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# UNANIMOUS OPINION



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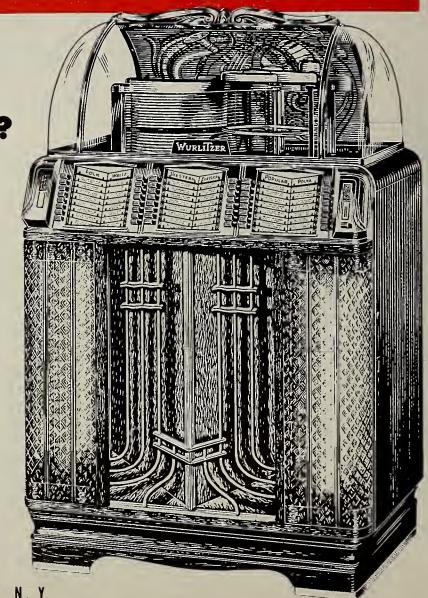
#### WHY BUY TWO

# WHEN ONE WILL DO?

Why run chances with possible record shortages? Here's one phonograph playing all speeds on which you can use your old inventory of 78 RPM records—or—the new 45s if they are still available.

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Get Wurlitzer Fourteen Hundreds and sit pretty with phonographs that are designed with current conditions in mind to make you more money.



# Changing Seasons

All concerned with the industry are now in agreement with this publication that the seasons have changed about.

Years ago, as *The Cash Box* has written many times, operators eagerly waited for Fall and Winter. They realized that these were the seasons when they could expect the biggest play action.

Prior to TV, Fall and Winter were the seasons when the average man would meet with his friends. Every naborhood had a popular gathering place. It could be the corner drug store, tavern, huncheonette, restaurant, or any other spot.

Now, with TV commanding the performances of the nation's most outstanding theatrical stars, as well as all the big sporting events, during the Fall and Winter seasons especially, patronage has fallen off in almost every former public gathering spot.

It is a known fact that today more cases of beer, more pretzels, popcorn, and other such foods, are being sold directly into home. The entire family gathers around its TV receiving set during the chilly Fall and Winter evenings to watch the big theatrical stars, as well as the outstanding sporting events.

Therefore, with taverns, restaurants, lunch rooms, ice cream spots, and other locations, reporting drops in patronage that range anywhere from twenty per cent to over fifty per cent during the Fall and Winter months, as *The Cash Box* pointed out some months ago, there is now no doubt that the seasons have changed about for the industry.

The new "big season" is the Summer. During the warm weather people want to get out. They would much rather

enjoy a cool glass of beer in an air conditioned tavern than remain at home during the warm Summer evenings.

TV's attraction fades for the public during the sparkling weather of May and October and the torrid months of June. July, August and September. Another big reason for lack of TV viewers being the fact that, during these hot Summer months, the big theatrical stars take off for their holidays.

The only major TV sport then in action is baseball.

The average operator has to now plan on his best season being the Summertime. That's the one time during the year when he can realize better play action.

The tavern, restaurant, ice cream spot, and lunch wagon proprietors, must make their spots attractive to the public during the Summer season.

Patronage picks up in air conditioned, attractive locations. Play goes up, as patronage goes up, for this industry is dependent upon a certain percentage of players from the overall patronage traffic that enters any location.

Changing seasons also mean that operators must arrange for a more equitable commission basis for themselves. This is today most imperative, if the operator wants to enjoy profit during the new season, as well as during, what must now be termed because of TV, the off-season.

There is no doubt that somehow the coin machine industry will yet tie in with TV in a new type of business. Movie houses have fallen by the wayside because of TV. This industry, too, has been hard hit.

The answer is not in combating TV. It is, instead, in tieing in with this all-powerful competitor to take advantage of TV's ever growing popularity.

In the meantime, the one and only way to take advantage of the changing seasons, is for the average operator to change his general business methods so that he can and will profit, regardless of what the future holds.

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There are many pros and consbeing heard in discussions thruout the music field regarding the reasons for a swing to  $10\phi$  play.

First, many changed to 2 plays for  $10\phi$  and 5 or 6 plays for  $25\phi$ . A few changed to 1 play  $10\phi$  and remained at 5 plays for  $25\phi$ .

These latter believed that the operators must get dimes and quarters today as against nickels.

"This," these men said, "was the only way that the music operator could overcome the tremendously increased expenses which he was enduring."

In addition, everywhere in those cities where telephone calls are now  $10^{\circ}$ , it has been proved that the public have more dimes in their pockets than they have nickels.

"The telephone companies changeover to  $10^{\phi}$ ," these music ops claim, "is sufficient proof, in itself, that juke box ops, too, must get  $10^{\phi}$  to survive."

At the same time they believe that 10¢ can be obtained because phonos today are giving the public much wider and greater selectivity. New phonos range from 40 to 100 selections.

They also explain that TV has cut into peak hour play and this, of itself, is one reason why they must get dimes instead of nickels for the short peak play period that now remains.

Many also point to constantly increasing taxes, as well as to inflation. Not only direct taxation of their business, but higher income taxes, also higher state taxes, and, of course, the many new and increased indirect taxes which they, and their families, are now paying.

All this, they claim, plus the reasons which they present alongside here, are reasons enough why music operators must give the most serious consideration to 10¢ play.

They urge music operators, who realize the need for increased intake so as to meet expenses and survive the present high tax era, to study the reasons they offer here for 10¢ play and then decide for themselves.

### INCREASED OVERHEAD EXPENSE

Higher wages being paid mechanics, servicemen, collectors. Increased cost of car and truck repairs and maintenance. Higher prices being paid for tires, tubes, gasoline, etc. Higher cost of needles, records, strips, plastics, parts, etc., etc. Higher telephone bills. Increased wages being paid for general office help, etc., etc. Higher rent for storage, store and office space. Many other hiked costs too numerous to list.

#### **O** INCREASED COST OF EQUIPMENT

New and used music equipment up in price. Constantly rising location placement costs. Inequitable amortization rulings. Increased percentage being paid on notes. Demand for more new phonos continues from locations with intake not increasing in proportion. Complete route change-overs and modernization extremely costly. Remote systems higher. Wall and bar boxes up in price. Cable up. Tubes up.

### 1 INFLATION AND HIGHER TAXATION

City, County, State and Federal taxes all up, and going higher. Inflated money cutting deep into revenue. More possible taxation (hidden and open) on the way. War trend upsetting general economy, increasing costs, digging into possible retailer profits, reflecting on all connected with retail businesses. Excise taxes adding to cost of phonos and records as well as many other items used daily.

#### MYRIAD MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES

Higher costs for gifts and entertainment for customers. Constant donations to customers' pet charities. Calls for more and more money to be expended in average location by music ops. Storekeepers demanding free use of phonos for many events. Location demand for "guaranteed share" of all intake, regardless of any profit to ops. Signs, stools, coasters, myriad other demands from storekeepers of music operators.

# luke Box Tunes

The Top Ten Tunes Netting Heaviest Play In The Nation's Juke Boxes, Compiled From Reports Submitted Weekly To The Cash Box By Leading Music Operators Throughout The Country.

Record Companies Listed Alphabetically 45 rpm numbers in parenthesis



#### CODE

AB—Abbey
AD—Adam
AL—Aladdin
AP—Apollo
AT—Atlantic
dU—Buile!
CA—Capitol
CO—Columbio
CR—Coral
DA—Dano
DE—Decca

DY—Derby
4 Star—Four Star
FE—Federal
JU—Jublice
KI—King
LO—London WE-Mercury
MG-MG/A
MO-Modern
MA-Notional OR-Oriole

PR-Prestige RA-Rainbo-RE-Regent RG-Regal A-Savoy SIT-Sittin' In 5P-Specialty

TE-Tempo VI-Victor

Pos. Last Week



#### MOCKIN' BIRD HILL

LES PAUL & MARY FORD-PATTI PAGE

LO-851 (30296)-Marlin Sisters

CA-1373 (F-1373)—Les Paul & Mary Ford ME-5552 (5552x45)—Tiny Hill ME-64061 (9-64061)—Pinetoppers ME-5595 (5595x45)—Patti Page VI-21-0396 (48-0396)—Britt & Allen



PERRY COMO

CA-1342 (F-1342)—Dean Martin CA-1351 (F-1351)—Jan Garber CO-39082 (6-939)—Jo Stallord CR-60355 (9-60355)—Denny Vaughan DE-27391 (9-27391)—Ink Spots DE-27481 (9-27481)—Louis Armstrong

DE-27534 (9-27534)—Ethel Smith LO-833—Dick James ME-5565 (5565x45)—Vic Damone MG-10896 (K10896)—Billy Eckstine VI-20-3997 (47-3997)—Perry Como





#### WOULD I LOVE YOU

PATTI PAGE

CA-1368 (F-1368)—Helen O'Connell CO-39159 (4-39159)—Day & James DE-27402 (9-27402)—Jerry Gray O.

DE-27490 (9-27490)—Gordon Jenkins ME-5571 (5571x45)—Patti Page V1-20-4056 (47-4056)—Tony Martin





#### BE MY LOVE

MARIO LANZA

CA-1352 (F-1352)—Ray Anthony O. CO-39157—Les Brown O. CR-60373 (9-60373)—Owen Bradley DE-27366 (9-27366)—Victor Young O.

