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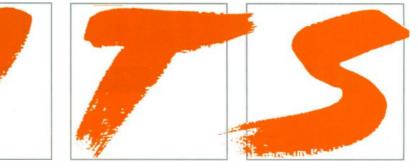
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POP Enya's "Time" is now at **MPS**, Backstreet is "Drowning" with **REQUESTS**, Reprise's Phil Costello says Enya's on first and Radio Think Tank's Ken Anthony is on second, talking spins until we get dizzy, while we're sick to our stomach after reading this week's always-nauseating **WAVELENGTH** column.

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ewly named EMI Recorded Music Vice Chairman David Munns came to L.A. this week and immediately sprung into action. The wellliked industry vet, handpicked by his ex-PolyGram boss Alain Levy as #2, made his presence known by moving Nancy Berry out at Virgin and meeting with other label officials. At the moment, Munns is Levy's handson guy for EMI's stateside music holdings, but he'd probably prefer singing the Andrew Lloyd Webber songbook to this HITS Contents appearance.



ON THE COVER Legendary Epic Records rocker Ozzy Osbourne bites the head off this HITS cover nod marking the #3 bow of his new album, "Down To Earth."

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album: ATOMIC track: LIPSTICK AND BRUISES

Gettin' Lit with huge first-week sales! Charting at #43 nationally, #6 at T'World, #17 at W'house. 300k shipped. Top 5 at WCYY; Top 10 at KWOD, KTBZ. Atomic spins at KFSD, 91X, WXRK, WUR. MTV2. *Kilborn* 10/31. Track featured in *Out Cold* and promos. *NY Post, LA Times*, CNN. Mgmt: Ruta Sepetys/SEG.

It's Superman! #1 at KMXP, KENZ,

WMGX. Top 5 at KZZO, WLIR, WBMX; Top 10 at WKQI, WQAL. Five alive at KIIS, KYSR, KHTS, WPU. Sales jump! MTV, VH1, MTV2. Headlining tour

10/26. Just performed at "The Concert For New York" 10/20. Oxygen, The

View. Track featured in Bandits. Mgmt:

FIVE FOR FIGHTING • AWARE/COL/CRG

Jim Grant/JGM.

ANGIE STONE • J RECORDS

album: AMERICA TOWN

track: SUPERMAN



COLDPLAY • NETTWERK/CAPITOL 7 IW 11 2W album: PARACHUTES



Chains and indies welcome Trouble as hot track boosts sales, including huge jumps at W'house, B'Buy. Top 10 at WXRV. Just added at Q101! Hot 'Play at KROQ, KYSR, WZZN, 91X, KFSD. MTV, VH1, MTV2. Radio dates in December. Mgmt: Dave Holmes, Phil Harvey/Nettwerk Mgmt.

SHAKIRA • EPIC

9 LW 9 2W 11 3W



album: LAUNDRY SERVICE track: WHEREVER, WHENEVER

Whenever is hot Wherever played, including KIIS, WBLI, WKTUI LP streets 11/13; shipping 500k! Top 10 at MTV, spinning at MTV2, also. Lots of press, including Time cover, Elle, Glamour, Vanity Fair. Leno. TRL, Rosie, Mad TV next month. Int'l Pepsi campaign. Mgmt: Freddy DeMann/DeMann Ent.

THE CALLING . RCA

LW 8 2W 9 3W album: CAMINO PALMERO

track: WHEREVER YOU WILL GO

Added at MTV! PoMo, Modern Adult and Rock all ready and Willing! #1 at KKMR, KRZZ! Top 5 at WUR, KCNL. Top 10 at KYSR, KYKY. Spinning big at KALC, KRSK. Hot at T'World. Tour w/Lifehouse, Michelle Branch through November, then headlining dates. *Leno* upcoming. Mgmt: Brigette Barr, Stuart Sobol/Spivak/Sobol Ent.

KITTLE • ARTEMIS

10 LW 10 2W 16 3W



DEBUT 11 LW

album: ORACLE track: WHAT I ALWAYS WANTED Video added at MTV! Female rock trio

Viaeo aadea at MIV! Female rock trio Wanted at Radio, with adds at KEDJ, WZPC. Hot spins at WAAF, KTEG, WLZR, KROX, KXTE. Follow-up to Gold debut streets 11/13; shipping 500k. Promo tour this month. Opening for Hole in L.A. this week. MTV's *The Rock Show* 11/13. *Spin, R. Stone*. Mgmt: Dave Lander/KMA Enterprises.

DILATED PEOPLES • CAPITOL

album: EXPANSION TEAM track: WORST COMES TO WORST

Sophomore LP streets at presstime, shipping 125k+1 Already heating up at KPWR, WPHI, WPGC, WFUN, ahead of 11/5 impact date. BET, MTV2 Handpicked. Tour begins mid-Nov. Details feature, Source, LA Times review, CMJ cover. BET Rap City next week, hosting MTV2's Hip Hop Hour 11/14. Mgmt: Dan Dalton/Word Of Mouth Ent.

Radio/video action

album: MAHOGANY SOUL track: BROTHA

Radio/video action building buzz for J Records debut, streeting 11/6; shipping 300k. Urban radio definitely Brotha's keeper. #1 spins at WGPR. Top 5 at WHUR; Top 10 at WPGC, WDMK. Hot spins at KJUH, WERQ, WHQT, more. Solid at BET. 106th & Park 11/5. Promo tour next month. Mgmt: Breyon Prescott/Chameleon Ent.

THE STROKES • RCA





album: IS THIS IT track: LAST NITE

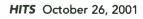
Making it Last, with adds at WLR, WMFS, WKRL. Big spins at KFSD, 91X, KITS, Q101, CIMX, more. Spinning at KROQ, KWOD, WXRT. #30 at T'World. Jumps at W'house, B'Buy, NRM. MTV Buzzworthy.com. On headlining tour now. Conan 12/1. Vanity Fair, Time, Newsweek, Rolling Stone, NY Daily News. Mgmt: Ryan Gentiles/Wiz Kid Mgmt.

PETE YORN • COLUMBIA/CRG



album: MUSICFORTHE... track: FOR NANCY/LIFE

Mod. Adult and PoMo's flight of "Nancy" with adds at WZZN, WEDG, WOCL. Spinning big at KROQ, KFSD, KNDD, WBCN. MTV Buzzworthy.com, MTV2. Lotsa "Life" at WXRT, KMTT, KXST, WBOS. Headlining tour 11/1. Taping HBO's Reverb 10/24, Teen People. Mgmt: Rick Yorn and Dan Field/AMG.





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PUDDLE OF MUDD • FLAWLESS/GEFFEN/INTERSCOPE



album: COME CLEAN track: BLURRY

Second single Top 5 Most Added at PoMo including KDGE, KCXX, WMRQ! New single Top 10 at KROQ, KFSD, more. Big at WXRK, KITS, Q101, KNRK. LP certified Gold! Cleaning up at chains and indies. Huge at B'Buy, Target, M'land, W'house. "Control" added at VH1! Headlining tour begins 10/18, then w/Mesh. Mgmt: Bill McGathy/Indegoot Mgmt.



album: BLEED AMERICAN track: THE MIDDLE

JIMMY EAT WORLD • DREAMWORKS

Hot new single from World-class rockers reigniting sales. The Mid drifting on to PoMo, with adds at WHFS, KPNT, WEDG. #1 at KFSD. Top 10 at KEDJ. Big at 91X, WOXY, more. Video just completed. Touring w/Weezer, Tenacious D 11/13-11/30. Then w/Blink-182. Mgmt: Gary Gersh, John Silva.

FLICKERSTICK • 226/EPIC



album: LOVE, SHELBY track: WALL IN YOUR HEART

Radio opening its Heart for track by 2001 Best New Artist Grammy winner. Hot spins at WALK, WITM, WHUD, KILC, WASH. LP streets 11/13; shipping 150k+. Track featured in *Shallow Hal.* U.S. tour starts 11/2, including KCRW show 11/9 at Wiltern Theater. *Letterman* 11/20. *Vanity Fair.* Mgmt: Elizabeth Jordan/She Knows Mgmt.



album: WELCOMING HOME... track: BEAUTIFUL

WMFS Welcomes track with add! PoMo 'Stick-in to it. Top 10 spins at KDGE. Spinning big at WLIR, WXDX, WPLY, WCYY, WZZN, WOCL, too. LP streets 11/6; shipping 150k. Finishing up S.E. dates. National tour kicks off 10/26. Mgmt: Paul Bassman/Bassmanagement.

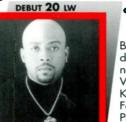
DUNGEON FAMILY • ARISTA



album: EVEN IN DARKNESS track: TRANS D.F. EXPRESS

Hot Fam! Added at BET! Hip-hop homies, including OutKast, Goodie Mob, producers Organized Noize, others, collaborate for LP, streeting 11/20; shipping 400k+. X-over Transmitting spins in the mix at KKBT, WHTA, KBMB, KBXX, WVEE, more. 106th & Park, DFX, Rap City upcoming. Source, XXL, Vibe. Mgmt: Blue Williams/Family Tree Ent.

NATE DOGG • ELEKTRA/EEG



album: MUSIC AND ME track: | GOT LOVE

Buzz building for hip-hop chorus king's debut LP; streets 12/4. Love-ly track spinning big at Rhythm Xover, breaking on the West Coast. Top 5 at KBMB. Hot at KPWR, KMEL, KUBE, WQHT, Z90. Remix features Fabolous, Kurupt and newcomer B.R.E.T.T. Promo tour through mid-Nov. Vid in post. Mgmt: Rod McGrew.



album: NEW YORK, NEW YORK track: GOLD

Whiskeytown frontman's sophomore solo set building from 9/25 release. Adult PoMo taking a bite out of Big Apple. #1 spins at KGSR. Top 5 at WXRV, WBOS, KXST, more. Big at WXRT, WEQX. Gold-en spins at MTV, VH1, MTV2 Blowtorch. Club dates. *R. Stone, Spin, Blender, Esquire* features. Mgmt: Frank Callari/FCC Mgmt.

SHELBY LYNNE • ISLAND/IDJ



album: HOOBASTANK track: CRAWLING IN THE DARK

PoMo sees the light with DarkI Top 10 at WXRK, WAQZ, WMFS, KEDJ. Spins 'Stanking up KROQ, WFNX, WHFS. Buzz building for LP's 11/20 street date; shipping 125k+. Shooting video now. Out now with Live, then Lost Prophets/Handsome Devil. *Guitar, Blender, Revolver.* Mgmt: Bret Bair/Bret Bair Mgmt.

A REMY ZERO • ELEKTRA/EEG



album: THE GOLDEN HUM track: SAVE ME

Golden rules, with #1 spins at WOXY! Top 10 WWDC, KFSD. Saveory spins at KROQ, WLIR, WBCN, Q101. One of Amazon's "Best Albums." On tour w/Travis now; tour with Pete Yorn 11/1. Track is theme to WB's Smallville. Guitar World, Alt. Press, LA Times, CMJ, USA Today, Request, LA Weekly. Mgmt: Doug Buttleman Mgmt.

5 SOIL • J RECORDS



album: SCARS track: HALO

Active Rock Scarred for life, with Top 10 spins at KIOZ, WJRR, WCCC. Spinning strong at WAAF, WXDX, KUFO. Sales heating up at T'World! Headlining dates now, then Merry Mayhem tour w/Ozzy Osbourne 10/31-12/6. Revolver, Guitar World, Metal Edge, Blender, Hit Parader. Mgmt: Larry Mazer/Ent. Services Ltd. and Peter Tsiolis/Zoid Ent.

TILE POWER PERCENT

			ARTIST	COMMENT	LABEL	INDEX	CHANGE
DEI	BUT	1	GOD BLESS AMERICA	VARIOUS Patriotic compilation	Columbia/CRG 86300	186.1	—
3	2	2	ENYA	DAY WITHOUT RAIN "Only Time" on radio and video	Reprise 47426	174.5	+8%
DEI	BUT	3	OZZY OSBOURNE	DOWN TO EARTH "Get's Me Through," fans, press	Epïc 63580	154.1	_
1	1	4	JA RULE	PAIN IS LOVE "Livin' It Up" #1 MTV	Murder Inc./IDJ 586437	150.9	-34%
4	4	5	NICKELBACK	SILVER SIDE UP Touring through end Oct, "How You	RoadRunner/IDJ 618485	130.0	+10%
7	7	6	LINKIN PARK	HYBRID THEORY Starting Family Values tour	Warner Bros. 47755	113.1	+9%
2	5	7	JAY-Z	BLUEPRINT "Girls" up now, and touring	Roc-A-Fella/IDJ 586396	109.3	-1%
6	6	8	TOTALLY HITS 4	VARIOUS 112, Usher, Eve 6, Dido, LFO + mor	Arista 14722 e	107.2	-2%
8	8	9	USHER	8701 "U Got It Bad" the new cut, VH1 no	Arista 14715	104.8	+6%
5	9	10	ALICIA KEYS	SONGS IN A MINOR "A Woman's Worth" added MTV, VH	J Records 20002	87.8	-8%
-	3	11	BUBBA SPARXXX	DARK DAYS, BRIGHT "Ugly" the song , from Timbaland ca	BC/Interscope 493124	81.3	-47%
DE	BUT	12	ANDREA BOCELLI	CIELI DI TOSCANA Opera and Italian standards	Philips 580341	79.7	-
DE	BUT	13	JOHN MELLENCAMP	CUTTIN HEADS TV exposure (w/India, Trisha)	Columbia/CRG 85098	76.9	-
12	10	14	SYSTEM OF A DOWN	TOXICITY "Chop Suey" hot	American/Col/CRG 8605	9 76.0	0%
9	11	15	P.O.D.	SATELLITE "Alive" (Buzzworthy.com), TRL still,c	Atlantic/Atl G 83475	69.8	-7%
10	12	16	STAIND	BREAK THE CYCLE "Fade" and starting the Family Value	Flip/Elektra/EEG 62626	66.4	-5%
14	15	17	MARY J. BLIGE	NO MORE DRAMA "Family Affair" produced by Dre	MCA 112616	60.5	-4%
-	13	18	CHARLOTTE CHURCH	ENCHANTMENT Standards, lots ot TV performances	Columbia/CRG 89710	59.1	-12%
15	14	19	NOW VOL. 7	VARIOUS Janet, Destiny's, M. Moore, Nelly & I	Virgin 10749 ^{more}	56.9	-10%
26	27	20	AALIYAH	AALIYAH "RockThe Boat" added VH1	Blackground 10729	56.6	+30%
17	16	21	NSYNC	CELEBRITY "Gone" the single now	Jive 41758	53.5	-8%
16	17	22	JENNIFER LOPEZ	J.LO "I'm Real" selling LP	Epic 85965	49.2	-13%
18	20	23	DIANA KRALL	LOOK OF LOVE Conan O'Brien Show, jazz superstar	Verve 549849	48.3	0%
22	18	24	O BROTHER, WHERE ART	SOUNDTRACK Continues to gain more believers	Mercury/IDJ 170069	46.5	-9%
DE	BUT	25	MR. CHEEKS	JOHN P. KELLY Member of Lost Boys, "Lights"	Universal 014929	46.4	- 11

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			ARTIST	TITLE COMMENT		POWER INDEX	PERCENT
27	23	26	PUDDLE OF MUDD	COME CLEAN "Blurry" starting, touring	Flaw/Gef/Interscope 493074	4 45.9	0%
25	22	27	NELLY FURTADO	WHOA NELLY "Turn Out The Light" hot	DreamWorks 450217	45.0	-2%
19	24	28	FABOLOUS	GHETTO FABOLOUS "Can't Deny It" featuring Nate Dogg	DS/Elektra/EEG 62679	44.2	-3%
23	26	29	ALIEN ANT FARM	ANTHOLOGY "Movies" starting	NN/DreamWorks 450293	43.5	0%
13	19	30	ELTON JOHN	SONGS FROM THE WEST "I Want Love," with R. Downey in vice		43.2	-12%
DEE	BUT	31	ON THE LINE	SOUNDTRACK Nsync, Vit C, Britney, BB Mak & more	Jive 41762	42.8	_
20	28	32	MAXWELL	NOW Touring with Res	Columbia/CRG 67136	42.2	0%
24	29	33	TOBY KEITH	PULL MY CHAIN "I'm Just Talkin' About" hot Counti	DW Nashville 450297	40.3	-2%
DEE	BUT	34	NEW ORDER	GET READY First new LP since '95	Reprise 89621	39.4	-
31	32	35	MACY GRAY	THE ID Touring, "Sweet Baby," Rosie O'Doni	Epic 85200 nell	37.9	+3%
21	30	36	MARTINA MCBRIDE	GREATEST HITS Country superstar	RCA Nashville 67012	37.7	-5%
11	21	37	GARBAGE	BEAUTIFULGARBAGE On tour with U2	Almo/Interscope 49311	5 35.6	-25%
50	35	38	TRAINING DAY	SOUNDTRACK #3 movie, Nelly #1 the cut	Priority/Capitol 50213	34.8	+1%
39	34	39	SUM 41	ALL KILLER NO FILLER "In Too Deep" and touring	Island/IDJ 548662	33.1	-8%
36	36	40	DISTURBED	SICKNESS "Down With the Sickness" & tour	Giant 24738	32.4	-1%
28	31	41	GORILLAZ	GORILLAZ "19-2000" starting at PoMo radio	Parlophone/Virgin 33748	31.5	-19%
40	38	42	DESTINY'S CHILD	SURVIVOR "Emotion" still hot	Columbia/CRG 61063	31.4	+1%
DEE	BUT	43	LIT	ATOMIC "Lipstick and Bruises" the song here	Dirty Martini/RCA 68086	30.9	-
30	33	44	AFROMAN	GOOD TIMES On the Smoke Out tour	Universal 014979	29.3	-19%
DEE	BUT	45	GREG STREET	6 O'CLOCK VOL. 1 Souther DJ,/Feat Mystikal, Two Short	Atlantic/Atl G 83348	27.0	-
48	44	46	GINUWINE	DIFFERENCES "Differences" still the cut	Epic 69598	26.9	+1%
33	41	47	BRIAN MCKNIGHT	SUPERHERO On tour, "Love Of My Life" the cut	Motown 014743	26.5	-11%
-	45	48	U2	ALL THAT YOU CAN'T "Stuck In" and still touring	Interscope 524653	26.3	0%
-	47	49	MICHELLE BRANCH	SPIRIT ROOM Touring w/ Lifehouse, Jude 'til 12/11	Maverick 47985	24.6	+1%
DEE	BUT	50	GERALD LEVERT	GERALD'S WORLD "Made To Love Ya" the track here	Elektra/EEG 62655	24.2	-





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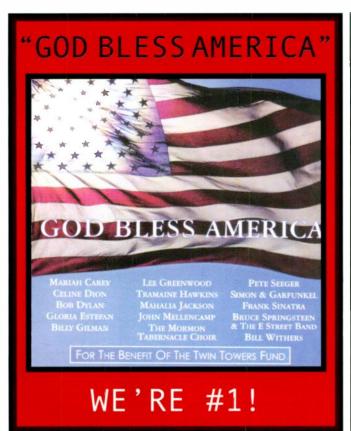
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Enya's Rain Goes Up and Ozzy Moves the Earth, but This Week... AMERICA IS BEAUTIFUL





The adds this week at VH1 are Lenny Kravitz (Virgin), Alicia Keys (J Records), Aaliyah (Blackground), Smash Mouth (Interscope), Natalie Merchant (Elektra/EEG), Usher (Arista) and Puddle of Mudd (Flawless/Geffen). Lenny Kravitz is the Artist of the Month. othing proclaims that America is the greatest country on earth like a year-old album from an Irish New Age singer or a new metal disc from a British expatriate. Nothing except, perhaps, a collection of superstars singing songs celebrating the greatest country on earth.



Enya

Which is why Columbia's "God Bless America"—with Celine Dion, John Mellencamp, Bruce Springsteen, Simon & Garfunkel, Mariah Carey and more—debuts at the top of HITS album chart this week. Reprise's Enya keeps gaining to land at #2, and Ozzy Osbourne's new Epic set bows at #3.

Here's Wherehouse's Bob Bell, explaining why Americans who love America love "God Bless America": "It's no surprise that the 'God Bless America' LP, as the first of the high-profile benefit records to come out, shows an enormous outpouring of support for the cause." And by outpouring, he obviously means people doing their patriotic duty and spending their tax rebates.

But wait, there's more of this kind of insight—precisely the kind of insight that makes us proud to be Americans: "This Enya record has been a true phenomenon. The sustained selling power is amazing, in that after nearly a year in the streets, sales are still increasing. And then there's Ozzy. Ozzy rules!" Then Bell went out behind the gym to smoke with the other heshers.

Other Top 20 debuts come from opera singer Andrea Bocelli (Philips) at #12 and great patriot John Mellencamp (Columbia) at #13.

It's also evident that rock is back. Nickelback, in fact. Gains by the Roadrunner/IDJ band and Warner Bros.' Linkin Park (10% and 9%,

Nickelback



respectively) show the love of God and country and guitars. **Arista's Usher** continues to grow as well.

Look for a shakeup in the Top 10 and beyond next week, with DMX, Incubus, Bush, C-Murder, the Cranberries and a live Dave Matthews Band all debuting.





For Pete's Sykes

"It's so great that you could help out like this. It really means a lot to the victims' families and the heroes who fought adversity that you contributed your time and talents to raise money," said **Pete Townshend** to **VHI**'s **John Sykes** backstage at the network's "Concert for New York." "Hey, d'ya think your pal **Bill Clinton** could give me the name of a good intern?" **Mick Jagger, Paul McCartney** and longtime Jagger associate **Tom King** reacted with a Bronx cheer when Sykes told them the best he could do on short notice was **Hillary**.

TOP SELLING SINGLES

The **Top 10 Best-Selling Singles** this week are: #1 **Whitney Houston** (Arista), #2 **Petey Pablo** (Jive), #3 **Mary J. Blige** (MCA), #4 **Christina Milian** (Island/IDJ), #5 **Lee Greenwood** (Capitol Nashville), #6 **Jagged Edge** (Col/CRG), #7 **Aaron Tippin** (Lyric Street), #8 **Maxwell** (Col/ CRG), #9 **Elvis Presley** (RCA) and #10 **Janet** (Virgin).



This killer ballad has rocketed all the way to the top of the Crossover and Rhythm charts. That, combined with major video play from MTV and BET, is sending the album to a million-plus. Now it's moving into the Mainstream, with Top 40 radio support from KDWB, KKRZ, WKST, KHTS, KRBE and WBL, to name just a few. Hilary Shaev and her Epic promomotion team will close, close and close this winner.

