	By The Time I Get To Phoenix
16.	At Folsom Prison Johnny Cash — Columbia
17.	The Graduate Soundtrack - Columbia
(18)	Crazy World Of Arthur Brown Arthur Brown - Atlantic
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LINN COUNTY

interestingly enough there is a Linn County (the actual geographic county that is) in Kansas, Missouri, Iowa and Oregon but not in Illinois where the group called Linn County come from. The group are formerly of Chicago but now call San Francisco their home.

Francisco their home.

There is justice in the world, however, since the group met in Iowa and then went on to Chicago. The change in scene had a big effect on the group. They had all been used to a rural atmosphere and while they were fascinated by urban living they were also appalled by it. Though they had heard about poverty, crime and slums they had never met them face to face until they moved to Chicago.

Individually they are: Stephen Miller, organ and vocals; Fred Walker, guitar; Larry Easter, horns: Snake McAndrew, drums; and Dino Long, bass.

They cover all fields of music in their sound, playing anything including, rock, R'n'B, blues, country & western and jazz. According to their manager John Cabalka: "As far as music goes, they don't care where the roots are from. They'li go in any direction. In fact, they're musically capable of putting out a complete

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Steve Miller put it this way: "One can't really classify us in a specific category, or even in a couple of categories. Sometimes we'll think we have our sound figured out, but then it turns out that we really don't."

BABY COME BACK by THE EQUALS (RCA). The group presently have a hit here with the title song from this their U.S. debut album. Most everything on the album is obviously intended to be dance music and the rhythm line is consistently heavy. Two of the boys are from Jamaica and that influence can be heard, particularly on, "Police On My Back" and "Laurel And Hardy." For pure listening it is rather repetitious and monotonous, but if you just want to dance it's

fine.

DREAM A LITTLE DREAM by MAMA CASS (Dunhill). There are many people who felt that Cass Elliot WAS the Mamas & Papas; for those, this album could have been a boon. Too many special effects throughout the album detract somewhat from the fabulous talent of this great girl and her beautiful voice. When you take that voice and the musicians present into consideration of the end product it's fairly shocking. One would like to think that Cass and her chosen

you take that voice and the musicians present into consideration of the end product it's fairly shocking. One would like to think that Cass and her chosen musicians did their thing and went home, leaving the final product to the mercy of the pseudo-psychedelic fantasies of "producer" John Simon. The saving grace of "Dream A Little Dream" ultimately is the talent of Mama Cass.

ARLO by ARLO GUTHRIE (Reprise). It remains to be seen whether Arlo is as good a songwriter as his father Woody. He has followed in his father's footsteps in as much as he is topical as well as contemporary. As I see it Arlo's gift is humor, it separates him other folk singers of equal talent (though he does possess a fairly good voice). All numbers on the album were written by Guthrie, with the exception of "Try Me One More Time." The two cuts which are the funniest, in the tradition of "Alice's Restaurant", are "The Motorcycle Song" and "The Pause Of Mr. Claus." You will have to buy the album to hear the latter song since Arlo uses one or two "naughty" words.

200 M.P.H. by BILL COSBY (Warner Bros./7 Arts). This is Bill's last album on this label. Tetragrammaton. He leaves the world of children here and examines some of the foibles and follies of the adult sphere. There is little that you can say about Cosby – he is America's greatest story teller since Mark Twain. The album is superb and each cut a gem.

MR. BOJANGLES by JERRY JEFF WALKER (Atco). Somehow it is hard to call Jeff a folksinger — perhaps because his songs are so contemporary and yet so timeless. I think he would perfer to be known as a modern day minstrel. Although this is his first album some of you may be familiar with the title song which was released as a single. The only real fault I can find with the album is the over-instrumentation on several numbers. Jeff is a great talent, both as a songwriter and as a singer, as such he deserves our individed attention — at points in the album it is difficult to give him that attention.

DANIEL LANGDON



TOP 10:

HITCHCOCK RAILWAY b/w HI-HEEL SNEAKERS by JOSE FELICIANO (RCA). "Railway" is the moving sound complete with a Raelets-type background. The other side is a remake of the oldie and is receiving a good deal of play. It has been slowed down considerable from the original and Jose has given it a jazz flavor. LOVE CHILD by DIANA ROSS & THE SUPREMES (Motown). This record has just been released and already it is taking off. One sometimes thinks that the girls could make Handel's "Messiah" a top 10 record.