DE-27534 (9-27534)—Ethel Smith MG-10799 (K-10799)—Billy Eckstine VI-10-1561 (49-1353)—Mario Lanza



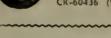


#### ON TOP OF OLD SMOKY

THE WEAVERS & TERRY GILKYSON

CO-39328—Burl Ives CR-60436 (9-60436)—George Cates O.

DE-27515 (9-27515)—Weavers & Terry Gilkyson ME-5612 (5612x45)—George Siravo O.



#### ABA DABA HONEYMOON

DEBBIE REYNOLDS and CARLETON CARPENTER

CO-3882—Willie Solar
CO-39205 (4-39205)—Helen Kane
CR-60374 (9-60374)—Clill Steward
DE-27474 (9-27474)—Carmichael & Daley

ME-5586 (5586x45)—Hayes & Kallen
MG-30282 (K30282)—Reynolds &
Carpenter
VI-20-4065 (47-4065)—Freddy Martin





#### BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES

ROSEMARY CLOONEY—JIMMY WAKELY

CA-1426 (F-1426)—Arthur 5mith MG-10924 (K10924)—Art Mooney CA-1393 (F-13931—Jimmy Wakely MG-10914 (K-10914)—Arthur 5mith CO-39212 (4-39212)—Rosemary Clooney DE-27485 (9-27485)—Evelyn Knight





#### SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP

GUY MITCHELL

CA-1440 (F-1440)—LES BAXTER CO-39190 (4-39190)—Guy Mitchell CR-60401 (9-60401)—LYN MURRAY DE-27477 (9-27477)—Crosby & Andrews Sisters

LO-931 (45-931)—Reggie Goll ME-5597 (5597x45)—Rex Allen MG-10924 (K-10924)—ART MOONEY





#### I APOLOGIZE BILLY ECKSTINE

CO-39189 (9-39189 —Champ Butler DE-27484 (9-27484 —Don Cherry LO-964 (45-964 —Anita O'Day

ME-8209 (8209x45 — Dingh Washington MG-10903 (K10903 — Billy Eckstine V1-20-4056 (47-4056 — Tony Martin

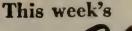


#### HOW HIGH THE MOON

LES PAUL & MARY FORD

CA-1451 (F-1451)—Les Paul & Mary Ford DE-24513 (9-24513 — Lionel Hampton O CO-39145—Erroll Garner MG-30303 K-30303 — David Rose

11 MY HEART CRIES FOR YOU 12 BRING BACK THE THRILL. 13 TENNESSEE WALTZ YOU'RE JUST IN LOVE 15 SYNCOPATED CLOCK 16 THE LOVELIEST NIGHT OF THE YEAR 17) A PENNY A KISS 18 HOT CANARY 19 TOO YOUNG 20 ACROSS THE WIDE MISSOURI



# New Keleases ... on RCA Victor

RELEASE # 51-18

#### POPULAR

RALPH FLANAGAN and his Orchestra

Very Good Advice

Twilight Rhapsody 20-1133 (47-1133) \*

LISA KIRK

Love Is The Reason Sad And Lonely

20-4134 (47-4131)\*

BUDDY MORROW and his Orchestra

Rose, Rose, I Love You After I Say I'm Sorry 20-4135 (47-4135)\*

#### SACRED

GEORGE BEVERLY SHEA with Hugo Winterhalter's Ork

Be Still, My Soul If You Know The Lord 20-4132 (47-4132)\*

#### COUNTRY

SPADE COOLEY and his String Orchestra

Tuesday Two-Step Three Fiddle Rag

21-0467 (48-0467) °

#### WESTERN

HANK PENNY and his California Cowhands

What She's Got Is Mine Hold The Phone

21-0466 (47-0466) °

#### RHYTHM

BLOW-TOP LYNN and his House Rockers

They Ain't Conna Tell It Right Ip On The Hill

22-0124 (50-0124)°

JOHN GREER and his Rhythm Rockers

When You Love Clanibake Bangie

22-0125 (50-0125)\*

#### NATIONAL SPECIAL

General of the Army DOLGIAS MACARTHER'S REPORT TO CONGRESS

P.317 (WP-47)\* (LPM-5)\*\*

\* 15 rpm cal. nos \*\* 33-1/3 rpm cal. nos



according to actual soles, are recognized hits. The trade is urged to keep ample stocks of these records on hand, or to reorder promptly when current stocks begin to approach the "soil-out" str. a

WEEK OF APRIL 28

Sound Off Oh, Marry, Marry Me Vaughn Monroe 20-4113-(47-4113)°

On Top Of Old Smoky Shall We Dance Vaughn Monroe 20-4114--(47-4114)\*

I Have No Heart Unless Eddie Fisher with Hugo Winterhalter Ork 20-4120-(47-4120)\*

The Loveliest Night Of The Year Mario Lanza 18-3300-(49-3300)\*

Never Been Kissed Freddy Martin 20-4099—(47-4099)\*

Be My Love Mario Lanza 10-1561-(49-1561)\*

Down The Trail Of Achin' Hearts

Hank Snow and Anita Carter 21-0441-(45-0441)° lf

Zing Zing, Zoom Zoom Perry Como (Sigmund Romberg) (Mitchell Ayres) 20-3997—(47-3097)°

Kentucky Waltz Eddy Arnold 21-8444-(48-8444)\*

B Rhumba Boogie Hank Snow 21-0431—(48-0431)\*

Would I Love You Tony Martin 20-4056-147-4056)\*

Gotta Find Somebody To Love

Maggie Blues

Mindy Carson 20-4119—(47-4119)\*

The Syncopated Clock March Of The Cards The Three Sums 20-4090-(47-4090)\*

Bring Back The Thrill If It Hadn't Been For You

Eddse Fisher with Hugo Winterhalter Ork 20-4016--(47-4016)\*

There's Been A Change In Me

Eddy Arnold 21-8412—(45-8412)\*

Swings and to man 45

"DON'T FENCE ME IN" (2:43)

(2:54)

(Shorp 30)

LEE MONTI'S TUTONES

"ALONE" (2:40)

BETTIE CLOONEY

(King 15103)

"OH YOU MILLION DOLLAR DOLL"

A zany instrumental of an old

A zany instrumental of an old standard is dished out here by Lee Monti's Tutones. You don't know what to expect next on this wacky disk but everything that comes along is good to hear. The lower end is a pleasant item with the boys joining in for a chorus. Ops oughta keep their eye on the top deck.

"I HAVEN'T SEEN YOU IN A MONTH OF SUNDAYS" (2:27)

• An oldie serves to give Bettie Clooney a very good top deck here. Bettie teams up with herself on this vocal and with Eddie Smith and the

orchestra doing the backing, she makes it sound real good. The lower half is a novelty with some cute lyrics which Bettie again does in accomplished

style. Ops might take a listen.



Records Considered Best Suited To The Requirements Of The Trade Are Reviewed On These Only

"COME BACK TO ANGOULEME" (2:54)

"HOW CAN I LEAVE YOU?" (2:47)

PHIL SPITALNY (RCA Victor 20-4121; 47-4121)

• Phil Spitalny and his orchestra have two very soft numbers to offer here. The first side is a European import which the girls sing in chorus and play with ease. The lower half is a ballad again with a vocal by the chorus and a backing in which strings predominate. Ops might take a listen.

"I WHISTLE A HAPPY TUNE" (2:48)

"WHAT WILL I TELL MY HEART?" (2:49)

THREE SUNS (RCA Victor 20-4122; 47-4122)

• A lively, sprightly tune gets a grand rendition from the Three Suns as the Smith Brothers come through with a listenable vocal. The second side is a current ballad on which both groups turn in a first rate job. Ops will do ok with these sides.

"IT'S A MAN" (2:23)

"THAT'S THE KIND OF GUY I DREAM OF" (2:40)

BETTY HUTTON (RCA Victor 20-4123; 47-4123)

Two novelties, typical of Betty Hutton's style, show up on this disk and she certainly throws herself into them. Both ends get a jumpy rendition which leaves you almost exhausted at the end. For Betty's fans, these two sides should prove to be coin getters.

"THE SHANNON, THE SHAMROCKS AND YOU" (2:45)

"AND THEN I PRAYED" (2:50)

THE MARINERS (Columbia 39332)

The Mariners take an Irish tune and give it their usual wonderful going over on the top deck. Displaying some easy harmony, the group give this one a dreamy vocal. The lower end is an ultra slow religious tune on which the boys again show their skill.

Ops will want to hear it.

"KENTUCKY WALTZ" (2:50) "MIXED EMOTIONS" (3:08)

ROSEMARY CLOONEY (Columbia 39333)

Rosemary Clooney takes a tune from western fields and gives it a lovely pop rendition in the current manner of dueting with herself. It's a slow simple melody which is contactly and could assily break out appealing and could easily break out. The bottom half is a very smart tune on which Rosemary turns in a terrific job. Ops won't want to miss this disk.