Mark & Larry Climb the Tower

They're in the house at the Tower. And now Capitol Records has finally gotten around to announcing their appointments, so they can finally get their business cards printed.

Mark "If He Married Puff Daddy, He'd Be P. Diddy" DiDia and Larry "John" Jacobson "Jingleheimer Smith" have been named Senior Vice Presidents for the label by President/CEO Andrew "Better" Slater "Than Never."

The pair will function as a team, defending the city, fighting crime and developing and implementing long-term strategic goals for the company, while they decide which one's Batman and which one's Robin and where to put their tights. DiDia and Jacobson will oversee all of the Tower's day-to-day operations, including holding the keys to the back catalog closet and keeping an eye on the lock of **Paul McCartney's** hair in the office vault.

The two Senior VPs were also both recently GMs, DiDia

at Hollywood Records and Jacobson at Giant.

Prior to his stint at Hollywood, Didia was GM at American Recordings, where he once had an organic lunch with Rick Rubin, and a national promotion executive at Geffen, where he brought towels to David Geffen. He has worked with such artists as BBMAK, the Black Crowes, Johnny Cash, System of a Down, Guns N' Roses and Aerosmith. He also spent 10 years in radio.

Jacobson recently oversaw the campaign for Giant's Grammy-winning Steely Dan album, "Two Against Nature" and for Disturbed's double-Platinum LP, "The Sickness." Jacobson brought the double-Platinum soundtrack for "Dazed and Confused" to the label and served as Irving Azoff's cabaña boy.

"As a team, Mark and Larry bring an incredible synergy to Capitol," said Slater. "Their combined expertise will play an important role in the future direction and success of the label and its artists."

Both men hope to actually meet Slater one day.



Jacobson: Tower says, Hello, Larry



EMI Squeezes Another Berry

The long reign of Virgin Records queen Nancy Berry is officially over.

In a not-unexpected development, EMI removed Berry from her post as Virgin Music Group Worldwide's Vice Chairman.

It was the first major move by the new rulers of EMI Recorded Music, Alain Levy and David Munns, who took office Oct. 15 after the ouster of Ken Berry. Munns was in L.A. to inform the company of the changes, while Levy was ensconced in Europe analyzing the assets and liabilities of the company he inherited.

Said Levy: "We are grateful for Nancy's hard work and dedication over the years. She is a talented record executive who has made great contributions to the development of Virgin Records."

The 42-year-old Berry was reportedly informed of the decision Monday night (10/22). She was working without a contract. The transition to high-level projects Berry was overseeing, like the upcoming Lenny Kravitz and Mick Jagger releases, should be smooth as Co-Presidents Ray Cooper and Ashley Newton and promo head Michael Plen remain in place.

Ken Berry's demise was obviously caused by a lot more than his soon-to-be-ex-wife's behavior, though the U.K. tabloids thrived on reporting her misadventures, including a recent well-publicized feud with the band **Custom**, which led to the group's exit from the label when its leader claimed he'd been sexually harassed by the female exec.

A Detroit native, Nancy first met Ken when she was 19 and working in a record store. Ken hired her as his secretary, and an unlikely romance blossomed between the shy workaholic and the flamboyant rock chick. The couple became wealthy when Virgin Records was sold to EMI in 1992. They shared homes in London and a Beverly Hills mansion provided by EMI. But the pair separated and are in the process of getting a divorce.

Nancy coordinated marketing campaigns for the likes of **David Bowie**, the **Rolling Stones**, **Tina Turner**, **Janet Jackson**, **Lenny Kravitz** and **A Perfect Circle**. She was also the point person for the much-criticized \$100 million signing of **Mariah Carey**, and she oversaw the marketing campaign for the disastrous "Glitter" project.

A music industry insider said: "No one can dispute her passion for the music and her artists. She was a large part of



Nancy Berry: Account of "Platinum Amex woman" closed.

Virgin U.S. and oversaw many successful worldwide releases."

Nancy generated controversy, when she was reported to be the other woman in a marital split between actress **Patsy Kensit** and **Simple Minds** lead singer **Jim Kerr**. She was also linked romantically to **Trent Reznor**, though performers like Bowie declared her "a real rock & roll girl," and Jagger termed her "the Platinum Amex woman."

"It has been a great pleasure working at Virgin Records over so many years, with such a great range of artists and people," Berry said in a brief exit statement. "I wish all my colleagues success in the future."

A Virgin exec told a British paper: "She does work hard, and doesn't have much of a life outside work. She is very capable, but her style is oldfashioned now."



Ozomatli (Almo/Geffen), PJ Harvey (Island/IDJ)

and Faith Evans (Bad Boy/Arista).

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EMI'S NEW WISE GUYS

Industry Insiders Weigh In on Nicoli's New World Order

By Marc Pollack

hey're cooking again at the bakery. That's the collective opinion of numerous industry players about EMI Group Chairman Eric Nicoli's decision to replace EMI Recorded Music Worldwide Chairman/CEO Ken Berry with former PolyGram President/CEO Alain Levy.

Levy's title will also be Worldwide Chairman/CEO, and he will be joined by Vice Chairman David Munns, onetime Senior VP of Worldwide Pop Marketing at PolyGram, an EMI veteran and manager for Bon Jovi.

The team was put together by Nicoli, who is certain his new biscuit boys will be able to find the gravy. "In these challenging market conditions, Alain brings a unique blend of creative, commercial, strategic and leadership skills to take the business forward to the next level."

Here's what a few other industryites had to say about the new, improved British major.

"In our expanding and highly competitive business, Alain is among the most talented and resourceful executives."-Doug Morris

DOUG MORRIS: "In our expanding and highly competi-

tive business, Alain is among the most talented and resourceful executives. He's regarded with respect not only by his executives and artists, but by those with whom he works throughout the creative community."

ROGER AMES: "Alain and David will be a great team. I

Ken for all these years. And now they have the opportunity to work with Alain and David." DON PASSMAN: "Alain is a really bright guy who did a

great job in building PolyGram into a worldwide operation. I think he and David will do a terrific job at EMI." FRED DAVIS: "Eric

"Alain has vast knowledge of the global music marketplace, Nicoli has made a great and his experience managing an international company will be hugely beneficial."-Andy Slater

learned a lot from Alain, and drank a lot of beer with David." **ANDY SLATER:** "I look forward to working with a seasoned leader such as Alain. He has vast knowledge of the global music marketplace, and his experience managing an international company will be hugely beneficial as we continue to

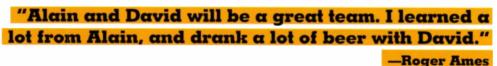
reinvent and reinvigorate Capitol Records. The complimentary brie and Burgundy is also certain to boost morale."

ROY LOTT: "These are challenging economic times. Alain and

David bring enormous experience and expertise to their positions. I am confident that EMI will have positive growth. Meanwhile, I'm sure that this change will not be a bad thing for Ken. Change can be good—just ask Clive.

Their past success at Poly-Gram was a result of their trusting true music executives to run the labels. I am sure, and I hope that that vision will be enacted at EMI."

MILES COPELAND: "I had the pleasure of working with Alain Levy and David Munns when they turned the PolyGram company into a dynamic player on the world stage. I can't think of a



better team to take on EMI! Their major challenge will be the USA, a market where EMI has traditionally had problems. The success of PolyGram here shows that Alain is eminently capable of solving this problem and I have no doubt he will do it.'

DANNY GOLDBERG: "Alain is facing a tough economy in the record business and a company that obviously wants growth, but I think he's going to be very successful, because he's one of the very few people who really understands all of the different components of the worldwide record business. He's very sensitive to the numbers and will make sure that they spend prudently, and he understands the creative

process, where hit records come from

and how to get them. He's lived in

the United States and understands

the American market in a way that

very few Europeans ever have. At the

same time, he's intimate with the

business in Asia, Latin America and

Europe as well. He's one of the great

executives in the business. Alain has

a tremendous work ethic, a great

intellect for economics and finance, a

heart and an intuition that under-

DAWN BRIDGES: "People at

EMI are thrice-blessed. First,

they've been able to work with

stands creativity."



Levy and Munns: EMI's mechanics of change have a major overhaul on their hands.

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HITS FRONTPAGE

Scary Tuesday Offers Treats

he record industry is hoping the day before Halloween offers a bag of goodies rather than any more cruel tricks.

Can Michael Jackson, Backstreet Boys, Lenny Kravitz, Destiny's Child and Enrique, all with albums hitting Oct. 30, finally get this fourth quarter thing rolling?

Industryites and retailers, stung by soft sales in the aftermath of Sept. 11, are hoping consumers will find something to their liking on the first big Tuesday of Q4.

The release schedule is topped by "Invincible" (Epic), Jacko's first album since 1997's "Blood on the Dance Floor" and first of all-new material since '91's "Dangerous." And while he can't be expected to come close to the record-shattering "Thriller" or even "Bad," Jackson supporters are hoping the new album can approach 400k in first-week sales. Based on the lukewarm radio response to the first single, "You Rock My World,' that hope may well be optimistic, although the video is receiving huge play at the channels. The album features guest performances by Carlos Santana, Chris Tucker and Brandy, with producers including Rodney Jerkins, Teddy Riley and R. Kelly.

■ Backstreet Boys' new Jive album, "The Hits—Chapter One," is the band's initial greatest-hits release, and their first since "Black & Blue," which came out last November with 1.6 million sold its first week. The key to the new record is the brand-new smash single, "Drowning."

■ Lenny Kravitz's "Lenny" (Virgin), his first album under a new mega-deal with the label, marks the rocker's second decade as a performer. It follows his "Greatest Hits" compilation of last year, which sold 3.1 million in the U.S. OTC. It's his first set of new material since '99's "5," which sold 3 million in the U.S. The first single, "Dig In," is already a multi-format hit, and it's quickly crossing to Top 40. Retail insiders are looking for 250k in first-week sales.

■ There are Christmas albums on tap from a pair of Columbia Records superstars in Destiny's Child's "8 Days of Christmas" and Barbra Streisand's "Christmas Memories." Beyoncé and company work out on the title track, "Silent Night" and "Little Drummer Boy." What, no "Santa's Bootylicious"? Babs' album includes "I'll Be Home for Christmas," "Ave Maria"



but in a good way.

and "It Must Have Been the Mistletoe" (dedicated to Jimmy Brolin?), but not "The Dreidel Song."

■ Enrique Iglesias, who now only goes by his first name, returns with his second Englishlanguage album on Interscope, "Escape," following 1999's "Enrique," which sold 1.7 million OTC. First single "Hero," performed by Enrique at the telethon, "America: A Tribute to Heroes," is garnering huge requests at Pop radio.

■ Other releases include label exec/producer/artist Jermaine Dupri's new So So Def/Columbia disc, "Instructions" (his last album sold 1.1 million OTC), the Loud/ Columbia soundtrack album "Choices" featuring Three 6 Mafia (whose last disc moved 1 million OTC) and veteran rapper Erick Sermon's J Records bow, "[Music]."

God Bless Jagged Edge



As the country unites and shows support for heroes in a time of unspeakable tragedy, music has been a uniting force. And if one song captures the spirit of the times, it's **So So Def/Columbia** act **Jagged Edge'**s "Where the Party At?" Shown healing the nation and waiting for the **Nelly** rap on "America the Beautiful" is a large group of people that includes the band members, **Columbia** execs (I-r) **Cynthia Harris** and **John Ingrassia**, So So Def's **Michael Mauldin**, Columbia's **Will Botwin**, **Tom Donnarumma**, **Charlie Walk** and the group. Not pictured: people who think we're funny.

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Who's Got What	units (IN THOUSANDS)			
UNIVERSAL (TOTAL: 19)			11, 12	23, 24, 25 26, 27, 29 30, 33, 37 39, 44, 47 48
SONY (TOTAL:10)	742.5	1, 3	13, 14 18	22, 32, 35 42, 46
WARNER MUSIC GRP. (TOTAL: 10)	615.6	2, 6	1 5, 16	28, 34, 40 45, 49 50
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Q4 OFFERS TRICKS

t's nearly Halloween, and the biggest scare this year is the fact that sales were down before Sept. 11. But things are starting to heat up, even if they haven't gotten back to normal. Here's what treats are coming down the pike for the rest of the year. Listed on these two pages are key releases for the rest of Q4. The list is limited to **established artists** whose previous albums sold a minimum of 200,000 units. It excludes soundtracks, one-off collections and debut albums from new artists. Key

RELEASE DATE	ARTIST	LABEL	LAST MAJOR RELEASE	1ST WEEK SALES	OTC-U.S.
10/23/01	Bush C-Murder Cranberries Dave Matthews Band (live) DMX Enigma (g. hits) Harry Connick Jr. (two releases) Incubus Now (Xmas) Reba McEntire (g. hits) Snoop Doggy Dogg (g. hits) Toni Braxton (Xmas) Tracy Lawerence	Atlantic/Atl G Priority/Capitol MCA RCA Def Jam/IDJ Virgin Columbia/CRG Epic Universal MCA Nashville Death Row/Priority/Capitol Arista WB Nashville	10/26/99 8/29/00 4/27/99 1/30/01 12/14/99 1/18/00 6/1/99 10/19/99 7/25/01 6/2/98 12/12/00 4/25/00 2/1/00	100,000 75,000 65,000 700,000 40,000 35,000 20,000 100,000 400,000 200,000 20,000	$\begin{array}{c} 1,000,000\\ 400,000\\ 370,000\\ 2,700,000\\ 4,400,000\\ 500,000\\ 430,000\\ 1,900,000\\ 2,000,000\\ 950,000\\ 1,800,000\\ 2,000,000\\ 2,000,000\\ 200,000\end{array}$
10/30/01	Backstreet Boys (g. hits) Barbra Streisand (Xmas) Destiny's Child (Xmas) Enrique Erick Sermon Jermaine Dupri Lenny Kravitz Michael Jackson	Jive Columbia/CRG Columbia/CRG Interscope J Records So So Def/Columbia/CRG Virgin Epic	11/21/00 9/21/99 4/24/01 11/23/99 6/27/00 7/14/98 5/12/98 6/20/95	1,600,000 150,000 660,000 70,000 60,000 160,000 30,000 400,000	5,200,000 1,000,000 3,100,000 1,700,000 225,000 1,100,000 3,000,000 2,400,000
11/06/01	Angie Stone Britney Spears Faith Evans Kelly Price (Xmas) Natalie Merchant Pink Floyd (g. hits) Tony Bennett	J Records Jive Bad Boy/Arista Def Soul/IDJ Elektra/EEG Capitol Columbia/CRG	9/28/99 5/9/00 10/27/98 6/6/00 5/19/98 n/a 9/26/95	10,000 1,300,000 85,000 150,000 100,000 10,000	800,000 8,600,000 900,000 1,000,000 1,200,000 300,000
11/13/01	Allure Barenaked Ladies (g. hits) Boyz II Men (g. hits) Busta Rhymes (new) Garth Brooks Ghostface Killah Green Day (g. hits) Jewel Kittie Mack 10 Madonna (g. hits) Naughty By Nature Paul McCartney Radiohead (live) Rob Zombie	MCA Reprise Motown/Universal J Records Capitol Nashville Razor Sharp/Epic Reprise Atlantic/Atl G Artemis Universal Warner Bros. TVT Capitol Capitol Geffen	4/22/97 9/12/00 9/12/00 6/13/00 11/17/97 (double live) 1/25/00 10/3/00 11/17/98 10/19/99 7/11/00 9/19/00 4/27/99 5/8/01 10/3/00 8/25/98	8,000 80,000 130,000 170,000 1,100,000 15,000 210,000 9,000 25,000 400,000 45,000 220,000 210,000 120,000	420,000 1,000,000 700,000 650,000 5,400,000 550,000 910,000 3,500,000 260,000 2,700,000 350,000 710,000 910,000 2,500,000



AND TREATS

soundtracks coming in Q4 include "The Wash" (Aftermath/Doggystyle/Interscope) on 11/16; "Jimmy Neutron" (Jive) on 11/13; "Ali" (Interscope), the Enya-driven "Lord of the Rings" (Reprise) and "Not Another Teen Movie" (Maverick) on 11/20; and "Vanilla Sky" (Warner Bros.) on 12/24. And as this week's chart-topping "God Bless America" (Columbia) shows, patriotism is a huge motivating factor, so keep an eye on "America: A Tribute to Heroes" (Interscope) on 11/13.

RELEASE DATE	ARTIST	LABEL	LAST MAJOR RELEASE	1ST WEEK SALES	OTC-U.S.
11/13/01 continued	Sevendust Shakira Shelby Lynne The Cure (g. hits) UGK	TVT Epic Island/IDJ Fiction/Elektra/EEG Jive	8/17/99 9/22/98 1/25/00 2/15/00 7/2/96	60,000 6,000 40,000 70,000 70,000	550,000 700,000 210,000 280,000 600,000
11/20/01	Aerosmith (g. hits) Creed Eightball George Strait Jill Scott (live) Kid Rock Marc Anthony (salsa) Mick Jagger Now Vol. 8 Pink Smashing Pumpkins (g. hits) Sting (live) Temptations Timbaland & Magoo Too Short	Columbia/CRG Wind-Up JCOR MCA Nashville Hidden Beach/Epic Lava/Atlantic/Atl G Columbia/CRG Virgin Virgin Arista Virgin AkM Motown/Universal Blackground Jive	3/6/01 9/28/99 11/21/00 3/2/99 7/18/00 5/23/00 9/21/99 n/a 7/25/01 4/4/00 5/19/98 9/28/99 5/16/00 10/28/97 2/23/99	240,000 315,000 75,000 120,000 8,000 460,000 130,000 130,000 180,000 50,000 170,000 90,000 30,000 40,000 140,000	1,100,000 10,100,000 400,000 2,000,000 2,200,000 2,800,000 2,100,000 2,100,000 1,100,000 3,300,000 270,000 1,000,000 630,000
11/27/01	Ludacris Smash Mouth Warren G	Def Jam South/IDJ Interscope Universal	10/17/00 6/8/99 10/12/99	130,000 100,000 55,000	2,600,000 3,200,000 410,000
12/04/01	Cypress Hill Fat Joe Funkmaster Flex Presents Ice Cube (g. hits) Limp Bizkit (remixes) Nate Dogg Neil Diamond (g. hits) Nine Inch Nails Outkast (g. hits) Ruff Ryders Vol. 3 Yolanda Adams	Columbia/CRG Atlantic/Atl G Def Jam/IDJ Priority/Capitol Flip/Interscope Elektra/EEG Columbia/CRG Nothing/Interscope Arista RR/Interscope Elektra/EEG	4/25/00 8/25/98 12/5/00 3/21/00 10/17/00 7/14/98 7/24/01 9/21/99 10/24/00 6/13/00 9/21/99	140,000 100,000 110,000 190,000 30,000 30,000 230,000 530,000 6,500 4,000	1,100,000 470,000 620,000 1,000,000 6,000,000 170,000 300,000 800,000 3,700,000 1,100,000 1,200,000
12/11/01	Blaque Joe Mobb Deep No Doubt V/A- Source (HHH) Vol. 5	Columbia/CRG Jive Loud/Columbia/CRG Interscope Def Jam/IDJ	5/18/99 4/11/00 8/10/99 4/11/00 12/12/00	18,000 290,000 200,000 200,000 60,000	1,000,000 2,400,000 900,000 1,400,000 560,000
12/18/01	Lil' Bow Wow NAS Wu-Tang Clan	So So Def/Columbia/CRG Columbia/CRG Loud/Columbia/CRG	9/26/00 11/16/99 11/14/00	100,000 230,000 300,000	2,400,000 1,000,000 1,000,000

Titles printed in red indicate changes in their release dates.



Weasels Talk Web 2: This Time It's Profitable

THIS BYTES

espite the uninformed grousing of certain online prima donnas, it's clear there are quite a few upper-tier label folks with real insight into the digital sphere's true relevance to the health of the biz. Once again this week, we hear from some. "It's an exciting period because nobody has figured out how to maximize the effectiveness of the Internet," notes Universal chieftain Monte Lipman. "It's valuable, but nobody's come close vet. Right now it's more of a marketing and promotion than a distribution tool. With the invention of Napster, we saw some of the biggestselling records of all time come out during that period. It's just like the radio—you can hear all you want, but there's something about having a collection, something you can call your own. You share that piece of art with other fans." For Tom Corson of J, the post-Napster period presents opportunities as well as challenges: "Are we thrilled about file-sharing? No, but we're learning from it about audience activity." Atlantic EVP Craig Kallman tempers the smaller scale of direct online sales of new releases with the possibilities for reaching older and more eclectic demos. "The raw numbers would indicate that an entire year's worth of Internet sales of a current album doesn't amount to much more than a week's worth of Top 20 store sales," he relates. "But the Internet is the biggest, baddest listening post in the history of the record business, and is perfect for catalog sales. Now that mall-based discounters make up 40% of recorded music sales (and discounters avoid stocking too much catalog), the Internet should be well-suited to make up that shortfall. There's plenty of anecdotal evidence that targeted Internet marketing makes incremental sales happen." Agrees DreamWorks' Johnny Barbis, "The Net certainly has a promotional and marketing impact, as it allows a true marketing gauge. It's quantifiable." We'll pick up some of these



threads next week. Stay tuned... E-mail: Simon.Glickman@hitsmagazine.com...

Catalog sales: A natural for the Net?

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ondo happenings in major-backed digital territory. MusicNet has tapped former Box chief Alan McGlade as Prexy/CEO; will his long background and advocacy for interactive TV play a role? Meanwhile, RealNetworks' RealOne Music service, launching soon, will include MusicNet, and Real has done deals with a passel of media firms for content on other RealOne services... BeCG has licensed Napster tech-but, um, not the P2P part-for its suite of BeMusic new-media offerings... MP3.com has separated into two divisions. The new one, MP3 Technologies, will organize tech offerings for VU's online holdings. Chairman/CEO Robin Richards has named Greg Kostello, an MP3.com EVP of tech and a Netscape alumnus, to head the new company... Meanwhile, the VU-Sony venture Pressplay has inked licensing deals with indies Roadrunner, Rounder, Madacy, Navarre, Razor & Tie and OWIE to supplement its subscription offerings...AOL has inked a "marketing alliance and brand partnership" deal with Britney Spears; yes, she's a keyword now ... DRM company Reciprocal, unable to raise money to repay a loan from Microsoft, has seen its assets taken over by Redmond, which is itself battling new patent-infringement charges from Reciprocal's old rival, InterTrust. MS has also hooked up with Trans World to provide tech for FYE kiosks and has launched the MP3 Creation Pack and DVD Decoder Pack as XP add-ons, thanks to hookups with CyberLink and InterVideo... Digital music service ClickRadio has let its staff go and closed its doors ... BOOKMARKED: MusicMatch, TourTogether.com...

