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## HOT ALBUMS

- TRAVELING WILBURYS Volume One
- STEVE EARLE Copperhead Road
- LOU REED New York
- FINE YOUNG CANNIBALS The Raw And The Cooked
- PAULA ABDUL Forever Your Girl
- BEACHES Soundtrack
- TONE LOC Loc'd After Dark
- ELVIS COSTELLO Spike
- WHITE LION Pride
- BRIGHTON ROCK Take A Deep Breath
- THE FIXX Calm Animals
- THE BANGLES Everything
- MITSOU El Mundo
- SKID ROW Skid Row
- THE REPLACEMENTS Don't Tell A Soul
- JOE BOCAN Joe Bocan
- GIPSY KINGS Gipsy Kings

## FRONT PAGE PICK

## HOT SINGLES

- ETERNAL FLAME The Bangles
- THE LOOK Roxette
- TANGO Dalbello
- RONI Bobby Brown
- ONE MORE TRY Brighton Rock
- YOU'RE NOT ALONE Chicago
- YOUR MAMA DON'T DANCE Poison
- WALK THE DINOSAUR Was (Not Was)
- LOVE MAKES NO PROMISES Candi
- SECOND CHANCE 38 Special
- DREAMIN' Vanessa Williams
- GIRL YOU KNOW IT'S TRUE Milli Vanilli
- ROCKET Def Leppard
- LOVE CHILD One To One
- SUPERWOMAN Karyn White
- DOWNTOWN One 2 Many

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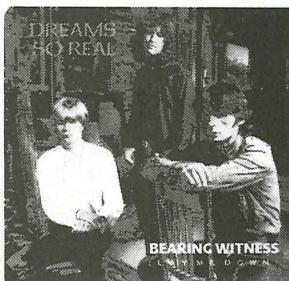
## SINGLES TO WATCH

- LIKE A PRAYER Madonna
- DIAMOND MINE Blue Rodeo
- I'LL BE THERE FOR YOU Bon Jovi
- WIND BENEATH MY WINGS Bette Midler
- EASY STREET David Gibson
- SHE'S MY INSPIRATION Barney Bentall
- HAPPY EVER AFTER Julia Fordham

## ALBUMS TO WATCH

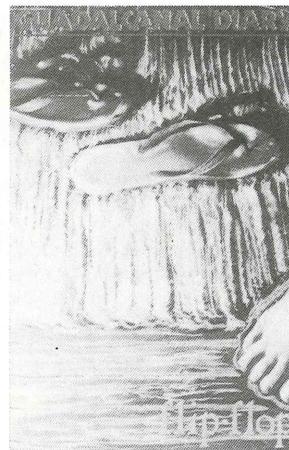
- DYLAN & THE DEAD Dylan & The Dead
- SIMPLY RED A New Flame
- THE BOYS Messages From The Boys
- XTC Oranges & Lemons
- LIONA BOYD Encore!
- GARY MOORE After The War

## SINGLE PICK



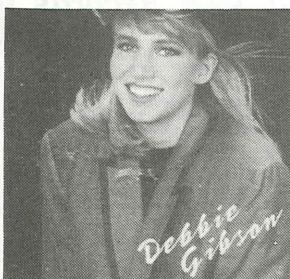
**BEARING WITNESS**  
Dreams So Real  
Arista - AS1-9794-N

## ALBUM PICK



**GUADALCANAL DIARY**  
Flip - Flop  
Elektra - 96-08481-P

## No. 1 SINGLE



**LOST IN YOUR EYES**  
Debbie Gibson  
Atlantic - 78-89707-P

## No. 1 ALBUM



**TRAVELING WILBURYS**  
Volume One  
Wilbury - 92-57961-P

## Country TO WATCH

- STAND BY YOUR MAN Lyle Lovett
- OLD PAIR OF SHOES Sawyer Brown
- IF I EVER GO CRAZY The Shooters
- FOOL'S GOLD Mary Beth
- SNOW COVERED MOUNTAINS Ray Griff
- COWBOY HAT IN DALLAS Charlie Daniels Band
- WHERE DID I GO WRONG Steve Earle



Walt Grealis launched RPM Magazine 25 years ago and in this issue he tells how it all began.

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# WALT SWAY



**A typo can enhance . . . !** Is it TOO LOUD or TOO LONG . . . ? Our proof reader didn't think there was anything wrong with "too long" as a description of a well-known producer/musician, who carries the tag of "too loud" along with his name. However, he hasn't complained . . . so maybe he'll carry both tags! (EC: *I would . . . !*)

**Donald has another hit . . . !** Marvin: a riveting, believable musical biography of one of the great R&B stars of our time. I'm not

## Galbraith Reproductions

Galbraith Reproductions, the first photo reproducing company to service the entertainment industry, is moving. Now headed up by Lisa Galbraith, daughter of founder Al Galbraith, as General Manager, the firm is moving to 201 Dufferin St. in the heart of Toronto's new "trendy" district, an area in the west end that has been attracting a growing number of artists and photographers.

Founded in 1953, the firm was the first to offer instant printing, utilizing Xerox's first camera and went on to be the first in the reproduction of black and white photos. As

*.... the prophets of doom, the messengers of mediocrity, will be overwhelmed by the new generation of competent, creative, confident artisans and by all those of preceding generations who have already demonstrated their freshness of mind, their talent and their capacity for inspired leadership."*

- Pierre Juneau

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too keen on small, intimate theatre settings, but Dutch Robinson, who was born to play Marvin Gaye, removed all the obstacles. Marvin: Dream Of A Lifetime (The life and music of Marvin Gaye) is playing Emerson's Bar & Grill in Toronto . . . for what I think will be a long run. The set was austere, yet comfortable, the backing musicians and voices were "right on" and balanced to a tee. It seems the only time Donald K. Donald (aka Donald Tarlton) comes to this town is when he has a hit! (EC: *I've seen him in Toronto when he was only slumming . . . !*)

**An older and wiser record promoter?** "A long time ago, and far away in a land filled with mountains, oceans, perennial flowers and green trees, a young record promoter built a business and a reputation on being able to promote records better, faster and smarter than his competitors." (EC: *Enough already . . . !*) I remember him well, because he ALWAYS delivered product to RPM, "a

## moves to new location

Lisa Galbraith points out, the company's biggest problem at that time "was our low price . . . at 13 cents a print. Customers were suspicious." The company, however, grew "tremendously", says Galbraith, adding the entertainment industry, acting and modelling to its customer list.

The firm moved from their landmark location on Richmond Street to Bathurst Street where they have been for the past fifteen years. It was here where they added colour photos to their operation, a service that turned out to be invaluable to their growing list of clientele, particularly the entertainment (recording) industry.

In conclusion, Galbraith points out that the key to the company's success was "our price, quality and dependability of quick service, which we have prided ourselves in and one which will continue in our new location." For more information contact Lisa Galbraith at 416-531-6913.



**Congratulations  
on your  
25th year of RPM  
Break a leg!  
Peter Foldy  
Filmstreet Records**

strange little magazine that supported Canadian talent, and a Canadian star system." Bruce Davidsen . . . that's him, and he's promoting Bill King's new LP, Magnolia Nights. (EC: *That sounds like a plug!*)



## The Prophets of Doom have won!

Every year I anxiously await the announcement of the Juno nominees. As an avid supporter of Canadian talent, I respect the opportunity it gives many up-and-coming artists to strut their stuff and reach a wider audience. However, when it comes to the "Big" awards, I am annually amazed at the lopsided nominations we are served up.

To suggest that Hands Up by Sway is a more deserving Single Of The Year nominee than, for instance, In Your Soul by Corey Hart, is completely mind-boggling. Just the fact that Corey Hart received no nominations at all is not only suspiciously biased, it's also a frightening reminder of how quickly Canadians tend to jump ship. You don't have to look back too far to recall the backlash against Anne Murray when she supposedly "went south"!

Corey Hart has delivered consistently improved product for nearly five years. He has promoted this country overseas and in the United States, proudly waving our flag in cities from Tokyo to San Francisco. And, I hope nobody forgets that he literally wore himself out while touring smaller Canadian venues that he didn't want to ignore. His recognition . . . one Juno for Never Surrender, a Single Of The Year that couldn't be overlooked.

Shame on the music directors who overlooked Young Man Running and then cried for lighter Cancon requirements, and shame on the Canadian music press that judges him by his style rather than his substance. If Corey Hart disappears from record store shelves and radio playlists, it's not because he isn't displaying competent, creative, confident and fresh talent, it's because the prophets of doom and the messengers of mediocrity have won this round.