### DISK OF THE WEEK

"BECAUSE OF RAIN" (3:08)

"SONG OF DELILAH" (2:40)

NAT "KING" COLE (Copitol 1501; F-1501)



NAT "KING" COLE

• It looks as though Nat "King" Cole can do no wrong. Following fast on the heels of his recent hits, Nat takes a song written by Ruth

Poll, who wrote "Bring Back The Thrill", gives it a beautiful rendition and assures himself of another smash. Ops who want a disk in their machines which they know will draw the coin aughts have this will draw the coin, oughta have this one right now. This lovely ballad seems almost tailor made for Nat's style of delivery and he certainly sends it flying as Les Baxter and the orchestra provide a perfect setting for his quiet performance. The lower half is a sultry number which Nat does in similar manner, again making the side sound grand. This time Dave Barbour backs him up. The top deck is due for big things and ops will make no mistake to get it into their boxes now.

"WHISPERING" (3:12)

"WHERE OR WHEN" (3:20)

JOE REICHMAN

(Columbio 39265)

 Some wonderful piano playing can be heard here as demonstrated by Joe Reichman. Both ends are oldies done very softly by Joe and both have lots of sentimental attraction. These sides are really first rate to listen to and for the quieter spots, they can't be beat.

"A BEGGAR IN LOVE" (3:00)

"UNLESS" (2:40)

**GUY MITCHELL** 

(Columbia 39331)

• A beautiful new ballad gets a terrific vocal from Guy Mitchell on the upper level as Mitch Miller comes up with his usual terrific orchestration. On the second side, the pair takes an oldie that's currently being revived and make it sound wonderful. This is a natural for ops.

"BECAUSE OF YOU" (3:10)

"THE GIRLS WE NEVER DID WED" (2:55)

RAY BARBER

(Mercury 5625)

Ray Barber, a young singer with a lot of promise, has two sides on which he shows off the quality of his voice. The top deck is a ballad done very slowly with Russ Case providing the musical setting while the lower end features a cute set of lyrics which Ray delivers well. Ops ought to listen

"BLUE SKIES MARCH" (2:25)

• A wonderful old Irving Berlin tune is taken for a ride here by Ted Heath. Giving it an instrumental going over, the orchestra makes it a jivy thing with occasional switches to march tempo. The lower end is a sultry number with some very good instru-mentals being shown off. Ops with the right locations might tune in.

"MY DEAREST" (2:50) "UNLESS" (2:55)

BILL SNYDER

(London 1075)

 Two lovely ballads are turned out on this disk by Bill Snyder with Stuart Foster showing up on the vocal. Of course each side has some terrific piano playing, dramatic and slow while Stuart provides his usually fine type of vocalizing. Ops won't want to miss this one miss this one.

"HE'S ONLY WONDERFUL" (2:43) "I'LL NEVER KNOW WHY" (2:00) FRANCES WAYNE

(London 999)

• Frances Wayne lends her own particular style to a couple of ballads and makes each end sound real good. Neal Hefti provides the orchestrations as Frances runs through these numbers attractively. Each end is slow and very pleasant to hear and ops are advised to listen in themselves.

"SIDEWALKS OF CUBA" (2:32) TED HEATH (London 719)

"IS MY POP IN THERE?" (2:48) "WEAK MINDED BLUES" (2:54) LOUIS JORDAN

> Louis Jordan has a good jumpy item to play around with on the top deck and he and his crew do it with zest. It's a very infectious thing with repetitious lyrics which you remember. The bottom side is a low down blues number which Louis of course knows just how to do. This is perfect for the right location.

"THE HOUR OF PARTING" (2:37) "PRETTY EYED BABY" (2:27)

GENE WILLIAMS ORCH. (King 15107)

(Decca 27547; 9-27547)

 Gene Williams and his orchestra go to town on an old standard and make it sound very pleasant. Gene does the vocal as the boys in the band make with some good music. The second half is a current novelty given a very jumpy rendition here. This will make a good filler item.

"HAVE YOU LATELY" (2:54)

"AT A LITTLE RAILROAD CROSSING" (2:49)

SNOOKY LANSON (London 954)

• Two ballads are offered on this platter by Snooky Lanson. Snooky goes about both of these things in a soft easy manner while Jack Pleis and his orchestra do the backing. Each end is attractive to hear and ops who are looking for good filler material oughta listen to it.

In the opinion of The Cash Box music staff, records listed below, in addition to the "Disk" and "Sleeper" Of The Week, are those most likely to achieve popularity.

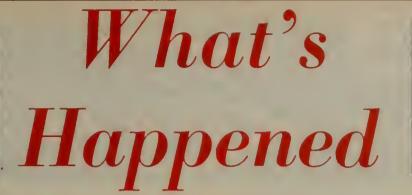
"KENTUCKY WALTZ"... Rosemory Clooney... Columbia 39333
"A BEGGAR IN LOVE"... Guy Mitchell... Columbio 39331
"ROSE, ROSE I LOVE YOU"... Buddy Morrow. RCA Victor 20-4135; 47-4135
"ANGELA"... Pat Terry... London 981



DORIS DAY



ANDREWS SISTERS



KITTY KALLEN



SARAH VAUGHAN

# to the



ROSEMARY CLOONEY



ELLA FITZGERALD



TERESA BREWER



EILEEN BARTON



DINAH WASHINGTON

# GIRL SINGERS?

Where are those smash records from Kay Starr, Doris Day, Dinah Shore, Fran Warren, Jo Stafford, Margaret Whiting, Peggy Lee, Teresa Brewer and all the others?

Except for Patti Page, the girls seem to have taken a back seat in the pop record picture.

Vhy?

Is it that the proper material just isn't being written for them?

Are the A & R departments funneling all the likely tunes to the male singers?

Are the girls failing to receive the proper concentrated promotion from the diskeries?

Is the buying public more easily induced to buy recordings made by the boy singers?

What is the reason?

Whatever the cause, it certainly isn't 'that the girls can't turn out those best selling disks. In last year's "Cash Box" poll, five of the top twelve records were made by females. These included Teresa Brewer's "Music Music Music". Eileen Barton's "If I Knew You Were Coming I'd've Baked A Cake", two from the Andrews Sisters, "I Wanna Be Loved" and "I Can Dream, Can't I" and Kay Starr's "Bonaparte's Retreat".

Yet so far this year only two girls have made the top ten as singles. They're Patti Page who did it with "Tennessee Waltz" and "Would I Love You" and Rosemary Clooney who's up there now with "Beautiful Brown Eyes".

Not to minimize what the girls have done, several of them have made the top ten teamed with male singers. Debbie Reynolds did it with "Aba Daba Honeymoon" as well as Betty Hutton on "A Bushel And A Peck" and Dinah Shore with "A Penny A Kiss". And we mustn't forget Mary Ford who does such a tremendous job on those Les Paul disks.

But the fact remains that in four months of recording this year, only two girls have attained hits of major proportions as singles.

Obviously this can't be the result of any one cause. But some of the factors involved must include poor material available for the female singers, lack of proper promotion, and a neglect on the part of A & R men of the girls' needs.

The record companies themselves, from a study of the ads they've been placing since the beginning of the year, have been pushing the male singers as opposed to the girls. Some ads listing record firms' top disks, don't have even one by a female singer.

Others have been devoting occasional space to the girls but nowhere in the proportion that the males get. Except for the ads which the female singers take themselves, or have taken for them by publishers whose songs they've recorded, the promotional pickings for the girls have been mighty slim.

Some record people claim there's a very simple answer to this problem. They say the female market buys records and they're mostly interested in male singers.

In a sense this is true. Females do buy the majority of records.

But how would this explain the great selling disks the girls have made. How does this explain Patti Page, Dinah Shore, Doris Day and all the others?

Obviously there is a market for female singers—and a big one if we can believe sales statistics in the past.

Perhaps the record companies and their distributors have been neglecting a very important market—the one that will buy the girls' disks.

This time of the year, every year, all record firms start noticing a drop in business. It's a yearly routine and each year methods are sought to try to overcome it.

Here's an opportunity to concentrate on a market that will buy disks—female disks.

There are millions of boys now in army, navy, marine, coast guard and air force installations throughout the country. In their spare moments they're hungry for all sorts of entertainment.

The nearest form of musical diversion available to them is the juke box—the one located right in camp or the nearby tavern or dance hall. These boys want to hear music whenever they can. And what's more, they want to hear female singers.

This is a ready market for record firms and their distributors. Military installations are located almost everywhere. Good female disks starting in these camps could sweep the country.

So let's get those girl singers back on the hit lists. If they don't have the right material, let's get it for them. If they're not being promoted properly, let's change our methods. If the A & R departments are neglecting them a little, let's eliminate that neglect.

Whatever's the trouble, it can be remedied.

The important thing is that there's a market for our great girl singers. And we've gone through a drought long enough, Let's get them to work turning out those best sellers.



FRAN WARREN



JO STAFFORD



PEGGY LEE



TONI ARDEN



ANNE SHELTON



EVELYN KNIGHT



GEORGIA GIBBS



KAY STARR



PATTI PAGE



DINAH SHORE



MINDY CARSON



MARGAPET WHITING

Only Records Considered Best Suited To The Requirements Of The Trade Are Reviewed On These Pages.

"COOK'S TOUR" (2:50)
"MR. ANTHONY'S BLUES" (3:07)

RAY ANTHONY (Capitol 1502; F-1502)

Ray Anthony has two instrumentals to dish out on this disk. The top deck is a rhythmic thing with some fine solos coming our way. The second side is a low down sounding item again with the solos standing out. Ops who do well with instrumentals won't want to miss this.