WEBMUGS





iPod Is a Concept

Readers of hitsdailydouble.com last week got advance notice about Apple's sexy new music toy, the iPod, seen here. Amid the mystery surrounding the device—an ultraslim portable with five-gig hard drive and FireWire connectivity—online mystics predicted everything from a DVD-burning teleportation machine to a titanium hovercraft with wireless P2P capability. Hey, it looks pretty cool to us.

What's Hot at Pop

Continuing this week's "photos of inanimate objects" theme, here's further evidence that this page is where you turn for realistic answers to the dilemmas facing today's biz. In a related story, three dot-com VPs, the producer of an unsigned boy band and a network mailroom employee all took a deep, slow breath this week and knew everything was going to be OK.

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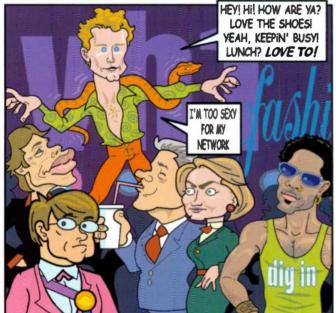
A Photoshop Moment



Through the miracle of digital manipulation, a group of dignitaries gathers backstage to congratulate Angie Stone (c) at her official J **Records** release party. "Thanks to all of you for coming," said the neosoul diva to an empty room, knowing the label's art department would surround her with celebs in the final trade shot. Shown pretending to be on hand are (I-r) Wyclef Jean, Clive Davis, Deborah Cox and Money Harm.



FOR THE BENEFIT OF MR. SYKES



THIS CARTOON IS FASHIONABLY LAME Check hitsdailydouble.com for an animated version of this cartoon.

RUNDOWN OF EXECUTIVES ON THE MOVE







Tyrrell Weiss

homas C. "Marvin Gaye & Tami" Tyrrell has been named Executive Vice President External Affairs for Sony Music Entertainment by Chairman/CEO Thomas D. "Licious" Mottola. In this new post, Tyrrell will oversee SME's government relations and external affairs efforts, work closely with the RIAA and music industry lobbyists to represent the company's positions to legislators and governmental agencies and help upper management get out of jury duty ... "Waiting For The Robert E." Lisa Weiss has been promoted to Senior Vice President General Counsel & Secretary to succeed Tyrrell. Weiss will be responsible for legal policy and taking notes at executive meetings... Carolyn "No" Javier is appointed Vice President of Business Affairs for Hollywood Records by Buena Vista Music Group VP David "Don't Call Me Spiro" Agnew. Javier will oversee day-to-day business and legal affairs for the company and its affiliated labels, Mammoth Records and Lyric Street Records, and carefully scrutinize Rob Seidenberg's expense account for any of his freeloading rock-critic buddies... Deanna Cohen "Dependent" is appointed Vice President Special Markets for 5.1 Entertainment Group by Chairman John Trickett "Or Treat." Cohen will acquire musical content for DVD-Audio to be released under the Silverline label.



Javier

Cohen

serve as the liaison between the film and TV music community for 5.1 Surround Sound Production Services and studiously avoid speaking to Jeff Rabhan ... "The Long And Winding" Rhoda Lawrence is upped to Senior Director Urban Sales for Arista Records by Sr. VP Sales Jordan Katz "Pajamas." Lawrence will develop and implement strategic retail marketing campaigns for selected label urban music artists and reunite with Mary Tyler Moore... Camille Evans "To Murgatroyd" is appointed Senior Director Marketing for Arista Records by Exec. VP "The" Lionel "Sleeps Tonight" Ridenour. Evans will serve as the liaison between artists and their management with the label by being the point person in charge of not taking their phone calls... Devin Durrant "Duran" has been upped to National Director Pop Promotion for Curb Records by VP Pop Promotion Bob "Top" Catania The Nashville-based promo exec joined the Curb pop staff last year to edit drug references out of all releases... Kara "Tower Of" Bebell has been boosted to Promotion Manager for Universal Records by Sr. VP Promotion Steve "Live At" Leeds, Sr. VP Pop Promotion Charlie Foster "Kane" and Sr. VP Crossover Valerie DeLong "Goodbye." Bebell will manage the promotion budgets for various artists and make change for a franc.







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he other EMI shoe has dropped-this one a Manolo Blahnik-as Virgin Vice Chairman Nancy Berry goes the way of former husband and EMI topper Ken Berry. While the Monday afternoon move was widely expected, some are finding tabloid tales blaming her for the elder Berry's ouster a little over the top... New EMI Vice Chairman David Munns in Los Angeles as you read this, ensconced in the Virgin offices and evaluating EMI's U.S. operations for Chairman Alain Levy. With EMI Group chieftain Eric Nicoli telling London's Economist that EMI has sucked in North America for decades and that European management may be the reason, speculation growing that a top U.S. player will be tapped to run the show stateside. Where do Levy and Munns see EMI Deputy President Roy Lott fitting into the new world order? Wonderers also wondering what this scenario will mean for British Virgin U.S. execs Ray Cooper and Ashley Newton, observing that while the pair has done an adequate job

HEY, BABY ... OH, SHIT!



MIKE GREENE: Facing the Geimer Sanction?

under the Berrys, Virgin has lacked American guidance since the days of Ayeroff, Harris and Quartararo, Some insiders believe Cooper & Newton are only one savvy exec away from a more successful operation... Meanwhile, conjecture swirling as to whether any Levy-era Poly-Gram players will be headed for Levy-era EMI jobs. The new EMI chief is said to have soured on many of his exexecs, either for just doing a mediocre-to-poor job and/or for bad-mouthing him once it came out Seagram was buying PolyGram. Meanwhile, the lobbying for possible top posts has ramped up steeply... One player who has stayed close with Levy is former Island honcho Johnny Barbis, whom rabid rumormongrels last week had making a move to rejoin Levy. Fact is that Barbis is renegotiating his deal with DreamWorks. where he has played a significant role in the label's turnaround... Most believe that the top-level EMI shakeup will impact Capitol CEO Andy Slater and his Tower team only minimally, given that both are new arrivals. Those in the know saying Capitol's report card in two years will mean more than the company's immediate performance. That said, did hot free agent Bryan Turner get out just in time? Interest in a new Turner deal getting hot and heavy among the majors, with Turner said to be feeling entrepreneurial again... NARAS board members meeting this week to decide whether to approve a settlement of former human resources exec Jill Geimer's Gloria Allred-back-

ed charges that NARAS chief Mike Greene sexually harassed and physically assaulted her. Though there is some dissension in the ranks, most expect Greene to weather this latest storm. Meanwhile, Grammy-watchers wondering if the current wave of compassion for New York might have softened Greene's grudge against the city and its nowlionized mayor, Rudy Giuliani. With the 2002 ceremony now locked for L.A., the answer would appear to be "no"... The unprecedented leaking of sensitive (and accurate) details of BMG's possible buyout of Sean Combs' Bad Boy to the NY Post sends an ugly and unmistakable signal that the turmoil in BMG's upper ranks has brought a disloyalty factor into play. Nobody is fingering the Bad Boy side of the deal for the leak; rather, theorists theorizing that while Combs was guietly shopping a new deal for himself while terms of the BB buyout were being negotiated, the exposure of critical deal points, including Combs' compensation, turned quiet and tidy into loud and messy. Some even saying the negative light shed on Combs may have killed the negotiations altogether... L.A. Reid's scrapping of most of the new Usher album and the millions he gambled to fix it appears to be paying off (despite the scoffing of industry Einsteins), as second single "U Got it Bad" turns the project into a legitimate multi-Platinum success... Troubled German indie Edel still trying to sell its **RED** distribution operation under the watchful eve of Sony, which is still owed some

CANDLES IN THE WIND



NANCY BERRY: When the Levy Breaks...

\$25 million. Charles Koppelman, in cahoots with Wharton Equity Partners and ICE Capital Corp., has now joined the list of interested parties, alongside Danny Goldberg and his Artemis team. Given the possible consolidation of the Big Five's distribution businesses on the horizon. does RED's value go up?... Rapper Snoop Dogg and his Doggystyle label moving to MCA following the No Limit/Priority split... Names in the Rumor Mill: Allen Grubman, Don Passman, Joel Katz, Hilary Rosen and **Richard Griffiths.**

WHAT'S IN A NUMBER?



L.A. REID: Turning Usher's "8701" Around.

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MHEELSE DEALS BY LEFF RABHAN

THE SHOP IS OFFICIALLY OPEN FOR BUSINESS AGAIN: There's been a lot of talk about the slow return to business after the 9/11 tragedies-as well as top-level concern over corporate losses rumored to have left one major in the midst of a signing freeze. But for all the talk of downturns, there's more action than the Tuesday nite high-rollers poker game at the Grand Havana Room. In particular. Ted Field has quickly turned the formerly sleepy ARTISTdirect house into a top-shelf, go-to label by wowing and signing a flurry of heavy-interest acts. Geffen Records prexy Jordan Schur, meanwhile, has become the first name in rock for young, talented boys who don't know how to turn down the stage volume. And friends at every label are getting into the Q4 shuffle with guns blazing. Look and see: This past week's L.A. showcases for Alabama's emo-core 41 Down brought out weasels from American, Elektra, Geffen, Universal, Hollywood and Maverick, with manager Jeremy Williams and Dcide Records' Mark Thorp mediating the weaseltude. A N.Y. trip to see Fenster's army at IDJ ended the run, but who will cross the finish line? Watch this space for details. And at the same rehearsal spot in Phil J's Swinghouse, a number of creatives have stopped in to see the Peter Shurkin-managed God Sex Money. New demos will be done this week with San Fran's resident stud Philip Steir, and then it's safe to turn off the lights. On the hip-hop front, barrister Theo SedImayr is on fire this week as his 22/20 Productions Poka Fase deal lands with Ted Field, and his Wheels-championed 50 Cent sweepstakes is down to Priority/ Capitol, Universal and Jive. In the healing Big Apple, Jeff Gordon's Smash America femme Stephanie Rae lands on the top floor at Sony, while Matrix Music's Harlan Lansky has a nice little thing going with his Drew Broderick project-Atlantic, DreamWorks and MCA may show some color. Also, a big shout-out to Universal maharajah and radio-research whiz Monte Lipman, who inks KWIN, WJFX and KBBT queen Amanda Perez to a sweet contract. Whew ... MORE NEWS YOU CAN USE: MCA Records has found themselves in the sweet position of gaining ground in two areas-first, the No Limit hop from Priority distribution has allowed for a Snoop Dogg signing, and insiders say that the Steve Greenberg-led S-Curve Records will buy back the company from Edel and move the imprint to the Music Corp. of America as well. Not bad for a week's work ... At EMI Publishing, Kevin Hershey has begun his tenure in talent acquisitions in N.Y. from a role at MTV. Let's look at the chronology: The amazing John Sykes came to EMI in the early '90s from Chrysalis Records to define the role after a stint at MTV. Then he leaves to run VH1, opening a spot for the talented Rick Krim, who came from MTV as well. Krim, of course, has left to reign at VH1, and Hershey fills his shoes. Pretty nice gene pool from the networks, wouldn't you say?

TIP OF THE WEEK: I heard two great demos this week, one from the Leo Sacks (leosaxe@ earthlink.net)-produced Canadian singer/sonwriter <u>Ann</u> <u>Vriend</u>, who has a voice from the heavens, and the other an interesting, artful offering from the Tim Mandelbaum-repped <u>Imani</u> <u>Coppola</u>, so do your homework... E-mail me: <u>rudoll@aol</u> .com... BUZZIN': <u>Fingertight</u>, Cave In, Alissa Razansky...

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H IS ORANGE	Fri., Oct. 26 9:30pm	Whisky L.A.	Stinky fat buzz in the works.
AMORY	Mon., Oct. 29 9pm	Dragonfly L.A.	Americana at its best.
CHOMSKY	Fri., Nov. 2 TBD	Top Cats Cincinnati	Radio and sales, folks.
HOWIE DAY	Fri., Nov. 2 TBD	Knitting Factory L.A.	Buzz is brewing.
SOUP	Tues., Nov. 6 8pm	Mercury Lounge N.Y.	Big live following.

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WILL THE INDIE FILM COM-MUNITY SURVIVE? Just last week, I talked to you about the strength of major-studio Q4 releases. But the indie film community is preparing for a long, cold winter. True, the biz has been bad all year. But with the recent tragedy came an interruption in the all-important Toronto Film Festival buyers' market for distributors, leaving a number of worthy projects homeless and lacking the proper word-of-mouth buzz to propel them to the next level. And potential suitors continue to RSVP to the MIFED market in Milan-including indie powerhouses Miramax, Manhattan Pictures International and Good Machine-perhaps putting the final nail in the coffin on upstarts for the coming year. And while some will still attend the London Screenings, many insiders feel the damage is too great for that one market to overcome. Fallout for us is a

dangerously damaged pipeline (already under budgetary scrutiny) that may limit the future number of acquisitions for indie distribs and major art-house wings like MGM, Sony Classics and Paramount Classics. Let me break it down for you: Out of sight, out of mind. And while the indie ST game ain't exactly setting the charts on fire, it is a vibrant and active sector of the indie-label release schedule, thus affecting the overall business of film music. And that worries me... NEWS YOU CAN USE: The budget isn't nearly as huge as the buzz on the Columbia Pictures/Maverick Records project and ST to "Not Another Teen Movie"-a comedy that spoofs every raginghormones flick, from John Hughes' '80s offerings to the present. The ST is a smattering of great covers, beginning with a Marilyn Manson version of Soft Cell's "Tainted Love." Could be the surprise hit companies... In other publishing

film/ST combo of the season, as early responses from both teenagers and critics have been solid... In other Q4 ST news, WB is looking good—I hear that Paul McCartney has written a song, appropriately titled "Vanilla Sky," for the Crowe flick, and the Bramson/Ceinkus ST will include tracks by Radiohead and Sigur Ros. And if I were putting out the "Lord of the Rings" ST this season, I would probably be pretty excited about the brand-spanking-new Enya track that will appear on the plastic... Dimension Films has nailed down a first-look deal with music-biz lifers Cecil Chambers and Shakir Stewart, who will develop and create music-oriented projects as well as oversee and produce the STs to said projects for the Miramax offshoot. Look for the new partnership to involve elements of their respective Windswept and Hitco music

news BMG Music Publishing has signed a worldwide admin deal with Lions Gate Entertainment that includes the entire Trimark catalog of films and a few really bad softcore, cable-style pornos... THE TRUTH WAS A LIE: Last week's drivel included an item about the state of affairs at Capitol Soundtracks, and I am pleased to correct myself by noting that Susan Genco was not a part of the bloodletting... For love advice, e-mail me: rudoll@aol.com... END CUES: "Oceans 11," "We Were Soldiers," Bjork

"Teen Movie"



Flick, ST get the hard Cell.



JA RULE: Will join Steven Seagal in Franchise Pics' "Half Past Dead."

DON WAS: Joins former Was (Not Was) partner David Was for main title, scoring of "Bickford."

"MOULIN ROUGE": Brings home six statues at the World Soundtrack Awards.

ESPN: Original film division is officially open for business.

"SMALLVILLE": The WB's new supershow looks to be the one to watch this fall.





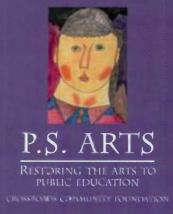
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AN EXLUSIVE HITS DIALOGUE WITH OZZY AND SHARO

MORE THAN A GREAT ROCK & ROLL STORY OF EXCESS AND SURVIVAL, Ozzy and Sharon

Osbourne are a great love story. She learned all there was to know about the industry from her dad, UK impresario Don Arden. She grew up around it, going on tour starting at the age of three with everyone from Gene Vincent, Little Richard and Jerry Lee Lewis to the Rolling Stones and the Everly Brothers. Sharon met Ozzy in 1971 when she was working in her father's office. He came in with his Black Sabbath mates, wanting Don to manage them. "I want you to know," said Ozzy, "that I had on a pajama top for a shirt and for jewelry, I had a hot water tap (faucet) on a bit of string around my neck." It wasn't until eight years later that they got together, when Sharon offered to manage his solo career. They soon fell in love and our fable begins.

Almost unbelievably, Ozzy has only been on two record labels in his storied career—Warner Bros. with Sabbath and Epic as a solo artist—and has become, through no fault of his own, a true rock icon, transcending boundaries of age, creed and format. Now with "Down To Earth," his first album in seven years—which bowed at #3 on the HITS chart this week—Ozzy is back. With old cohort Zakk Wylde on guitar, Robert Trujillo on bass and ex-Faith No More tubthumper Mike Bordin on drums, Ozzy is more than ready for the Merry Mayhem tour co-billing with Rob Zombie to rock your world. Among his goals are raising funds for NYC with the Ozz Bless America campaign. Over fish cakes and mineral water, HITS' fellow Midlander John Sutton-Smith "And Wesson" chats with the Ozzster about the mutual pain of giving up nicotine and doing an interview with this rag.

Ozzy, you're a legend. How did it happen ?

Ozzy: Exactly the same question I ask myself. Believe me, I didn't go, "I'm going to become a legend." I just thought I was good for one album, you know, and here we are 32 years later. I don't understand any of it, really. I don't know the secret. I'm in as much shock and surprise as anybody else.

It's been seven years since the last album. Ozzfest has taken up a lot of your time, hasn't it?

Ozzy: When it started, I thought that all I've got to do is 12 weeks a year on the road, and then it would just fade into the realm of history. And every year, it's become bigger and bigger. I kept saying to Sharon, "How long is this Ozzfest going to last?" And now we've got another new album, it's happening all over again. The double-whammy this year is that I'm getting a star on the Hollywood Walk of Fame. I thought that was brilliant. Mind you, mine's probably in Piss Alley or something.

Now you're going out on tour, starting on Halloween, with Rob Zombie. Ozzy: Rob Zombie is a great guy, really down to earth. Ozz Bless America will offer special merchandise items, with the money going to a charity that's affiliated with Howard Stern for the Trade Center victims' families. Sharon: I know that nobody will mess with Howard, because he's watching the money every step of the way. That's why we chose him. What kind of items are you selling? Sharon: There's an armband with an American flag and a T-shirt with Ozz Bless America on it. All proceeds from the Meadowlands show will go to the families. Tell me about recording "Down To Earth."

USBOURNE/ BY JOHN SUTTON-SMITH

Ozzy: Over the last three years, I'd break off and do Ozzfest or the Sabbath thing. In condensed time, it took about six months or so. Tim Palmer [the producer] was really a good support, and the people from Sony, like Kaz [Utsunomiya]. He was there for every rehearsal, every song, everything that was going on. I'd turn around and he'd be sitting at the back of the room, and I'd go, "Where the fuck did you come from?" One minute, he wouldn't be there; the next minute, he was. I had a very good support team around me. One of the first songs we did was "Dreamer," with Mick Jones from Foreigner and Marti Frederiksen, who does a lot of work with Aerosmith. I'd forgotten how much fun it can be. Now everybody uses Pro-Tools... In the six years since I made an album, the technology has gone from the ark to the wheel.

You and Tim wrote a bunch of the songs on the album. How did you work together?

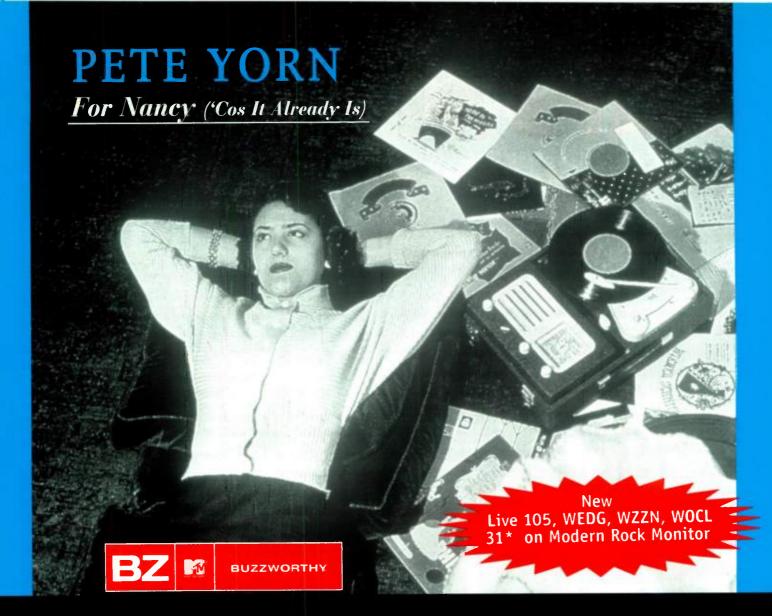
Ozzy: Tim played a bunch of rhythm on the tracks, like "No Easy Way Out" and the single "Gets Me Through." I owe a lot to him. He's very English and he has a sense of humor, so we had a good laugh along the way. I allow myself to be produced because I don't have the technical ability, but I know when you're doing it wrong. I always have the last say on what goes down. If I feel very strongly about something, I'll make that known. Tim would go, "Ozzy, you should really listen to this song that we've got going here," and I'd go, "You know what, Tim? I don't really fancy it today." He'd say, "Come on, come on," and when he got me in the studio, he'd go, "What do you think about this? While you're here, do you think you could work something out for this part?" And he'd coax me into doing it, you know, because I'm a lazy sonofabitch. People say to me, "What music do you listen to for relaxing?" The only music I listen to now is bandsaws and a bit of bricklaying around my house. You should see my house. It's like a fucking terrorist training camp.

Sharon: We don't listen to a lot of music at home. We never have the time. Ozzy: My wife has gone mad over Enya. I'm going, "What is fucking Enya?" It's like the music they play in mental hospitals.

Sharon: It's a joke, because every time Ozzy asks who's playing, it doesn't matter who it is, I always say, "Oh, it's Enya." It could be U2, and I say it's Enya. Ozzy: Enya's like psychotic music. The kind of stuff they play when you're in Betty Ford.

What are your favorite tracks?