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1	6 (8)	LOST IN YOUR EYES	Debbie Gibson - Atlantic - 78-19321-P	35	17 (15)	TWO HEARTS	Phil Collins - Atlantic - 78-89807-P (LP) Buster/Soundtrack - 78-19051-P	68	84 (2)	ROCKET	Def Leppard - Vertigo - 872 614-7-Q (LP) Hysteria - 830 675-1-Q
2	3 (9)	STRAIGHT UP	Paula Abdul - Virgin - VS-1465-W (LP) Forever Your Girl - VL-3035-W	36	54 (4)	THE LOOK	Roxette - EMI - B-50190-F (LP) Look Sharp - E-191098-F	69	79 (4)	LOVE CHILD	One Direction - WEA - BON-22127-P (LP) 12-1 - BON-12121-P
3	4 (9)	YOU GOT IT	Roy Orbison - Virgin - VS-1466-W (LP) Mystery Girl - VL-2576-W	37	48 (7)	TANGO	Dalbello - Capitol - B73074-F (LP) She - C1-48286-F	70	77 (3)	TENDER HANDS	Chris DeBurgh - A&M - AM-1269-W (LP) Flying Colours - SP-5224-W
4	1 (15)	WHAT I AM	Edie Brickell/ New Bohemians - Geffen - 92-78967-P (LP) Shooting Rubberbands At The Stars - XGHS-24192-P	38	46 (8)	JUST BECAUSE	Anita Baker - Elektra - 96-93277-P (LP) Giving You The Best That I Got - 96-08271-P	71	76 (3)	MAYOR OF SIMPLETON	XTC - Virgin - VS-1472-W (LP) Oranges And Lemons - VDL-2581-W
5	2 (9)	SHE WANTS TO DANCE WITH ME	Rick Astley - RCA - 8858-7-R-N (LP) Hold Me In Your Arms - 8589-1-R-N	39	60 (6)	RONI	Bobby Brown - MCA - 53463-J (LP) Don't Be Cruel - MCA-42185-J	72	75 (5)	TWIST IN MY SOBRIETY	Tanita Tikaram - WEA - 24-75627-P (LP) Ancient Heart - 24-38771-P
6	8 (9)	THE LIVING YEARS	Mike & The Mechanics - Atlantic - 78-89647-P (LP) Living Years - 78-19231-P	40	52 (5)	ONE MORE TRY	Brighton Rock - WEA - 25-76657-P (LP) Take A Deep Breath - 25-59691-P	73	86 (2)	SUPERWOMAN	Karen White - Warner Bros - PRO-77837-P (LP) Karen White - 92-56731-P
7	5 (12)	MY HEART CAN'T TELL ME NO	Rod Stewart - Warner Bros - 92-77297-P (LP) Out Of Order - 92-58341-P	41	51 (7)	DRIVEN OUT	The Fixx - RCA - 8837-7-R-N (LP) Calm Animals - 8566-1-R-N	74	78 (6)	WORKING ON IT	Chris Rea - WEA - PRO-1220-P (LP) New Light Through Old Windows - 24-38411-P
8	11 (7)	WILD THING	Tone Loc - Delicous Vinyl/Island - 97091-J (LP) Loc'ed After Dark - ISL-1224-J	42	45 (10)	DEAR GOD	Midge Ure - Chrysalis - CS-8855-J (LP) Answers To Nothing - CHS-41649-J	75	82 (3)	DIAL MY HEART	The Boys - Motown - MOT-53301-J (LP) Messages From The Boys - MOT-6260-J
9	18 (8)	GOOD TIMES	Tom Cochrane/ Red Rider - Capitol - B73076-F	43	44 (6)	SHE'S SO YOUNG	The Pursuit Of Happiness - Chrysalis - 45016-J (LP) Love Junk - CHS-41675-J	76	NEW	DIAMOND MINE	Bare Rodeo - Risque Disque - PRO-652-P (LP) Diamond Mine - 25-62681-P
10	7 (12)	ANGEL OF HARLEM	U2 - Island - 97085-J (LP) Rattle And Hum - ISL-2-1204-J	44	30 (11)	SEND YOUR LOVE	Glass Tiger - Capitol - B-73071-F (LP) Diamond Sun - C1-48684-F	77	73 (8)	BACK TO THE WALL	Steve Earle - Uni - 50018-J (LP) Copperhead Road - UNI-7-J
11	13 (11)	TELL SOMEBODY	Sass Jordan - Aquarius - AQ-6040-F (LP) Tell Somebody - AQR-552-F	45	47 (8)	WATERLINE	The Spoons - Anthem - ANS-082-F (LP) Vertigo Tango - A1-1054-F	78	81 (3)	LET THE RIVER RUN	Carly Simon - Arista - AS1-97893-N (LP) Working Girl/Soundtrack - AL-8593-N
12	9 (10)	WHEN THE CHILDREN CRY	White Lion - Atlantic - 78-90157-P (LP) Prido - 78-17681-P	46	61 (6)	YOU'RE NOT ALONE	Chicago - Reprise - 92-77577-P (LP) Chicago XIX - 92-57141-P	79	66 (7)	GIVE ME THE KEYS	Huey Lewis & The News - Chrysalis - 43335-J (LP) Small World - CHS-41622-J
13	15 (12)	STOP!	Sam Brown - A&M - AM-1234-W (LP) Sam Brown - SP-5195-W	47	34 (12)	STILL IN LOVE	Corey Hart - Aquarius - AQ-6042-F (LP) Young Man Running - AQR-551-F	80	87 (3)	I FEEL POSSESSED	Crowded House - Capitol - B73076-F (LP) Temple Of Low Men - C1-48763-F
14	22 (8)	ORINOCO FLOW	Enya - WEA - 24-76087-P (LP) Watermark - 24-38751-P	48	55 (6)	STAND	REM - Warner Bros - PRO-76887-P (LP) Green - 92-57951-P	81	NI.W	I'LL BE THERE FOR YOU	Bon Jovi - Mercury - 872 564-7-Q (LP) New Jersey - 836 341-1-Q
15	20 (9)	IF A TREE FALLS	Bruce Cockburn - True North/Epic - TN-212-H	49	67 (3)	YOUR MAMA DON'T DANCE	Poison - Capitol - B44293-F (LP) Open Up And Say... Ahh! - C1-48493-F	82	94 (2)	DOWNTOWN	One 2 Many - A&M - AM-1272-W (LP) Mirror - SP-5237-W
16	12 (13)	BORN TO BE MY BABY	Bon Jovi - Mercury - 872 155-7-Q (LP) New Jersey - 836 345-1-Q	50	43 (9)	MYSTIFY	INXS - Atlantic - 78-89477-P (LP) Kick - 78-17981-P	83	90 (2)	ROOM TO MOVE	Animation - Polydor - 871 418-7-Q (LP) Animation - N/A
17	21 (6)	END OF THE LINE	The Traveling Wilburys - Wilbury - 92-76377-P (LP) Volume One - 92-57961-P	51	42 (9)	ALL SHE WANTS IS	Duran Duran - Capitol - B44287-F (LP) Big Thing - C1-90958-F	84	NEW	WIND BENEATH MY WINGS	Bette Midler - Atlantic - PRO-89727-P (LP) Beaches/Soundtrack - 78-14331-P
18	25 (9)	THE LOVER IN ME	Sheena Easton - MCA - 53416-J (LP) The Lover In Me - MCA-42249-J	52	59 (6)	WHY'D YOU LIE	Colin James - Virgin - VS-1488-W (LP) Colin James - VL-3044-W	85	89 (3)	SHE MAKES MY DAY	Robert Palmer - EMI - B50163-F (LP) Heavy Nova - E1-48057-F
19	10 (12)	ALL THIS TIME	Tiffany - MCA - 53371-J (LP) Hold An Old Friend's Hand - MCA-6267-J	53	57 (7)	TWO STRONG HEARTS	John Farnham - RCA - PB-42203-N (LP) Age Of Reason - 3418-1-XL-N	86	39 (17)	PUT A LITTLE LOVE IN YOUR HEART	Annie Lennox & Ali Green - A&M - AN-1255-W (LP) Scrooged/Soundtrack - SP-3921-W
20	23 (11)	THE LOVE IN YOUR EYES	Eddi Money - Columbia - 38-68532-H (LP) Nothing To Lose - FC-44302-H	54	72 (5)	WALK THE DINOSAUR	Was (Not Was) - Fontana - 888 809-7-Q (LP) What Up, Dog? - 834 291-1-Q	87	92 (2)	IT'S A POWERFUL THING	Doug And The Slugs - Riddong - AMS-117-W (LP) Tomcat Prowl - AMD-1007-W
21	16 (10)	I WANNA HAVE SOME FUN	Samantha Fox - Jive - 1154-73-N (LP) I Wanna Have Some Fun - 1150-1J-N	55	64 (5)	YOU GOT IT (The Right Stuff)	New Kids On The Block - Columbia - 38-08092-H (LP) Hangin' Tough - BFC-40953-H	88	NEW	EASY STREET	David Gibson - A&M - AM-782-W (LP) David Gibson - SP-9148-W
22	26 (10)	SURRENDER TO ME	Ann Wilson/Robin Zander - Capitol - B44288-F (LP) Tequila Sunrise - C1-91185-F	56	63 (4)	IT'S ONLY LOVE	Simply Red - Elektra - 96-93177-P (LP) A New Flame - 96-08281-P	89	85 (4)	MORE THAN YOU KNOW	Martika - Columbia - 39-08103-H (LP) Martika - CFC-44290-H
23	24 (10)	WALKING AWAY	Information Society - Tommy Boy - 92-77367-P (LP) Information Society - TBLP-25691-P	57	37 (13)	SOUL SEARCHIN'	Glenn Frey - MCA - 53452-J (LP) Soul Searchin' - MCA-6239-J	90	93 (5)	BRING DOWN THE MOON	Boy Meets Girl - RCA - 8807-7-R-N (LP) Real Life - 8414-1-R-N
24	29 (7)	DON'T TELL ME LIES	Breath - Virgin - VS-1467-W (LP) All That Jazz - VL-3029-W	58	70 (4)	LOVE MAKES NO PROMISES	Candi - IRS - 53622-J (LP) Candi - IRS-42260-J	91	97 (2)	WANT TO MEAN SOMETHING	Jesse Winchester - Attic - AT-386-W (LP) Humour Me - LAT-1252-W
25	33 (7)	SHE DRIVES ME CRAZY	Fine Young Cannibals - IRS - IRS-53483-J (LP) The Raw And The Cooked - IRS-5273-J	59	NEW	LIKE A PRAYER	Madonna - Sire - PRO-75397-P (LP) Like A Prayer - 92-58441-P	92	95 (2)	DRIVE MY CAR	David Crosby - A&M - AM-779-W (LP) Oh Yes I Can - SP-5232-W
26	27 (9)	A LITTLE RESPECT	Erasure - Sire - 92-77387-P (LP) The Innocents - 92-57301-P	60	69 (4)	WE'VE SAVED THE BEST FOR LAST	Kenny G/Smoky Robinson - Arista - AS1-9785-N (LP) Silhouette - AL-8457-N	93	NEW	SHE'S MY INSPIRATION	Barney Bentall - Epic - E-30811-H (LP) Barney Bentall - BPEC-80131-H
27	19 (13)	DON'T RUSH ME	Taylor Dayne - Arista - AS1-9722-N (LP) Tell It To My Heart - AL-8529-N	61	74 (4)	SECOND CHANCE	38 Special - A&M - AM-778-W (LP) Rock & Roll Strategy - SP-5218-W	94	99 (2)	FEELS SO GOOD	Van Halen - Warner Bros - 92-75657-P (LP) OU812 - 92-57321-P
28	41 (6)	ETERNAL FLAME	The Bangles - Columbia - 38-68533-H (LP) Everything - OC-44056-H	62	68 (4)	DREAM COME TRUE	Frozen Ghost - WEA - PRO-642-P (LP) Nice Place To Visit - 25-57051-P	95	56 (15)	MY PREROGATIVE	Bobby Brown - MCA - 53383-J (LP) Don't Be Cruel - MCA-42185-J
29	31 (21)	WHEN I'M WITH YOU	Sheriff - Capitol - B72901-F (LP) Sheriff - C1-91216-F	63	83 (4)	DREAMIN'	Vanessa Williams - Wing/Polydor - 871 078-7-Q (LP) The Right Stuff - 835 694-1-Q	96	40 (14)	ARMAGEDDON IT	Def Leppard - Vertigo - 870 692-7-Q (LP) Hysteria - 830 675-1-Q
30	38 (6)	I BEG YOUR PARDON	Kon Kan - Atlantic - 92-5707-P (LP) N/A	64	53 (9)	GIVE ME YOUR LOVE	Roman Grey - Arista - AT-384-W (LP) Edge Of The Shadow - LAT-1249-W	97	50 (11)	THE HOUSE OF LOVE	Barney Bentall - Epic - E-3075-H (LP) Barney Bentall - BPEC-80131-H
31	32 (6)	PARADISE CITY	Guns 'N' Roses - Geffen - 92-5707-P (LP) Appetite For Destruction - XGHS-24148-P	65	62 (18)	LIKE THE WAY I DO	Melissa Etheridge - Island - PR-2466-J (LP) Melissa Etheridge - ISL-1143-J	98	NEW	HAPPY EVER AFTER	Julia Fordham - Virgin - VS-1474-W (LP) Julia Fordham - VL-3035-W
32	36 (8)	GOT IT MADE	Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young - Atlantic - 78-89667-P (LP) American Dream - 78-18861-P	66	58 (8)	PERFECT	Fairground Attraction - RCA - 8789-7-R-N (LP) The First Of A Million Kisses - 8596-1-R-N	99	65 (13)	WILD WORLD	Maxi Priest - Virgin - VS-1459-W (LP) Maxi Priest - VL-3038-W
33	14 (14)	HOLDING ON	Steve Winwood - Virgin - VS-1457-W (LP) Roll With It - VL-2532-W	67	80 (4)	GIRL YOU KNOW IT'S TRUE	Milli Vanilli - Arista - AS1-9071-N (LP) N/A	100	91 (3)	CRYIN'	Vixen - EMI/Manhattan - B50167-F (LP) Vixen - E1-46991-F
34	28 (14)	AS LONG AS YOU FOLLOW	Fleetwood Mac - Warner Bros - 92-76447-P (LP) Greatest Hits - 92-58011-P								

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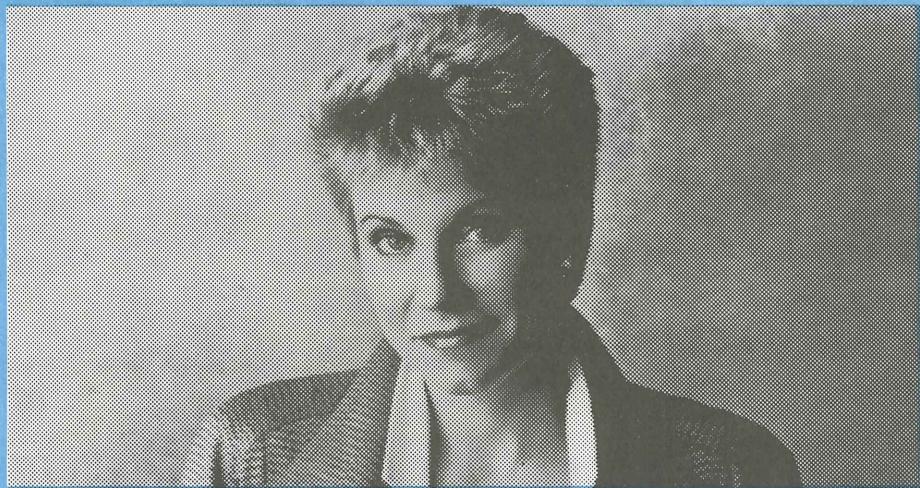
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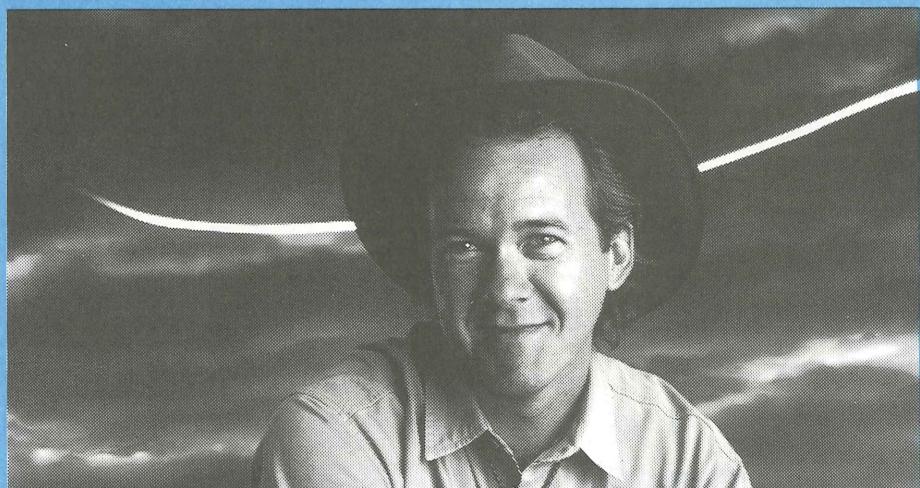
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## Hetu appointed to Copyright Board

Consumer and Corporate Affairs Minister Bernard Valcourt and Communications Minister Marcel Masse have jointly announced the appointment of Michel Hetu, Q.C. of Ottawa, to the position of Vice Chairman of the Copyright Board. His appointment follows the establishment of the Copyright Board on Feb. 1st. 1989.

In making the above announcement, Valcourt points out that the new Copyright Board "will deal with a wider spectrum of issues" than its predecessor, the Copyright Appeal Board. He stresses that the new board "will have jurisdiction to resolve rate disputes between copyright collectives and

user groups." Masse added that the new board "will ensure an equitable balance between the rights of creators and the needs of users of copyright works."

The new board will report annually to Parliament through the Minister of Consumer and Corporate Affairs and, for certain purposes, is vested with the powers, rights and privileges of a superior court of record.

A native of St-Eustache, Quebec, Hetu, prior to this appointment, was General Counsel at the Department of Communications and a member of the Copyright Appeal Board since 1982. As well, he has been extensively involved in copyright law reform. In his new position, he will have the responsibility to set up and manage the Copyright Board.

## Desmarais to Manager BMG Music Canada

Larry Macrae, Director, National Promotion and Media Relations for BMG Music Canada, has announced the appointment of Susan Desmarais to the position of Manager, National Media Relations. Most recently she was a local promotion manager for Warner/Reprise in Washington, D.C. Her past experience also includes working as Publicity Director for Cineplex (Washington/ Baltimore), and as a producer/on-air personality for WHFS, considered one of the "more progressive" radio stations on the U.S. Eastern Seaboard.