"LONG AGO LAST NIGHT" (2:32)
"I'VE GOT A RIGHT TO KNOW"
(3:04)

MARTHA TILTON (Coral 60441; 9-60411)

Two very easy going ballads are offered here by Martha Tilton. On the top deck she has the Mellomen to help her out as George Cates and the orchestra provide the backing. The lower half finds her going it alone and again she does a fine job. Ops will want to hear this.

"SOMETHING WONDERFUL" (3:15)
"HELLO YOUNG LOVERS" (3:12)

FRED WARING (Decca 27581; 9-27581)

Fred Waring gives two tunes from "The King And I" his usual productions which make them sound even more wonderful. Joanne Wheatley comes through on the vocal at either end as the chorus and orchestra gives her some terrific backing. Ops oughta take a listen to these sides.

"TILL THE SANDS OF THE DESERT GROW. COLD" (2:35)

"THE WORLD IS MINE" (3:14)

ALFRED DRAKE (Decca 40206; 9-40206)

Alfred Drake puts his big voice to work on a couple of numbers and gives them his own special touch. The upper level is an exciting tune that comes out very rhythmic. The second side is an oldie which he does in an unpretentious way. Ops might take a peek at this.

"SERANATA" (2:10)
"THE SPRINGTIME COMETH"
(2:25)

MARY MAYO (Capitol 1504; F-1504)

Mary Mayo, who's shown so much promise with her first disks, continues the good work on this platter. The top deck is a Latin American item on which Mary displays some fine vocal work as Al Ham does the orchestration. The lower half is an unusual rendition of a cute tune and Mary again gets some wonderful backing. Ops oughta listen in.

## SLEEPER OF THE WEEK

"ROSE, ROSE, I LOVE YOU" (2:38)
"UNLESS" (3:04)

GORDON JENKINS (Decca 27594; 9-27594)



GORDON JENKINS

• Gordon Jenkins gets back into the swing of things with two sides that can't help but be big. You can turn this one on either end and you have a hit. The first side is called "Rose, Rose, I Love You" and the second one "Unless". Unless ops want to be caught without one of the best disks of the season, they better stock up on this one. The top deck tune is imported from the Orient and at the moment is hitting it up in England. It gets an eastern interpretation from Gordon and his boys, an orchestration which adds flavor to the side. Cisco Huston comes through with a vocal paced just right and the choral group lends zest to the production. This could be the big one for the song. The second side too is a beautiful thing, an old ballad that's currently being revived. This sounds like some of Gordon's old arrangements, which means it's grand to hear. Bob Stevens does the vocal solo and gets everything into the song that it needs. Here are two big sides for ops. They shouldn't pass them up.

"TELL ME" (2:35)
"LOVE ME" (2:35)

HELEN O'CONNELL (Capitol 1512; F-1512)

• Going back to the type of arrangement she made so popular years ago, Helen O'Connell takes this top deck tune, switches to a definite steady beat in the middle and makes it sound like her famous disks. The second side is a nice ballad done slow and easy by Helen. Harold Mooney backs her up at either end. Ops should take notice.

"DEAR JOHN" (2:30)
"LONELY ACRES" (2:51)

FRANK DeVOL (Capital 1503; F-1503)

A tune from western circles gets a wonderful going over from Frank DeVol and his orchestra. Lindy Doherty injects real feeling into this number and gives it a very listenable aire. The second side is an unusual melody which is done very slowly by the boys. Ops shouldn't miss the top deck.

"MOON NOCTURNE" (2:53)
"LOVER COME BACK TO ME"
(2:53)

ZIGGY ELMAN (MGM 10955; K10955)

▼ Ziggy Elman has two different types of numbers to offer on this platter. The first half is a slow piece on which he shows off some excellent trumpet work while the bottom half is a jumpy version of an oldie which is sent out real fast. Ziggy's fans should go wild about this.

"ME AND MY SHADOW" (2:45)
"I FOUND A MILLION DOLLAR BABY" (2:52)

THE SPORTSMEN (Capital 1507; F-1507)

• Two old standards provide the Sportsmen with material for a good disk. The upper half is a slow one on which the boys display a good brand of harmony while the lower end is a swingy thing. Bill May's orchestra provides the musical setting on either side. Ops oughta listen to this.

"I'LL BE AROUND" (2:48)
"QUINTESSENCE" (2:49)

GEORGE SHEARING QUINTET (MGM 10956; K10956)

The George Shearing Quintet goes to work on a couple of numbers in their own distinctive style. The upper level is an oldie which the small instrumental group do in great fashion with, of course, George Shearing's piano standing out. The second half too is an interesting piece of music. Ops with the right spots will want to tune in.

"WE KISS IN A SHADOW" (2:53)
"HELLO YOUNG LOVERS" (2:38)

JANE POWELL (MGM 30358; K30358)

Two lovely tunes from "The King And I" serve to give Jane Powell two beautiful sides. On each end Jane shows off her attractive voice putting a great deal of feeling into these much recorded ballads. Her versions should give them another push to the top.

"WASHDAY BLUES" (2:37)
"DISILLUSIONED" (2:07)

CHARLOTTE MANSFIELD (Capital 1506; F-1506)

A slow blues item turns up on the top deck sung by Charlotte Mansfield. With a good piano as an accompaniment, Charlotte does an excellent job with this. The second side is a novelty with a beat and again this singer does ok. Ops with proper spots will want to tune in.

"TOO MANY WOMEN" (2:48)
"SOMEWHERE THERE MUST BE HAPPINESS" (2:47)

AMES BROTHERS (Coral 60452; 9-60452)

The Ames Brothers, whose work is almost always of the same high quality, continue the string with two different sides. The first one is a novelty with some good lyrics which the boys deliver in a happy note. The lower end is a ballad, slow and dreamy, on which they show how they can harmonize. Ops shouldn't miss this disk.

"ROSE, ROSE, I LOVE YOU" (2:22)
"AFTER I SAY I'M SORRY" (3:15)

BUDDY MORROW ORCH. (RCA Victor 20-4135; 47-4135)

A Chinese import which is due for big things here gets a march tempo rendition from Buddy Morrow and the boys. The band sings out the lyrics in chorus as Buddy sends this one marching along. The bottom half is an instrumental of an oldie with a trombone solo by Buddy. The top deck might take off.

"ANGELA" (2:54)
"SHOULD YOU FORSAKE ME"
(2:49)

PAT TERRY (London 981)

A very sultry tune gets a grand going over from Pat Terry on the upper half. With Buddy Koster and his orchestra providing a terrific arrangement, featuring some top notch organ playing, this side has a great chance. The bottom half too is one of those minor key melodies which are so good to hear. Ops better keep an eye on the first side.

"FOLLOW THE DODGERS" (2:49)
"PHILADELPH-I-A" (2:45)

GLADYS GOODING (Sports 7115)

• Some very specialized material is turned out here by Gladys Gooding at the organ and the Bank of Manhattan Choral Group. This is a natural for Dodger fans and in Brooklyn it should go over big. The second half is a cute organ solo which makes for nice listening. The top deck is an anthem for the Dodgers.

# ROUND THE WAX CIRULL

**NEW YORK:** 

Back in February, Guy Lombardo sent a letter to the music trade boosting Freddy Martin's band and his opening at the Cafe Rouge. Now Freddy has repaid the compliment, sending out a note announcing Guy's return to the Roosevelt on April 30. . . .

Virginia Wicks has been hitting it up big since her return to the promotion business. She's now handling Mary Mayo and is doing public relations for Cafe Society Downtown where Dorothy Ann opened on the 26th in a show featuring Josh White and Pearl Primus. . London has closed its 10th Avenue office leaving Gloria Friedman, a girl with terrific record experience, available for some live wire firm. . . . Sam Green, who has his own label called Jet Records and is a distributor for many independents, has a hot item going in "Last Train" a calypso number of the Duke of Iron. . . . Irving Fields, who recently finished an engagement at the Club One-Two in Toronto and moved on to the Club Esquire in Montreal, has written the "Subway Samba" dedicated to Toronto, which has just built its first subway. . . . Hefen Grayco (Mrs. Spike Jones) is anticipating two big events. One is the arrival of a baby brother or sister

for Spike, Jr., and the other is a strong send off on her latest record "Twas Brilig" and "Red Silk Stockings." . . . Jay McMaster, dj on WMEX in Boston, a territory where all those hits start, has been getting a big reaction to "There's No Return" by the Smith Brothers on the London label. . . . Jimmy Cairns, head of BMI's Chicago office, made his first plane trip to Kausas City and supposed in the control of the start of the sta trip to Kansas City and surrounding territory to exploit BMI's current hits "Jezebel" and "Because Of You." . . . Pyramid Records sure is hot these days. First Elmo Russ wrote "Gotta Find Somebody To Love" and had a top recording of it made by Marian Maye which Coral gobbled up. Now Pyramid has a new one called "Goodnight" sung by Bud Brees and it too looks like a winner. . . . Jerry Lipskin of Dubonnet Records has signed Sandra Kent to a recording contract after hearing her on some demonstration disks for her songwriter husband, Jim Moorhead.