Ozzy: There's not any one favorite. I look at an album as a piece of work, as a single entity, but I never get tired of listening to "Dreamer." I think it's one of the coolest ballads that I've ever had anything to do with. I don't play an instrument, but my hair stands on end, you know, when it sounds good. If it can make me feel good, I know I'm on to a winner. Rather than a favorite, I always have a track that I'm not that keen on, and every time, I'll bet you \$1000, someone



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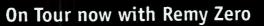
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DEFAULT:

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From his early days at **KOMP** Las Vegas through stints at the now-defunct **KAZY** Denver and Kansas City powerhouse rocker **KYYS**, Scott Jameson was wellschooled in the programming basics by the time he landed at Indianapolis PoMo **WRZX** in 1991. "One of our benchmarks is a TSL-driven promotion called the 'At-

Work Revolution,' which has been very successful," Jameson explains. Successful indeed. X-103 is one of a small handful of PoMo stations that are consistently ranked #1 in middays 18-34. Scott also immerses himself in four N.T.R.-generating concerts per year, the big one being X-FEST, which regularly draws 22k fans and has sold-out seven of the last eight years. How he manages to host a three-hour weekly new music show, the "Virtual X Radio Network," every Saturday night for the last three years is a mystery. But it does keep him up to date on the new stuff. Jameson's current picks to break are "Hoobastank's 'Crawling In The Dark' and **Pressure 4-5**'s 'Beat The World.'"

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4	4	P.O.D Atlantic/AG Alive	WRAX,WHTG Add	
5	5	PUDDLE OF MUDD - Flawless/Geffen Blurry	#3 Most Added	
6	6	SUM 41 - Island/IDJ	WAVF,WGRD Add	
7	7	In Too Deep ALIEN ANT FARM - New Noize/DreamWorks	#1 WPLY,CFNY	
9	8		WPLA Add	
8	9	Chop Suey DISTURBED - Giant/Reprise Down With The Sickness	Top 5 @ WFNX,WRZX	
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10	11	GORILLAZ - Virgin 19-2000	#3 Most Added	
12	12	BLINK 182 - MCA	#1 91X	
11	13	Stay Together For The Kids WEEZER - Geffen	#6 Most Added	1
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15	16	LIVE - MCA Overcome	Top 5 @ WAVF,KAEP	
17	17	SALIVA - Island/IDJ Click Click Boom	Top 5 @ WXTM,WPGU	
16	18	U2 - Interscope	Part III of tour	
18	19	Stuck In A Moment DEFAULT - TVT	MTV2 Add	
24	20	Wasting My Time COLDPLAY - Capitol Trouble	Q101,KMYZ Add	
21	21	PETE YORN - Columbia/CRG For Nancy (Cos' It Already Is)	KITS,WEDG Add	
19	22	DROWNING POOL - Wind-Up Bodies	"Sinner"="The One"	
22	23	GODSMACK - Republic/Universal Bad Magick	Top 10 @ WBTZ	
20	24	COLD - Flawless/Geffen Thirteen	Top 10 @ WXTM,WPGU	
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1.KID ROCK	"Forever"	(Lava/Atlantic/AG)
2.THE STROKES	"Last Nite"	(RCA)
3.GORILLAZ	" 19- 2000"	(Virgin)
3.PUDDLE OF MUDD	"Blurry"	(Flawless/Geffen)
5.CRYSTAL METHOD	"You Know It's Hard"	(Outpost/Geffen)
6.WEEZER	"Photograph"	(Geffen)

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BY IVANA Β. ADORED

CRAWLING IN THE DARK: The computer screen keeps fluttering in front of my eyes, So this is what it's like to write a column with a 100 degree fever. In the 11-plus years I've worked at HITS, I've never been home sick on a Tuesday. Deadline is deadline, and its responsibilities are non-negotiable. Except, after waking up feeling like I'd spent the night gargling with broken glass. Fortified with SpaghettiOs, tea and antibiotics (not Cipro), my throat and ear infection shouldn't prevent my relaying this week's highlights at the expected level of suck.... Tonight is the Remy Zero/Travis show I've been looking forward to for months. Erika saw the show Sunday night in San Diego, and said it was magical (as if it



could be anything but?). After spending six weeks glued to CNN, a jubilant evening with two of the PoMo format's most inspiring and significant bands should be just what the doctor ordered. Maybe if my doctor had heard "Save Me," "Sing" and "Side" on KROQ, or Travis' acoustic performance today on KCRW, I would've received the prescription

COLDPLAY: Trouble" Is Spivack's Middle Name!

I wanted. But by all means, you go, and think of me when Remy Zero plays "Save Me" (nice add this week from WXDX!) and Fran sings "Flowers In The Window" (which is nearly the same song as Bread's "Diary").... Last week's Strokes show was a veritable 'who's who," including nearly everyone name-checked in the New Radicals' "You Get

What You Give" (Beck, Hanson, Courtney Love), plus the KROQ crew and a select group of RCA luminaries from NYC (Ron Poore, Richard Sanders and Dave Gottleib). I was happy to see Muckley there, especially since he has the distinction of being the first in the States to do a radio interview with the band, and 91X have definitely led the way on "Last Nite." I thought The Strokes show was truly great. Months and months of touring have paid off bigtime. They're the kind of band who will never play your conference room, won't play your Xmas show, may never feel indebted to you for playing their record, but so fucking what? They fulfilled their end of the deal by making a kickass record that has already sold nearly 30k in two weeks, and by staying on the road, playing sold-out show after sold-out show. If this is the great rock 'n' roll swindle, pt. 2, I'm buying in. By the look of this week's stats, so are you. "Last Nite" was #2 Most Added, including WXRK, KITS, KDGE, WOCL, KKND, WMFS, KTEG, WXNR and dozens more. East coast phenom, my ass.... Wow, I get feisty when I'm feverish. Oh yeah, it's also PMS week.... By the way, congrats to Ron and Rick and John from RCA for having BOTH debuts on this week's PoMo chart-Lit at #10 and The Strokes at #25.... Our favorite track on the Coldplay album, "Trouble," is breathing new life into this project. Sales have been increasing exponentially the past three weeks, due to PoMo airplay that as of this week will include Q101, KMYZ, KEDJ, WXZZ, KFTE, as well as "Breakthru" video play from MTV. "Trouble" will be the song to take the Coldplay album to multi-Platinum.... Kris, Bonnie and Lee Anne at Atlantic have practically closed-out the PoMo format on Kid Rock's "Forever" in one week! Adds too numerous to mention include KNDD, Q101, WXTM, CIMX, KROX, WPBZ, etc. etc. Do not underestimate the appeal of Kid Rock. He's sold a shitload more records than almost every other artist you're playing. Ultimately, your audience will dictate this song's success. Your job is not to over-think it (like you do everything else), and just enjoy the ride..... MTV added the video for Kittie's "What I've Always Wanted" this week. Gee, they must know something that you don't (with the exception of KEDJ, WZPC and KMBY). Why is it that Active Rock doesn't seem to have the same issue with playing a female voice on the radio as PoMo does? Gee, they must also know something that you don't.... Geordie, Howard and Rae at Virgin had a spectacular week with the Gorillaz' "19-2000," including Q101, KNRK, KPNT, WRAX, WHRL and a dozen more. The album is already Platinum, just like my Amex.... My beloved Pete Yorn (yeah, you may have read his name in this column once or twice) is one busy rising PoMo star. Last Saturday he played WWVV's festival (with Sevendust and Saliva-now tell me he's an APM artist!), MTV Buzzworthy rotation kicked in yesterday, today Nan and Christine pulled in KITS, WEDG, WOCL and WZZN on "For Nancy," tomorrow he's taping HBO's "Reverb," and Friday he starts a two-month tour with Remy Zero opening. I'll join them on the road, but I won't ride on the bus. Haven't done that since the '80s..... Flickerstick remind me of a 21st Century version of The Replacements. As much as I worshipped Flickerstick from "Bands On The Run," it wasn't until I saw them play in Chicago, and spent time with them talking about our favorite bands, that I got the full gist of what a special band they are. They are one of the few groups capable of becoming an arena-rock band whose music isn't corporate rock (a genre which seems to be making a huge resurgence these days). Adds for "Beautiful" this week include KFSD, WEQX, WPGU, DC101, WMFS, WRAX and WXZZ. Flickerstick will be on tour with Phantom Planet, and your attendance is requested SONG TO HEAR: Basement Jaxx' "Where's Your Head At" PEOPLE TO WATCH: Jeff Sodikoff, Chili Walker, Mike Danger, Christine Chiappetta, Max Tolkoff, Alexa Tobin, Jo Hodge, Paris Hilton, Stu Bergen and Gaby Skolnek.

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5	PUDDLE OF MUDD	Flawless/Geffen
	Control	
6	LINKIN PARK	Warner Bros.
	In The End	
7	CREED	Wind-Up
	My Sacrifice	
8	ALIEN ANT FARM	New Noize/DreamWorks
	Smooth Criminal	
9	BLINK-182	MCA
	Stay Together For The Kids	
10	DISTURBED	Giant/Reprise
	Down With The Sickness	
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40	The People That We Love	DCA
12	LIT	RCA
13	Lipstick And Bruises	Volcano
13	Schism	Voicano
14	SYSTEM OF A DOWN	Amer./Columbia/CRG
14	Chop Suey	Amer./ Columbia/Cito
15	SUM 41	Island/IDJ
10	In Too Deep	
16	LENNY KRAVITZ	Virgin
	Dig In	
17	DEFAULT	TVT
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-	Clint Eastwood	
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	Fat Lip	
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upcoming new releases

GOING FOR ADDS 10.29

AFROMAN • "Crazy Rap" Universal

BASEMENT JAXX • "Where's Your Head At?" - Astralwerks

EVERLAST • "Love For Real" - Tommy Boy

FUEL • "Last Time" - Epic

LEFT FRONT TIRE • "Bring You Down" (American Pie II OST) - Universal



LENNON • "Brake Of Your Car" - Arista

STONE TEMPLE PILOTS • "Revolution" - Atlantic/AG

TOOL • "Lateralus" - Volcano

WEEZER • "Photograph" - Geffen

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ALIEN ANT FARM • "Movies" - DreamWorks

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CRAVING THEO • "Alone (No More)" - Columbia/CRG

LIFER • "Not Like You" - Republic/Universal

GOING FOR ADDS 11.13

THE CULT • "True Believers" Atlantic/AG

DROWNING POOL • "Sinner" - Wind-up

MARILYN MANSON • "Tainted Love" (Just Another Teen Movie OST) - WB/Maverick

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WBCN's Steven Strick, and the entire station, are all feeling quite proud right now of their latest book (3.3 - 4.4 12+). As Steven explains: "The ratings are encouraging because they show increases in all of our music dayparts. We went up in middays, nights and weekends." It doesn't hurt that WBCN is such a strong force in their live music scene, participating annually in various events, including the upcoming Grave Rave, featuring Crystal Method with hosts Opie and Anthony. Look for the November 27th X-mas Rave line-up to be announced any day now. Meanwhile, Steven's pick for Best New Artist, Puddle Of Mudd, will be stopping by the studio to play acoustically for excited listeners. The Breakthrough Record goes to Nickelback while Incubus, P.O.D. and System Of A Down are all making this hectic time for Steven bearable. After all, he's got to have something to get him through while fervishly perusing hundreds of applicants to fill the station's coveted AMD position. Happy hunting!

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4. Creed (Wind-Up) 5. Incubus (Immortal/Epic)

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Those who are truly on the cutting edge of style trends have long tired of \$150 jeans from Seven, Earl, Marc Jacobs, Frankie B or any of the other designer denim cluttering the top floor of Barneys. Some of us even have hips (how dare we!), making it impossible to even consider wearing such indulgences. The social and fashion conscious will all be wearing jeans from Prison Blues, made by inmates at the Eastern Oregon Correctional Institution, and available online at www.prisonblues.com. A federal government grant funded by drug money seizures enables this program to continue. The prisoners are involved in every aspect of design and production. Now that your mind is on Spring 2002 ready-to-wear, see what the experts from Vogue and Style.com think are the top collections for next season on www.style.com. Both agree that Nicolas Ghesquiere for Balenciaga rates #1, and my favorites, Olivier Theyskens and Veronique Branquinho score high marks for their collections. Wonder when we'll see the Prison Blues runway show?

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If you haven't heard about it by now, you probably have been watching too much CNN. What I'm speaking of is Microsoft's Windows XP. Microsoft is hoping the benefits of Windows XP will be enough to lure consumers in, but is this going to stimulate home computer sales as much as predicted? With the current recessionary downturn, it will be an uphill battle, but if you are going to make the venture to XP, here is what to expect: a more reliable, less crash-prone underlying software code, faster performance, remote access to desktop data and applications, digital photo services and robust music and video features. I must say that I did notice quite a difference in performance in this new platform from Windows 98, but if Microsoft is expecting a huge increase in their sales, they may well be less than impressed with the final numbers.

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-	19	STARSAILOR - Capitol Love Is Here	KXRK,WOXY Set Sail
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		Let Me Move On (EP)	
-	21	THE AVALANCHES - Modular/London-Sire	Top 5 WFNX
		Since Left You	
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		OSC-DIS (Oscillator In Distortion)	
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BY ERIKA STRADA

SLIDE SHOW: I had started this column in a totally different manner, but I had to amend it. Last night, we (HITS' Nicole Tocantins, Epic's Jo Hodge and Ayelet Cohen, 91X's morning crew and Chris Muckley, KFSD's Mike Halloran and a host of others) experienced the cream of the crop, the top of the hill, an "I can die happy" kind of show: surprise, surprise I am talking about Remy Zero and Travis. Maybe I can be a bit predictable, but since I'm not one to write concert reviews, let me leave it at that, and if you want more details call or e-mail me and I will happily recount every detail. Calling WOXY's Matt Shiv, Virgin's Brien Terranova from the show and the Remy/Travis duet on David Bowie's "Heroes," (dedicated to all the NYC firefighters) it will forever be etched into my memory...sigh...let me just swoon a bit more. Ahhh...rock & roll at its finest. Cinjun lived up to his title of "Best Hugger In Rock." Goodness, so let me get back to what I had originally nattered on about, which was the number of increedibly cool hipsters seen at the two-night sold-out extravaganza of RCA's The Strokes. It seems



the Strokes are in that wonderous position of being the "it" band and in the right place at the right time. Good on ya. Soon to be playing at a radio station near you. Meanwhile, I am still attempting to be the one-girl hype machine for all my favorites, including the dreamy **Tom McRae**. Arista's Shannah Miller, Mark Gracious and myself were crowding close to the stage to hear the opening strains of "Bloodless" and ending (after some minor technical dfficulties) with an edge-of-the-stage acoustic version of (my favorite!) "Language of Fools." Ahhhh...dreamy. Definitely swoon-worthy. But

goodness, what a week. The Old 97's are still whipping up a frenzy

CINJUN & FRAN: My Heroes...

> with their live show! Rhett is just as foxy as ever. Opening for them was the quite talented and overlooked Minibar. Other Hanson sightings this week included the Ben Folds show. Ben was defintely "Rockin' the Suburbs" in full force. The only thing missing was KPNT's Donny Mueller. His name comes to mind when I think of Ben Folds, much the same way that my name and Travis are forever associated. Giggle. OK, maybe just in MY mind. Back up a minute to the aforementioned Matt Shiv from WOXY. He has been raving about the Bjork show he saw in Chicago as the "best concert I have ever seen!" And, this boy has seen A LOT of shows (including Madonna in Detroit, so Bjork must have been SOMETHING!)! Congratulations to WOXY for being part of the AOL 7.0 Music Channel. Now it's as easy as logging on to AOL and clicking on the Radio@AOL on the toolbar to hear one of the best PoMo stations around. If you are really sweet and kind, perhaps you too can convince Matt to dedicate a song to you so you can hear your name streaming from your computer. Giggle. Did you need anything else to convince you that I am a dork? I ought to report though that my musical tastes are continuously changing and evolving. Our own Mike Morrison pointed that out to me this week when I rushed down to tell him that I heard Adema's latest "The Way You Like It" last night on Stryker's show and I LIKED IT! Stranger things have happened. I guess with this new revelation, you won't be surprised at all about how much I enjoyed Nickelback, Seven Channels and Default. I know; Mark Gracious may have let y'all know about that last week, but it really is true. I am still giggling about my porno name (take the name of your first pet and the first street you lived on) shout-out from the stage (it was Peaches Lancaster, in case you were wondering) from the amiable Seven Channels fellows. Perhaps next time they pass through Tulsa they can do the same for Beanie Biloxi, or in Jacksonville to Squeegie McGellan or to New Bern's Topsy Grosse Point. Oh goodness, how did I start that subject? When you do speak to Jeff Sanders ; be sure and congratulate him on his new MD Turner Watson, whom he is absolutely thrilled with. Scott Petibone was excited to tell me that WPLA's Halloween Bash has not only Hatebreed, but SLAYER. Ummm...can anyone say YIKES? A frightening Halloween for sure. I was happy to catch up this week with KCNL's John Allers and find out how absolutely pleased he is to be in San Jose. Good to hear it. Tenacious D is also at the top of his list of things to listen to, and it seems that he has a lot in common with plenty of others. Have you noticed how that CD is flying off the shelves? John also heralds Jack Johnson (a staple at 91X) as working extremely well for them. Let's see...what else? Oh, BJ from WXZZ is proud that they were one of the first playing Custom. We were especially gleeful when we found out the Brian Corona is now a part of the ARTIST direct team with Dawn Hood. How much do we love that Brian Corona? No need to answer...we ALL know! Ahhh...running out of room. There are a few more things, Raul Malo (lead singer of the Mavericks) has a new CD on Higher Octave, pick up this gem from an incredible crooner. Kid Rock's latest will be all over the place and contains a lyric mentioning Betsy Ross! You gotta love that. Tonight, Bush will be gracing the Roxy's stage, I'll give you the details later. Halloween is coming up-e-mail me with your costume suggestions at pinktipps@aol.com. Contact Jeff Welling, who departs WWDX, on his cell phone at 517-410-0200. Best of luck also to WGRD's Dan Clark, who exits, is it because of my relentless Travis badgering? Some might say...Speaking of Travis, big hugs and kisses to Travis "Dash" Johnson who called from the base he is stationed at just outside of Detroit to find out the latest and the greatest. Our prayers are with this him, let's hope he gets to return to his family very soon. Until next week, hugs and kisses.

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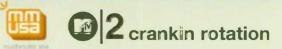
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OZZ BLESS AMERICA: Ozzy's "Down To Earth" 150k debut and Creed's imminent #1 spot on the chart with "My Sacrifice" is the latest example of a yin-yang balance that keeps Active Rock radio sturdy. (I speak of that strength with 100% conviction as we see Summer Books roll in with #1 12+ honors. For any of the sub-formats that have splintered off Rock radio to attain #1, it is truly a feat.) Built like a brick shithouse, KRXQ's Paul Marshall is a pillar of ardent principle and he knows: "In an uncertain world, it's comforting to know that Ozzy will always be there to drop music heavier than Camryn Manheim on us!" Just like he did during his interview with Paul on the air, Ozzy has added "Ozz Bless America" to the title of the "Merry Mayhem" tour and on some of the T-shirts and other merch items for sale at the shows. He's giving proceeds from these items to the Howard Stern Relief Fund (aiding the families of the police department, fire department, EMS and other city employees involved in the 9/11 rescue efforts). BTW, KTUX PD Paul Cannell came up with the new portion of the title while discussing ways to promote the market's upcoming tour date, mentioning it to Cheryl Valentine and Adan Armandariz on the phone. Twenty minutes later, Ozzy called Paul at the station to thank him for the "fookin bwilliant" name. Smells like a special autographed shirt from Paul's favorite artist has his name on it... As they draw closer to the #1 spot, PDs everywhere are talking about how important Creed's "My Sacrifice" is to their station, including WRXL's John Lassman (who also celebrated his birthday on 10/19 by smoking as many cigars as possible in a 24-hour period). Alan Galbraith is also smoking with heavy spins at

WYSP, WIYY, WXTB and WJRR. . Congrats and condolences to WXTB middayer Launa Phillips for scoring the MD stripes, but also having to work more closely with Schmidt. Sarcasm-just like what Rick throws my way every time we talk and we love him for it... Looking for that hooky, powerful song that brings out the passion in your audience? Ask Dave or Mike why Dope is Top 10 at WAAF. Other heavies that



hear "Now or Never" include, WYSP, KORC, KRXQ. KSJO and WRIF. WBYR's Jim Fox says, "I'm glad I finally had the slot to put this smash from Dope in rotation." (As did KISS and WCHZ). Team Epic also nailed down WLZR, KILO, WLZX and KICT a week early on Fuel's "Last Time"... Back in '93, Joel Habbeshaw worked me on the first Candlebox record when he was at Maverick. Now, as a heavy at Gold Circle, he's come full-circle bringing frontman Kevin Martin to the label. I can only imagine how incredible Kevin's new album (his band's name is You) will sound, based on the demos Joel played me. While that magic happens in the studio, Joel and Alan Oreman will be driving Hedder up the charts. Keep an eye out for "Save Your Face"... Lynn McDonnell is getting much love from WAAF, KORC and KBPI in the form of 20 Mesh spins a week. Now she also has WTFX, WXQR and KAZR on "Maybe Tomorrow"... Ray Gmeiner is so happy to see Joe Bevilacqua's heavyrotation spins on Mick Jagger produce #1 "God Gave Me Everything" phones (also added at WIYY, WIIL and KLBJ) ... WAAF, KIOZ, KUFO, WLZR and KSJO are among the many playing Tool's "Lateralus" before Warren "officially" goes for adds. I CAN'T WAIT for their show next week... Wes at WXQR tells me: "Custom is gonna blow up-the call-out on 'Hey Mister' is already huge here!"(new at WJJC, WQBK, KFRQ and WQLZ)... He was also raving about Soil: "'Halo' has been Top 5 phones for months-they're stomping all over the place"... How do you break a

band? Ask D. Blair and Gaby at Maverick. Following up Top 5 and Top 10

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Jann Hendry's early days in promotion included working Bruce Springsteen and Journey as a college rep for CBS in Miami circa 1974. After stints at Geffen in D.C. and Reprise in Charlotte, she went West Coast as Rock



National in L.A. for the latter. Next, she ran the APM & Rock departments at Giant, with "26 weeks of Disturbed persistence" turning into the biggest Rock success story of 2000. Jann continues: "It's very rewarding to see 'Down With The Sickness' at over two million sold. That was the first project that I started from the War Room." The same Friday the 13th that Giant closed its doors

(4/13/01), Jann scored VP stripes, and was placed in charge of the Artemis Rock department. She's off to a great start, with Kittie already on WRIF Detroit, WAAF Boston and KISS San Antonio. Josh Joplin, Crossbreed, Jay Farrar, TOFOG and North Mississippi All Stars also rule her world.