In making the above announcement, Macrae commented, "We are very pleased to welcome Susan to the BMG Music Canada team. Her diverse experience and enthusiastic character offer the perfect ingredients to keep the profile of our artists at the forefront of the media."

## Personnel changes in CBS Marketing & Distribution

Jack Robertson, Senior Vice President of Operations, has announced changes in the managerial structure of the distribution area of CBS Records Canada. John Hewson, formerly Director, National Distribution, has been appointed to the position of Senior Director. He joined CBS in 1980 as Operations Manager and was promoted to Director in 1985. Elsie Hetherman, former Operations Manager, has been promoted to Director, Operations/National Distribution Warehouse. She joined CBS in 1977 as Office Supervisor in the Ontario Service Centre, progressively moving into more responsible positions since that time. As Robertson points out, "The promotions of John and Elsie reflect the increasing responsibilities facing distribution in the near future as a result of a much larger catalogue and new video product lines."

Patricia Bachynski, who began her career with CBS in 1978 as secretary to the Winnipeg Branch, has been appointed Columbia marketing representative, Central Region. Prior to her move to Toronto she was account service representative with responsibility for all sales and marketing functions in the Manitoba market. Bachynski will report directly to Shan Kelley, recently appointed Director, National Promotion and Media Relations.

## Industry commits to cassette single

There is a new music form taking hold in the industry. A&M Records, BMG Music Canada, Capitol Records - EMI Canada, CBS Records Canada and MCA Records Canada have committed to the release of cassette singles.

Major acts will be considered for cassette single release simultaneous with their 7" vinyl counterpart, while, initially, new and developing acts will be released on 7" vinyl only. However, when a single has shown potential, it will be considered for release on the cassette single format.

The above group of manufacturers are also reportedly committed to providing "a common merchandiser" to the retail trade, expected to be available in May.

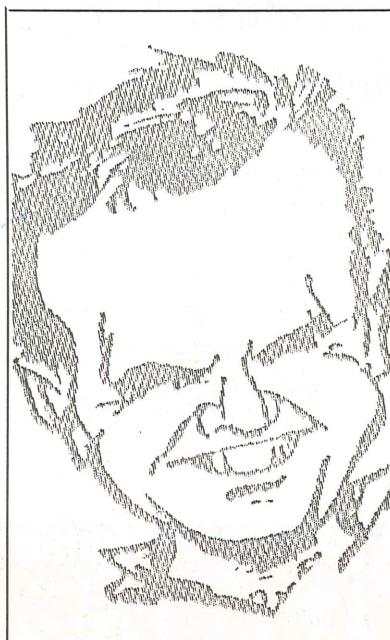
## Time and WCI combine into entertainment giant

Warner Communications Inc. and Time Inc. have combined to create a U.S.-based media and entertainment company with aggregate revenues reported to be \$10 billion. The new entertainment giant, if approved by shareholders, will fly the banner of Time Warner Inc. and will be what is described as "the preeminent enterprise of its kind in the world." With entertainment enjoying the status of the second-largest net export industry in the United States, Time Warner will be the largest exporter of American media and entertainment. The organization is a major player in recorded music and music publishing, magazine and book publishing, motion picture and television production, cable-TV system operations, pay-cable programming and videocassette distribution.

The announcement of the merger was made jointly (March 4/89) by Steven J. Ross, chairman and chief executive officer of Warner Communications Inc. (WCI) and J. Richard Munro, chairman and chief executive officer of Time Inc. It was revealed that under the terms of a "definitive

agreement" approved by the boards of directors of both companies, Time Inc. will acquire WCI through a tax-free exchange of each outstanding share of WCI's common stock for .465 of a share of Time Inc. common stock. Time currently has approximately 56.6 million common shares outstanding, and WCI has 177.2 million common shares outstanding on a fully diluted basis. The combined transaction has a market value of US\$18 billion.

As well, the both companies entered into a definitive agreement pursuant to which Time will exchange 7.1 million shares, or 12.5 percent of its common stock outstanding, for 17.3 million shares, or 12.0 percent of WCI's common stock outstanding. Ross and Munro will serve as co-chairmen of the board and co-chief executive officers of Time Warner Inc. Time President N.J. Nicholas Jr. will become president of Time Warner Inc., and upon Munro's retirement Munro will serve as chairman of the executive committee of the combined company and will be succeeded by Nicholas as co-CEO with Ross.



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# A conversation with RPM founder - Walt Grealis

On the occasion of the 25th Anniversary of RPM Magazine, publisher and founder Walt Grealis was interviewed by Dale Kotyk. The result - an intimate glimpse of the "Godfather" of Cancon, who, 25 years ago, started to build a star system in Canada for our national recording artists and a base for those involved in the arts allied to recording and music. Kotyk is a freelance writer.

**Dale Kotyk: We can start right at the beginning.**

**Walt Grealis:** 146 Strachan Avenue . . . not too far from the Prince's Gates of the CNE, that's where I was born.

**DK: Well, not quite that far back, but go ahead pursue that.**

**WG:** The year was 1929, Wall Street had laid an egg. My dad was a Toronto firefighter, Irish and Spanish. The name is Spanish. My mother was Canadian, actually descended from the Cree. I went to Central Commerce in Toronto. Joined the RCMP in 1947 when I

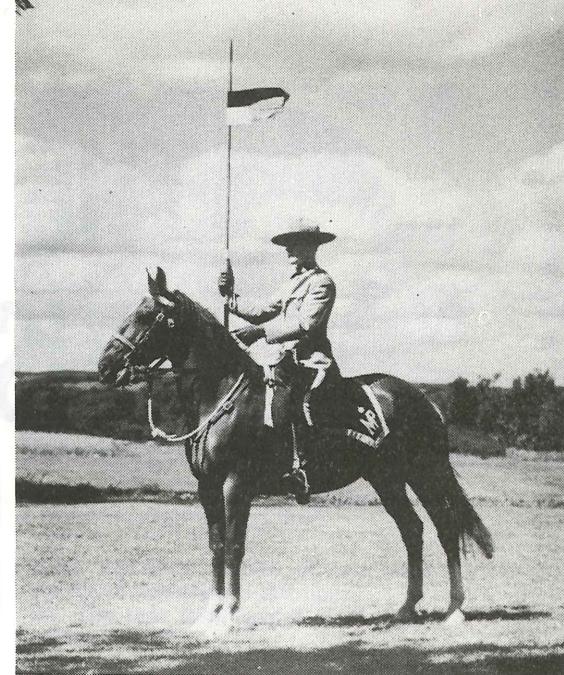
Returned to Toronto a year later and joined the O'Keefe Brewing Company in sales and promotion, moving to Labatt's five years later and in 1960 I joined Apex Records, Ontario distributor for Compo, now MCA. George Offer hired me to do promotion. Three years later Max Zimmerman, who headed up MacKay Records, Ontario distributor for London Records, took me on as Promotion Manager. I kept that job until February of 1964, when I started RPM. The rest is history.

**DK: But just the kind of history we want to get into. What moved you to take the risk of starting a magazine? Did you know anything about writing or publishing?**

**WG:** I knew nothing about publishing at all, and the only writing I had done was police reports. As for the risk, who thinks of these things when you're young? I thought I could conquer the world. It was hit and miss . . . actually a comedy of errors.

**DK: Where did the inspiration come from to start a magazine?**

**WG:** Now that I think of it, the need was apparent everywhere. Here we were, in this giant country and all the recording artists were going down to the U.S. to cut a record. They brought their records back home and a record company literally threw it out to the market. Some were mailed to radio stations and everybody sat back and waited. Usually nothing happened. A few artists had gone to the U.S. with demos and signed with foreign companies and, once in a while, a fluke



Maintien le Droit - ready for duty - Regina 1948

would happen and a Canadian act would come up with a hit.

**DK: So there were hits before RPM?**

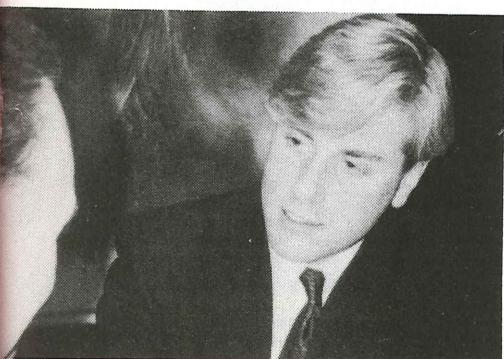
**WG:** Yes. Priscilla Wright, Bobby Curtola, the Beaumarks, Crew Cuts, The Diamonds, Paul Anka, Percy Faith, Wilf Carter, Hank Snow, The Four Lads and a few more who had to go south to be recognized. There were stars even before this and there was a great deal of country and French-language recording being done in Canada. For any trivia buffs, I bet they don't know who Joseph Saucier was. Now, that was Cancon!

**DK: What year would that have been?**

**WG:** 1903. I was just listening to his record the other day.

**DK: You're kidding?**

**WG:** No I'm not. I actually did listen to it last



Dale Kotyk interviews Walt Grealis

was eighteen and came back to Toronto in 1952 as a member of the Toronto Police Department. Left Toronto again five years later to work in Bermuda at the St. Georges Hotel as Sports Director and Social Host.

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JAMES TAYLOR... ETC.

Monday. He was a baritone and his wife accompanied him on the piano. That was 1903. I was born 26 years later.

**DK: So you felt the need for a magazine on recording?**

**WG:** Yes. It was 1964 and one of the things I remember was a lunch at the Celebrity Club on Jarvis Street and Harold Moon, of BMI Canada (now PROCAN), was explaining the problems of the industry and he mentioned the need for something that would spread the news from east to west . . . because so much of what we knew about records came from the south . . . the U.S.A.

**DK: What were the great influences on**



A fascination with airplanes, a pilot's licence and a couple of other early loves.

**Canadian music in those days?**

**WG:** The Gavin Report, Cashbox and Billboard.

**DK: There were no Canadian magazines dealing with records?**

**WG:** Worse than that, there was very little in the dailies about records and next to nothing



An early love affair in South America



On duty with the Toronto Police Department at a downtown office building fire.

about Canadian records. It just wasn't considered important at that time.

**DK: The first RPM was a single sheet folded in half?**

**WG:** No . . . it was a legal sized sheet with typing on one side and, I think, it was like that for about a dozen issues. I'd like to show you a copy, but we mailed them all out and they've all vanished. We've been trying to get a copy of the first three issues for 25 years, just to see what it looked like and what I wrote. We got up to three pages and then went to a very dwarfed type and a single sheet folded in half. It was a tip sheet to radio and to the record companies, and it cost \$10 per quarter to subscribe. How about that!

**DK: When did the first glossy RPM come out?**

**WG:** September 1st, 1964 . . . six months after the birth of RPM. It was eight pages, and, for the first time, we took advertising. That issue was packed with ads. So I thought it would be smooth sailing from then on. The industry, however, gave us six weeks . . . then six months . . . then a year and then they stopped guessing.

**DK: Did it get easier then?**

**WG:** Hell no! It got really tough, and, for five years, it did better than break even, and about 1969 it started to get better and by 1970 it started to look really good.

**DK: But did the magazine increase interest in Canadian recordings?**

**WG:** It was the best thing that ever happened to the industry. Radio stations were finally finding out in Halifax what was happening in Vancouver, and in between. RPM began to bring the industry together, but it was very slow going and it was a major chore to convince record companies to advertise on a

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Walt seen here with the late Bobby Darin

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weekly basis when they never had to advertise, at all, up until that time. There were few record people who knew how to put together an ad . . . and to do it once a week, well . . . forget it!

**DK: RPM showed no profit for five years?**

**WG:** It did better than break even for the first five years. As a matter of fact, a lawyer friend of mine got me to go see a business consultant and after I told him everything he needed to know about the financial affairs of RPM, he told me to forget it . . . the magazine had no future . . . and I was wasting my time. I wonder where he is now? Not only did RPM become a mammoth success, but it figured significantly in the history of the Canadian recording industry.

**DK: If a business consultant told you to pull the plug, why did you continue?**

**WG:** I just believed I should keep doing it 'til I needed glasses. It was still working and all the bills were paid and there was money in the bank, so naturally, I thought it could work out . . . and it did!

**DK: The Junos started right off the bat as a music poll in RPM?**

**WG:** Yes, it did. I felt the readers should get involved and we published a ballot in the magazine and asked our readers to name their favourite Cancon artists. There was quite a response, and all we did was publish the results. We didn't give them anything . . . just the recognition! Every year, the winners were published on the front page of RPM, and it wasn't until February 1970 when we presented physical awards. But I'm getting ahead of myself.

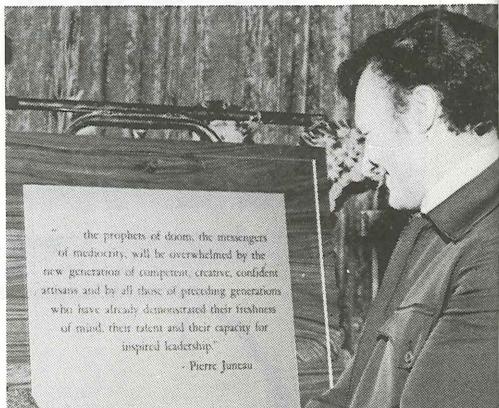
**DK: What were some of the high points of those first five years?**

**WG:** Really . . . there weren't any. We reported each week and Canadian artists slowly began to record in Canada and some Canadian records were released in the U.S. We were hopelessly behind with facilities in Canada. Most of the recording sessions, in those days, were done on primitive three-track facilities at a handful of studios. There



The Esquires accepting their first Juno (RPM Gold Leaf Award) in 1964.

were no four-track studios in Canada until 1966 and even then . . . they were four-track in name only. Mastering in Canada was near to impossible . . . and yet, the sound the producers, at that time, were getting out of those studios, was quite amazing. Art Snider was putting out records by the Allan Sisters, Duff Roman was recording David Clayton



Pierre Juneau's famous "prophets of doom" message, on display in RPM's office.