CHICAGO:

Fran Warren flew in from NYC only to fly back the same night. . . . Hats off to Art Talmadge of Mercury for turning out such disks as Al Trace's "Why Go Home" and Sophie Tucker's "Make 'Em Say Please" both of which are really juke box material. . . . Helen O'Connell who is doing a smash job

with Martin & Lewis at the Chez makes an appearance on their Sunday TV show. Helen's rendition of "The Loveliest Night Of The Year" is a real show-stopper. ... Harry Mye-son of MGM Records in town this week. ... Art Kassel broke an all time record at La Martinique this past Satty and Sunday... Jimmy Featherstone set to follow Art... Dirk Courtenay back from the Army just 4 weeks ago gets into action again with a 1 hour a day deejay show at WAAF starting May 1.... In the BMI booth at the NBA convention we found Pee Wee King, Fran Allison, Fran Warren, and many other Western and Folk artists, . . . Paul Cohen of Decca in town over the week-end and then down to Nashville for a session with the Andrews Sisters, . . . Bill Snyder doing a terrific job at the Edgewater. We hear talk of a European tour for Bill. . . It's Ray Robins' ork doing a grand job at the Muldey Mill Robins' ork doing a grand job at the Melody Mill.



Bob Bodine now handles midwest promotion of Betty Chapel, Fran Warren and Champ Butler. . . . The big news on Randolph Street this week was the announcement that Shapiro, Bernstein was closing its Chi offices. Irwin Berke is a terrific music man and well liked by all. The boys just can't get over it. . . . Russ Carlyle steps into Eddy Howard's place at the Aragon come May 8 with Chuck Foster going into the Trianon the same night. . . . Two great jazz men going great at the Hi Note, Stuffy Smith and Coleman Kawkins. . . . Ella Fitz-gerald packin' them into the Southside's Regal Theatre. Ella does a simply grand job, and orkster Buddy Johnson collecting plenty of applause too. . . . It was Bob Cole of Chi offices of Southern Music who first found "Mockin" Bird Hill" when he heard The Pinetoppers waxing of the tune which has now sold well over 600,000 music sheets.

LOS ANGELES:

General Douglas MacArthur's unprecedented reception and his historymaking Congressional speech made their mark on the television and radio media, and they were bound to find a place on record. . . . The retiring General's "Old Soldier rever dies" words were hardly out of his mouth when almost



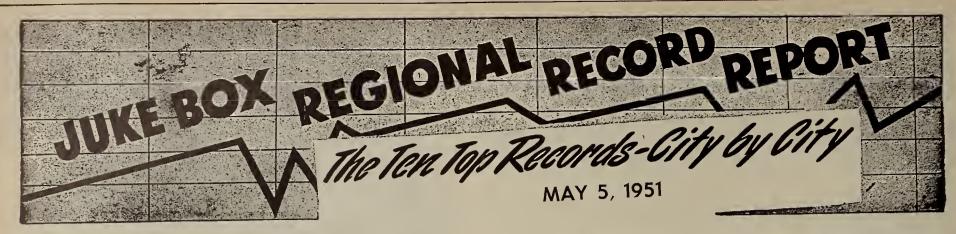
very record company in the business jumped to attention and started to search for a disc tie-in. . tlood, as we hear it, goes to Columbia whose astute Jim Conkling had Gene Autry cutting the old ballad, "Old Soldiers Never Die" and ready for the presses within a day. . . . As we get the legend, the song's original is an old British barracks ballad, but along about 1931 new word, were set to it, and the copyright now belongs to Remick Music.

Over at Mercury, Lee Palmer tells us that Patti Over at Mercury, Lee Palmer tells us that Patti Page's Mockin' Bird Hill" has been given a second and new lease on popularity, thanks to its being chosen by the S uthern California Square Dance Assu. for a round cance to be built around it... Lee also sang the praises of new Mercury singer Ray Barber, a Chicago lad whose first release of "I Have No Heart" seems to have found its way into local dee-jays' hearts. . . Frankie Laine's "Metro Polka" is another big item on Mercury these days, which gives Frankie hits on two labels, with his "Jezebel" doing well for the troublesome gal ma Columbia. . . . Eddie Mesner of Aladdin setting out for New York once again on one of his

Eddie Mesner of Aladdin setting out for New York once again on one of his rerio lic talent quests, and cutting a session with Amos Milburn before Amos took of on a national tour. . . . Nice to hear that the wif of Jim Warren. Central Records distrib bossman, has r covered nicely from an auto accident that put their car in the junkyard and to-sell her several feet out of the vehicle.

Back in his office after spending some time in Chicago with Bill Gersh and in New York with Joy Orleck, Bob Austin and Sid Parnes, Art Rupe & Ils us he's now planning a junket to Europe to look into that French and Italian boogie-woogie he's been hearing about . . . Art reports that new find Percy Mayfield has proved a consistent winner, "Nightless Lover" shaping up as another hit by the songwriting singer.





#### New York, N. Y.

- 1. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Les Paul & Mary Ford)
- 2. IF (Perry Como)
- 3. WOULD I LOVE YOU (Patti Page)
- 4. BE MY LOVE (Mario Lanza)
- 5. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKY (Weavers)
- 6. ABA DABA HONEYMOON
  (Reynolds & Carpenter)
- 7. BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Rosemary Clooney)
  8. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP (Guy Mitchell)
  9. I APOLOGIZE (Billy Eckstine)
  10. HOW HIGH THE MOON
  (Les Paul & Mary Ford)

#### Weirton, W. Va.

- 1. HOW HIGH THE MOON (Les Paul & Mary Ford)
- 2. I APOLOGIZE (Billy Eckstine)
  3. SHOT GUN BOOGIE (Cab Calloway)

- 4. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Les Paul & Mary Ford)
  5. WOULD I LOVE YOU (Patti Page)
  6. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP (Guy Mitchell)
  7. METRO POLA (Pinetoppers)
  8. DOWN THE TRAIL OF BROKEN HEARTS
  (Patti Page)
  9. WHERE THE RED ROSES GROW
  (Babbitt & Tilton)
  10. TOO YOUNG (Nat "King" Cole)

#### Tulsa, Oklahoma

- 1. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Les Paul & Mory Ford)
  2. HOW HIGH THE MOON
  (Les Poul & Mary Ford)
  3. WHEN YOU AND I WERE YOUNG MAGGIE
  BLUES (Whiting & Wakely)
  4. I NEED YOU SO (Ivory Joe Hunter)
  5. I APOLOGIZE (Billy Eckstine)
  6. TENNESSEE WALTZ (Patti Page)
  7. SLOW DRIVE (Ralph Flanagan)
  8. PLEASE DON'T TALK ABOUT ME WHEN
  I'M GONE (Mills Bros.)
  9. DIANE (Tommy Dorsey)
  10. SMALL TOWN GIRL
  (Ella Fitzgerald & Ink Spots

#### Little Rock, S. C.

- 1. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKY (Weavers)
- 2. IF (Perry Como)
- 3. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP (Guy Mitchell)

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  4. WHEN YOU AND I WERE YOUNG
  MAGGIE BLUES (Bing & Gary Crosby)
  5. I APOLOGIZE (Billy Eckstine)
  6. I'M YOURS TO COMMAND (Billy Eckstine)
  7. CHEW TOBACCO RAG (Lucky Millander)
  8. DIANE (Tommy Dorsey)
  9. DOWN THE TRAIL OF ACHIN'
  HEARTS (Sammy Kaye)
  10. PRETTY EYED BABL (Jane Turzey)

#### Louisville, Ky.

- IF (Perry Como)
  BE MY LOVE (Morio Lanza)
  MY HEART CRIES FOR YOU (Guy Mitchell)
  TENNESSEE WALTZ (Patti Page)
  YOU'RE JUST IN LOVE (Perry Como)
  WOULD I LOVE YOU (Patti Page)
  A PENNY A KISS (Shore-Martin)

- 7. A PENNY A KISS (Shore-Martin)
  8. ABA DABA HONEYMOON
  (Reynolds-Carpenter)
  9. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Les Paul & Mary Ford)
  10. ROVING KIND (Guy Mitchell)

#### Seattle, Wash.

- 1. IF (Perry Como)
  2. BE MY LOVE (Morio Lanza)
- 3. WOULD I LOVE YOU (Patti Page)

- 4. A PENNY A KISS (Shore-Martin)
  5. ABA DABA HONEYMOON
  (Reynolds-Carpenter) 6. SPARROW IN THE TREETOP (Guy Mitchel)
- 7. BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Rosemory Clooney)
- 8. MY HEART CRIES FOR YOU (Guy Mitchell)
  9. I APOLOGIZE (Billy Eckstine)
  10. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKY (Weavers)

#### Chicago, III.

- 1. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKY (Weavers)
- 2. HOW HIGH THE MOON (Les Paul & Mary Ford)
- 3. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Patti Page)
- 4. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP (Guy Mitchell) S. WOULD I LOVE YOU (Patti Page)
- 6. ABA DABA HONEYMOON
  (Carpenter—Reynolds)
  7. BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Rosemary Clooney)
  8. IF (Perry Como)
  9. I APOLOGIZE (Billy Eckstine)
  10. BE MY LOVE (Mario Lanza)

#### Malta, Montana

- 1. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Pinetoppers)
- 2. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP (Crosby & Andrews Sisters)
- 3. ABA DABA HONEYMOON (Kallen-Hayes)
- 4. TENNESSEE WALTZ (Les Paul & Mary Ford)
- S. GET OUT THOSE OLD RECORDS (Guy Lombardo)
- 6. SO LONG (Weavers)
- 7. BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Jimmy Wakely)
- 8. IF (Guy Lombardo)
  9. MY HEART CRIES FOR YOU (Jimmy Wakely)
  10. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKY (Weavers)