DAN BOZYK/PD

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WNFZ/KNOXVILLE,TN "How beautiful is Tennessee in Fall? Ozzy, Rob Zombie, Soil, Mudvayne and Drowning Pool will be finding out soon. A 'Night of Merry Mayhem' is coming and the Ozzy, Zombie and Soil records are kicking ass. Then there's a club show with 'The Pool' (Drowning Pool to those who don't know them). The Extreme Radio Retribution Remix of 'Bodies' has been a top request for a while (www.943extremeradio.com/brr.mp3). 'Sinner' sounds like a winner too. Current fave: Stereomud's 'Steppin Away.'"

TURNER WATSON/MD WXNR/NEW BERN,NC

"I absolutley cannot get 'Alive' by P.O.D. out of my head for more than 10 minutes...not that I mind. The kids seem to love it as well. The only thing that can knock it out of my internal sound system is probably 'Chop Suey' by System of a Down. Still going strong, and still lighting up the phones here. I'm also totally stoked to see Default doing so well ... It's going to get large!"





DAVID DYE/HOST-PRODUCER WORLD CAFÉ/PHILADELPHIA

"Natalie Merchant is an artist that the APM audience has always liked better than the programmers. Her new album 'Motherland' will change your 'attytood.' This T-Bone Burnett-produced disc won't leave my car player. Deep rhythm tracks with Hammond B3 organ, saxophone and some very cool backing vocals. The single sounds more like old Natalie, but you will be blown away by the album, especially 'Saint Judas!!'"

LAUNA PHILLIPS/MD WXTB/TAMPA

"I still have 'The Sickness' from Disturbed in the CD changer. I think I've gone through seven copies now... Yes, it's that good! Plus, I like the spikes that protrude out of David's chin. I also love the new Nickelback album. Can't get the new Creed song, 'My Sacrifice,' out of my head... Now, if I could only get Scott Stapp in my pants."



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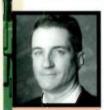
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BY MIKE MORRISON

DIDYA GET ANY ONYA: So I'm telling Arista's Nick Attaway about how the box of awesome hip-hop and pop CDs he sent me last week arrived soaking wet, prompting me drop it to the floor in horror and scream, "Anthrax!!!" Then Nick tells me how his T&E report, sent in the same FedEx shipment, landed in N.Y. in the same condition and "a bunch of guys in bubble suits came in to take it downtown." Fortunately for me, Nick and the rest of the business (considering how insidious this shit is in its ability to spread itself), there was no anthrax detected. Whew... Two of our stations had KILLER Summer Books. First off, kudos to Team KFOG, where consistent growth continues to amaze. The station went 3.2-3.6 12+. PD Dave Benson said he was "thankful that KFOG continues to have success in what is a unique and unstable ratings time." Props also to KTCZ, who went 4.2-4.8 12+, landing them at #5 25-54 and (are you ready for this?) #3 18-34!! MD Mike Wolf was thrilled to report that this is first time they've placed in the Top Five in both demos. "It's very important for us to bring in younger listeners without alienating our core. That's why we have success with bands like Coldplay," he said. "'Yellow' was one of the biggest songs of the year for us. We put 'Trouble' on



New Music Monday and received an immediate reaction, so we added it. The sales numbers here in Minneapolis have been very impressive."... Have you seen the **Ryan Adams** video on VH1 yet? (I have. A lot. They've been playing it 20 times a week.) Or maybe you caught it on MTV, where it's been getting spiked here and there. They also used the clip to close the "Today Show" on 10/19. Congrats to **Chris Stacey** and the gang at **Lost Highway** for doing a great job maintaining a super-high profile on this special artist. We all know the album, "Gold," is brilliant. Now let's get "New York, New York" into Heavy and

RAY GMEINER: virgin1manarmy.

> blow this thing up!! Speaking of Chris, wait til you hear his new William Topley record. Major programmers who've checked it out are calling it a "no-brainer"... This week, Ray Gmeiner made clear why he's known as the "Virgin One-Man Army," taking #1 Most Added honors with Mick Jagger's "God Gave Me Everything." KMTT, WBOS, WXRV, WTTS, KXST, WMPS, WRLT, WFPK, WDET, WZEW and WXPN join WXRT and WMMM, who both came in early. Ray also did a nice job on ex-Maverick Raul Malo's tango-flavored "Every Little Thing" with KPIG, WFUV, KRSH, WNCW and WRNX, among the stations adding the track. I can't WAIT to see Raul tonight at the Knitting Factory. And while we're still in "Virgin territory," I'd like to request that you spend some time with the Lenny Kravitz full-length if you haven't already. WXPN PD Bruce Warren agrees with me that "Lenny" could be the best album of his career... Speaking of 'XPN, their five-day Fall Fund Drive was another record-breaker, with 3,262 people pledging for a total of \$438,242, 9% beyond their projected goal. Woo-hoooo!... Congrats to Jacqueline Saturn and Jo Hodge at Epic, whose new Travis song, "Side," landed #2 Most Added this week. Also, Jo and Jacqueline's new Ben Folds single, "Still Fighting It," is perfect for APM. Familiarize yourself with the track so you're ready to add it on 11/12! The HITS geeks were out in force at Ben's El Rey Theater show last week and I, for one, was blown away by the new band. You, too, will be impressed... KKMR Dallas PD Scott Strong: "Sugarbomb is a local band from Fort Worth that is getting national-band-like research numbers with their track 'Hello.' We wanted to highlight our scene, so we have all local bands, including Sugarbomb, on this year's Christmas show. The 2,000 tickets sold out in two days!"... KBCO MD Keefer is a big Johnny A. fan. "'Oh Yeah' is working really well for us. There's always room for a good guitar instrumental on KBCO. This one's upbeat and melodic. You hear it once and it stays with you." Evidently Benson and APD Haley Jones agree. They added Johnny at KFOG this week!... Finally, a much-belated welcome-back to Sean O'Connell. With the RykoPalm split, Sean's once again handling promo duties for Rykodisc, whose acts include Robert Cray, Jess Klein, Josh Rouse and Kelly Willis... hitsmm@aol.com...

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Bush "Golden State" (Atlantic/AG): On its first album for Atlantic, the London-based quartet leaves the electronica experiments behind, returning to the raw rock power that fueled its multi-Platinum discs, "Sixteen Stone" and "Razorblade Suitcase." Adding focus and polish to its energy, the band explodes with the sizzling guitar rock of first single "The People That

We Love" and the frenetic "My Engine Is With You." However, when the other instruments are more in the background, as on "Inflatable" and "Out Of This World" (featuring former No Doubt keyboardist Eric Stefani), Nigel Pulsford's pristine (but still intense) guitars and Gavin Rossdale's passionate rasp conspire to make the album the band's most melodic and emotive to date. (Y.C.)

Default "The Fallout" (TVT Records): Brought to the attention of labels by Nickelback's Chad Kroeger, fellow Vancouver quartet Default certainly bear the mark of its benefactor. Produced by Kroeger and vet Rick Parasher (who also helmed the latest Nickelback disc), the riff-driven guitar rock on Default's debut calls to mind Kroeger's band, with a few tricks bor-



rowed from Tool's box. On "Deny," vocalist Dallas Smith plays the part of the emotionally tortured lead singer, deftly moving from melodic crooning to gravelly shout. The first single, the power ballad "Wasting My Time," gives Smith plenty of room to show off his pipes. Other standout tracks include the hard-rocking "Seize the Day" and the softer "Live a Lie." (J.D.)



Groove Armada, "Goodbye Country (Hello Nightclub)" (Jive Electro): G.A. co-conspirators Tom Findlay and Andy Cato get a helping hand from the likes of Nile Rodgers, Richie Havens, Jeru tha Damaja and Kriminul on this slow-burning chunk o' glowing club funk. Trance-inducing dance beats merge with ethereal textures, swimmy filter sweeps

and guttural vocals on such tracks as "Suntoucher," "Fogma" and "Healing," the resulting mixes creating enough polyrhythmic cross-pollination to fascinate the most ecstatic partydome. At once relaxing and invigorating, this could be just the thing to help one chill and navigate the world's current state of high anxiety. Remember: It's the groove, stupid. (J.O.)

New Order "Get Ready" (Reprise): One of the longest running and most influential acts in PoMo returns with its first album in eight years to show the young whippersnappers how it's done. The band's trademark electro-pop gets a semi-overhaul, with trip-hop and breakbeats added to the mix. A whisper of new breath comes from Primal Scream singer



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Bobby Gillespie (howling on the Stones-influenced "Rock the Shack") and Billy Corgan playing guitar and singing on "Turn My Way"—which makes clear the inspiration for "1979." But it's frontman Bernard Summer who provides the comph with alternately wounded and tough vocals. A fine return. (D.S.)

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THE ROAD IS A BEE-EYE-ITCH: No one knows better than the boys of Epic's Tenacious D that the road is pretty tough and that it don't take no guff. To prove it, Jack "Nasty Man" Black and Kyle "Wonderboy" Gass have been scouring the country, fueled only by

rock and Rocket Sauce. One of the dynamic duo's tour stops brought them to our nation's Capitol and the everpopular WHFS. Shown here getting more than the recommended daily dose of vitamin D are WHFS' Alan Scott, Black, WHFS APD Bob Waugh, WHFS' Gina Crash and Gass.



MEETING OF THE MINDS: It's always a bit frightening to see this much brainpower in one photo. But it begs a few questions. For instance, if a half-dozen music industry professionals get together, how does the artist joining them get in a word edgewise? Also, just how many PDs does it take to pick up a check? Shown pondering

these imponderables are (back row, I-r) Columbia Records' Trina Tombrink, WXPN PD Bruce Warren, KBCO PD Scott Arbough, KTCZ PD Lauren MacLeash, Aware Records' Gregg Latterman and (front row, r-l) WRNR OM John Peterson and Aware/Columbia artist John Mayer.



LISA DOES DALLAS: "What would really be funny is, if one of you were actually named Ft. Worth," said KROQ MD Lisa Worden, shown here as the filling of a Dallas sandwich between Dallas Perry of the band Seven Channels (I) and Dallas Smith of the band Default (r). "Then I could change my name to I-30!" Said Seven

Channels' Dallas, "What's funny is I'm actually from Dallas, so I get that joke." As historic as this meeting seems, just moments after the photo was taken, the trio was joined by yet another Dallas: award-winning **KABC-TV** Los Angeles meteorologist **Dallas Raines**. How 'bout dem Cowboys?



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'VE BEEN IN A VERY VOLATILE MOOD LATEL' I either hate you, or love you. There's really no in-between. Could it be premature holiday blues? Or am I being swept away by the increasing depression the media says has taken over the country? Could it be Malik? Or am I just over the constant reminders of anthrax, bombs, Cipro, and the Taliban. You know what? I think it's that time of the month. Regardless, I'm nasty. So, I warn you-if you don't have to be near me, stand clear. Inevitably, this leads to the theme of this week's column. Indulge me. The Top 10 things I hate today: 1) Irresponsible people, 2) Los Angeles, 3) Mascara, 4) Getting out of bed in the morning, 5) The person sitting behind you at the movies, kicking your chair throughout the entire movie, 6) Collagen, 7) People who take advantage of goodness, 8) The guy next to you on the Stairmaster who forgot to shower, 9) The smell of the HITS building and 10) Sunshine 365 days of the year. By the time you read this, I'm sure I will have come up with a shitload more. Please, feel free to check in on me... Now let's talk about the Top 10 records I love today (since this is a music column and it would be appropriate): 1) BRIAN MCKNIGHT's "Love of My Life." I had the opportunity to see a dress rehearsal of his concert last night in Hollywood that simply blew me away. For anyone that hasn't seen him live, he sounds completely like his records. His ballads were beautifully executed and his uptempos were unbelievably choreographed. Thank u, Herb Trawick. The single is entertaining nice gains at Urban and Crossover and continues to build weekly. Val and Gary are getting early Top 10 research at WPGC, WERQ and WJHM. 2) NELLY's "#1." I have to say that Danny C has taken the bull by the horns and is driving this single home. He continues to build Crossover and Rhythm, picking up B96 and WPYO last week. I saw "Training Day" finally, which features the single. It was hot 3) NATE DOGG's " I Got Love." I really like the way this single is developing for Hecht. It's already pulling in Top 5 phones and #3 research at KUBE, Top 5 phones at KPWR and KOHT, and Top 10 phones at HOT 97, KBMB and WQSL. It's on its way! 4) CRAIG DAVID's "7 Days." This

single is taking off much quicker than I had anticipated. Already big at WBBM, WQSL, KTHT, KTFM, WPYO, WLLD, WRVZ, KBOS, KXJM and KLUC. Have you seen this video? On BET right now. Watch this thing quickly grow at Rhythm and spread to Crossover before the holiday. 5) JUVENILE's "From Her Mama." This is an anthem that could be as huge as "Back That Azz Up," as it pulls in #1 phones at KXHT and WBHJ and Top 5 at KTFM, KBBT, WCHH and KZFM. It's also spreading East as it's embraced by WPGC, WKYS, WNVZ and WOWI, and West by KYLD, KMEL, KBMB and KOHT. The video hits next. week. 6) BUSTA RHYMES' "Break Ya Neck." This was a one-listen record for me. Michelle S.



JUVENILE: "Mama" will knock you out.

impacted big last week, picking up a handful of stations, most of which have followed up with decent airplay. These include HOT 97, KPWR, WCHH, WUSL, WZMX, KUBE, KTFM and WJWZ. The video is bananas! Side note: Watching the world premiere of Alicia Keys' "A Woman's Worth" video-hot to death. Ron Gillyard always does it for me. 7) JAGGED EDGE's "Goodbye." To guote Ms. Ellis, "This single defines power ballad." The video couldn't have been more in tune with current events. It's really a smash. Just ask Kashon Powell, Boogie D, Byron Kennedy, Robert Scorpio, Victor Starr, Lucious Ice, Lisa Karsting and Thea Mitchem. 8) JAY-Z's "Girls, Girls, Girls." Have you seen the airplay gains on this thing? The album entertained Top 5 status for a month and continues to remain in the Top 10 this week. Need I say more? 9) JANET JACKSON's "Son Of a Gun." This remix with Missy and Diddy just might be what reinvents Miss Jackson in the hip-hop community. Already in at WZMX (52x), KPRR (36x), KXJM (31x), WKYS (23x), WCHH (19x), WERQ (18x), WJHM (15x) and WPGC (10x) since Friday. Watch this thing fly! 10) P. DIDDY's "Diddy." First, the video is off the hook and is already entertaining play at MTV and BET. Arista has almost every major market in on this, including HOT 97, WHTA, WJMN, WPGC, WPHI, KYLD, WLLD and a host of others. This is sure to be bigger than his last... Had enough? I have. Hit me, if you dare, at eliz0315@aol.com...



Street Snap



AND THAT'S WHY WE CALL HER "SUNSHINE": Here's a darling picture of resident Crossover guru Liz Montalbano in one of her most compassionate moods. Just look at that beautiful, caring smile. Makes you feel all warm and fuzzy inside, don't it? Here, Montalbano signifies the number of people who actually read this trade rag. Oh, Liz, you're so kind. You know that's one too many. That Liz—what a sweetheart.

Phat Five The Hype On The Street Thin Week Bad Boy

P. Diddy shopping for a new deal. Got deep pockets?

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2 WZMX HARTFORD

Victor's Starr continues to shine. Station moves 7.7 to 9.6.

SNOOP DOGG

Caught with pot and going to MCA Who would've guessed?

JAY-Z

Pleads guilty and gets three years probation.

Garnett March

March-es to new post as Promotions & Marketing VP.





take away the 🕫 single get Ur freak On...

take away the top five single One Minute Man...

take away the platinum plus success of Miss 2... So addictive...

and this sultry new ballad sung by Missy would still be an undeniable smash ...you can't take that away!

Missy "Misdemeanor" Elliott

take away (featuring ginuwine & introducing tweet) the new single and video from Miss E...So addictive

ALREADY IN ROTATION AT.... WERO 24x WPGC-20x KXJM 40x WJMH 50x KBMB 30x KKBT I2x WCDX I0x WKYS I2x WEDR I8x WIZF I6x And More

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3	3	1	GINUWINE	Differences	Epic
2	2	2	MARY J. BLIGE	Family Affair	MCA
1	1	3	JENNIFER LOPEZ	I'm Real	Epic
12	7	4	USHER	U Got It Bad	Arista
8	5	5	JA RULE	Livin' It Up	Murder Inc./IDJ
7	6	6	BUBBA SPARXXX	Ugly	Beat Club/Interscope
6	9	7	FABOLOUS f/NATE DOGG	Can't Deny It	DS/Elektra/EEG
4	4	8	ALICIA KEYS	Fallin'	J Records
5	8	9	JAY-Z	lzzo (H.O.V.A.)	Roc-A-Fella/IDJ
14	12	10	112	Dance With Me	Bad Boy/Arista
21	14	11	CITY HIGH	Caramel	BB/Interscope
13	15	12	AALIYAH	Rock The Boat	Blackground
9	10	13	TRICK DADDY	I'm A Thug	S-N-S/Atlantic/Atl G
17	16	14	PETEY PABLO	Raise Up	Jive
18	17	15	NELLY	#1	Priority/Capitol
10	11	16	MISSY ELLIOTT	One Minute Man	Goldmind/Elektra/EEG
29	22	17	NELLY FURTADO	Turn Off The Light	DreamWorks
11	13	18	JAGGED EDGE f/NELLY	Where The Party At?	So So Def/Col/CRG
-	25	19	JAY-Z	Girls, Girls, Girls	Roc-A-Fella/IDJ
25	23	20	MAXWELL	Lifetime	Columbia/CRG
23	21	21	DESTINY'S CHILD	Emotion	Columbia/CRG
22	19	22	R. KELLY	Feelin' On Yo Booty	Jive
15	18	23	USHER	U Remind Me	Arista
16	20	24	BLU CANTRELL	Hit 'Em Up Style	Arista
_	29	25	FAITH EVANS	You Gets No Love	Bad Boy/Arista
		25	JAGGED EDGE	Goodbye	So So Def/Col/CRG
	26	27	ALL-STAR TRIBUTE	What's Going On	Columbia/CRG
		28	BRITNEY SPEARS	I'm A Slave 4 U	Jive
19	24	29	MICHAEL JACKSON	You Rock My World	Epic
-		30	FAT JOE f/R. KELLY	We Thuggin'	Atlantic/Atl G

RESPECT

Title

Artist 1. Dr. Dre & Snoop Dogg 2. Rayvon 3. Janet Jackson 4. Dungeon Family 5. Busta Rhymes

Label "The Wash" Aftermath/DS/Interscope "2-Way" MCA "Son Of A Gun" Virgin "Trans D.F. Express" Arista "Break Ya Neck" **J** Records

THIS WEEK

bond SO, I MET THIS GUY: Regular readers know several things about me.

by Mark Feather

First, I love music—especially new jams that sound like hits. Second, I've developed this appreciation for hits over 15 years in radio, the last 10 as a PD. Third, I also love to go out and party-usually in West Hollywood, and too much for my own good, actually. And of course, while partying, I especially enjoy the company of a hot man. But recently, things have really sucked in that last department. Dates had blown me off so frequently that I'd begun to get a complex. Then I realized that maybe it was because I was meeting the same kind of guys (unappreciative flakes) over and over-probably because I was going to the same places over and over. So I decided to try out some new hangs and, despite advice to the contrary, it began in the Valley at The Lodge... I arrived two Fridays ago to an absolutely packed house. Why was I told this would be lame? Hotties everywhere and great music jammin'. Filling the dance floor most noticeably were two from Def Jam-Ja Rule's "Livin' It Up," and the new Jay-Z. Obviously, the Ja is gone at Crossover racio, but for those of you sleeping on "Girls," I'd like to point out that it's rapidly closing as well. For proof, check the Top 5 phones at WPGC and KMRK, the early Top 5 research at WZMX, or the large airplay at both WJMH and KUBE. Hurry, better get in. And, before I leave Marthe and Motti's world, don't forget about the new Ludacris joint, "Roll Out," which drops officially next week, and is already seeing support at JD Gonzalez' KBBT, Orlando's WLLD and KXHT, among others. But back to the club—where I didn't stay long, because within a half-hour I was being hit on by a ridiculously attractive young man, and within the hour, we were back at my place and it was on! So much so that we got together again on Sunday, and made plans to go out again the very next Friday... On that night, I discovered that my new friend is an actor-something he apparently didn't want me to be aware of immediately. (I know-everyone in this town is an actor...and talk about flakes!... Blah, blah, blah...) On the way to one of my favorite dancing spots, Circus Disco, we talked about the TV shows he'd been in (hadn't seen any of them, even though one ran for several years-oops!), the commercials he'd shot and some of the print work he'd done. And he wanted to know about my time in radio and what I did here at HITS. Cool enough. Now, time to dance. Joints crackin' at Circus included a couple from Columbia—JD's "Ballin' Out of Control" (which is #2 most-played at KBBT, and Top 15 requests at KPWR) and the new Cypress Hill (showing early support at KOHT, KWNZ and KYLZwhere Robb Royale reports instant Top 10 phones). Also really workin' was Maffei's "#1" from Nelly (newly added this week at HOT 97, WCHH, WJWZ and KIKI). We danced, we drank, and we had a great time, which continued non-stop into the next evening, when it was time to head out to The Palace in Hollywood for more partying (I know you're shocked.)... But it was another great night-the highlight being the entire dance floor going off when the remix of Nelly Furtado's "Turn Off The Light" hit the tables. WOW! And obviously, those folks in the club aren't the only ones feeling this artist, as LP sales pass 1.3 million, and airplay continues to skyrocket for Z90, WLLD and KXME—all of whom now have this in their Top 5 most-played.... I guess all good things must come to at least a temporary end, though, as my new friend and I had to say goodbye on Sunday, so that I could attend the dress rehearsal for the Brian McKnight tour. Thanks Herb Trawick, and let me tell you-WHAT A SHOW! You absolutely must check out this tour when it comes your way. Brian, as always, was amazing-in fine voice, and performing both old songs that had tremendous meaning for me, as well as some from the new album that also connected with me on an emotional level. I guess my two favorites were "Still"-potentially the next single-and "Back At One" from the last CD-the lyrics of which kept making me think of my new friend. Does that mean something's going on with this guy for me? Don't know. We'll see how things go when he and I attend Brian's actual show this Sunday at Universal Amphitheatre. I'll let you know what happens. Until then-C-ya...

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NEWRELEASES

GOING FOR ADDS 10/30

Drama **Dilated Peoples** Ludacris Missy Elliott f/Ginuwine **Jennifer** Lopez Dr. Dre f/Knocturnal Pam & Dodi Afroman Warren G.