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Each week we will endeavor to the best of our ability to inform you on new Canadian records and news from the radio industry across Canada. Your press releases and new Canadian recordings would be appreciated. Your support of RPM supports the new music industry that has in the last two years been advancing to the point where

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JERRY ROSS wrote a feature article in the Toronto Telegram recently titled "Canada Has A Booming Record Industry (But Only Because It's 95% American)" and the controversy began. Some of the notable quotes were "We have so many good records available to us from the States that there's really not much point in doing a great deal of recording up here. Remember that anything we put out is just added competition to the American stuff we have to promote" and a number of quotes like this one, which could only lead us to believe there isn't going to be much more of an industry here. The sad thing is that Mr. Ross set into print exactly the feeling that does exist in Canada. We can't agree with the people that have since tried to convince the public with letters to the Editor, that the record industry is everything it should be. Let us say it hasn't been good, but we are going to make it BETTER. Our thanks to JERRY ROSS for starting the industry thinking.

GARY FERRIER and the CHUMMINGBIRDS have just released through QUALITY a new single dedicated to the Brotherhood of Man (and that's the title). This one could, and should start showing chart action nationally. The recording was done in Toronto at HALMARK STUDIOS. Both sides were inked by Gary. We feel that the spinners across Canada will overlook the origin being from another radio station, and give this single the spins it deserves.

PAT HERVEY is making it twice. Once with her chart-climber "Walking in Bonnie's Footsteps", and again in the Weekend Magazine with a feature story. Her CBC appearances are another feather in the cap of a real showman. Her latest single can only be the biggest hit she's had so far.

Nationally, BOBBY CURTOLA has come up with another winner for TARTAN RECORDS. "Little Girl Blue" showcases a newer Curtola sound, and already the record is chart-topping. The next thing for Bobby is a BIG hit in the US.

STAN JACOBSEN and the CBC's MUSIC HOP television show have opened the door for a great number of youthful Canadian artists. This program has turned out to be a very successful showcase of our newcomers. Stan and his staff are doing a great job, and again we can say it's a further step toward bringing our performers into the eyes of the international market.

CHRIS LAWRENCE of CHFI Toronto brought this to our mind some months ago, and we are presently working on a complete list of Canadian LPs for programming. When we print this list in the not too distant future, you'll be surprised how many Canadian Artists have cut LPs. This list will be an excellent programming aid, and additional copies will be available.

Congratulations to LAWSON COOK who originated the idea, produced, and placed the masters of two excellent Classical LPs of Margaret Ireland with Capital Records. These two LPs have already surpassed any early expectations of their sales potential. Lawson has since joined Tamarac Records, and is presently producing all classical masters for Tamarac.

Fort William (where a great deal of Canada's talent has originated) has produced another Canadian artist. JERRY PALMER has just cut a new LP in Nashville, which will be released shortly by Quality Records.

RITCHIE KNIGHT and the Midnights have just released their latest single on the ARC label "Homework". Eight months ago Ritchie's first record for Arc climbed to the number one spot on the charts across Ontario, "Charlena" recorded in Toronto.

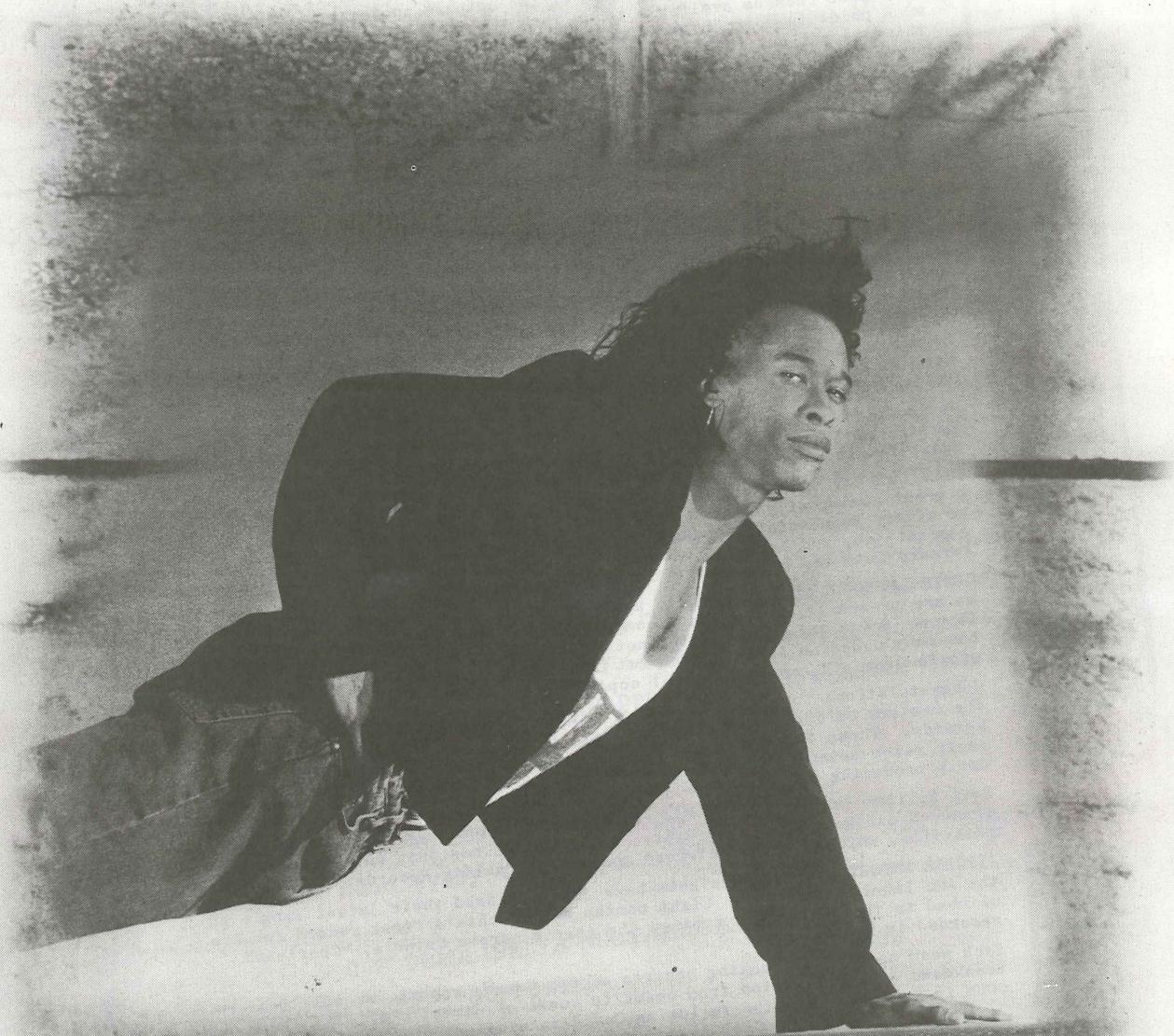
Each week as the hitbreaking centres across Canada report, we will feature a breakdown of chart action from coast to coast of domestic origin. This week CHUM in Toronto lists the following Canadian singles:

# 7	Little Girl Blue	Bobby Curtola	Tartan
#10	Big Town Boy	Shirley Matthews	Tamarac
#39	Brotherhood of Man	Chummingbirds	Quality
#49	Bonnie's Footsteps	Pat Hervey	RCA

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Thomas and the Paupers. Sandy Gardiner was recording the Esquires and Bob Burns was working with the Guess Who. It was a very exciting time. The RPM Starline Photo Album, which was published in 1967, was filled with Canadian recording artists, many of whom did record in Canada. We just kept talking about the business as if it was a giant industry, and it began to catch on. We treated every recording act like big stars. We made them look important and the industry started to believe it mattered. We were starting to build a star system in Canada. It was now the late sixties and a number of factions had been bugging the CRTC for a Canadian content on radio.

**DK: It sounded like hard work . . . like you had a fight on your hands!**

**WG:** It was hard work, but we enjoyed it

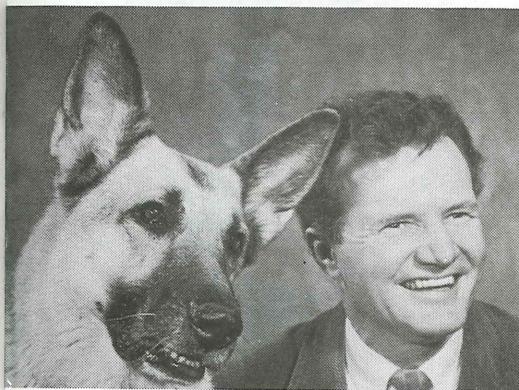
because we were doing a number of other things as well. We were bringing the industry together. We introduced something of a social aspect to industry activities. We began to throw conferences and parties and we introduced the RPM Gold Leaf Awards, signifying records that had experienced outstanding sales in Canada. We published a Canadian Music Industry Directory, a couple of Who's Who annuals, and a guide to recording studios. It's interesting to remember that back in those days, lawyers wrote on the law of the music business when very few, if any, knew nor cared about the music business. We set out to create a genuine music industry and attempted to rid ourselves of the stigma that Canada was a country being controlled by foreign branch offices.

**DK: What were the high points of the 25 years of RPM?**

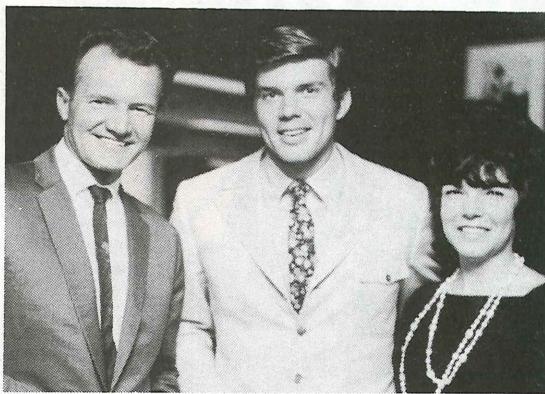
**WG:** I guess Pierre Juneau, showing up at the early Juno Awards . . . alone, walking down a long hallway with his ticket in his hand. That was the first time I met him. Anne Murray, getting out of her sick bed to come to the Junos . . . in her bare feet. I told her she could catch a cold walking around like that. Marci MacDonald writing in the Toronto Star about the Junos. RPM's part in the invasion of MIDEML Just look at it now. Walt Grealis Day in Ottawa . . . that was nice. Actually catching a glimpse of Trudeau at the Junos in 1979. I was seated at the back of the room and he passed within ten feet of me and went to the front to sit with all the CARAS heavies. I have yet to meet him. I would have liked to. The other things are



Walt with Judy LaMarsh and Marshall McLuhan, speakers at an early 3DIM meet



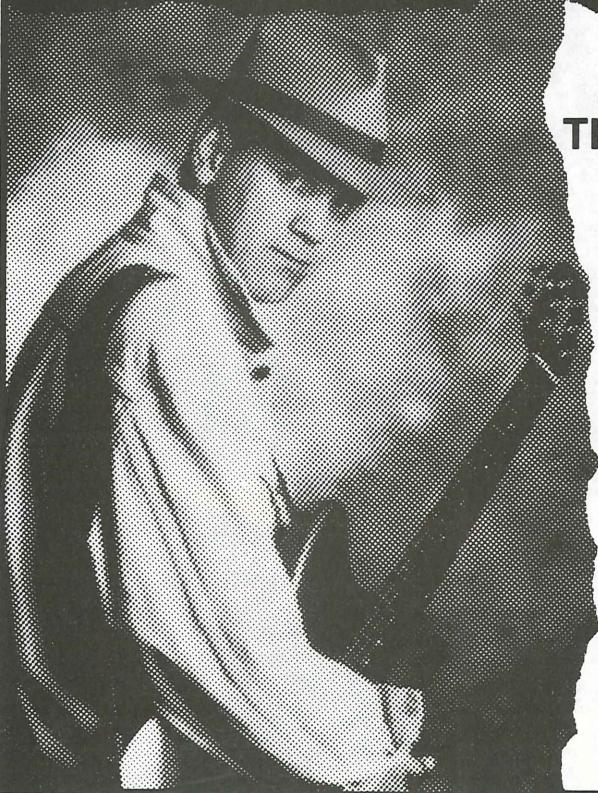
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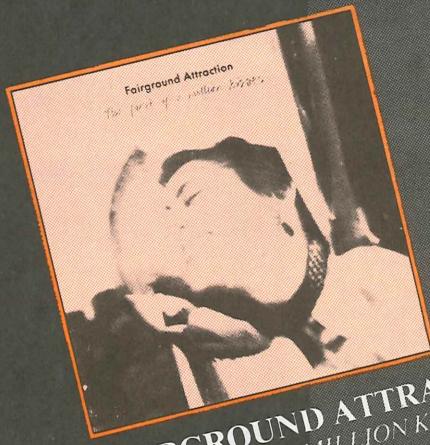

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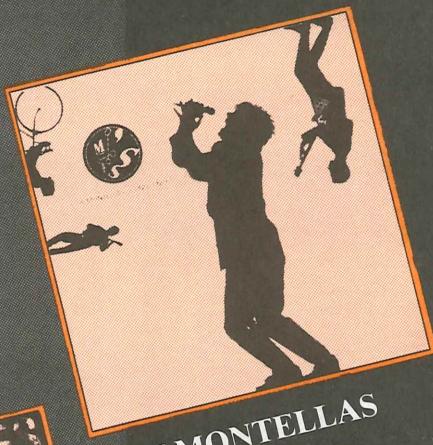
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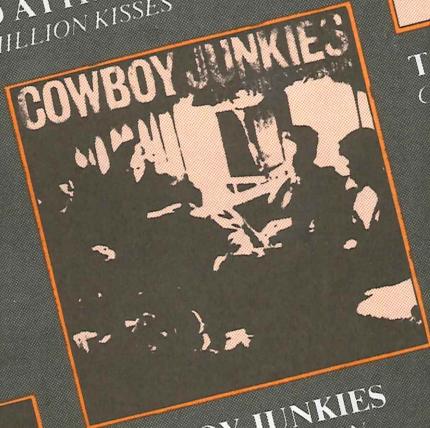
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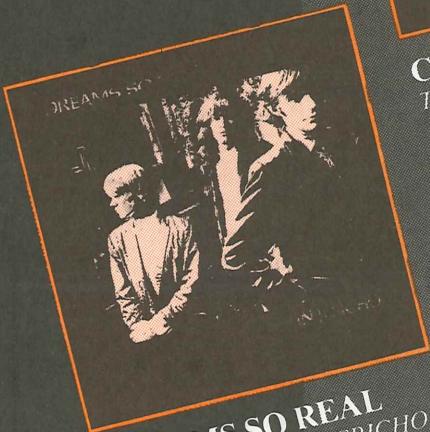
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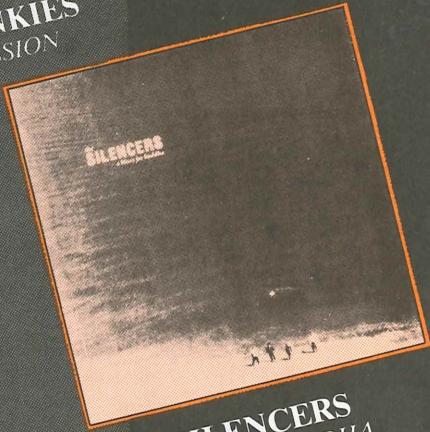
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private. They are little things that just pleased me and really wouldn't be of interest to the readers.