#### Fayetteville, Ark.

- 1. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Les Paul & Mary Ford)
- 2. IF (Perry Como)
- 3. BE MY LOVE (Morio Lanza)
- 3. BE MY LOVE (Mono Lanze,
  4. WOULD I LOVE YOU (Patti Page)
  5. WHAT WILL I TELL MY HEART
  (Billy Eckstine)

- 6. HOW HIGH THE MOON
  (Les Paul & Mary Ford)
  7. ABA DABA HONEYMOON (Carmichael-Daley)
  8. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP (Guy Mitchell)
  9. BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Rosemary Clooney)
  10. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKY (The Weavers)

#### Baltimore, Md.

- IF (Perry Como)
   MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Les Paul & Mary Ford)

- 3. BE MY LOVE (Mario Lanza)
  4. WOULD I LOVE YOU (Patti Page)
  5. ABA DABA HONEYMOON
  (Reynolds-Carpenter
  6. MY HEART CRIES FOR YOU (Guy Mitchell)
- 7. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP (Guy Mitchell.
  8. BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Rosemary Clooney
  9. TENNESSEE WALTZ (Patti Page)
  10. YOU'RE JUST IN LOVE (Perry Como)

- Phoenix, Ariz.
- 1. WOULD I LOVE YOU? (Patti Page)
  2. A PENNY A KISS (Shore-Martin)
  3. ABA DABA HONEYMOON
  (Reynolds-Carpenter)

- (Reynolds-Carpenter)
  4. IF (Perry Como)
  5. BE MY LOVE (Mario Lanza)
  6. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP (Guy Mitchell)
  7. BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Rosemary Clooney)
  8. I APOLOGIZE (Billy Eckstine)
  9. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKY (The Weavers)
  10. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Patti Page)

#### Cincinnati, Ohio

- 1. WOULD I LOVE YOU (Patti Page)
- 4. A PENNY A KISS (Shore-Martin)
- ON TOP OF OLD SMOKEY (Weavers) BE MY LOVE (Mario Lanza)
- 7. BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Rosemary Clooney) 8. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Patti Page)
- 9. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP (Guy Mitchell)
  10. | APOLOGIZE (Billy Eckstine)

#### Los Angeles, Cal.

- 1. HOW HIGH THE MOON
  (Les Paul & Mary Ford)
- 2. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP (Guy Mitchell)
- 3. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKY (Weavers) 4. THE LOVELIEST NIGHT OF THE YEAR (Mario Lanza)
- (Mario Lanza)
  5. I APOLOGIZE (Billy Eckstine)
  6. MOONLIGHT BAY (Bing & Gary Crosby)
  7. BE MY LOVE (Mario Lanza)
  8. A PENNY A KISS (Shore-Martin)
  9. YOURE JUST IN LOVE (Perry Como)
  10. ABA DABA HONEYMOON
  (Reynolds—Carpenter)

#### Savannah, Georgia

- 1. IF (Perry Como)
  2. WOULD I LOVE YOU (Patti Page)
- 3. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKY (Weavers)
- 4. BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Lisa Kirk) S. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Patti Page)
- 6. THE ROVING KIND (Guy Mitchell)
- 7. HOW HIGH THE MOON
  (Les Paul & Mary Ford)
  8. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP (Guy Mitchell)
  9. ABA DABA HONEYMOON
  (Reynolds—Carpenter)
  10. MY HEART CRIES FOR YOU (Guy Mitchell)

#### Andalusia, Ala.

- 1. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Patti Page)
  2. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP
  (Crosby & Andrews Sisters)
  3. ABA DABA HONEYMOON'
- 3. ABA DABA HONEYMOON (Reynolds—Carpenter)
- 4. IF (Guy Lombardo)

- 5. BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Jimmy Wakely)
  6. EVER TRUE EVER MORE (Patti Page)
  7. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKY (Weovers)
  8. TENNESSEE WALTZ (Patti Page)
  9. I LOVE YOU BECAUSE (Sammy Kaye)
  10. HAPPINESS (Guy Lombardo)

#### Spokane, Wash.

- 1. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Les Paul & Mary Ford)
- 2. IF (Perry Como)
- IF (Perry Como)
  BE MY I OVE (Mario Lanza)
  HOW HIGH THE MOON (Les Paul & M. Ford'
  ABA DABA HONEYMOON
  (Reynolds-Carpenter'
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  6. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP (Guy Mitchell

  7. YOU'RE JUST IN LOVE (Perry Como)

  8. ACROSS THE WIDE MISSOURI
  (Hugo Winterhalter

  9. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKY (The Weavers)

  10. BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Rosemary Clooney)

#### Denver, Colo.

- 1. IF (Perry Como)
  2. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Les Paul & Mary Ford)
  3. WOULD I LOVE YOU? (Patti Page)
  4. BE MY LOVE (Mario Lanza)
  5. ABA DABA HONEYMOON

- S. ABA DABA HONEYMOON

  (Reynolds-Carpenter)

  6. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP (Guy Mitchell)

  7. BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Rosemary Clooney)

  8. MY HEART CRIES FOR YOU (Guy Mitchell)

  9. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKY (The Weavers)

  10. TENNESSEE WALTZ (Patti Page)

#### Detroit, Mich.

- 1. HOW HIGH THE MOON (Les Paul & M. ford) 2. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP (Guy Mitchell)
- 3. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKY (The Weavers) 4. THE LOVELIEST NIGHT OF THE YEAR
- 5. YOU'RE JUST IN LOVE (Perry Como)
  6. I APOLOGIZE (Billy Eckstine);
  7. BE MY LOVE (Mario Lanza)
  8. IF (Perry Como)
  9. ABA DABA HONEYMOON
  (Reynolds-Carpenter)
  10. A PENNY A KISS (Shore-Marthy)

#### San Francisco, Cal.

- 1. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Patti Page) 2. BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Rosemary Clooney)
- 3. HOW HIGH THE MOON
  (Les Paul & Mary Ford)
- 4. WOULD I LOVE YOU (Patti Page)
  5. IF Perry Como)
  6. WHAT WILL I TELL MY HEART
  (Billy Eckstine)
- 7. ABA DABA HONEYMOON
- 8. BE MY LOVE (Mario Lanza)
  9. TENNESSEE WALTZ (Patti Page)
  10. A PENNY A KISS (Shore-Martin)

#### Shoals, Indiana

- 1. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Patti Page)
  2. IF (Perry Como)
  3. ABA DABA HONEYMOON

- 4. MY HEART CRIES FOR YOU (Guy Mitchell)
  S. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP
  (Crosby & Andrews Sisters)
  6. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKY (Weavers)
  7. BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Rosemary Clooney)
  8. A PENNY A KISS (Shore-Martin)
  9. HOW HIGH THE MOON
  (Les Paul & Mary Ford)
  10. DOWN THE TRAIL OF ACHIN'
  HEARTS (Patti Page)

- Dallas, Texas
- 1. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Les Paul & Mary Ford)
- 2. HOW HIGH THE MOON
  (Les Paul & Mary Ford)
  3. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKY (Weavers)

- 3. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKY (weavers)
  4. WOULD I LOVE YOU (Doris Day)
  5. IF (Perry Como)
  6. BE MY LOVE (Mario Lanza)
  7. ABA-DABA HONEYMOON
  (Reynolds—Carpenter)
  8. I APOLOGIZE (Billy Eckstine)
  9. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP (Guy Mitchell)
  10. BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Rosemary Clooney)

- New Orleans, La.
- 1. IF (Perry Como) 2. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Les Paul & Mary Ford)
- 3. BE MY LOVE (Mario Lanza)
- WOULD I LOVE YOU? (Patti Page) MY HEART CRIES FOR YOU (Guy Mitchell)
- 6. TENNESSEE WALTZ (Patti Page)
  7. YOU'RE JUST IN LOVE (Perry Como)
  8. ABA DABA HONEYMOON (Kitty Kallen)
  9. IT IS NO SECRET (Jo Stafford)
  0. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP
  (Crosby & Andrews Sisters)

- Indianapolis, Ind.
- ON TOP OF OLD SMOKY (The Weavers)
  MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Patti Page)
  ABA DABA HONEYMOON
- 3. ABA DABA HONEYMOON

  (Reynolds-Carpenter)

  4. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP (Guy Mitchell)

  5. WOULD I LOVE YOU? (Patti Page)

  6. BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Rsoemary Clooney)

  7. IF (Perry Como)

  8. HOW HIGH THE MOON (Les Paul & M. Ford)

  9. I APOLOGIZE (Billy Eckstine)

  10. BE MY LOVE (Mario Lanza)
- St. Paul, Minn. 1. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKY (The Weavers)
  2. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP
  (Crosby & Andrews Sisters)
  3. BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Jimmy Wakely)
  4. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Les Paul & Mary Ford)
  5. ACROSS THE WIDE MISSOURI
  (Hugo Winterholter)
  6. SO LONG (The Weavers)
  7. ABA DABA HONEYMOON
  (Reynolds-Carpenter)
  8. HOW HIGH THE MOON (Les Paul & M. Ford)
  9. SHENANDOAH WALTZ (Dinning Sisters)
  10. STRANGE LITTLE GIRL (Foley & Tubb)

# Two New Labels Set To Issue Disks At 49¢ Retail With Special Price To Ops

NEW YORK-Two new labels are due out shortly which will produce pop records at 49c a disk retail and averaging between 30 and 33 cents to

Following the success of the Tops label which has been doing a big job with this type of record, Leo Oberstein last week announced his intention of putting out the same thing on his new Royale label. Oberstein folded Varsity Records in the face of price ceilings which did not permit him to operate at a profit.