AUNT DORA'S LOVE SOUL SHACK by ARTHUR CONLEY (Atco). 'Arthur's management claims that "Arthur Conley Is Next" and he may well be with this one. Arthur was the protege of the late Otis Redding and we think Otis would be proud of this one. LES BICYCLETTES DE BELSIZE by ENGELBERT HUMPERDINCK (Parrot). This is a beautiful and rather sentimental sounding ballad for Engelbert. It may do very well indeed. WAY OVER THERE by EDWIN STARR (Gordy). A really groovy remake of the Snake Robinson hitfrom theyoung man of whom James Brown was reported to say: "He's the only young singer around who could take

my place." This record is a cut from Edwin's new album, "Soul Master." KEEP ON LOVIN' ME HONEY by MARVIN GAYE & TAMMI TERRELL (Tamla). Another potential giant from the Motown family. This record was barely out and it began to receive heavy play in major markets. FEELIN' ALRIGHT by TRAFFIC (United Artists). This is a funky thing by the English that incorporates honky-tonk, electric piano and jazz sa

OUTSIDE CHANCES:

BROTHERS by BOBBY HATFIELD(Verve). Brothers is a soulful number from Bobby, who was formerly one half of the Righteous Brothers. Both Bobby and Bill Righteous are on their own now and doing fairly well. SWEETE PEONY by BOBBIE GENTRY (Capitol). This appears to be the best style for Bobbie. It has a Louisiana cajun sound which fits Miss Gentry's sometimes sweet, sometimes raunchy voice. BITTER GREEN by GORDON LIGHTFOOT (United Artists). Gordon has achieved an international reputation among musicians as one of the best young song writers around. Perhaps he will gain some public recognition with this new single. WILLIE JEAN by THE SUNSHINE COMPANY (Liberty). This is a very different sound for the Sunshine and is slightly reminiscent of songs like "House Of The Risin' Sun."

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## **CHANGE:** THE BIG STEP FOR **GROUP**

The Buckinghams have effected major changes in their music and manner of playing since starting out two years ago. They are trying to indicate to the public that they have changed and they're trying to get some of the people at their record label to accept the fact that they've changed.

Speaking of this, The Buckinghams say: "Our biggest problem is that they don't want us to change. The public likes the change but they want to keep one image and work from there.

'They let us have about 85 per cent of the final say on our LP's but the singles are all 'money' as far as they're concerned. It's wild, we even have to fight for titles and covers on LP's.

'On our last album, we asked for a cover that would reflect the material in the grooves. What we originally got was a stock picture of ourselves against a white background.

'We pushed and they finally changed it. You can see the result on 'In One Ear And Gone Tomorrow'.'

The Buckinghams added that Columbia is, to their way of thinking, an excellent label with one of the best promotion staffs around.

They were recording a new single in New York recently. The sessions in the Columbia studio were long, running from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. The group generally prefer long sessions. Their projected title for the new single is "As Far As I Can See"

After leaving New York the group began a tour that will take them through Canada, Massachussets, Arkansas, Florida and New York.

Lynne Randell was born in Liverpool, England; a distinction she shares with several other performers you may know. However, when Lynne was five she moved to Australia where she grew up to become that continent's number one pop star.

She came to U.S. last year to tour with the Monkees, fell in love with the country (a rarity today), and came back to live here. Her home is now in Hollywood. Although Lynne has had many Australian hits, her first American single was recently released by Silvercloud, top arranger Ernie Freeman's label. This is a new company and Lynne is very proud that Freeman chose her to be one of its first artists.

Her first release is "The Right To Cry" a soulful ballad that is just right for her gutsy style. Most of her time is currently spent promoting the new single. She will be doing the Merv Griffin Show out of New York soon and sometime this month she will do the Joey Bishop show for an entire week. Next she starts work on an album.

Lynne is extremely attractive 18-years-old; very knowledgeable; and very definite in her opinions. She thinks the world of the Monkees with all of whom she is good friends. "They're all very talented in one area or another," she says. "People who put them down are prejudging them. They care about their work and what the people out front think, And that's

She feels very strongly that performers should be entertainers. When I go to see a group I want to be entertained. Over here most groups think that it's cool just to stand there and play. That's rubbish. They point out the Cream. They're great and they can get away with it - but how many Creams are there?

"In England groups can be musically together and still put on a show." She mentions The Who as a perfect example of this.

She calls Jimi Hendrix "an exceptional musical talent and a

great showman". The feeling is obviously mutual, for Hendrix whom she toured with - has praised her in several interviews.

Some of her other favorites are Tom Jones, "his concerts are unbelievably exciting"; Paul Jones, "the wasted talent of the industry"; Judy Collins, "has a pure virginal voice that makes every song sound as though it were being sung for the first time". Mary Hopkin has "that same pure quality, although her voice has a different sound".