**DK: Name a few . . . give us an idea of what makes you tick!**

**WG:** Flying by private jet to a junket; flying Concorde to MIDEY . . . and back. I have my pilot's ticket, you know. Skydiving, jogging . . . yah . . . the places I've jogged, all over the world . . . like Hyde Park in London, the Croisette in Cannes, Disney World, Champs Elysees in Paris, Acapulco, Tangiers, Casablanca, Venezuela, Malaga, Madeira and the Seawall in Stanley Park.

**DK: But, what would be your favourite place?**

Wilket Creek Park, which is just down the road from our building on Brentcliffe, in Toronto's prestigious graphics arts district,

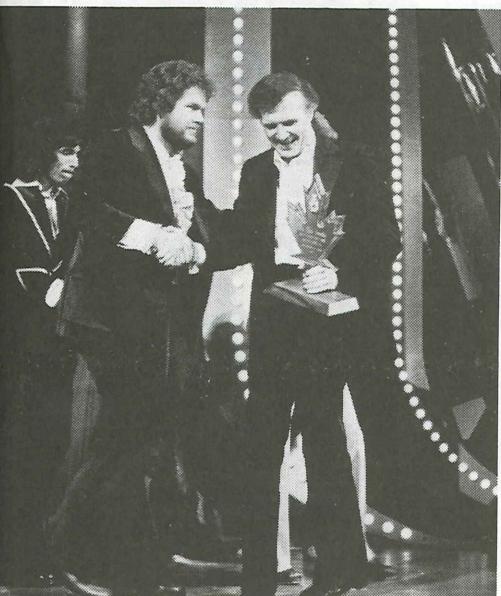
right next to the Inn on the Park. No matter where you go in the world, there's no place like Canada. You have to travel the world to realize how lucky we are.

**DK: What about the private, behind-the-scenes life of the founder of RPM!**

**WG:** I live alone, in a house on a forty foot bluff overlooking Lake Ontario and a stone's throw from Camp X . . . if you're familiar with the Man From Intrepid book . . . that's in Whitby. I also maintain quarters in Toronto, so as not to commute everyday. I own three motorcycles . . . a Harley, a Honda and a prize 1970 BSA, which is a collector's bike. I have a Sunfish, which is a small sports sailboat . . . and I wish I could find the time to use it more. I jog about five miles a day, average, and belong to three health clubs. I do a bit of lifting.

**DK: Pet peeves. What bothers you?**

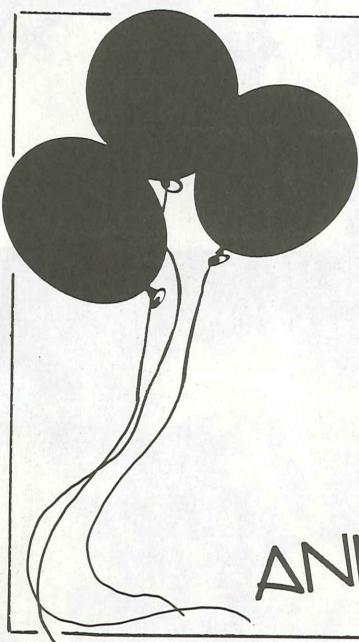
**WG:** The entertainment/classified sections of Canada's dailies. I think the sports sections are better. Wine and cheese parties. Invitations that are badly worded and don't tell you what you're invited to. Invitations and tickets that come in the door on the day of the event, as if you don't have anything



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else to do that day.

**DK: What makes you happy?**

**WG:** Working at the job I have. We're so lucky to be in this business because it has all the glamour of show business . . . without the hassles of television, movies and the other areas of showbiz. We are treated really well, everywhere we go . . . or at least . . . I am, and I make a living doing what others do when they go out to have a good time. That's why I never like to complain. Just think of other people who have real jobs and have to work really hard. I love the record business and the people in it. Some of them make it really hard to like them, but . . . what the hell!

**DK: Tell me about Elvira Capreese!**

**WG:** Actually the character goes back to the early days of RPM when I did nearly all of

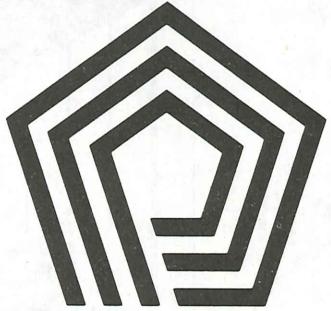
the writing myself and I invented names for various people who wrote columns in RPM, like Bebe Gee, E.I.E.I.O. MacDonald, Penelope Penelope, Canada Bill, and Elvira Capreese and so on. Back in those days, she wrote her own column and I'm talking about twenty-four and a half years ago. Now, she makes little comments in Walt Says, my gossip column. She says things that I wouldn't dare say in print. Funny lady . . . nasty lady, but she really is a good friend.

**DK: Do you realize how widely read Walt Says is?**

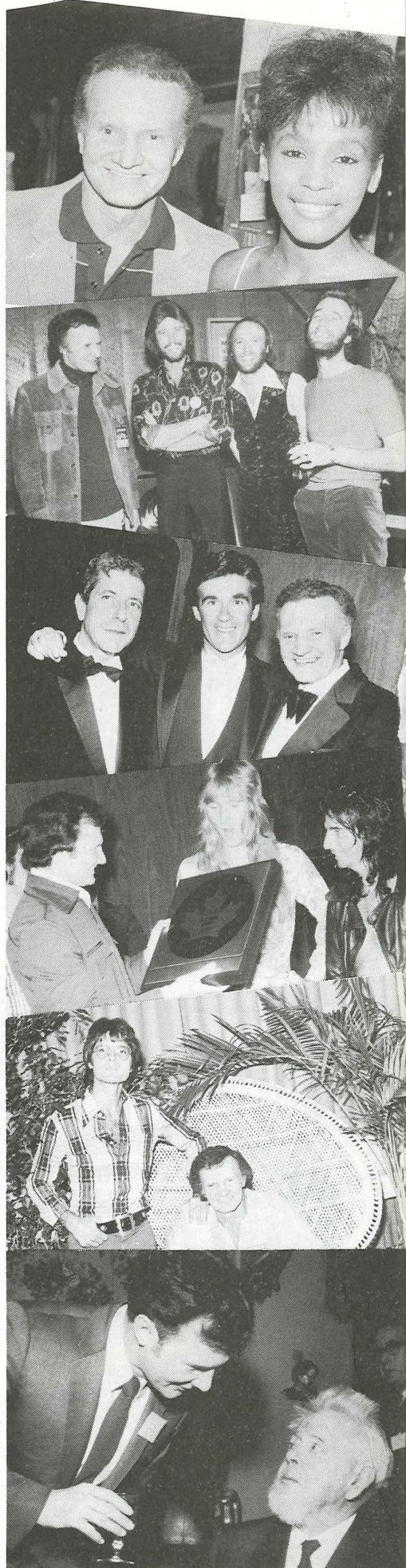
**WG:** You bet I do. I get phone calls, letters

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and, sometimes, threats. As a matter of fact, I've been asked to write a gossip column and I guess it would be interesting, but not while I have RPM to look after.

**DK: Someone told me that at the 25th Anniversary tribute to RPM, you may announce your retirement. Is that true?**

**WG:** Never. RPM has never been so successful. We seem to have caught the imagination of radio stations, record stores and the industry . . . and I've never felt so positive about RPM. No . . . there are still a lot of things to do and we continue to document the history of the Canadian music industry. There are things we do that no one else in the industry can do. We have the experience of all those years . . . the intuition and the feeling of what is going on in the industry. We don't print sheets and sheets of tracking information to prove what is happening. We are researchers, and most programmers just look at RPM, find what they want and get back to business. Tracking is very important to the business, but we are a quick read for the busy professional who wants to keep abreast. It was a very sharp industry "heavy", who once said, "85 percent of the records sold in Canada are listed each week in the pages of RPM." I think he may have been very close, and if the bottom line is . . . the bottom line, then that is the most important information you need. But if the bottom line is politics . . . look elsewhere.

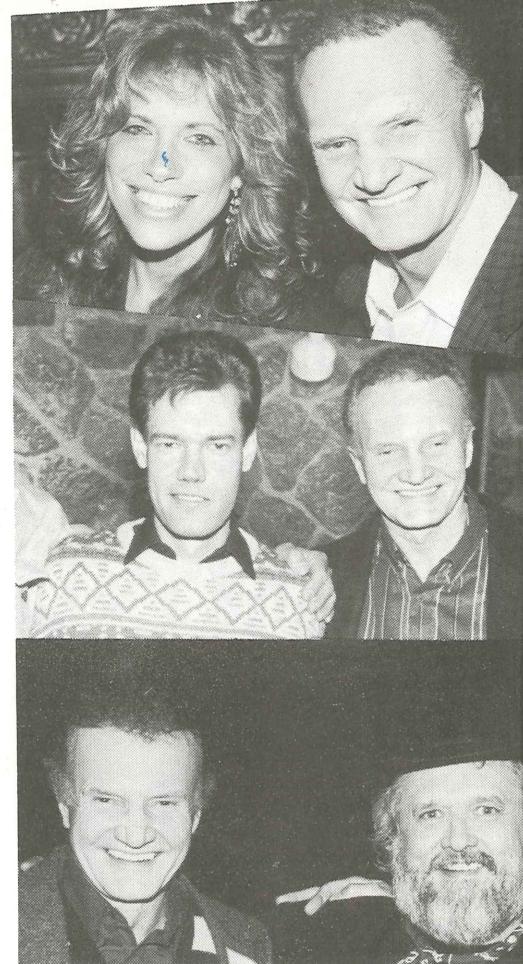
**DK: What's in the future for RPM?**

**WG:** In a very short time we'll have to concern ourselves with some kind of video

disc. Right now, we're on the brink of sell-through music videos and any day now, the record companies are going to get interested. The breakthrough is so recent that many of the record companies are just starting to get interested. RPM is very interested, but the record companies are still waiting to see. Canadian country music needs to clean house and get back on the tracks. A few years ago they set themselves back a decade, but I think they may be able to get rid of the gloss, the glamour and get back to making records. A TV special once a year is not the answer.

**DK: Thank you for being so candid, and is there something you'd like to say.**

**WG:** I get the chance to say anything I want, every week of the year. That's a privilege I cherish and would never abuse. I'm pleased that we are celebrating our 25th Anniversary and particularly the way it's being done . . . that it's all being done for charity and in particular, the Variety Club, which is the favoured charity of the record industry . . . that the real benefit will go to needy kids and that the whole thing was arranged tastefully by the committee, CARAS and the Variety Club. It will be great to sit in that particular ballroom at the Inn on the Park and be with so many of the friends I've gotten to know over the past twenty-five years. What a legacy we leave behind. This little magazine has accomplished so much in all those years. No one can be more thrilled or amazed than me . . . that we were able to do it. There's still a few things that have to be done . . . and a few innovations we can come up with. It's not over 'til the fat lady sings!