"Big Bal " "Worst Comes To Worst" "Roll Out" "Take Away" "Ain't It Funny" "Bad Intentions" 'What's Wrong" "Crazy Rap" "Lookin' At You"

GOING FOR ADDS 11/6

Jonelle f/Method Man Fabolous **Glenn** Lewis Joe Mary J. Blige KeKe Wyatt Janet Jackson

Round and Round" (RMX) Def Jam/IDJ "Young'n (Holla Back)" Desert Storm/Elektra/EEG "Don't You Forget It" Epic "Let's Stay Home Tonight" Jive "No More Drama" MCA "Nothing In This World" MCA "Son Of A Gun" Virgin

1. Usher

- 2. Ginuwine
- 3. Petey Pablo
- 4. Bubba Sparxxx
- 5. Nelly

Steal the one.

"U Got It Bad" "Differences" "Raise Up" "Ugly' "#1

Arista Epic Jive Beat Club/Interscope Priority/Capitol

REQUESTED JAMS

Atlantic/Atl G

Def Jam South/IDJ

Goldmind/Elektra/EEG

Capitol

Epic

MCA

Interscope

Universal

Universal

BIG WILLIE of the week JIMMY STEAL

VP/PROGRAMMING KPWR LOS ANGELES

Last week, this space examined the Emmis triumph on the East Coast at HOT 97, so it's only natural that this week our Big Willie spotlight falls on the same company's winning operations on the West Coast, and specifically in Los Angeles. In the City of Angels, Jimmy Steal's KPWR moves into a tie for the market's top

spot-thus marking the first time since the Summer of '95 that the station ranks #1 overall in L.A. With one of the strongest programming teams in the land in place at POWER 106, including APD Damion Young, MD E-Man, and morning dominator, Big Boy, it's also apparent that this victory could be just the beginning. "The popularity of hip-hop is apparent-it's the new mainstream," commented Steal, and continued, "I'm proud of everything our incredible staff has accomplished, and honestly think the best has yet to come. Now, if I could just stop getting irritating calls from weasels at trade magazines, maybe I'd have time to keep this run going." OK Jimmy, but just know that if we weren't making all those irritating calls, we'd be outta work, and would you really want that on your conscience? Wait...don't answer that.



HERE'S LOOKIN' AT YOU, G: Living a scene from a nightmare he had months ago, Universal/Motown rap artist Warren G. (c) posed with (I-r) the label's Val DeLong and Big Paul, HITS Liz Montalbano and label guy Gary Marella. Just as they had in his hellish sleep, Montalbano tied another one on and complained about the lighting, while Marella practiced his Rock imitation.

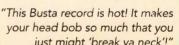
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ERIK BRADLEY **MD B96 Chicago** Craig David "7 Days" Wildstar/Atl/Atl G

"Another smash from one of the most brilliant artists I've heard in a long time. Could be a Grammy Award winner!"

E-MAN **MD KPWR Los Angeles** Busta Rhymes "Break Ya Neck' J Records





just might 'break ya neck'!"



CHARLIE HUERO APD/MD KKFR Phoenix Cypress Hill "Low Rider" Columbia/CRG

"They're back! Good to hear from them, again doing hip-hop."

MARVIN NUGENT PD KFAT Anchorage City High "Caramel" Booga Basement/Interscope

"With the addition of Eve, this is shaping up to be another hit!"





THE NEW SINGLE FROM THE PLATINUM ALBUM & FOLLOW-UP TO "PEACHES & CREAM"

Airplay Highlights @

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Rhythm Monitor: 12-8*

Crossover Monitor: 13-11*

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SLIM

KPWR (35X) KMEL (46X) KYLD (45X) WBBM (77X) KXJM (50X) KUBE(46X) WIMN (60X) WZMX (40X) WWKX (45X) WBTS (50X) KLUC(30X) WPOW (50X) KKFR (30X) KPTY (77X) WLLD (25X) KGGI (35X) Z90(35X) KZFM (40X) KPRR (75X) KTHT (50X) KDGS (45X) KQKS (35X) KXME(72X) WNVZ (45X) KSEQ (47X) KDON (47X) WBTT (40X) KBOS (40X) KBMB(30X) **KSFM (81X)** AND MORE!!!

Make sure you listen to the remix featuring Beanie Siegel!

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top 20 spinz

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1.	DR. DRE f/KNOC-TURN'AL	Bad Intentions	Aftermath/Interscope	344
2.	P. DIDDY	Diddy	Bad Boy/Arista	341
3.	JAY-Z	Girls	Roc-A-Fella/Def Jam/IDJ	339
4.	DMX	Who We Be	Def Jam/IDJ	334
5.	LUDACRIS, LL COOL J, KEITH MURRAY	Fatty Girl	FB Ent./Universa	326
6.	BUBBA SPARXXX	Ugly	Beat Club/Interscope	325
7.	JA RULE f/CASE	Living It Up	Murder Inc/Def Jam/IDJ	320
8.	MARY J. BLIGE	Family Affair	MCA	318
9.	MICHAEL JACKSON	You Rock My World	Epic	314
10.	BUSTA RHYMES	As I Come Back	J Records	313
11.	TIMBALAND & MAGOO	All Y'all	Blackground/Virgin	303
12	PHAROAHE MONCH	Got You	Priority	292
13.	DR. DRE & DJ QUIK	Put It On Me	Priority	288
14.	FAT JOE f/R.KELLY	We Thuggin'	TS/Atlantic/Atl G	285
15.	G DEP	Special Delivery	Bad Boy/Arista	277
16.	FAITH	You Gets No Love	Bad Boy/Arista	275
17.	MOBB DEEP	Burn	Loud	270
18.	JD/NATE DOGG	Ballin' Out Of Control	SoSo Def/Columbia	260
19.	BUSTA RHYMES	Break Ya Neck	J Records	256
20.	DUNGEON FAMILY	Trans DF Express	Arista	249

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8.	WARREN G	Lookin At You	Universal
9.	KURUPT/JON B	Sunshine	Antra/Artemis
10.	DUNGEON FAMILY	Trans DF Express	Arista
11.	MS. JADE	Dream	Beat Club/Interscope
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1.	MOBB DEEP	Burn	Loud
2.	MOS DEF	Jam On It	MIC Media/Red
3.	UGK F/8-BALL & MJG	Gold Grillin	Jive
4.	BEANIE SIEGEL	Think It's A Game	Roc-A-Fella/Def Jam/IDJ

tha mix by ricky leigh mensh



Jammin Jay aka Pink Pony

aka Old Fukk

Paul Bunyon aka Old Fukk Pt. 2 Needs driving school

"BLACK PONY ... " Twaz a pretty good week for this here DJ. Tha Skinz gotta fukkin win, Michael J highlights in a Wizards uniform all over ESPN/Fox Sports, Mr. McCartney's relief concert @ MSG w/tha fattest lineup of talent since Woodstock & tha best newz of all: "Jammin Jay," aka "Black Pony," haz been promoted from Promotions Director to PD of WJIZ on Monday, Oct. 15. WJIZ iz a 100,000-watt Clear Channel Urban station in Albany, GA, & can be heard in three states: South Georgia, North Florida and Southeast Alabama. "I'm a former employee of Steve Hegwood's Hot 106 FM, which iz where I waz before coming over to WJIZ. I would like to thank tha many people who were very instrumental in making my career work for me: Steve Hegwood iz one of the top programmers in tha world. I'll always respect him and be forever grateful to him for teaching me tha art of radio and programming. Darrell Johnson, formerly of KBFB/Dallas, Kevin Fox (Radio One), Derrick Chatman (Station Manager of WIBB). Lew Leary, tha knowledge king & promotion wizard of WJIZ, who'z always there w/an idea, a vizion & tha advice that no school in America could ever teach. Claire Peeples, who inspired me to work hard, day after day, and iz one of tha hottest & brightest minds in tha radio bizness today. And to all tha mixshow DJz on tha HITS magazine conference call, az well az my man Ricky Leigh Mensh, who haz always looked after us DJz & treated everyone of us like we are tha greatest group of DJz in the world." Can ya just hear "Tha Vatican" givin it up for Jay right now-HMMMMM-MMMMMM! Congratz Jay!... So I, Ricky Leigh Mensh, do publicly apologize to my dear friends Tom "Tha Beak" Maffei, et al, @ Priority & Interscope's Kev Black, Ian Fletcher, hiz "stepdaddy" Steve Berman, et al, for my fukk-up misprint in last wk's Top 20 Spinz. #11 shoulda been tha Dre/Quik "Put it on Me" track from "Training Day," not Dre/Snoop's "The Wash" (Interscope), which you'll be getting 12z on in a sec. Maybe I need sportz therapy over tha Skinz' seazon & just fukked up... & az if Dre ain't gettin enuff pub & spinz, which he, of course, more than dezerves, he's #1 for tha third wk in a row on this wk's Commercial Radio Mix Show Conference Call, while Mobb Deep (LOUD) haz #1 locked down on tha unda for tha second wk in a row. Congratz also to new pix Warren G (Universal), Beanie Siegel (Roc-A-Fella/IDJ) & "Training Day"'s Pharoahe Monche (Priority), who makes tha biggg move way up into Commercial az he's now ready for regular ro. Look for Dre/Snoop, Jonell/Method Man (Def Jam), P. Diddy (Bad Boy/Arista), B2K rmx (Epic), Ice Cube (Priority), Jermaine Dupri/Ludacris (So So Def/Columbia/CRG) & Lina/Gang Starr (Atlantic) rmx to make conf. call status in a minute... Checked out tha Ray J rumor that made tha roundz via two-way about him takin hiz artist services to anutha label. It'z 100% Grade A false! He iz, however, free to produce for any artist on any label he cares to. Hiz dad Willie, who can SING & whoze inspirational LP "Bout It" (Atlantic) drops az you read, seemz to be havin sum unfair trouble w/a distributor claimin sum stores don't wanna carry it cuz of "nasty content in Ray J'z songs & videos." Iz that sum BULLSHIT OR WHAT! Willie'z LP haz a threesum w/Ray J & hiz grandpa & a duet w/Brandy, whoze own LP iz about done... This wk's "Ran-izm" from DJ Ran (WWF/Synd.) regarding "stiffz" that don't sell: "They're called S.H." Definition in a sec... Look for DJ Jelly (synd.) to guest on BET's "The Basement" in early 11/01... & how bout Kid Jay (Z90) doin mixes for tha Lakerz that get played before gametime when the world champs warm up? Can you say courtside seats, Jay?... If I'm bettin, Bad Boy's new distrib deal iz w/Sony... Did you email your Top 5 MCz of all-time to happy Skinz fan Stephen.Hill@BET.net or Kelly.Griffin@BET.net for their six hr. special airin' 11/24? Get it in... Happy Oct. Bdaze to Skillz (WIZF), Claudine (WQXA) & Choc'z (KPWR) "Lil Chockette" Amanda, who'll be six & "Lil Choc" Christian, who'z 10 & already crunchin' beetz like daddy, who joins Cypher Sounds mixin "Sound Bombing III" (Rawkus)... More Ray J: Ya gotta luv hiz rmx w/sis Brandy, Teddy Riley, Warren Campbell on guitar & Ray's boy Shorty Mac... Paul Bunyon (WHHH): "It'z dangerous to do tha conf. call & drive @ tha same time. Tha vibe waz so explosive, it cauzed a driving defect & I wrecked my fukkin car!" I think it happened when Ran came w/tha definition of "S.H," aka "Shelf-Hugger"...

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Ice Cube 5100 Bill Y'all" Priority

"Oshea Jackson iz back on tha scene talking about something he duzn't need... Hundred dolla bills!!!! Don't sleep on this record thinking that it'z regional!! Bang this joint... Don't make me come after ya!!"

wicked • kcaq



B2K "Uhh Huh" (Remix) Epic

"I like tha rmx. It'z bangin and I plan to put it in tha mix. I dig tha track. I think it'z gonna do well. Very radio-friendly ... "

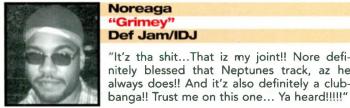
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Dungeon Family "Trans DF Express" Arista

"This record iz fukkin ridiculous!! Tha Dungeon Family started this shit down here in tha Dirty and they continue tha tradition of pumpin' out their own style of multi-Platinum flava... Follow tha leaders & jump on tha Trans DF!!!"

celo • wpgc



Def Jam/IDJ "It'z tha shit ... That iz my joint!! Nore definitely blessed that Neptunes track, az he always does!! And it'z also definitely a club-

mad linx • wtmp



Mobb Deep "Bum" LOUD

"Mobb Deep iz takin it back to tha essence with tha same grimey heat that established their sound! 'Burn' iz one of my top three records."

chino • kkfr



Kurupt f/Jon B "Sunshine" Antra/Artemis

"I love this record. Great 1-2 combination! Young Gotti & Jon B have tha formula to keep this hip-hop/R&B track bangin until tha new year!! Ricky Leigh... Lick tha balls!! I'm out!!!"

hideo • kkbt



Big Syke "Time Iz Money" D3 Ent.

"West Coast iz definitely reprezentin. It'z great to see a local artist make it into tha big time. Big Syke haz tha West Coast formula in hiz roots. This collaboration w/Quik, E40 and Big Syke iz gonna make u get your walk on!"





Pharoahe Monch "Got You" ("Training Day" sndtrk.) Priority

"This joint iz crazy! Pharoahe brings heat with infectious lyrix over a hip-hop track that breaks tha mold!"

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Peekskill the Windy City? Tootie Does Facts on Chicago Radio

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Snoop Dogg Torn Between Rap, Burgeoning Acting Career and Basketball Aspirations

Actress Kim Fields joins WGCI-FM Chicago's "Crazy" Howard McGhee morning show as a fill-in for entertainment reporter Nikki Woods, who is on maternity leave... WERQ-FM Baltimore middayer Egypt exits. She is currently host of "The Source Soundlab." No info on her plans. Also at WERQ, Alison Esprit joins the "Big Phat Morning Show" as its international "Q-respondent"... Brandi Shannon exits middays at WJHM-FM Orlando... Jammin' Jay Michaels has been named PD for WJIZ-FM Albany. He replaces Precious Paul, who remains in the night slot. Middayer Geo has been named APD. Jammin' Jay seeks part-time Quiet Storm host. T&R to: Jammin Jay, 809 S. Westover Blvd., Albany, GA

31707. No calls ... Radio One flips WEGF-FM Atlanta to Gospel ... The Million Dollar Black College Radio & Music Conference 2002 will be held 3/15-17 at the Radisson Hotel Atlanta South. This year's theme: "Making It Happen While Keeping It Real" Honorees include WHTA-FM PD Atlanta PD Jerry "Smokin" B and WVEE-FM Atlanta MD Tosha Love ... Larry Steele exits his PD and afternoon duties at WTMP-AM Tampa ... EZ Street exits his late-night shift at WPOW-FM Miami... Rap pioneer Afrika Bambaataa announces November 2001 will be recognized as "Hip-Hop History Month." In addition, the Universal Zulu Nation will celebrate its 27th Hip-Hop Culture Anniversary in November ... Buck Wilde and Afrika return to WBHJ-FM Birmingham to do mornings... Franklin Capital and Sunshine Wireless have purchased the assets of Winstar Radio Networks, Global Media and Winstar Radio Productions for \$6.25 million. Change Technology Partners, a public company that invests and manages technology and media companies, provided \$2.25 million of senior financing for the deal. Investors plan to change the name to Excelsior Radio Networks... It's official, Tyrese has signed to J Records. His J debut is expected next year ... Wyclef Jean, Macy Gray, City High, B.B. King, Stevie Wonder and more will appear on "A Very Special Christmas" (Interscope) CD, due out 11/06 ... Actor Steven Seagal teams with Ja Rule and Kurupt (Wassup with Blaque's



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Egypt: Sails From WERQ To Find "The Source" Natina? Is there a "crib" in the future, Kurupt?) for 2002 release of Screen Gems' "Half Past Dead." Also, check for Seagal alongside Nas and TLC's Chilli in the straight-to-video "Ticker"... NetRadio Corp has shut down broadcast operations of its 100-channel Internet radio service, due to financial constraints. Expect wholesale staff layoffs... Cash Money Records has launched Cash Money Pictures film division. CEOs Ronald "Slim" Williams and Bryan "Baby" Williams will executive-produce the company's films, and actor Charles S. Dutton will consult. Tyger Williams, screenwriter of "Menace II Society," has adapted Teri Woods' novel 'True to the Game" for the com-

pany's first project ... The Grammy Awards will be held in Los Angeles on 2/27/02 at the Staples Center... Master P will release his 10th solo LP "Game Face," 12/18 on his new label New No Limit label. It will be distributed by Universal Music Group. MTV2 and Vibe Magazine will present "Sisters for Hip-Hop & Soul Tour" with headliners India.Arie and Mystic. The tour kicks off 11/08 in Philadelphia, with proceeds to benefit the United Way's "9/11 Fund" ... Check for the holiday release of Jay-Z's "Girls, Girls, Girls" (Roc-A-Fella) remix with Michael Jackson on the hook slated for the holidays. In related news, Jay-Z pled guilty to assault charges on Lance "Un" Rivera in a New York nightclub in December 1999. He will receive three years probation ... Add Destiny's Child to the list of top entertainers who have cancelled their European tours because of concerns over security... Ja Rule signs an exclusive world-wide song publishing deal with Universal Music Publishing ... MIDEM 2002 will be held at The Riviera, Cannes, France from 1/20-24. MIDEM is an entry point for negotiating world-wide recording contracts for indie labels and unsigned artists... Xzibit's DVD "Restless Xposed" (Loud), a behind-the-scenes look at the making of his "Restless" album. Due 12/11... Kool Moe D goes back to his original name, Mohandas Dewese, and will star in "The New Guy" movie, co-starring Eddie Griffin and Jermaine Dupri. Release date: 11/16...

The Top Thirty

Week Of October 26, 2001 LW ARTIST TITLE LABEL 2W TW 6 3 USHER Arista U Got It Bad 3 2 AALIYAH Blackground Rock The Boat 2 MARY J. BLIGE MCA Family Affair PETEY PABLO 4 Jive Raise Up JA RULE Murder Inc./IDJ 5 5 Livin' It Up 1 GINUWINE Epic Differences 7 **BUBBA SPARXXX** Beat Club/Interscope Ugly MAXWELL 10 Columbia/CRG 8 Lifetime JAY-Z 18 15 Roc-A-Fella/IDJ Girls, Girls, Girls FAITH EVANS Bad Boy/Arista 16 13 You Gets No Love FABOLOUS Elektra/EEG 12 9 Can't Deny It 9 JENNIFER LOPEZ Epic 10 12 I'm Real 8 **R. KELLY** Jive Feelin' On Yo Booty **CITY HIGH** BB/Interscope 21 18 Caramel 17 16 **BRIAN MCKNIGHT** Motown Love Of My Life MICHAEL JACKSON 14 14 Epic You Rock My World 19 Bad Boy/Arista 19 112 Dance With Me 11 12 JAY-Z Roc-A-Fella/IDJ 18 Izzo (H.O.V.A.) DMX Def Jam/IDJ 28 23 Who We Be 13 17 20 TRICK DADDY S-N-S/Atlantic/Atl G I'm A Thug JAGGED EDGE So So Def/Col/CRG 15 20 21 Where The Party At NELLY Priority/Capitol 25 24 20 21 23 ALICIA KEYS **J** Records Fallin' **ISLEY BROTHERS DreamWorks** 22 22 24 Contagious JAGGED EDGE So So Def/Col/CRG 30 29 Goodbye **DESTINY'S CHILD** Columbia/CRG 27 26 Emotion ALICIA KEYS J Records DEBUT 27 A Woman's Worth 28 MARIAH CAREY Virgin 29 Don't Stop FAT JOE/R. KELLY Atlantic/Atl G 30 We Thuggin' P. DIDDY Bad Boy/Arista DEBUT 30 Diddy

Vern Catron:

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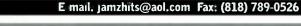
Learned His ABC Radio Network On-The-Job Talk about being thrown into the fire, ABC Radio Network's Vern Catron started his brand-spankin' new Urban Operations Director gig a week before the World Trade Center tragedy, throwing him into action with zero warning. Catron, former PD at Urban Adult WLVH-

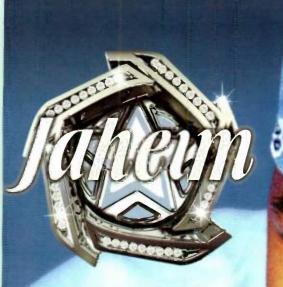
Gary Jackson

FM Norfolk, had a full plate that fateful week: "With a station, you're focused on one audience and one market. With the "Tom Joyner Morning Show," I've got 118 PDs with 118 theories of how the show

should run. I deal directly with Tom's show, our classic R&B format called 'The Touch', 'Rejoice,' which is our gospel format and 'The Tavis Smiley Report.' These are shows that are unique within their own markets." How did Catron hold up under the intense pressure of the WTC? "Fortunately, ABC Radio knew exactly what to do. For the most part, everything went smoothly. Like everything else, nobody had experienced anything like this before, so there were areas when you think, 'Wow, what do I do?' But the situation was handled very well, from the affiliate end and all the formats. We had the sources, so we used the sources. Tom Joyner used sources that were different from ABC's. He had people on the air like Al Sharpton, Jesse Jackson, Allen Toussaint. It was something that radio responded to very well. As far as myself, I learned quite a bit those few days. Hopefully, it'll never happen again, but if it did, I would have a better idea of how things work, that's for sure. That certainly was on-the-job training!"... My Love/Hate Relationship: How hot was it in Los Angeles last week? Hot enough to have my score keep up with the triple-digit temps! Can't imagine the inner strength and resolve it took Universal's vacationing Carter Russell and brother Clifford, from Arista Records, great golfers in their own rite, to contain their laughter over every shot I took at the extremely difficult Robinson Ranch Golf Course last week. I'll be back, but will my game? Stay tuned ... Ol' Dirty Bastard, who has his own, real trials and tribulations, will release "The Trials And Tribulations Of Russell Jones" (D3) in March. First single: the hot "Dirty Stinking," featuring Method Man. Look for it at the turn of the year... Disappointing: Remember Latrelle, whose single "Dirty Girl" (Arista) blew us away in a recent music meeting? Well, fugetaboudit. Ain't coming out, despite the belief that this could go all the way. If radio, always the anarchist, decides to play it, then perhaps it'll force Lionel Ridenour's hand by letting listeners judge... Hot Songs: Dr. Dre's "Put It On Me" (Priority); LaToiya Williams' "Can't Get It Back" (Priority); Cadillac Tah's "Just Like A Thug" (Murder Inc./Def Jam) Gerald Levert's "Made To Love You" (Elektra); West Coast Bad Boys' "Pop Lockin' It" (No Limit/Priority). This features E40, Daz Dillinger, Snoop Dogg, Tre D, Master P and Silkk Tha Shocker; Fat Joe's "We Thuggin'," featuring R. Kelly (Atlantic); Maurice J's "Say You Will" (Phoenix Entertainment). A great song. If you don't have it, call (313) 962-5100 for service.