Regal Records too is going into the low priced pop field, reviving its Merit label.

While Royale will concentrate on the chain store market, and already has contracts with such giants as Grant's, McCrory's, and Kresge, Merit will make a special pitch to the juke box op. Feeling that the operator market is a natural for a low price disk, Merit will record its numbers with the operators specifically in mind.

Among the first tunes set for early release by Merit are "The Hot Canary" backed with "Syncopated Clock". Others to follow are "On Top Of Old Smoky" and "Kentucky Waltz". The firm intends to cover all hits as they occur in the pop and country and western markets.

Royale's first release will be "Rose, Rose I Love You", which Oberstein obtained in England where it is going big. Because of his contacts in that country much of Oberstein's material will probably come from England.

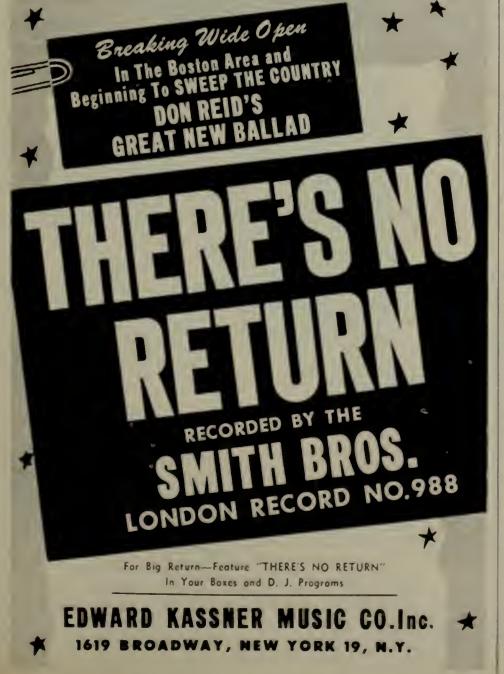
Besides 78 rpm. Royale will also have a low priced 45 rpm disk. They will come in singles and packages, 45 rpm singles will retail at 59c.

With other disk firms viewing these new operations with a great deal of interest, it's certain that if these go over successfully, other diskeries will follow them into the low priced field.

#### Sammy Kaye Appointed **Charity Drive Chairman**

NEW YORK-Bandleader Sammy Kaye has been appointed Honorary Chairman of the Music Division for the Greater New York Fund's 14th Annual Campaign on behalf of the 423 New York City Community Charities, it was announced, this week by B. Brewster Jennings, Campaign Chairman.

Kaye and his orchestra donated their services to record campaign musical spots which will be played throughout the drive, May 1 through June 30th. The goal this year is \$9,-000,000.





BILLY ECKSTINE	I APOLOGIZE BRING BACK THE THRILL	MGM 10903*
BILLY ECKSTINE	I'M YOURS TO COMMAND WHAT WILL I TELL MY HEART	MGM 10944*
REYNOLDS · CARPEN	DIDIA EVEDO IMPERI VOLLAND	MGM 30359°
JANE POWELL David Rase and his Orch	SOMETHING WONDERFUL I WHISTLE A HAPPY TUNE	MGM 30351*
BLUE BARRON YOU'LL AL	SQUEEZIN' POLKA WAYS BE THE SWEETHEART OF MY DREAMS	MGM 10952°
JOHNNY DESMOND	ANDIAMO BECAUSE OF YOU	MGM 10947*
FRED ASTAIRE and JA	NE POWELL THE LIAR SONG TOO LATE NOW	MGM 30316*
BILL FARRELL	MY PRAYER WONDERFUL WASN'T IT	MGM 10948°
TOMMY TUCKER	I STOLE YOU FROM SOMEBODY ELSE SHE MADE A MONKEY OUT OF ME	MGM 10935*
MACKLIN MARROW	TERESA BIRD OF PARADISE	MGM 30360*
BILLY WILLIAMS QU	ARTET PRETTY EYED BABY YOU MADE ME LOVE YOU	MGM 10967*
HOWLIN'	NK WILLIAMS AT THE MOON · I CAN'T HELP —MGM 10961 · 45 RPM—MGM K10961	IT
DAVID ROSE	THE SYNCOPATED CLOCK THE MASK WALTZ	MGM 30353*
DAVID ROSE	HOW HIGH THE MOON BEWITCHED	MGM K 30303†
ART LUND	ROM WIZZELTON TO WUZZELTON A YOUNG MAN'S FANCY	MGM 10940°
TEX BENEKE	PALLADIUM PATROL MY LOVE AN' MY MULE	MGM 10936°



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Listings below indicate preference with disk jockey radio audiences, compiled from reports furnished by leading disk jockeys throughout the nation, for the week ending April 28.

Bob Anthony

KRMG—Tulsa, Okla.

HOW HIGH THE MOON (Paul-Ford)
ON MOONLIGHT BAY (Gary & Bing Crosby)
MAGGIE BLUES (Whiting-Wakely)
ON TOP OF OLD SMOKEY (Burl Ives)
WOULD I LOVE YOU? (Helen O'Connell)
BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Rosemary Clooney)
ABA DABA HONEYMOON
(Reynolds-Carpenter)

8. BE MY LOVE (Mario Lanza)
9. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Paul-Ford)
10. HOT CANARY (Paul Nero)

#### Mort Nusbaum

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WHAM—Rochester, N. Y.

1. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKEY (Vaughn Monroe)
2. NO ONE BUT YOU (Dick Haymes)
3. HOT CANARY (Florian Zabach)
4. If (Perry Como)
5. TOO YOUNG (King Cole)
6. FAITHFULLY YOURS (Tony Martin)
7. ONCE UPON A NICKEL (Georgia Gibbs)
8. FAITHFUL (Vaughn Monroe)
9. I LOVE THE WAY YOU SAY GOODNIGHT
(Dean Martin)
10. WHEN YOU AND I WERE YOUNG MAGGIE
BLUES (Bing & Gary Crosby)

#### Ira Cook

Ira Cook

KECA—Hollywood, Cal.

1. QUIZAS QUIZAS (Bing Crosby)
2. TOO YOUNG (Nat King Cole)
3. LOVELIEST NIGHT IN THE YEAR (A. Blythe)
4. WE KISSED IN A SHADOW (Frank Sinatra)
5. HOW HIGH THE MOON (Paul-Ford)
6. I'M LATE (Modernaires)
7. UNLESS (Guy Mitchell)
8. MAGGIE BLUES (Gary & Bing Crosby)
9. BECAUSE OF YOU (Les Baxter)
10. NO ONE BUT YOU (Tony Martin)

Robin Seymour

WKMH—Dearborn, Mich.

1. HOW HIGH THE MOON (Paul-Ford)

2. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Paul-Ford)

3. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKEY (The Weavers)

4. HOT CANARY (Florian Zabach)

5. SYNCOPATED CLOCK (Boston Pops)

6. A BEGGAR IN LOVE (Guy Mitchell)

7. TOO YOUNG (Nat Cole)

8. FAITHFULLY YOURS (Tony Martin)

9. BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Rosemary Clooney)

10. GOT TO FIND SOMEBODY TO LOVE

(Andrews Sisters)

#### Myron Barg

Myron Barg

WCFL—Chicago, III.

1. WOULD I LOVE YOU? (Gordon Jenkins)

2. THE LOVELIEST NIGHT OF THE YEAR
(Mario Lanza)

3. MAY THE GOOD LORD BLESS AND KEEP YOU
(Jan Peerce)

4. MOONLIGHT BAY (Bing & Gary Crosby)

5. WHEN YOU AND I WERE YOUNG MAGGIE
BLUES (Mindy Carson)

6. SOUND OFF (Vaughn Monroe)

7. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Les Paul & Mary Ford)

8. TOO YOUNG (Fran Allison)

9. MAMA (Johnny Desmond)

10. THE HOT CANARY (Percy Faith)

#### Arty Kay

WKLX—Lexington, Ky.

1. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKEY (The Weavers)

2. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Les Paul & Mary Ford)

3. THE LOVELIEST NIGHT OF THE YEAR (Mario Lanza)

4. HOW HIGH THE MOON (Les Paul & M. Fard)

5. NEVER BEEN KISSED (Freddy Martin)

6. IF (Perry Como)

7. WOULD I LOVE YOU? (Patti Page)

8. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP (Guy Mitchell)

9. SO LONG (The Weavers)

10. SOUND OFF (Vaughn Monroe)

#### Bob Watson

Bob Watson
WSB—Atlanta, Go.