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2	8	(11)	<b>DON'T YOU EVER GET TIRED</b> Ronnie Milsap - RCA - 8746-7-R-N (LP) Ronnie Milsap - 9588/1/24-R-N
3	3	(11)	<b>HONEY I DARE YOU</b> Southern Pacific - Warner Bros - 92-76917-P (LP) Zuma - 92-560914-P
4	4	(12)	<b>I WISH I WAS STILL IN YOUR DREAMS</b> Conway Twitty - MCA - 53456-J (LP) Still In Your Dreams - MCA-42115-J
5	9	(10)	<b>FROM A JACK TO A KING</b> Ricky Van Shelton - Columbia - 38-08259-H (LP) Wild Eyed Dream - FC-40602-H
6	11	(14)	<b>COME AS YOU WERE</b> T.Graham Brown - Capitol - P-B-44273-F (LP) Come As You Were - C1-48621-F
7	7	(11)	<b>'TIL YOU CRY</b> Eddy Raven - RCA - 8798-7-N (LP) Best Of - 6816-1-R-N
8	1	(13)	<b>I STILL BELIEVE IN YOU</b> The Desert Rose Band - MCA/Curb - 53454-J (LP) Running - MCA-42169-J
9	13	(10)	<b>NEW FOOL AT AN OLD GAME</b> Reba McEntire - MCA - 53473-J (LP) Reba - MCA-42134-J
10	14	(10)	<b>DOWN THAT ROAD TONIGHT</b> Nitty Gritty Dirt Band - Warner Bros - PRO-76797-P (LP) More Great Dirt - 92-564614-P
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12	20	(11)	<b>I FEEL FINE</b> Sweethearts Of Rodeo - Columbia - 38-08504-H (LP) One Time One Night - FC-40614-H
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18	27	(7)	<b>I'M NO STRANGER TO THE RAIN</b> Keith Whitley - RCA - 8797-7-N (LP) Don't Close Your Eyes - 7494-1-R-N
19	10	(13)	<b>BRIDGES AND WALLS</b> Oak Ridge Boys - MCA - 53460-J (LP) Monongahela - MCA-42205-J
20	26	(11)	<b>WHO YOU GONNA BLAME IT ON</b> Vern Gosdin - Columbia - 38-08528-H (LP) Chiseled In Stone - FC-40982-H
21	19	(13)	<b>FIDDLE TEXAS STYLE</b> Cindi Cain - Golden Eagle - GE-153 (LP) Cindi Cain - GELP-113
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25	25	(12)	<b>I'D FALL FOR THAT FEELIN'</b> Carroll Baker - Tembo - TS-8810-N (LP) At Home In The Country - TMT-4333-N
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28	30	(10)	<b>THE COWBOY THING TO DO</b> Boatleg - Rana - RR-0021 (LP) Boatleg - RR-017
29	33	(9)	<b>BIG LOVE</b> Bellamy Brothers - MCA/Curb - 53478-J (LP) Rebels Without A Clue - MCA-42224-J
30	35	(7)	<b>LET'S BUILD A LIFE TOGETHER</b> Family Brown - RCA - PB-51024-N (LP) These Days - KKL-1595-N
31	24	(12)	<b>IN THE LONG RUN</b> Ken Harden - RCA - SD-51021-N (LP) N/A
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33	36	(6)	<b>THE CHURCH ON CUMBERLAND RD</b> Shenandoah - Columbia - 38-68550-H (LP) Road Not Taken - FC-44668-H
34	34	(8)	<b>TRAINWRECK OF EMOTION</b> Lorrie Morgan - RCA - 6638-7-N (LP) N/A

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35	42	(6)	<b>FAIR SHAKE</b> Foster & Lloyd - RCA - 8795-7-N (LP) Faster & Louder - 9587-7-R-N
36	43	(5)	<b>TELL IT LIKE IT IS</b> Billy Joe Royal - Atlantic/America - PRO-92427-P (LP) Tell It Like It Is - 78-106414-P
37	44	(4)	<b>I'LL BE LOVIN' YOU</b> Lee Greenwood - MCA - 53475-J (LP) Greatest Hits Vol. 2 - MCA-42219-J
38	18	(15)	<b>LIFE AS WE KNEW IT</b> Kathy Mattea - Mercury - 872-0827-Q (LP) Untasted Honey - 832-793-1-Q
39	53	(6)	<b>MY TRAIN OF THOUGHT</b> Barbara Mandrell - Capitol - P-B-44276-F (LP) I'll Be Your Jukebox Tonight - C1-90416-F
40	56	(2)	<b>THERE'S A TEAR IN MY BEER</b> Hank Williams Jr. - Warner Bros - PRO-75847-P (LP) Greatest Hits No. 3 - 92-53341-P
41	70	(5)	<b>YOUNG LOVE</b> The Judds - RCA - 8820-7-R-N (LP) River Of Time - 9595-1/24-R-N
42	66	(4)	<b>HEY BOBBY</b> K.T. Oslin - RCA - 8865-7-R-N (LP) This Woman - 8369/1/24-R-N
43	46	(10)	<b>MY WAY OR THE HIGHWAY</b> Chris Nielsen - Royalty - RP-8841 (LP) My Way Or The Highway - RP-8805
44	22	(15)	<b>SOMEDAY GONNA RIDE IN CADILLAC</b> Matt Minglewood - Savannah - PRO-628-P (LP) The Promise - 9530-P
45	45	(7)	<b>MR. CONDUCTOR</b> Colleen Peterson - Bookshop - BSR-785-N (LP) Basic Facts - BSR-786-N
46	47	(10)	<b>ONE MORE TIME</b> R. Harlan Smith - Royalty - RP-8842 (LP) Two Steppin' Round - RP-8803
47	52	(6)	<b>DON'T TOSS US AWAY</b> Patty Loveless - MCA - 53477-J (LP) Honky Tonk Angel - MCA-42223-J
48	23	(16)	<b>WHAT I'D SAY</b> Earl Thomas Conley - RCA - 8717-7-R-N (LP) The Heart Of It All - 6874-1-R-N
49	61	(4)	<b>SHE DESERVES YOU</b> Baillie And The Boys - RCA - 8796-7-R-N (LP) Turn The Tide - 8454-1/24-R-N
50	51	(6)	<b>RBJ</b> George Fox - WEA - PRO-638-P (LP) George Fox - 25-55514-P
51	65	(5)	<b>THE HEART</b> Lacy J. Dalton - Universal - UVL-53487-H (LP) Survivor - UVL-22264-H
52	69	(4)	<b>EXCEPTION TO THE RULE</b> Mason Dixon - Capitol - P-B-44331-F (LP) Exception To The Rule - C1-90120-F
53	79	(3)	<b>SETTING ME UP</b> Highway 101 - Warner Bros - PRO-75817-P (LP) 101 - 92-574214-P
54	55	(9)	<b>RESCUE ME</b> Jack Diamond Band - Roto Noto - RN-1062 (LP) N/A
55	59	(5)	<b>DONNA LEE</b> Greg Paul - Royalty - RP-8843 (LP) Moments In Between - RRI-8911
56	75	(3)	<b>IS IT STILL OVER</b> Randy Travis - Warner Bros - 92-75517-P (LP) Old 8 X 10 - 92-573814-P
57	58	(6)	<b>CHAMPAGNE &amp; ROSES</b> Gary Buck - Tembo - TS-8901-N (LP) N/A
58	73	(3)	<b>IN MY DREAMS</b> Laura Vinson - Royalty - RP-100-8844 (LP) Many Moons Ago - RP200-8602
59	71	(4)	<b>IRVING BERLIN (Is 100 Yrs Old Today)</b> Jan Tyson - Stony Plain - SPS-1064-P (LP) Outgrow The Wagon - SPL-1131-P
60	77	(4)	<b>WANT TO MEAN SOMETHING TO YOU</b> Jesse Winchester - Attic - AT-386-W (LP) Humour Me - LAT-1252-W
61	62	(5)	<b>WALK THAT WAY</b> Mel McDaniel - Capitol - B-44303-F (LP) Rock-A-Billy Boy - C1-9133-F
62	37	(16)	<b>HANGIN' BY A THREAD</b> Jenny Lee West - Roto-Noto - RN1058 (LP) N/A
63	81	(3)	<b>BIG DREAMS IN A SMALL TOWN</b> Restless Heart - RCA - 8816-7-R-A-N (LP) Big Dreams In A Small Town - 8317-1/24-R-N
64	83	(2)	<b>AFTER ALL THIS TIME</b> Rodney Crowell - Columbia - 38-68585-H (LP) Diamonds & Dirt - FC-44076-H
65	80	(4)	<b>LONELY LADY</b> Bobby McGee - Roto Noto - RN-1061 (LP) N/A
66	38	(14)	<b>(It's Always Gonna Be) SOMEDAY</b> Holly Dunn - MTM - E4-72116-H (LP) Across The Rio Grande - MTM-71070-H
67	39	(10)	<b>HELP ME GET OVER YOU/I CONFESS</b> Wagoners - Adam - AM777-W (LP) Stout And High - SP-5200-W
68	86	(3)	<b>WHEN SHE HOLDS ME</b> Larry Gatlin/Gatlin Bros - Universal - UVL-53501-H (LP) N/A
69	87	(3)	<b>THEY RAGE ON</b> Dan Seals - Capitol - P-B-44345-F (LP) Rage On - C1-46976-F
70	89	(2)	<b>YOUR LOVE IS HERE TO STAY</b> Bev Marie - Canyon Creek - CCR-88-1226 (LP) N/A
71	98	(2)	<b>BETTER MAN</b> Clint Black - RCA - 8781-7-RAA-N (LP) Killing Time - 9668-1/24-R-N
72	76	(9)	<b>HE'S A DREAMER</b> Jerry Paquette - Raincoast - RM-001 (LP) N/A
73	93	(2)	<b>THE MOON IS OUT TO GET ME</b> Fjellgaard & Hunt - Savannah - PRO-640-P (LP) Heart Of A Dream - SRL-9833-P
74	NEW		<b>STAND BY YOUR MAN</b> Lyle Lovett - MCA - 53611-J (LP) Lyle Lovett - MCA-42263-J
75	NEW		<b>OLD PAIR OF SHOES</b> Sawyer Brown - Capitol - P-B-44332-F (LP) Wide Open - C1-90417-F
76	95	(2)	<b>IF THE JUKEBOX TOOK TEARDROPS</b> Michael Dee - Evergreen - EV-1090 (LP) N/A
77	NEW		<b>IF I EVER GO CRAZY</b> The Shooters - Epic - 34-68587-H (LP) The Shooters - BSE-40865-H
78	91	(3)	<b>BLUE JEANS BOY</b> JK Guley - RCA - PB-51027-N (LP) Blue Jeans Boy - KZL-10597-N
79	67	(10)	<b>SLOW PASSIN' TIME</b> Anne Murray - B44272-F (LP) As I Am - C1-48764-F
80	97	(2)	<b>MOON PRETTY MOON</b> Statler Brothers - Mercury - 872-604-7-Q (LP) Greatest Hits - 834-626-Q
81	74	(7)	<b>TWILIGHT TIME</b> Willie Nelson - Columbia - 38-08541-H (LP) What A Wonderful World - FC-44331-H
82	82	(5)	<b>A LESSON I DON'T WANT TO LEARN</b> Sherisse Laurence - Jennie - JPR-018 (LP) N/A
83	NEW		<b>FOOL'S GOLD</b> Mary Beth - Comstock - COM-1889
84	84	(5)	<b>LOVER'S GAME</b> Dan P. Rogers w/Marie Bottrell - Altair Four - 3-6048 (LP) N/A
85	85	(4)	<b>THE LYIN' GETS EASY</b> Nicole Hart - MBS - MBS-1076
86	68	(7)	<b>IF YOUR LOVE RAN OUT TOMORROW</b> Bobby LaLonde - Bookshop - BSR-783-N (LP) A Long Lonely Night - BSR-770-N
87	100	(2)	<b>THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO LUKE</b> Skip Ewing - MCA - 53481-J (LP) The Coast Of Colorado - MCA-42128-J
88	57	(12)	<b>COUNTRY LULLABY</b> The Walters Family - WFS - WF88
89	NEW		<b>SNOW COVERED MOUNTAINS</b> Ray Griff - Book Shop - BSR-793-N (LP) My Kind Of Country - BSR-3735-N
90	50	(9)	<b>(If You Were) A TURN IN THE ROAD</b> Bruce Golden - Book Shop - BSR-786 (LP) N/A
91	54	(16)	<b>DEEPER THAN THE HOLLER</b> Randy Travis - Warner Bros - 92-76897-P (LP) Old 8x10 - 92-573841-P
92	NEW		<b>COWBOY HAT IN DALLAS</b> Charlie Daniels Band - Epic - 34-68542-H (LP) Homescick Heroes - FE-44324-H
93	63	(8)	<b>ROCK STEADY LOVE</b> Lucille Starr - Cardinal - QSP-726 (LP) Back To You - RSP-159
94	60	(9)	<b>WHISKEY TRAIN</b> Ray St. Germain - Jennie - JPR-020 (LP) N/A
95	40	(17)	<b>BURNIN' A HOLE IN MY HEART</b> Skip Ewing - MCA - 53435-J (LP) The Coast Of Colorado - MCA-42128-J
96	41	(13)	<b>SONG OF THE SOUTH</b> Alabama - RCA - 8744-R-N (LP) Alabama Live - 6825-R-N
97	NEW		<b>WHERE DID I GO WRONG</b> Steve Earle - MCA - 53504-J (LP) Copperhead Road - MCA - UNI-7-J
98	48	(17)	<b>PAINT THE TOWN</b> J.C. Crawley - RCA - 8747-7-N (LP) Beneath The Texas Moon - 8370-1-R-N
99	72	(10)	<b>I JUST CALLED TO SAY GOODBYE</b> Larry Boone - Mercury - 872-046-7-Q (LP) N/A
100	78	(14)	<b>YOU BABE</b> Merle Haggard - Epic - 34-08111-H (LP) Chill Factor - FC-40986-H

# COUNTRY

## Weird nod to new McLauchlan single

Love With A Capitol L by Murray McLauchlan has been added to Weird Harold's Real Country Playlist, along with Restless Heart's Big Dreams In A Small Town. Ronnie Milsap's Don't You Ever Get Tired Of Hurting Me tops the Country Countdown. Weird's Pick Hit is Randy Travis' Is It Still Over and the LP of The Week is Lacy J. Dalton's Survivor.