She thinks the Small Faces are one of the best groups around, 'although people in this country judge them by 'Itchycoo Park' which was a complete put-on.

She is not a Janis Joplin fan. It's not her kind of sound, and she doesn't think the group are together enough. "I much prefer the Dusty Springfield sound, and I haven't seen Aretha Franklin yet, but I expect to be knocked out."

Lynne strives for perfection in every element of her own performances. "When you're playing to an audience that hasn't see you before, the walk-on is visually very important. I try to knock the people's eyes out. I usually wear a red velvet slack suit with very full legs that's a real mind blower.

"On the Monkees tour for example, I opened with 'Goin' Out Of My Head' which was a number one record for me in Australia. We have a great arrangement on this that really shows

me off. I followed that with 'Ciaou Baby' a slow bluesy song in an entirely different bag. Next came 'Heart' which starts very easily rhythmically and

builds and builds.

"I finished up with 'Shout'. People always tell me that it's a great number,



## ...now this gal plans to be

## No. One here!

but everyone does it. Sure, but not everyone does it well. The Isley Brothers, of course, were great on it, and I hope that I do it justice

"We do it as a big hand-clapping thing, with the audience really getting it on with us. Sometimes it would run for as long as fifteen minutes. That was a great way to end an act."

As far as the future is concerned, Lynne is concentrating on her career. "I don't even intend to think of marriage for a long, long time.

She will be doing clubs, where she will have to appeal to adult audiences. She did it in Australia, and she's sure she can do it here. Know something? If anyone can do it, Lynne Randell can.

PHIL FLAMM

## BUDDAH RUSHES 'ARCHIE' LP

Neil Bogart, general manager of Buddah Records, and Chappel A SPECIAL Music Special Projects director SONG FOR Arch Lustberg, jointly announce today the rush release of a Buddah LP featuring the Archie series of comic characters.

Chappel Music has under option a complete musical play based on the comic book characters, much in the manner of the current off-Broadway 'You're A Good Man, Charlie Brown' or the season-back version of "Li'l take off, he has written three more Abner". Chappel will issue the book, music and lyrics of the Archie show in a special folio.

showing the well-known characters, the mentioned to me earlier that he would LP and the folio can also be used by like to have another song like 'Mary In schools and theatre groups as a musical. The Morning' so I kept that in mind guideline for local productions of the show.

Bogart said that the Archie LP "will be done in the good, clean wholesome image of the Archie comic books, and will take full advantage of the 'bubble-gum sound' which Buddah Records has enjoyed such close association and enormous success'

Bogart said that the ideas had been developed in meetings with John Goldwater, president of Archie Comic Publications, Inc., over the past two

**AL MARTINO** Al Martino's latest record, "Wake

Up To Me Gentle", on the Capitol label, was written especially for him by Ken Mansfield, a Capitol executive.

Mansfield has written other songs before, but never felt they were good enough to show to anyone. Since "Wake Up To Me Gentle" has begun to songs for Capitol's Beechwood publishing subsidiary.

special folio.

Describing how he came to write the
Adorned by front-cover artwork song, Mansfield says: "Al had when I sat down to write 'Wake Up To Me Gentle'. It's the first time I've written anything really good in a song and now that it's hitting I'm writing more."

> Ken started out in the music business as a member of a group called the Town Criers. He was with them for two years before starting a folk club in San Diego. Called The Land Of Odin, the club was open for two years before Ken took a position with Capitol as promotion from the headquarters in Hollywood.



Kirk Douglas and Cass Elliot hosted a party for Donovan at Hollywood's famed Factory in honor of the latter's concert at the Hollywood Bowl, which was completely sold out.

Exclusive GO picture by ED CARAEFF.

# Sly Refuses to Dance to Music of a Different By LORAINE ALTERMAN Sly & The Family Stone cut short their British concert and promotion tour after they discovered to the promoter's office and rented the correct drums. The reason Sly & The Family Stone didn't bring The reason Sly & The Family Stone didn't bring

Sly & The Family Stone cut short their British concert and promotion tour after they discovered that the promoter expected them to dance to the music of different drums. In an exclusive interview, Sly Stone and his brother Freddie who is guitarist in the group explained why they didn't play any of their scheduled 14 dates.

"Two to three months before we went to England," Sly said, "we had signed contracts stating that the promotor would provide enough decent equipment for each of our musicians to be able to play the concerts. At the airport we found out that the promoter had not arranged for the organ, drums and amplifiers we needed. But, the promoter told us not to worry and that he was getting the equipment and everything would be outasite."

Their first two jobs were in Birmingham and when they got to the first place they were disappointed. Freddie said: "They had about one-quarter of what I usually use for amplifiers. I told them I'd settle for half, but they couldn't come up with it."