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2 3 4	JAY-Z	Songs In A Minor	Roc-A-Fella/IDJ				
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17 21 21	ISLEY BROTH	Born To Sing IERS Eternal	DreamWorks				
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23 26 24	JANET JACKS		Virgin				
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Based Primarily On Retail Sales

Now Ya Know

Eileen Nathaniel APD/MD, WHRK/KJMS/WDIA Memphis

Eileen Nathaniel began her pursuit of a radio career at Memphis State University's jazz station WSMS-FM in 1987. After gradu-

ating, Nathaniel worked in "corporate America" from 1989-94, all the while submitting tapes to WDIA-FM Memphis. She boldly called PD Bobby O'Jay on the request line, and bluntly requested an interview. A few days later, she did a trial run with night-timer Fred Moore, and a week later she was on part-time, and three weeks later had a full-time shift. Having accomplished her on-air goal. Nathaniel wanted to learn more about radio, so she sopped up programming knowledge, including Selector, and was promoted to Production Assistant in 1995 and then MD/APD in 1996 of WHRK-FM, WDIA, and KJMS-FM. Nathaniel admits, "I have the best of both worlds because I am the APD for WHRK, KJMS and WDIA. I work under two different PDs: Bobby from the old school, and Nate Bell from the new school. They have totally different ways of programming. Bobby goes with his gut, and Nate goes with research. We combine the two and it works." Shout-Outs: "My new husband, Anthony, my mentor Bobby O'Jay, who gave me the opportunity to get into commercial radio and be open for me to pick his brain, and Nate Bell, who showed me the aggressive side of programming."-Moneé Perry

Urban Voices

Shellie Hart OM, KUBE-FM Seattle Jay-Z "Girls, Girls, Girls" Roc-A-Fella/Def Jam



"This song is blowing up faster than we can play it. It's a # l club record, # l phones, as well as a Top 5 callout."



Alli Fox PD, WJNZ-AM Grand Rapids Glenn Lewis "Don't You Forget It" Epic

"I'll keep picking it until cats stop sleeping! Top phones!"

Jay Love MD, WJHM-FM Orlando Janet Jackson f/Missy Elliot & P. Diddy "Son Of A Gun (Betcha Think This Song Is About You)"

"I was vibing to this in the music meeting and I didn't even think it was Janet. When I found out who it was, I was like 'Damn, that's Janet?'

This single is a winner, a true female hit."





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3. DIANA KRALL

2. GOD BLESS AMERICA

OST TOP 5's

WINNERS

- 1. OZZY OSBOURNE
- 2. GOD BLESS AMERICA
- 3. JA RULE

MOST TOP 10

- 1. OZZY OSBOURNE
- 2. JA RULE
- 3. NICKELBACK

WHEREHOUSE KEVIN MILLIGAN 420 Retail Stores MUSIC (Torrance)

WHEREHOUSE MUSIC

- 1. JA RULE
- **OZZY OSBOURNE** 2.
- LINKIN PARK 3.
- 4. **BUBBA SPARXXX**
- 5. JAY-Z
- NICKELBACK 6.
- 7. USHER
- 8. SYSTEM OF A DOWN
- 9. ENYA
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GEORGE MEYER 42 Retail Stores (New Jersey)

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 - 3. JAY-Z
 - 4. USHER

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- ANDREA BOCELLI OZZY OSBOURNE 5.
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- 7. AALIYAH
- LOUIE DEVITO PRESENTS ... 8.
- 9. **MR. CHEEKS**
- LINKIN PARK 10.



SAM CASS 4000+ Accounts (Philadelphia)

UNIVERSAL ONE-STOP OZZY OSBOURNE 1.

- **MR. CHEEKS** 2.
- 3. **TOTALLY HITS 2001**
- 4. JAY-7
- 5. GOD BLESS AMERICA (VAR)
- 6. USHER
- 7. NICKELBACK
- 8. JA RULE
- 9 SYSTEM OF A DOWN
- 10. LINKIN PARK



LEW GARRETT 10,000 Accounts (Woodland)

VALLEY MEDIA

- GOD BLESS AMERICA (VAR) 1.
- **OZZY OSBOURNE** 2.
- 3. JOHN MELLENCAMP
- 4. LOUIE DEVITO PRESENTS
- ANDREA BOCELLI 5.
- NEW ORDER 6.
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- 8. **MR. CHEEKS**
- DIANA KRALL 9.
- JA RULE 10.



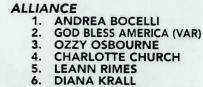
DOUG SMITH **189 Retail Stores** (Pittsburgh)

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- 1. JA RULE
- NICKELBACK 2.
- **OZZY OSBOURNE** 3
- 4. LINKIN PARK
- 5. JAY-Z
- SYSTEM OF A DOWN 6.

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- ENYA 7.
- 8. USHER
- 9. **BUBBA SPARXXX**
- 10. P.O.D.



AEC ONE STOP GROUP 10,000 Accounts

- 7. JOHN MELLENCAMP
- 8. **BOB DYLAN**
- GARBAGE 9
- 10. ALICIA KEYS

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BRANT BERRY 132 Retail Stores (Portland)

VINCE SZYDLOWSKI

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(Los Angeles)

TONY BAZEMORE

(Coral Springs, FL)

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JA RULE

GARBAGE





BOB PATTEN THE MUSIC NETWORK 400 Accounts (Atlanta)

MUSIC NETWORK

- **GREG STREET** 1.
- 2. **BUBBA SPARXXX**
- 3. **MR. CHEEKS**
- ON THE LINE (ST) 4.
- 5 USHER
- 6. **JA RULE**
- 7. JAY-Z
- 8. T.I.
- **OZZY OSBOURNE** 9.
- GOD BLESS AMERICA (VAR) 10.



ED CARVAN **1 Retail Store** (Los Angeles)

ARONS

- FUGAZI 1.
- THE STROKES 2.
- NEW ORDER 3.
- DEATH CAB FOR CUTIE 4.
- WHITE STRIPES 5
- LEONARD COHEN 6.
- FAINT 7.
- **BOB DYLAN** 8.
- RYAN ADAMS 9.
- GARBAGE 10

BAKER & TAYLOR STEVE HARKINS 5,000 Accounts AUDIO (Charlotte,NC)

BAKER & TAYLOR

- 1. JOHN MELLENCAMP
 - JAY-Z 2.
 - JA RULE 3.
 - **BUBBA SPARXXX** 4
 - **OZZY OSBOURNE** 5.
 - USHER 6.
 - SYSTEM OF A DOWN 7.
 - NICKELBACK 8.
 - 9. **LINKIN PARK**
- 10. 2PAC

TONY ROSS CENTRAL SOUTH 1500 Accounts **MUSIC SALES** (Nashville)

CENTRAL SOUTH

- 1. BUBBA SPARXXX
- 2. JEFF MAJORS
- 3 USHER
- **TOTALLY HITS 2001** 4.
- 5. ENYA
- JA RULE 6.
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- JAY-Z 8.

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- **LINKIN PARK** 10.



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- OZZY OSBOURNE
- 2. JOHN MELLENCAMP
- LOUIE DEVITO PRESENTS. 3.
- 4. GOD BLESS AMERICA (VAR)
- NEW ORDER 5.
- **40 BELOW SUMMER** 6.
- 7. LIT
- 8. NICKELBACK
- ANDREA BOCELLI 9.
- SYSTEM OF A DOWN 10



CHRIS WESTER **4 Retail Stores** (Mpls)

DAVID LANG

10 Retail Stores

(South Plainfield, NJ)

JOHN KUNZ

1 Retail Store

AARON STANLEY

SHANNON LUMMETTA

MICHAEL PHILLIPS

Accounts (Raleigh)

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200 One-Stop

(Ann Arbor)

4 Retail Stores

(Sacramento)

(Austin,TX)

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OZZY OSBOURNE

TRAINING DAY (ST)

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RYAN ADAMS

JAY FARRAR **BEN FOLDS**

BOB DYLAN

JUMP LITTLE CHILDREN

BOB DYLAN

ANDREA BOCELLI DIANA KRALL

CHARLOTTE CHURCH

JOHN MELLENCAMP

TOTALLY HITS 2001

GOD BLESS AMERICA (VAR)

SYSTEM OF A DOWN

BOB SCHNEIDER

ROBERT EARL KEEN

DOWN IN THE VALLEY

- JOHN MELLENCAMP 1. 2. **OZZY OSBOURNE**
- SYSTEM OF A DOWN 3.
- NICKELBACK 4.
- 5. DREAM THEATER
- P.O.D.
- 6. 7. **ENYA**
- JA RULE 8.
- **BUBBA SPARXXX** 9.
- WEEZER 10.



MIKE FRATT 7 Retail Stores (Omaha)

HOMER'S

- **OZZY OSBOURNE** 1.
- SYSTEM OF A DOWN 2.
- NICKELBACK 3.
- LINKIN PARK 4.
- 5. **KOTTONMOUTH KINGS**
- **JA RULE** 6.
- JOHN MELLENCAMP 7.
- **TENACIOUS D** 8.
- BUBBA SPARXXX 9.
- 10. **NEW ORDER**

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(Boston)

NEWBURY COMICS

- **OZZY OSBOURNE** 1.
- NICKELBACK 2.
- SYSTEM OF A DOWN 3.
- 4. **LINKIN PARK**
- 5. LOUIE DEVITO PRESENTS ...
- 6. **NEW ORDER**

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JOHN MELLENCAMP 7.

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WINNERS

1	GOD BLESS AMERICA (Var)	(Col/CRG 86300)	82%	6	NEW ORDER	(WB 89621)	36%
2	OZZY OSBOURNE	(Epic 63580)	74%	7	FUGAZI	(Dischord 130)	30%
3	ANDREA BOCELLI	(Phillips 589341)	68%	8	LYRICIST LOUNGE/UNDER. (Var)	(MIC Media 470101)	14%
4	JOHN MELLENCAMP	(Col/CRG 85098)	56%	9	MR. CHEEKS	(Universal 014 929)	12%
5	LIT	(RCA 680 8 6)	40%	10	THE STROKES	(RCA 68101)	11%

ARON'S RECORDS ED CANAVAN / LOS ANGELES

Fugazi New Order Death Cab For Cutie Ozzy Osbourne

ASSOCIATED BOB FENTY / PHOENIX Bones (ST) Nickelback Coo Coo Cal

BAKER & TAYLOR STEVE HARKINS / CHARLOTTE

John Mellencamp Ozzy Osbourne Mr. Cheeks Red Star Sounds V.1 Mullholand Dr. (ST)

BORDERS BOOKS & MUSIC CHRIS RICHARDS / ANN ARBOR, HQ

Andrea Bocelli God Bless America (Var) John Mellencamp Yo-Yo Ma Ozzy Osbourne New Order Billy Joel

CAT'S STEPHEN BOWEN / KNOXVILLE O'Jays Kane & Abel T.I. Trace Adkins Bones (ST) Alice Cooper

CD WORLD

AMY GILBERT / S. PLAINFIELD, NJ Ozzy Osbourne John Mellencamp God Bless America (Var) New Order 40 Below Summer Lit Andrea Bocelli

CENTRAL SOUTH TONY ROSS / NASHVILLE

Ozzy Osbourne God Bless America (Var) John Mellencamp Trace Adkins

CHESTER CNTY BOOK & MUSIC JASON SHEAFER / WESTCHESTER, PA God Bless America (Var) Ozzy Osbourne New Order John Mellencamp Fugazi The strokes Mr. Cheeks

CROW'S NEST TODD HUPE / CHICAGO

Ozzy Osbourne John Mellencamp New Order Fugazi The strokes

DESIRABLE DISC DAVE HAUPT / DETROIT

Fugazi Ozzy Osbourne The strokes Lit Sloan Bruce Dickinson De Facto

DIMPLES AARON STANELY / SACRAMENTO

Ozzy Osbourne God Bless America (Var) John Mellencamp Bones (ST) Enya Oysterhead

DISCOUNT RECORDS ROB FISHBACK / CHICAGO

John Mellencamp Ozzy Osbourne God Bless America (Var) Training Day (ST) Lit New Order

DOWN IN THE VALLEY CHRIS WESTER / MINNEAPOLIS

John Mellencamp Ozzy Osbourne Kottonmouth Kings New Order

ELECTRIC FETUS JACK "JD" DIRT / MINNEAPOLIS

New Order Fugazi John Mellencamp Lyricist Lounge/Underground (Var) Kenny Lattimore Sloan

FACE THE MUSIC CRAIG COTTEN / MINNEAPOLIS

Özzy Osbourne God Bless America (Var) New Order Lit John Mayer

FAT BEATS DJ ECLIPSE / NEW YORK

Freestyle Fellowship DJ Babu Fat Joe Yesterday's New Quintet Jazo

FRED MEYER BRANT BERRY / PORTLAND

God Bless America (Var) Ozzy Osbourne John Mellencamp On The Line (ST) Michelle Branch Andrea Bocelli

HARMONY HOUSE SANDY BEAN / DETROIT

Ozzy Osbourne God Bless America (Var) Andrea Bocelli Busta Rhymes Lit New Order

HOMER'S MIKE FRATT / OMAHA

Ozzy Osbourne John Mellencamp New Order God Bless America (Var) Fugazi Pomeroy Cheshire Grin

INDEPENDENT REC JUDY NEGLEY / COL SPGS

Ozzy Osbourne Lyricist Lounge/Underground (Var) Fugazi New Order

LOU'S RECORDS TONY VICK / ENCINITAS

Mike Kneally Fugazi New Order Pinback Ozzy Osbourne Le Tigre

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CHUCK SHOUP / ST. LOUIS Ozzy Osbourne John Mellencamp God Bless America (Var)



HOT NEW OR RESURGING ALBUMS AS REPORTED BY THE NATION'S LEADING RECORD MERCHANDISERS

MUSIC NETWORK MELANIE JEANFILS / ATLANTA

Greg Street On The Line (ST) Ozzy Osbourne God Bless America (Var) Lit Andrea Bocelli New Order

NATIONAL RECORD MART DOUG SMITH / PITTSBURGH

Ozzy Osbourne God Bless America (Var) Andrea Bocelli John Mellencamp Lit Mr. Cheeks

NEWBURY COMICS HAROLD LEPIDUS / BOSTON

Ozzy Osbourne Fugazi New Order John Mellencamp Louie Devito Presents 4 (Var) Lit

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Ozzy Osbourne John Mellencamp Lit Lyricist Lounge/Underground (Var) On The Line (ST)

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1	CREED	My Sacrifice	(Wind-Up)	6	JEWEL	Standing Still	(Atl/Atl G)
2	PINK	Get The Party Started	(Arista)	7	USHER	U Got It Bad	(Arista)
3	EVAN & JARON	The Distance	(Columbia/CRG)	8	LENNY KRAVITZ	Dig In	(Virg in)
4	NICKELBACK	How You Remind Me	(Roadrunner/IDJ)	9	JANET	Son Of A Gun	(Virgin)
5	SMASH MOUTH	Pacific Coast Party	(Interscope)	10	JA RULÉ	Livin' It Up	(Murder Inc./IDJ)

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DEEYA KPEK/ALBUQUERQUE Creed/L Kravitz

SCRAPPY KPTY/PHOENIX NB Ridaz/Pink/Latrelle

E-MAN KPWR/LOS ANGELES Mack 10/Dr. Dre & Snoop/Ludacris/Latrelle

ORLANDO WLLD/TAMPA B Spears/Fabolous

KRAIMER WMBZ/MEMPHIS Creed/Travis/L Dawn

JO JO WXSS/MILWAUKEE Usher/Pink

JIM ALLEN WDJX/LOUISVILLE Usher/L Rimes/J Rule/Nickelback

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JAMES BAKER KBIG/LOS ANGELES Enrique/BS Boys CHAD BENNETT KKPN/CORPUS CHRISTI Pink/C Miller/AS Tribute

KAREN BLACK WRTS/ERIE, PA B Sparxxx/Pink/Nickelback

TOMMY BODEAN Z104/MADISON Goran

JT BOSCH WKSI/GREENSBORO Nickelback/D Child

DAN BOWEN WSTR/ATLANTA Jewel/L Kravitz

ERIN BRISTOL WMT/CEDAR RAPIDS Creed/Cure

CHRIS CALLOWAY KQ'D/ALEXANDRIA Usher/Creed/E & Jaron

JOHN CANDELARIA KPRR/EL PASO Timbaland/Janet/D Child

AJ CARLISLE KVUU/COLORADO SPRINGS Nickelback/Stereophonics/D Matthews

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HITMAN HAZE KHTS/SAN DIEGO Janet/R. Kelly

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This Friday (10/26) could be a pivotal one for Eric Weisman's Alliance Entertainment merger/acquisition talks with Valley Media. The first, and seemingly biggest, hurdle looks like it will be solved. It has become clear that the majors now will indeed take the necessary 50%-60% haircut on the debt owed them by Valley. Although the details are still being worked out, there's little question in anyone's mind that it will be solved. As one distribution topper put it: "I don't know what all the drama was about. This needed to get done." But there's apparently still more that needs to happen before they can proceed. Valley's solvency is still in question. VM has been on a cash-only basis with the majors for months. There is a 60-day window between the time a letter of intent is signed and the deal could be consummated, and those two months just happen to be November and December, the busiest of the year. Will Valley have enough cash on hand to make it through

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the process? If their current senior lender Congress Financial doesn't pony up more credit, Valley won't make it. They could slip into Chapter 11 before escrow closed, and in doing so, guash the deal. Stay tuned... Jive Records has raised retail eyebrows with its Direct Response TV campaign for the upcoming Backstreet Boys Greatest Hits package due in stores 10/30. For the last few years, retailers have come to accept CDs being pre-sold on TV, and to actually welcome the practice. Before the advent of the gargantuan success of the "NOW" series, the retail community loathed the thought of consumers being offered product on TV before it was available in stores, feeling it was an "uneven playing field." They thought it was unfair and cut into potential sales. But post-"NOW," retailers have changed their thinking. Expensive TV campaigns have had a phenomenally positive impact on subsequent retail sales, and the Direct Response aspect helps defer the costs of TV advertising that the labels would otherwise not be able to afford. However, Jive is offering a "value-added" re-mix CD available only through TV and retailers are none too happy about it, telling us that they are more or less being told to like it or not by Jive, one of the hottest labels in the country over the past four years. But as one retailer put it: "No one stays hot forever. And at some point, they are going to come to us for a favor.'



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	THIS WEEK	C	Luts That I	mpact Album Sales
V V V	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	COMMENTS
2 2 1	ENYA	ONLY TIME	Reprise N/A	MTV, VH1, LP #1 monsterous at the racks radio smash
1 1 2	JA RULE	LIVIN IT UP	Murder Inc./IDJ N/A	#1 MTV, BET, Top 40, X-over, phones, hot LP sales
3 3 3	NICKELBACK	HOW YOU REMIND ME	RoadRunner/IDJ N/A	
4	OZZY OSBOURNE	GETS ME THROUGH	Epic N/A	Great first week on LP, MTV, MTV2, A. Rock airplay, fanbase
6 6 5	LINKIN PARK	CRAWLING	Warner Bros. N/A	Still has tons of air, "In The End" now
- 4 6	BUBBA SPARXXX	UGLY	B. Club/Interscope N/A	BET, MTV, MTV2, X-over, RAP, phones, hot new LP
10 7 7	SYSTEM OF A DOWN	CHOP SUEY	American/Col/CRG N/A	
	ALL-STAR TRIBUTE	WHAT'S GOING ON	Columbia/CRG N/A	Featuring Britney, Bono, J.Lo, Nelly etc, MTV, radio
5 9 9	ALICIA KEYS	FALLIN'	J Records N/A	Still has tons of radio, hot LP, "A Woman's Worth" next
23 13 10	USHER	U GOT IT BAD	Arista N/A	LP getting even bigger, MTV, BET, hot at radio
7 8 11	P.O.D.	ALIVE	Atlantic/Atl G N/A	MTV, MTV2, Top 40, PoMo, and Active Rock, LP over a million
8 10 12	STAIND	IT'S BEEN A WHILE	Flip/Elektra/EEG N/A	Still Top 40 radio, "Fade" now, LP around 4 million now
9 11 13	MARY J. BLIGE	FAMILY AFFAIR	MCA N/A	MTV, MTV2, VH1, BET, Top 40, X-over, LP selling
11 12 14	USHER	U REMIND ME	Arista 858772	LP still gigantic, VH1, BET, JAMZ, X-over, hot phones
17 16 15	NELLY FURTADO	TURN OFF THE LIGHT	DreamWorks N/A	Top 40, MTV, MTV2, VH1, phones, LP over a million
13 18 16	NSYNC	GONE	Jive N/A	Heavy MTV, Top 40, Radio Disney, LP selling
4 5 17	JAY-Z	IZZO (H.O.V.A.)	Roc-A-Fella/IDJ N/A	Still huge at radio w/requests, hot LP, BET, "Girls" next
<u> </u>	JOHN MELLENCAMP	PEACEFUL WORLD	Columbia/CRG N/A	Hot 1st week sales, MTV, VH1, lot's of airplay
19 23 19	AALIYAH	ROCK THE BOAT	Blackground N/A	Radio smash, requests, steady LP sales
26 25 20	STAIND	FADE	Flip/Elektra/EEG N/A	LP passing 4 mil, MTV, MTV2, VH1, PoMo and Active Rock
21 19 21	ELTON JOHN	I WANT LOVE	Rocket/Universal N/A	VH1, Top 40, Hot A/C, new LP selling
15 20 22	ALIEN ANT FARM	SMOOTH CRIMINAL		VH1, Top 40, PoMo, phones, Platinum-plus LP
12 14 23	JENNIFER LOPEZ	I'M REAL	-	Top 40, X-over, phones, MTV, BET, multi-Platinum LP
18 15 24	PUDDLE OF MUDD	CONTROL		MTV, MTV2, Active Rock, PoMo, Top 40, requests, breaking LP
14 21 25	MAXWELL	LIFETIME		MTV, BET, VH1, X-over, JAMZ, phones, LP selling