## Silver & Degazio's follow-up shipped

Hello Good Morning is the follow-up single to Bye Bye Love by A&M's Silver & Degazio,

## Backgrounder Fleming steps into solo spotlight

Debbie Fleming, one of Canada's most sought after background singers, has moved into the solo arena with her debut for the Riverdale label, titled What've They Got For A Heartache. The single was produced in Toronto by Ron Dann, who gathered some of the best session musicians in the business for the production. The plug side is a Fleming original and carries a full MAPL logo.

Nominated in 1975 for a Juno Award, Fleming has performed as a session vocalist on Anne Murray's Christmas LP and her hit single, Broken Hearted Me, and has backed up Charley Pride, Tommy Hunter and Brenda Lee, to name just a few.

The Fleming single is being promoted by Joe Wood of RDR Promotions in Toronto, and he reports "excellent" country and A/C programmer reaction to the single.

and this is a side the A&M promotion network can get their teeth into. Produced by Harry Hinde. Two-parts Cancon (AP).

## Lori Yates off with new Columbia single

Lori Yates is considered by several U.S. country programmers as the brightest new talent to keep an eye on. She made quite an

## Griff on promotion tour for new Book Shop single

Ray Griff has been making the rounds with independent promotion personality Scoot Irwin, touting his latest Book Shop single, Snow Covered Mountains. The single is included on his My Kind Of Country LP. Griff also releases on WEA and has been chalking up impressive airplay for Honest To Goodness Amigos, his debut LP for the label. The next single from this LP will be Moonlight, a Griff/Terry Carisse duet.

Griff, born in Calgary and who now lives in Nashville, is a veteran of country music with releases dating back to the early '60s. One of his first singles, Weepin' Willow Tree, released on the RCA label, charted on RPM's Top Country Hits in March of 1965. He has since written hit material for several name country acts including George Hamilton IV (Canadian Pacific), Porter Wagoner and Dolly Parton (Better Move It On Home), Gene Watson (Her Body Couldn't Keep You Off My Mind), Faron Young (Step Aside) and Mel Tillis (Something Special), to name just a few.

Griff has also branched out into production and has produced sessions for Colleen Peterson and Glory Anne.

impression in the U.S. with her debut for Columbia, entitled Scene Of The Crime, and managed a 51 berth on the RPM Country 100, without the help of a Cancon qualification. Yates' follow-up single, Promises, Promises, was written by herself and M. Berg, but she still doesn't qualify for a MAPL logo. The session was produced in Nashville by Steve Buckingham. This track and Crime are both included on her forthcoming LP, Can't Stop The Girl.

## Anne Murray off with Who But You

One of the first country programmers to recognize the potential of Anne Murray's latest single, Who But You, is Randy Owen. He adds the single to his playlist this week. There's no Cancon on this release, which was taken from Murray's As I Am LP.

## Debbie Drummond touting new single

Book Shop recording artist Debbie Drummond is getting her self-promotion



At WX 1130 Vancouver (l to r) WEA promo rep Wolfgang Burandt, WX MD "Weird" Harold, George Fox, WX personality Elmer Tippe and WEA Branch Manager Randy Stark.

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machinery into gear from her home in Sherbrooke, Quebec, for her latest single, Starshine. The single was produced in Nashville by Gilles Godard and was written by the team of Johnson, Drummond and Godard. Comment cards are very favourable and Drummond looks like she's heading for

## CFMK's country release gives boost to Food Bank

CFMK, Kingston's country giant, capped one of their most successful promotions of last year with the presentation of a cheque in the amount of \$10,697.22 to the Partners In Mission Food Bank. The cheque represents the proceeds from the sales of a CFMK financed cassette titled A Country Christmas.

The cassette showcased the talents of Kingstonians Don Cochrane, Anne Banks, Kevin Simpson, Bill Johnston and Christine Hunter; Kevin Head from Sharbot Lake; Dieter Boehme from Odessa; Ken Harnden and Dan Kennedy from Belleville; and Campbellford's Terry Sheridan. Veteran

the charts once more.

### Heavy duty release from Savannah

This week sees three singles shipped by Savannah: Anita Perras (Hello Again), Terry Carisse (Loveproof Heart), and Matt Minglewood (You're Not Drinking Enough).



The Good Brothers with CKTY's weekend morning personality Ken Williams.

## MCA country titles added to Platinum Plus series

Randy Lennox, Vice President, Sales for MCA Records Canada, has announced a new country addition to the label's Platinum Plus cassette series. All selections feature the new MCAMC prefix and carry a suggested list price of \$7.98 (price code D).

Included in the titles are the Oak Ridge Boys (Greatest Hits, Fancy Free, Greatest Hits 2, and Bobby Sue), Reba McEntire (Whoever's In New England and What Am I Gonna Do), Steve Wariner (It's A Crazy World), George Strait (No. 7 and Something Special) and more.

MCA is currently charting on the RPM 100 with Conway Twitty, The Desert Rose Band, Reba McEntire and the Oak Ridge Boys, all in the Top 20.

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## Cowboy Junkies debut strikes gold - BMG

The Trinity Session, Cowboy Junkies' debut LP for RCA, has gone gold, a masterful achievement, considering the limited radio play received. One track, Sweet Jane, however, has been added to regular rotation by several "heavy" stations, which makes its release as the next single "imminent."

Since the beginning of 1989, the band, comprising Margo (vocals), Michael (guitars) and Peter (drums), all of the Timmins family, and Alan Anton (bass), have been following a hectic promotion/concert regimen, with a

particularly heavy concentration on the U.S. Their string of one-niters included time in New York where they appeared on Saturday Night Live to perform two songs, Sweet Jane and Misguided Angel. Trinity Session, this week, makes impressive moves up U.S. trade charts, and continues to move up the RPM 100 album chart.

The band recently played Toronto's Diamond Club and two March dates with Michelle Shocked at Vancouver's Commodore. Additional Canadian dates are



At Vancouver Telethon (l to r) Roger Whittaker, Pat Boone, Laurie Thain and Tanya Tucker.

## FACTOR sets deadlines for funding programs

FACTOR has announced new deadlines for submitting applications to the Video, International Tour Support, Direct Board Approval, Radio Syndication, Professional Publishers and Songwriters Demo Award and New Talent Demo Award programs.

The following programs have quarterly deadlines as follows: Direct Board Approval, and Loan Program, Mar. 31, June 30, Sept. 29 and Dec. 29; New Talent Demo Award, for Rock/Pop Softer, Rock/Pop Harder, Country, Folk, Easy Listening and Dance music categories, Aug 31 and Nov. 30; Children's Apr. 28 and Oct. 31; Jazz/Blues, June 30 and Dec. 29; and for Classical, Aug 31.

The following have deadlines on the last working day of every month. The next deadlines are: Professional Publishers and Songwriters Demo Award (Apr. 28), Video (Mar. 31), International Tour Support (Mar. 31), and Radio Syndication (Mar. 31).

## Whittaker first recorded Wind Beneath My Wings

The Bette Midler single, The Wind Beneath My Wings from the Beaches movie, was first recorded by Roger Whittaker. The song, written by Larry Henley and Jeff Silbar, was found by Chet Atkins, who produced it with Whittaker in 1981.

The Whittaker LP, titled The Wind Beneath My Wings, is still available in the U.S. on RCA cassette (AFK1-4321). In Canada, the LP and cassette are available on the Tembo label (TMT/TMK-4231). The track is also included on his Greatest Hits CD and cassette (TMK-4331/TMCD-4331).

## CIRPA kicks off spring workshop series

The Canadian Independent Record Production Association (CIRPA) will commence their spring workshop series with a March 1st discussion on Creative Entrepreneurship at The Diamond Club in Toronto. The workshops will run from 6 to 8 pm and will feature speakers involved in the day-to-day problems facing independent record producers.

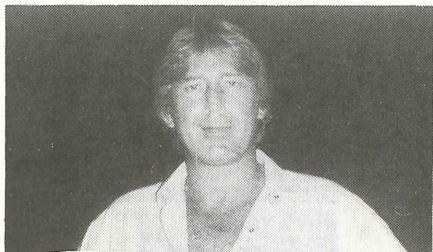
The second workshop, which will discuss Picking The Pro's, is scheduled for Mar. 8, followed by Tapping Sources Of Information (15), Techno-Fair Office Equipment And The Small Business (22), and Capturing The Cash - Attracting Investors And Managing Working Capitol (29).

Registration fees for CIRPA members for the five nights is \$45.00, non-members \$95.00 with one night attendance fees pegged at \$10.00 for members and \$20.00 for non-members.

currently pending confirmation for the month of April, to be followed by a tour of the U.K. and Europe and a May appearance on Johnny Carson's Tonight Show.



The Cowboy Junkies with BMG's Jim Campbell (2nd from right) and RPM's Brad Wietersen (on Campbell's left).



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2	1	(13)	<b>TELL SOMEBODY</b> Sass Jordan - Aquarius - AQ-6040-2-F (LP) Tell Somebody - AQR-552-F
3	3	(9)	<b>IF A TREE FALLS</b> Bruce Cockburn - True North/Epic - TN4-212-H (LP) Big Circumstance - TN-70-H
4	5	(8)	<b>WHEN I'M WITH YOU</b> Sheriff - Capitol - B72901-F (LP) Sheriff - C4-91216-F
5	7	(8)	<b>I BEG YOUR PARDON</b> Kon Kan - Atlantic - 78-89697-P (LP) N/A
6	10	(9)	<b>TANGO</b> Dalbello - Capitol - B73074-F (LP) She - C1-48286-F
7	12	(6)	<b>ONE MORE TRY</b> Brighton Rock - WEA - 25-76657-P (LP) Take A Deep Breath - 25-59691-P
8	8	(5)	<b>SHE'S SO YOUNG</b> The Pursuit Of Happiness - Chrysalis - 45061-J (LP) Love Junk - CHR-41675-J
9	4	(11)	<b>SEND YOUR LOVE</b> Glass Tiger - Capitol - B-73071-F (LP) Diamond Sun - C1-48684-F
10	9	(6)	<b>WATERLINE</b> The Spoons - Anthem - ANS-082-F (LP) Vertigo Tango - A1-1054-F
11	6	(14)	<b>STILL IN LOVE</b> Corey Hart - Aquarius - AQ-6042-F (LP) Young Man Running - AQR-551-F
12	14	(9)	<b>WHY'D YOU LIE</b> Colin James - Virgin - VS-1468-W (LP) Colin James - VL-3044-W
13	16	(4)	<b>LOVE MAKES NO PROMISES</b> Candi - IRS - 53622-J (LP) Candi - IRS-42260-J
14	15	(5)	<b>DREAM COME TRUE</b> Frozen Ghost - WEA - PRO-642-P (LP) Nice Place To Visit - 25-57051-P
15	13	(10)	<b>GIVE ME YOUR LOVE</b> Roman Grey - Attic - AT-384-W (LP) Edge Of The Shadow - LAT-1249-W
16	18	(6)	<b>LOVE CHILD</b> One To One - WEA - BON-22127-P (LP) 1-2-1 - BON-12121-P
17	NEW		<b>DIAMOND MINE</b> Blue Rodeo - Risque Disque - PRO-652-P (LP) Diamond Mine - 25-62681-P
18	19	(4)	<b>IT'S A POWERFUL THING</b> Doug & The Slugs - Riddong - AMS-117-W (LP) Tomcat Prowl - AMD-1007-W
19	NEW		<b>EASY STREET</b> David Gibson - A&M - AM-782-W (LP) David Gibson - SP-9148-W
20	20	(5)	<b>WANT TO MEAN SOMETHING TO YOU</b> Jesse Winchester - Attic - AT-386-W (LP) Humour Me - LAT-1252-W

21	NEW		<b>SHE'S MY INSPIRATION</b> Barney Bentall - Epic - E4-3081-H (LP) Barney Bentall - BPEC-80131-H
22	11	(11)	<b>THE HOUSE OF LOVE</b> Barney Bentall - Epic - E4-3075-H (LP) Barney Bentall - BPEC-80131-H
23	22	(4)	<b>IT HURTS TOO MUCH TO LOVE YOU</b> Big Bang - Spy - SPY-701-W (LP) Big Bang - SPY-1000-W
24	17	(16)	<b>AMERICAN DREAM</b> Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young - Atlantic - 78-90037-P (LP) American Dream - 78-18881-P
25	27	(3)	<b>MODERN MAN</b> Ian Thomas - WEA - PRO-644-P (LP) Levity - 25-55561-P
26	NEW		<b>SHOOTING FROM MY HEART</b> Big Bam Boo - UNI - 50019-J (LP) Fun, Faith & Fair Play - UNI-8-J
27	30	(3)	<b>LIVING TO THE FIRE</b> Eye Eye - Duke Street - 11037-J (LP) Common Ground - DSR-31037-J
28	21	(10)	<b>ARE YOU STILL LOVIN' ME</b> Myles Goodwyn - Aquarius - AQ-8043-F (LP) Myles Goodwyn - AQR-548-F
29	24	(9)	<b>SWORD AND STONE</b> Paul Dean - Columbia - CSK-1384-H (LP) Hard Core - FC-4462-H
30	NEW		<b>VOX</b> Sarah McLachlan - Nettwerk - NT12-3023-F (LP) Touch - NTL-30024-F
31	26	(12)	<b>SLOW TRAIN</b> Tim Breit Bros - RCA - PB-51023-N (LP) The Breit Bros - 840-1-R-N
32	32	(7)	<b>JUST A MINUTE</b> Montana - M&M - DLD-10001 (LP) N/A
33	NEW		<b>CHANGE MY MIND</b> National Velvet - Intrepid - B-73079-F (LP) National Velvet - N-19336-F
34	28	(7)	<b>WALK AWAY</b> Debbie Johnson - Mariposa - MPL-744-E (LP) Just Like Magic - MPL-1203-E
35	33	(10)	<b>THE PEACE OF BEAT</b> Alo & The Hungry Boys - Edit - XTC-4501-E (LP) Ride An Elephant - XTC-3301-E
36	34	(2)	<b>GIVE IT UP</b> The Trees - Coconut - SCNT-8801-E (LP) The Trees - CNT-8801-E
37	25	(6)	<b>NEVER BE LONELY</b> Lorraine Scott - Slak - SR-4588-E (LP) N/A
38	36	(2)	<b>WELCOME TO MY LIFE</b> Michael Patrick Band - Wind Song - WS-001 (CD) Tongue 'N' Groove - WSCD-356723
39	23	(16)	<b>MY SENSATION</b> Eye Eye - Duke Street - 10037-J (LP) Common Ground - DSR-31037-J
40	39	(2)	<b>PAINT ME A PICTURE</b> Mad About Plaid - Quantum - QRS-89003-E (LP) Plaiditudes - QR-88002-E