Sly continued: "So we didn't play. The promoter wanted me to go onstage and tell the audience why. I did and brought the whole band out also and the kids understood and left quietly.

"At the next place that night in Birmingham the promoter got violent and threatened to beat us up if we walked out. Well we wouldn't play and we left, but nothing happened."

As it turned out the group never got the proper equipment and so called off the tour. Freddie told us that he found out that the promoters had gone to the cheapest people they know to get the equipment.

Drummer Greg Errico ended up renting his own drums. Sly explained that the promoter claimed he couldn't locate drums similar to what Greg used in the States. But, Greg

The reason Sly & The Family Stone didn't bring everything over themselves was that it would have been very expensive and they were assured they could have what they wanted.

As Sly put it: "I thought there weren't as many jive promoters in England as here. But there are. It's just a different kind of jive. It has an accent. They thought that, once we got there and because we were young, we would be so glad to play that we would go ahead despite the equipment problem."

Instead of staying overseas for almost a month as originally planned, Sly & The Family Stone only remained in England for ten days. They did however do some press and radio interviews.

In another development during their stay the BBC banned them from its television show, "Top Of The Pops", because Sly's bassist, Larry Graham Jr., was arrested on a marijuana charge when they entered the country.

According to Sly, the customs man discovered marijuana in Larry's pocket which Larry didn't realize he was carrying. Larry was arrested, but after a few hours was released after paying a fine and promising never to do such a thing again.

Of the music scene there, Sly commented: "It seems to be a hipper music scene – well, not really hipper, but you find more R'n'B even among white acts. They play authentic R'n'B. They're not trying to play the blues, but they play now R'n'B."

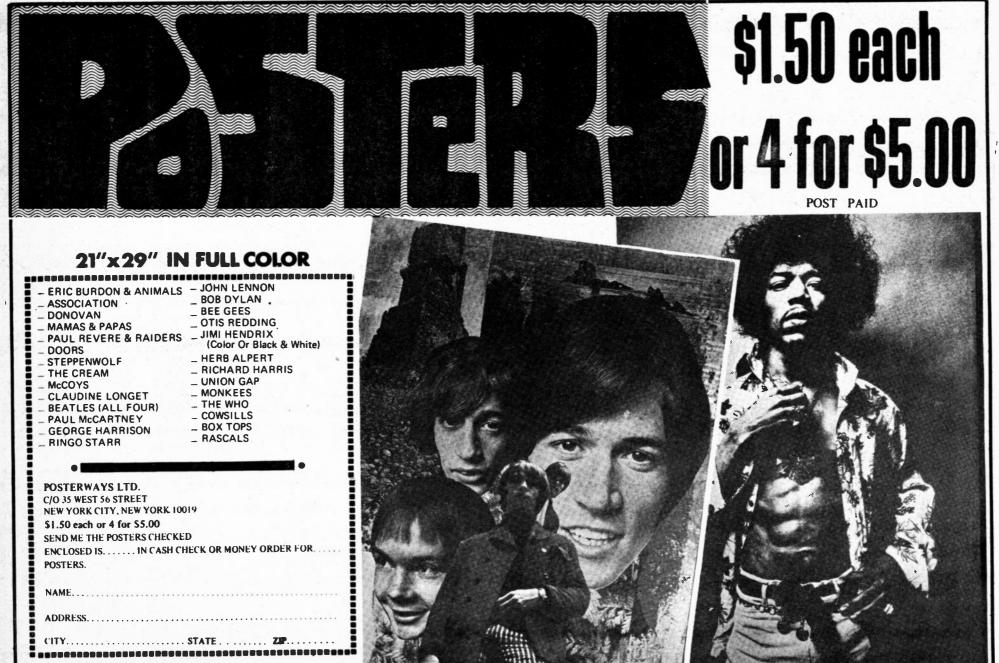
Plans are in the works for Sly & The Family Stone to return to Britain in February since the group want to go back. "But, if we go back again," Sly said, "we'll do it through another promoter. We'll either take out own equipment or else send our equipment manager over early to check out what they have provided."

The group's next single for Epic will be out soon and they're working on a new album. As Sly put it: "We're always working on a new album."

Right now Sly is very excited about a new prospect. "We may do a television thing, which would mean 13 weeks in a row of exposure on TV. And that is good!"



Coleen Lanza, eldest daughter of the late singing star Mario Lanza, has signed an exclusive recording contract we Merph Records, according to Murray Garrett, President of Merph. Her first single, "When We're Talked About Tomorrow", written by Lee Hazlewood, will be released through Hazlewood's LHI Records.



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