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34	24	26	NELLY	#1	Priority/Capitol N/A	"Training Day" (ST), #3 movie, BET, MTV, Top 40 & X-over
20	22	27	GORILLAZ	CLINT EASTWOOD	Parlophone/Virgin N/A	VH1, MTV, PoMo, Top 40, phones, LP sells, "19-2000" next
33	28	28	GINUWINE	DIFFERENCES	Epic N/A	Solid LP, Top 40, X-over, VH1, JAMZ, BET, MTV, MTV2
16	17	29	FABOLOUS	CAN'T DENY IT	DS/Elektra/EEG N/A	Features Nate Dogg, X-over, RAP, MTV, MTV2, BET, LP selling
25	26	30	SUM 41	FAT LIP	Island/IDJ N/A	Still valuable on the way down, "In Too Deep" now
36	32	31	U2	STUCK IN A MOMENT	Interscope N/A	Platinum-plus LP, Top 40, PoMo, MTV2, MTV, VH1, phones
22	27	32	DISTURBED	DOWN WITH THE	Giant/Reprise N/A	Top 40, A.Rock, PoMo, multi-Platinum LP, MTV
27	29	33	AFROMAN	BECAUSE I GOT HIGH	Universal N/A	Top 40, X-over, BET, still has phones and LP sells
38	35	34	MICHELLE BRANCH	EVERYWHERE	Maverick N/A	Top 40, Hot A/C, Mod A/C, MTV, VH1, phones, developing LP
_	_	35	LIT	LIPSTICK AND BRUISES	RCA N/A	MTV2. MTV. PoMo. Active Rock, breaking LP
39	36	36	DESTINY'S CHILD	EMOTION	Columbia/CRG N/A	MTV, BET, VH1, X-over, Top 40, multi-Platinum LP
30	34	37	ISLEY BROTHERS	CONTAGIOUS	DreamWorks N/A	Top 40, JAMZ, X-over, VH1, BET, requests, Platinum LP
_	_	38	JAY-Z	GIRLS, GIRLS, GIRLS	Roc-A-Fella/IDJ N/A	Follow up to smash, MTV, BET, radio, phones, LP sales
42	40	39	BRIAN MCKNIGHT	LOVE OF MY LIFE	Motown N/A	Platinum-plus LP, BET, VH1, JAMZ, X-over, Top 40, phones
24	31	40	MARIAH CAREY	NEVER TOO FAR	Virgin N/A	MTV, BET, VH1, radio, "Don't Stop" feat Mystikal now
45	43	41	FIVE FOR FIGHTING	SUPERMAN	Aware/Col/CRG N/A	MTV, MTV2, VH1, Top 40, Hot A/C, developing LP, requests
32	37	42	MACY GRAY	SWEET BABY	Epic N/A	Features Erykah Badu, Top 40, VH1, MTV, MTV2, LP selling
35	33	43	TRICK DADDY	I'M A THUG	SS/Atl/Atl G N/A	MTV, BET, JAMZ, X-over, Top 40, phones, LP sells
37	39	44	WEEZER	ISLAND IN THE SUN	Geffen/Interscope N/A	Top 40 & PoMo radio, MTV, MTV2, LP selling, phones
_	_	45	TRAIN	SOMETHING MORE	Columbia/CRG N/A	Second single from Platinum LP, VH1, APM
28	30	46	LIVE	OVERCOME	RadioActive N/A	PoMo and Active Rock, VH1, from new LP
		47	THE STROKES	LAST NITE	RCA N/A	MTV (Buzzworthy.com), PoMo and Active Rock air, LP selling
31	38	48	TRAIN	DROPS OF JUPITER	Columbia/CRG N/A	On the way out now, Platinum LP, "Something More" now
43	46	49	CRAIG DAVID	FILL ME IN	WS/Atl/Atl G 88101	Still has some Top 40, and VH1, "7 Days" next up
41	45	50	JANET JACKSON	SOMEONE TO CALL	Virgin 38799	LP continues selling, Top 40, X-over, MTV, BET

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46	31	NICKELBACK	HOW YOU REMIND ME	ROADRUNNER/IDJ	3423	1242	22	170
36	32	JA RULE	LIVIN' IT UP	MURDER INC./IDJ	3290	1816	15	120
30	33	ALL-STAR TRIBUTE	WHAT'S GOING ON	COLUMBIA/CRG	3273	1334	2	105
37	34	LENNY KRAVITZ	DIG IN	VIRGIN	3130	1067	13	178
33	35	MISSY ELLIOTT	ONE MINUTE MAN	GM/ELEKTRA/EEG	2995	1259	3	109
41	36	JEWEL	STANDING STILL	ATLANTIC/ATL G	2973	1216	4	164
23	37	JANET	SOMEONE TO CALL	VIRGIN	2923	948	3	96
27	38	L.F.O.	EVERY OTHER TIME	J RECORDS	2873	1097	0	79
32	39	DAVE MATTHEWS BAND	SPACE BETWEEN	RCA	2789	1185	0	87
35	40	INCUBUS	DRIVE	IMMORTAL/EPIC	2763	1253	0	81
44	41	USHER	U GOT IT BAD	ARISTA	2703	1531	18	81
43	42	BUBBA SPARXXX	UGLY	BEAT CLUB/INTERSCOPE	2365	1307	28	98
50	43	O-TOWN	WE FIT TOGETHER	J RECORDS	2144	626	8	111
42	44	FABOLOUS f/NATE DOGG	CAN'T DENY IT	DS/ELEKTRA/EEG	2114	1104	2	44
48	45	112	DANCE WITH ME	BAD BOY/ARISTA	2001	1041	3	51
39	46	MATCHBOX TWENTY	LAST BEAUTIFUL GIRL	LAVA/ATL/ATL G	1964	722	1	96
51	47	TRAIN	SOMETHING MORE	COLUMBIA/CRG	1938	591	6	122
57	48	CITY HIGH	CARAMEL	BB/INTERSCOPE	1871	1039	6	63
_	49	SMASH MOUTH	PACIFIC COAST PARTY	INTERSCOPE	1849	597	7	138
38	50	SMASH MOUTH	I'M A BELIEVER	DW/INTERSCOPE	1839	766	0	65
56	51	SUGAR RAY	ANSWER THE PHONE	LAVA/ATL/ATL G	1808	575	6	124
53	52	NELLY	#1	PRIORITY/CAPITOL	1764	774	11	79
49	53	FUEL	BAD DAY	EPIC	1614	760	0	47
_!	54	LIFEHOUSE	BREATHING	DREAMWORKS	1493	407	4	109

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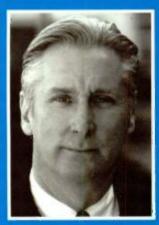
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LW	тw	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	HOTS	INCL	UDING		%
1	1	BACKSTREET BOYS	Drowning	Jive	46	WXSS WAOA	KHTS WQGN	WNOU WKXJ	28
5	2	ENRIQUE	Hero	Interscope	45	B96 WAEZ	WFLZ WSNE	98PXY WJYY	28
10	3	JAY-Z	Izzo (H.O.V.A.)	Roc-A-Fella/IDJ	40	WHHH WHTS	WLDI WLVY	WJMH KFEM	25
3	4	BRITNEY SPEARS	I'm A Slave 4 U	Jive	39	B94 WAKS	WXSS WYKS	KHTS KSLY	24
12	5	GINUWINE	Differences	Epic	38	KPTY WZMX	WPHI KOHT	WDJX KMRK	23
4	6	JENNIFER LOPEZ	I'm Real	Epic	37	WAPE KZFM	WNOU WZBZ	WIOQ KDUK	23
7	7	MARY J. BLIGE	Family Affair	MCA	36	WIOQ WSNX	KPTY WRZE	WNOU WXXP	22
11	8	USHER	U Remind Me	Arista	35	B96 KWWV	Z90 KDGS	KBMB WCHH	21
2	9	ALIEN ANT FARM	Smooth Criminal	NN/DreamWorks	33	XL106 WZYP	KRBE KKSS	WAPE KQID	20
8	10	ENYA	Only Time	Reprise	31	WVMX WNOK	KQMB WLCE	WQAL WNTQ	19
17	11	NICKELBACK	How You Remind Me	Roadrunner/IDJ	30	WRVW WJMX	WZPL WMBZ	KMXV KUUU	18
6	12	ALICIA KEYS	Fallin'	J Records	29	WNCI WPRO	KBMB WHYN	WTIC WMT	18
14	13	THE CALLING	Wherever You Will Go	RCA	28	WTIC WYSR	WWZZ KSTP	WZPL WERZ	17
16	14	MICHELLE BRANCH	Everywhere	Maverick	26	WFLZ WRTS	98PXY WMRV	WTIC WSKS	16
9	15	NSYNC	Gone	Jive	25	98PXY WWST	Z100 WKST	KRBE KPRR	15
19	16	ALL STAR TRIBUTE	What's Going On	Columbia/CRG	24	KUBE WNDV	Z100 WPST	KKSS WCIL	15
	17	NELLY FURTADO	Turn Off The Light	DreamWorks	23	KYLD KSXY	WZPL WZOK	WPGC WSTR	14
	18	PETEY PABLO	Raise Up	Jive	22	KXJM KQKS	WWKX KFAT	WBTS WXIS	13
-	19	ΤΟΥΑ	l Do	Arista	21	KMXV WPPY	WRVW WMGI	KFEM KFFM	13
18	20	FIVE FOR FIGHTING	Superman	Aware/Col/CRG	20	KQMB WHHY	WRVW WSTW	WQAL KGOT	12

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San Francisco #10 Minneapolis #7 Denver #7 **Baltimore #8** Indianapolis #10 Kansas City #9 Nashville #7 Grand Rapids #9 Memphis #10 Norfolk #9 Harrisburg #7 Charleston #6 Dayton #6 Mobile #7 Wichita #6 Knoxville #10 Green Bay #5 Lexington #9 Lexington #9 Omaha #9 Springfield #6 Davenport #5 Chattanooga #8 Bristol #9 Youngstown #5 Burlington #4 Lincoln #4 Waco #7

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"Everything U R" is the theme song to the WB's new series "Maybe It's Me"

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In this time of uncertainty, as listeners look for a positive uplifting message, programmers are playing & playing, while Phil Costello & the Reprise folks are selling & selling Enya... Butch Waugh knows that the heart strings are being pulled by Lonestar, not to mention their amazing radio research... Five For Fighting has turned into one of those songs that makes listeners feel warm & fuzzy & researches like crazy for Columbia's Walk & Leipsner. Train keeps building & Aerosmith starts strong while the best Evan &



Phil Costello: Enya face.

Jaron yet, "Distance," has lyrics that could not be timelier & comes out of the box strong ... RCA's Ron Geslin & Eric Murphy have one of the fastest breaking, lyrically-driven records at radio with The Calling already calling out... Interscope's Romano & Lopes have the phones lighting up for Enrique's Top 10 "Hero," while U2, another lyrical monster, keeps building & Smash Mouth is pulling in more Major adds... Andrea Ganis has a fourth quarter onslaught ready for Atlantic, with a stable of stars like Jewel & Sugar Ray charting at Top 40, new Willa Ford looking very strong & new Craig David gearing up... Maverick's Ted Volk has that Top 5 smile for Michelle Branch... IDJ's Ken, Mike & Erik see no letup in the sales & radio stories for Ja Rule, Jay-Z & Nickelback, as they explode on the Top 40 chart, while Christina Milian sells singles & grows in spins... Arista's Steve, Joe, & Des wreak havoc at both Rhythm & Mainstream Top 40 with the new Pink, as they keep pushing Toya up the chart, while Usher sells & sets up for "U Got It Bad" at Top 40 10/29 ... Curb's Bob Catania wants to know where LeAnn Rimes isn't calling out? This record is maybe one of the biggest "yet to be played" hits out there-play it & find out... It's like old times for Joe, Denise & the Jive crew, with the Backstreet Boys & NSYNC exploding & researching at Top 40 radio, while Britney Spears is one of the most requested at the format & the On The Line All-Stars gear up for the upcoming movie premiere starring NSYNC's Lance & Joey ... Universal's Charlie Foster remind you it's never too late to play a researching hit like 3 Doors Down & have you noticed Elton John's play at the Top 40 Adult format?... Vicki Leben & her DreamWorks team reach the one million sales mark with Alien Ant Farm while taking Nelly Furtado Top 5. Lifehouse is adding & building nicely at Top 40 & Adult, while the story on Long Beach Dub All-Stars continues to develop ... Pru continues attracting new fans as Capitol's Dan Hubbert & Ed Green had a great opening Top 40 week with Nelly's "#1." We love that record... We also love Ginuwine's record. Watch as Hilary, Joel & the Epic team close it at Top 40, while Shakira keeps grabbing Majors & TRL love... MCA's Lambert & Goldner can only watch & smile as Mary J. Blige has her first Top 10 hit at Top 40 ... Elektra's Reese & Bardin have a first-class opening week with Natalie Merchant & continue closing out Missy Elliott while bringing in believers on Dante Thomas... WB's Grover, Boulos, Connone & Flea continue developing Lindsay Pagano into a researching hit... Lenny Kravitz gets stronger every week for Plen & Virgin. Lenny's charted at six formats now & Janet Jackson sets up for a November release of "Son Of A Gun"... Music we also love: Alicia Keys, Incubus & Blaque.



SEXY MUTHA F***ERS: KIIS LA's Michael Steele (I) displays his kickass sense of what the ladies are looking for while hanging with Motown's Kedar Massenberg (c) & Universal's Gary Marella (r). "So Kedar, dude, all you need is fine black blouse & the girls come-a-runnin'! Just look at Marella & me!"



MEADOWLAND: HITS' Paul "Big Pussy" Karlsen flirted with Edel/America artist Jamie-Lynn Sigler. "I'm part Italian. Your dad wouldn't mind if we dated!" Jamie explained that "The Sopranos" is just a TV show she acts in & Paul asked if she'd be more comfortable talking in the basement—after all, the bugged lamp isn't there anymore.

This Week's Special



Andrea Ganis: She's a Jewel.

Atlantic Executive VP Andrea Ganis is storming the fourth quarter with a variety of successful major artists under her designer hat & more on the way to boost holiday sales. When the going gets tough, the tough go shopping! Wait, no... the tough dig in & close in on those major hits. Andrea's team staved strong & focused as they did something not many have succeeded in doing lately: break a European superstar in America. Craig David is on his way to stardom in the good ol' USA with a Top 10 single & his next smash, "7 Days," impacting Top 40 on 11/5. Jewel is definitely

on her way to a successful run at Adult & Top 40 with her great new single, "Standing Still." "Answer The Phone," **Sugar Ray**'s second hit off their third album, had another big week of Major add action as **Mark McGrath** again does his magic with **TRL** fans. Then there's **Willa Ford** America's new bad girl, with her newest single "Did Ya Understand That." So why wait for **Danny Buch** to call? Do yourself a favor—a preemptive strike if you will—by adding her records now.

POP-MART



OH, GEE! WKXJ Chattanooga's Tommy Chuck (2nd fr. I) makes a go of it with Hollywood artists the 3G's. "So... Three Girls, huh? We're 2G's ... you know, two guys. Let's just say that does NOT mean there's not enough of us to go around. Because we got you covered, ladies." The station's J.C. (2nd fr. r) stood by ready.



DUNCAN'S BITCHES: We don't know what it is about KMXB Las Vegas' Duncan Payton (r), but the station's Charese Fruge (l) & HITS' Bobbii Hach couldn't tear themselves away, hanging on his every word & offering to buy him drinks. In fact, Bobbii was in such awe of him, she even stopped talking!



Desiree Schoun: She's got it bad.



Lori Holder-Anderson: Seattle's best.

Usher's latest hit, "You Got It Bad," has moved the album, "8701," back into the Top 10 sales chart. This one is smooth & soulful with an old school groove & a hook that is so good, it's obscene. Arista's Desiree Schoun says even HITS' own Mark Feather has got it bad for Usher, but seeing as it's Mark, does that surpise anyone? Usher's most wanted by radio fans, who are requesting him at MTV even before Top 40 radio adds this hit on 10/29.

With Creed's latest single, Wind-Up's Lori Holder-Anderson has another #1 smash from their diamond certified artist. We have no idea what that means, but we do know there aren't many of those! Lori claims, "'My Sacrifice' is so relevant in today's world, it's exactly how people are feeling emotionally at this moment in time." OK, we're all misty now. Creed's latest is already flying up the charts at Rock & Alternative radio & will be impacting Top 40 11/5.

Consultant's Corner

We don't know if it was the prestige of writing for HITS that made him decide to write for us or the many hours we spent subjecting him to movies by the Olsen twins, but we'd like to welcome Radio Think Tank's Ken Anthony to the Consultant's Corner family. For his first piece, Ken is dazzling us with this take on radio's "Spins Game" & how programmers should Zzzz...

To Spin or not to Spin? That is the question most posed & discussed on a regular basis by record promotion folks, radio programmers & music directors. But when did this spin game get so ugly?



Hi, I'm Ken.

It's obvious that the ever-present "Spins Game" is **the only game in town to most record promotion executives**. After all, strong spins are the only way a record moves up the charts—whether it's measured by **B.D.S.** or **Mediabase**. And the difference between a handful of spins on one record at one radio station than another station **can determine a song's ultimate success** while it makes it's journey up the charts. The spins obsession has taken on all kinds of forms over the years, with all sorts of groovy offers from labels to "up the spins."

But what does this single song chart mentality do to a record & ultimately an artist's career? Therein lies the problem. Over the last few years I've often asked my record label brethren this question: if you had the choice between **guaranteeing getting a record added to a station**, with limited spins initially & no ultimate promise of heavy spins later, or waiting several weeks for a record to be "potentially" added or not but with **a guarantee of major spins**, what would you opt for?

In almost every case the answer has always been, "I'll take the add & take my chances." But does this ultimately do more harm than good for a record? It depends on what gets the record added in the first place. Most adds at any cost for limited spins comes with a price—promotion dollars, a flyaway, the artist playing a station event, & other ingenious forms of "record add" incentives. I'm not naïve to think this doesn't exist, but what are we ultimately creating here? A legitimate shot for a new song & band to get heard by the audience, or another quick promotion fix with light spins which eventually leads to the radio station's rest category?

I remember discussing this "Spins Game" years ago with an astute programming colleague of mine who mentioned he never adds a record unless he can commit to at least 200 spins in a decent rotation. This forced him to add records he really believed in. Interestingly enough, his radio station always scored huge ratings & he even broke a few artists along the way. There are indeed exceptions to this "Spins Game" rule, but most of the time, if a programmer adds a record they're not excited about, it's the first thing to go.

Let's see if we can put a little passion back in the music adding & spinning process, regardless of what's in it for the record label & radio station. A healthy commitment to a record the label & radio station are BOTH excited about should ultimately excite the radio listener as well!



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(continued from page 90) ClickRadio (10/18). CEO Madison and SVP Charlie Kendall both exit. Meanwhile, the release of AOL 7.0 features 75 new streamies known as Radio@AOL. And if that's not enough, XM Satellite Radio launched in L.A. (10/17), adding to the company's reach in Denver, Houston, Atlanta and Miami. XM is requesting service for its 100 channels. Send product to Dave Logan, 1500 Eckington Place N.E., Washington, DC, 20002..... Have you noticed the steady increase in sales of the Coldplay album, fueled by the airplay on "Trouble"? Just asking..... Silverado Broadcasting and VP/Programming John Christian promote KWIN Stockton morning host Amanda King

to fill its vacant PD chair Lots of speculation revolving around Modern-Adult-formatted KUCD Honolulu. Will there be a format flip or is it just an imaging stunt? Call PD Jamie Hyatt and ask..... KMXP Phoenix and PD Ron Price hire crosstown KEDJ MD Trent Edwards for similar duties. Also in AZ, KZPT Tuscon PD Angie Handa exits. The station seeks her replacement; T&Rs to GM Mark Bentz Congrats to Virgin's Michael Plen for sticking with the Lenny Kravitz. This multi-format hit is now closing at Top 40 with loads of new majors..... WJIZ Albany ups Promotion Director/mixer Jammin Jay to PD..... 92Q Baltimore midday host Egypt exits. The station

seeks her replacement; T&Rs to PD Dion Summers at the station..... RCA SF local Artie Gentile heads to LA for Nat'l Promo duties..... Summer Arbitron kudos to: KMEL SF & Michael Martin; KLLC SF & John Peake; KRBE Houston & Domino; KHMX Houston & Mark Sherman; WKFS Cincy & BJ Harris; WNOU Indy & David Edgar; WZPL Indy & Scott Sands and KKRZ Portland & former PD Tommy Austin..... The Top Ten Most Played videos this week at MTV are: #1 Fabolous, #2 Incubus, #3 P.O.D., #4 Michael Jackson, #5 Ja Rule, #6 Petey Pablo, #7 Britney Spears, #8 Shakira, #9 Linkin Park and #10 (tie) NSYNC, Enrique and System of a Down

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Top news from the radio world this week comes out of Boston, as Clear Channel has consolidated the programming department at WXKS and WJMN. Current 'JMN PD Dennis O'Heron will return to his post as Director of Marketing for both stations. WXKS PD Cadillac Jack will reassume the programming duties for 'JMN as well as running the day-to-day at 'XKS. Meanwhile, WXKS MD Kid David Corey will handle the music duties for both, with 'JMN MD Michelle Williams exiting. The move is reportedly a budget-cutting move, with company insiders speculating that this will be a "prototype" for clusters in other markets..... In more Clear Channel news, longtime WFLZ

Tampa APD Ron Shepard (aka Joe "Mama" Johnson) seques to sister staton WENN Birmingham as PD. He re-

places Tiffany Green, who recently joined KATZ St. Louis for PD duties. Back in Tampa, WFLZ is seeking Ron's re-



Island Def Jam recording artist Shelby Lynne learns the real key to knowing when a promo exec is lying-they're moving their lips. Pictured here doing enough flapping for a flock of seagulls are (I-r) IDJ's Alex Garafalo, HITS' own Bobbii Hach, Lynne and IDJ's Danny Cooper.

placement. T&Rs to OM Jeff Kapugi..... The search for Tim Richards' replacement at WKQI Detroit is going into high gear, with oddsmakers laying odds the choice will be a major player from within the company. Stay tuned KZHT Salt Lake City night guy Mike "Jagger" Thomas adds MD stripes..... Jesscom Communications and owner SuperFrank hire WBAB Long Island PD Ted Edwards as VP Operations & Development..... Easy Come, Easy Go: This past week was a busy one for so-called "Alternative Broadcasters," starting with the announcement that NetRadio would be closing its doors (10/16), followed by the shuttering of John Madison's (continued on page 88)

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