1	1	(5)	<b>STRAIGHT UP</b> Paula Abdul - Virgin - VS-1465-W (U.S. 12") (LP) Forever Your Girl - VL-3055-W
2	2	(6)	<b>GIRL YOU KNOW IT'S TRUE</b> Miiii Vanilli - Arista - AD-19780-N (12") (LP) N/A
3	5	(4)	<b>SHE DRIVES ME CRAZY</b> Fine Young Cannibals - IRS - IRS-23926-J (12") (LP) The Raw And The Cooked - IRS-6273-J
4	3	(8)	<b>WILD THING</b> Tone Loc - Delicious Vinyl/Island - IS-12119-J (12") (LP) Loc'ed After Dark - ISL-1224-J
5	4	(6)	<b>GOOD LIFE</b> Inner City - Virgin - VSX-1470-W (12") (LP) N/A
6	7	(4)	<b>I HEAR A SYMPHONY</b> Eria Fachin - Power - PxD-110-(12") (LP) My Name Is Eria Fachin - PxD-2000-E
7	6	(5)	<b>IT'S NO SECRET</b> Kylie Minogue - Geffen - 92-11260-P (12") (LP) Kylie - XGHS-24194-P
8	13	(4)	<b>THIS IS SERIOUS</b> Tony Stone - Chrysalis - CS-43279-J (12") (LP) Tony Stone - CHS-41614-J
9	8	(7)	<b>SHE WANTS TO DANCE WITH ME</b> Rick Astley - RCA - 8839-1-RD-N (12") (LP) Hold Me In Your Arms - 8589-1-R-N
10	12	(4)	<b>MORE THAN YOU KNOW</b> Martika - Columbia - 12CX-8135-H (12") (LP) Martika - FC-44290-H
11	11	(6)	<b>CROSS MY HEART</b> Elton John - Epic - 12EX-7894-H (12") (LP) Fearless - BPE-44390-H
12	14	(3)	<b>I BEG YOUR PARDON</b> Kon Kan - Atlantic - 78-64570-P (12") (LP) N/A
13	15	(3)	<b>USELESS</b> Kym Mazelle - Capitol - C1-15406-F (12") (LP) N/A
14	17	(2)	<b>WALK THE DINOSAUR</b> Was (Not Was) - Fontana - 888 809-1-Q (12") (LP) What Up, Dog? - 834 291-1-Q
15	19	(2)	<b>FINE TIME</b> New Order - Factory - 827 277-1-Q (12") (LP) Technique - 836 832-1-Q
16	NEW		<b>24/7 - NIGHTTIME LOVEKIND</b> Dino - Island - B'WAY 471-J (U.S. 12") (LP) 24/7 - ISL-1221-J
17	9	(7)	<b>ALL SHE WANTS IS</b> Duran Duran - Capitol - C1-15434-F (12") (LP) Big Thing - C1-90958-F
18	NEW		<b>UNDERCOVER LOVER</b> Sonia Papp - Artiste - ART-12-001-E (12") (LP) N/A
19	NEW		<b>LET'S ALL JACK</b> Nikki Jae - Somersault - SOM-1215-E (12") (LP) N/A
20	10	(9)	<b>LEFT TO MY OWN DEVICES</b> Pet Shop Boys - EMI/Manhattan - E1-56121-F (12") (LP) Introspective - E1-90868-F

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1	2	(5)	<b>STRAIGHT UP</b> Paula Abdul - Virgin - VS-1465-W (LP) Forever Your Girl - VL-3055-W
2	1	(6)	<b>WILD THING</b> Tone Loc - Delicious Vinyl/Island - 97091-J (LP) Loc'ed After Dark - ISL-1221-J
3	7	(5)	<b>LOST IN YOUR EYES</b> Debbie Gibson - Atlantic - 78-69707-P (LP) Electric Youth - 78-19321-P
4	5	(6)	<b>YOU GOT IT</b> Roy Orbison - Virgin - VS-1466-W (LP) Mystery Girl - VL-2576-W
5	4	(7)	<b>WHAT I AM</b> Edie Brickell/New Bohemians - Geffen - 92-76967-P (LP) Shooting Rubberbands At The Stars - XGHS-24192-P
6	10	(5)	<b>WHEN THE CHILDREN CRY</b> White Lion - Atlantic - 78-90157-P (LP) Pride - 78-17687-P
7	3	(8)	<b>SHE WANTS TO DANCE WITH ME</b> Rick Astley - RCA - 8838-7-R-N (LP) Hold Me In Your Arms - 8589-1-R-N
8	11	(6)	<b>WHEN I'M WITH YOU</b> Sheriff - Capitol - B72901-F (LP) Sheriff - C1-91216-F
9	14	(5)	<b>SHE DRIVES ME CRAZY</b> Fine Young Cannibals - IRS - IRS-53483-J (LP) The Raw And The Cooked - IRS-6273-J
10	6	(10)	<b>MY PREROGATIVE</b> Bobby Brown - MCA - 53383-J (LP) Don't Be Cruel - MCA-42185-J

11	17	(3)	<b>THE LIVING YEARS</b> Mike & The Mechanics - Atlantic - 78-89647-P (LP) Living Years - 78-19231-P
12	19	(3)	<b>ORINOCO FLOW</b> Enya - WEA - 24-76087-P (LP) Watermark - 24-38751-P
13	12	(10)	<b>EVERY ROSE HAS ITS THORN</b> Polson - Capitol - B44237-F (LP) Open Up And Say... Ahh! - C1-48493-F
14	8	(9)	<b>STOP!</b> Sam Brown - A&M - AM-1234-W (LP) Sam Brown - SP-5195-W
15	16	(6)	<b>BORN TO BE MY BABY</b> Bon Jovi - Mercury - 872-156-7-Q (LP) New Jersey - 836 345-1-Q
16	9	(8)	<b>I WANNA HAVE SOME FUN</b> Samantha Fox - Jive - 1154-7-J-N (LP) I Wanna Have Some Fun - 1150-1-J-N
17	22	(2)	<b>I BEG YOUR PARDON</b> Kon Kan - Atlantic - 78-89697-P (LP) N/A
18	13	(10)	<b>COPPERHEAD ROAD</b> Steve Earle - 8848-J (LP) Copperhead Road - UNI-7-J
19	27	(2)	<b>WALK THE DINOSAUR</b> (Was (Not Was) - Fontana - 888 809-7-Q (LP) What Up, Dog? - 834 291-1-Q
20	23	(3)	<b>THE LOVER IN ME</b> Sheena Easton - MCA - 53416-J (LP) The Lover In Me - MCA-42249-J

21	25	(2)	<b>PARADISE CITY</b> Guns 'N' Roses - Geffen - 92-75707-P (LP) Appetite For Destruction - XGHS-2418-P
22	NEW		<b>YOU GOT IT (The Right Stuff)</b> New Kids On The Block - Columbia - 38-08092-H (LP) Hangin' Tough - BFC-40985-H
23	20	(4)	<b>TELL SOMEBODY</b> Sass Jordan - Aquarius - AQ-8040-F (LP) Tell Somebody - AQR-52-F
24	15	(11)	<b>TWO HEARTS</b> Phil Collins - Atlantic - 78-98907-P (LP) Buster/Soundtrack - 78-19051-P
25	24	(4)	<b>WALKING AWAY</b> Information Society - Tommy Boy - 92-77367-P (12") (LP) Information Society - TBLP-25691-P
26	NEW		<b>END OF THE LINE</b> Traveling Wilburys - Wilbury - 92-76377-P (LP) Volume One - 92-57961-P
27	29	(2)	<b>TANGO</b> Dalbello - Capitol - B73074-F (LP) She - C1-48286-F
28	NEW		<b>A LITTLE RESPECT</b> Erasure - Sire - 92-77387-B (LP) The Innocents - 92-57301-P
29	18	(12)	<b>UNDER YOUR SPELL</b> Candi - IRS - 53458-J (LP) Candi - IRS-42260-J
30	26	(10)	<b>WILD WORLD</b> Maxi Priest - Virgin - VS-1459-W (LP) Maxi Priest - VL-3038-W

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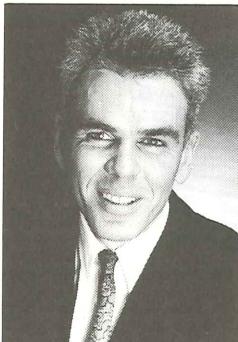
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Mr. Heimrath served as Marketing Director for Sound Source from the inception of the company in 1988. Previously he held both Senior Account Executive and Product Manager positions with Telemedia Broadcasting Systems.

Ms. Soldat joins Sound Source after 11 years as National Promotion Director of MCA Records Canada. During her career at MCA she was largely responsible for the commercial success in Canada of artists such as Huey Lewis, Steve Earle, The Fix and Billy Idol.

These new appointments will allow Sound Source to more aggressively pursue the goals of producing top quality nationally syndicated radio programming for radio stations and advertisers across Canada. Mr. Heimrath and Ms. Soldat can be reached at 922-1290.

  
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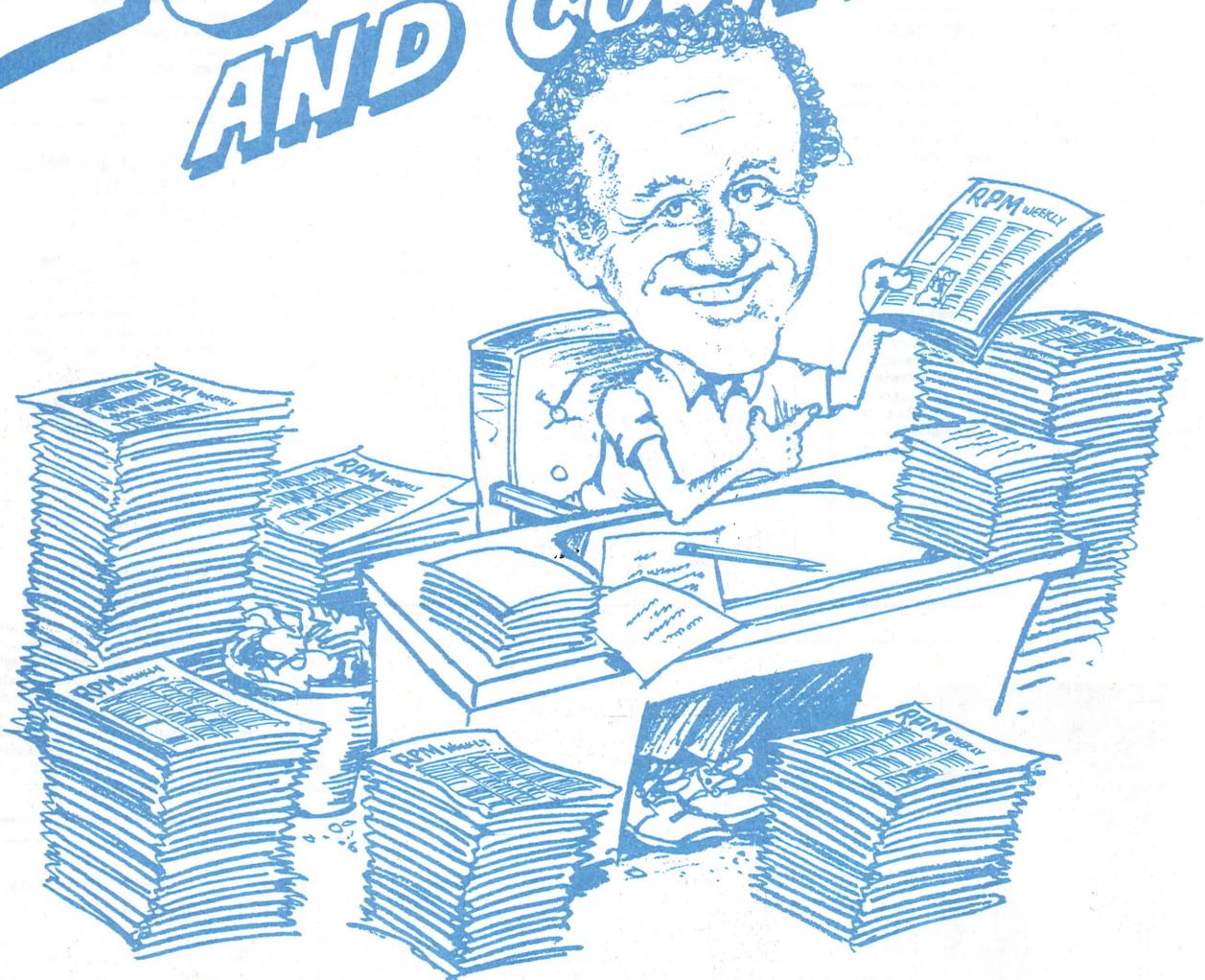
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