1. WHEN YOU AND I WERE YOUNG MAGGIE
BLUES (Whiting-Wakely)
2. MAMA (Vic Damone)
3. ROSE, ROSE, I LOVE YOU (Frankie Laine)
4. COOK'S TOUR (Ray Anthony)
5. WOULD I LOVE YOU? (Patti Page)
6. HOW HIGH THE MOON (Les Paul & M. Ford)
7. MY LOVE AND MY MULE (Kay Brown)
8. CIDER NIGHT (Mitch Miller)
9. BE MY LOVE (Mario Lanza)
10. GOODBYE G. I. AL (Eddie Fisher)

#### Ray Perkins

KGY PERKINS

KFEL—Denver, Colo.

1. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Les Paul & Mary Ford)

2. IF (Perry Como)

3. HOW HIGH THE MOON (Les Paul & M. Ford)

4. WOULD I LOVE YOU? (Patti Page)

5. YOU'RE JUST IN LOVE (Perry Como)

6. ABA DABA HONEYMOON

7. I APOLOGIZE (Tony Martin)

8. BE MY LOVE (Mario Lanza)

9. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKEY (The Weavers)

10. IT IS NO SECRET (Bill Kenny)

#### Harry Light

WARD-Johnstown, Pa.

WARD—Johnstown, Fd.

1. HOW HIGH THE MOON (Les Paul & M. Ford)

2. WOULD I LOVE YOU? (Patti Page)

3. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Patti Page)

4. BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Rosemary Clooney)

5. I APOLOGIZE (Billy Eckstine)

6. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP (Guy Mitchell)

7. ALWAYS YOU (King Cole)

8. ABA DABA HONEYMOON

(Reynolds-Carpenter)

(Reynolds-Carpenter)
9. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKEY (The Weavers)
10. SYNCOPATED CLOCK (George Cotes)

#### David Walshak

KCTI-Gonzales, Tex.

1. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKEY (The Weavers)
2. ABA DABA HONEYMOON

2. ABA DABA HONEYMOON
(Reynolds-Carpenter)
3. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Russ Morgan)
4. WOULD I LOVE YOU? (Jerry Gray)
5. BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Rosemary Clooney)
6. FAITHFUL (Frank Sinatra)
7. BE MY LOVE (Ray Anthony)
8. CHAPEL OF ROSES (Don Cherry)
9. IF (Jo Stafford)
10. LET ME IN (Bobby Wayne)

#### Dick Coleman

WCBM-Baltimore, Md.

WCBM—Balltmore, Md.

1. HOW HIGH THE MOON (Les Paul & M. Ford)

2. TOO YOUNG (King Cole)

3. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKEY (The Weavers)

4. WOULD I LOVE YOU? (Patti Page)

5. BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Rosemary Clooney)

6. IF (Perry Como)

7. I APOLOGIZE (Billy Eckstine)

8. BRING BACK THE THRILL (Eddie Fisher)

9. MY HEART CRIES FOR YOU (Guy Mitchell)

10. YOU ARE THE ONE (Percy Faith)

#### Jay Boivin

WFEA-Manchester, N. H.

WFEA—Monchester, N. H.

1. I APOLOGIZE (Billy Eckstine)
2. BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Rosemary Clooney)
3. WOULD I LOVE YOU? (Patti Page)
4. KENTUCKY WALTZ (Eddy Arnold)
5. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Les Paul & M. Ford)
6. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKEY (The Weavers)
7. MY HEART CRIES FOR YOU (Guy Mitchell)
8. TENNESSEE WALTZ (Patti Page)
9. A PENNY A KISS (Eddy Howard)
10. IF (Perry Como)

#### George Jay

KWKW-Pasadena, Cal.

RWKW—Pasadena, Cal.

1. MAGGIE BLUES (Wakely-Whiting)

2. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Russ Morgan)

3. MY LOVE AND MY MULE (Kay Brown)

4. HOW HIGH THE MOON (Paul-Ford)

5. HOW THOUGHTFUL OF YOU (Paul Weston)

6. MAMA (Vic Damone)

7. WOULD I LOVE YOU? (Patti Page)

8. BE MY LOVE (Mario Lanza)

9. CRYING JUST FOR YOU (Jimmy Wakely)

10. I'M YOURS TO COMMAND (Herb Jeffries)

John Wrisley

WFGM-Fitchburg, Mass.

1. HOW HIGH THE MOON (Paul-Ford)
2. SOUND OFF (Vaughn Monroe)
3. I APOLOGIZE (Billy Eckstine)
4. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Paul-Ford)
5. HOT CANARY (Florian Zabach)
6. TOO YOUNG (Richard Hayes)
7. NEVER BEEN KISSED (Freddy Martin)
8. BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Rosemary Clooney)
9. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP (Guy Mitchell)
10. YOU'RE THE ONE (Frank Sinatra)

#### **Bill Stewart**

WBMS-Boston, Mass.

1. HOW HIGH THE MOON (Paul-Ford)
2. HOT CANARY (Florian Zabach)
3. MAY THE GOOD LORD BLESS AND KEEP YOU

4. JEZEBEL (Frankie Laine)
5. SEPTEMBER SONG (Stan Kenton)
6. I REMEMBER THE CORN FIELDS (E. Knight)
7. BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Rosemary Clooney)
8. BRING BACK THE THRILL (Mary Mayo)
9. ONCE UPON A NICKEL (Georgie Gibbs)
10. TOO YOUNG (Nat Cole)

#### Eddie Hubbard

WIND-Chicogo, III.

1. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKEY (The Weavers)
2. HOW HIGH THE MOON (Paul-Ford)
3. I APOLOGIZE (Billy Eckstine)
4. TOO YOUNG (Nat Cole)
5. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Paul-Ford)
6. LOVELIEST NIGHT OF THE YEAR

7. YOU'RE JUST IN LOVE (Perry Como)
8. A PENNY A KISS (Martin-Shore)
9. BRING BACK THE THRILL (Eddie Fisher)
10. ALWAYS YOU (Bobby Wayne)

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#### Lee Stewart

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  WHAT—Philadelphia, Pa.

  1. DON'T EVEN CHANGE A PICTURE ON THE WALL (Ozzie Waters)

  2. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Paul-Ford)

  3. BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Jimmy Wakely)

  4. THERE'S BEEN A CHANGE IN ME (E. Howard)

  5. COLD, COLD, HEART (Hank Williams)

  6. IF YOU'VE GOT THE MONEY I'VE GOT THE TIME (Lefty Frizzell)

  7. YOU CAN'T TELL A LIE TO YOUR HEART (AI Morgan)
- 8. HOBO BOOGIE (Red Foley)
  9. LONESOME TRUCK DRIVER BLUES (Bob Newman)

- 10. PRETTY BABY (Darnell-Pinetoppers)

#### Bill Silbert

- WXYZ—Detroit, Mich.

  1. SYNCOPATED CLOCK (Leroy Anderson)

  2. I LOVE YOU MUCH TOO MUCH (Fran Warren)

  3. MAGGIE BLUES (Gary & Bing Crosby)

  4. FAITHFULLY YOURS (Tony Martin)

  5. UNLESS (Eddie Fisher)

  6. TOO YOUNG (Toni Arden)

  7. HOT CANARY (Florian Zabach)

  8. METRO POLKA (Frankie Laine)

  9. A BEGGAR IN LOVE (Guy Mitchell)

  10. MIXED EMOTIONS (Rosemary Clooney)

#### Ed McKenzie

#### WJBK-Detroit, Mich.

- WJBN—DETFOIT, MICH.

  ROSE, ROSE, I LOVE YOU (Buddy Morrow)

  LIGHT IN THE WINDOW (Harry Babbitt)

  A BEGGAR IN LOVE (Guy Mitchell)

  TOO YOUNG (Nat Cole)

  UNLESS (Eddie Fisher)

  DR. JIVE JIVES (Buddy Johnson)

  HELLO, YOUNG LOVERS (Perry Como)

  I'LL NEVER KNOW WHY (Hugo Winterhalter)

  HOT CANARY (Percy Faith)

  WHAT WILL I TELL MY HEART? (E. Howard)

#### Larry Gentile

#### WJBK-Detroit, Mich.

- WJBK—Detroit, Mich.

  1. BE MY LOVE (Mario Lanza)

  2. IF (Perry Como)

  3. MY HEART CRIES FOR YOU (Guy Mitchell)

  4. WOULD I LOVE YOU? (Patti Page)

  5. IN YOUR ARMS (Martin-Shore)

  6. ABA DABA HONEYMOON

  7. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKEY (The Weavers)

  8. YOU'RE WONDERFUL (Frankie Laine)

  9. BRING BACK THE THRILL (Eddie Fisher)

  10. I'LL BE AROUND (Les Brown)

#### Clarence Hamann

#### WJMR-New Orleans, La.

- 1. TOO YOUNG (Nat Cole)
  2. HOW HIGH THE MOON (Paul-Ford)

- 2. HOW HIGH THE MOON (Paul-Ford)
  3. IF (Perry Como)
  4. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKEY (The Weavers)
  5. ALWAYS YOU (Nat Cole)
  6. LET ME IN (Bobby Wayne)
  7. THE LIAR SONG (Astaire-Powell)
  8. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP (Guy Mitchell)
  9. METRO POLKA (Frankie Laine)
  10. I LEFT MY HAT IN HAITI (Billy Eckstine)

#### Maurice Hart

#### KFWB-Hollywood, Cal.

- 1. ALWAYS YOU (Nat Cole)
  2. BRING BACK THE THRILL (Eddie Fisher)
  3. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP (Guy Mitchell)
  4. I'M YOURS TO COMMAND (Billy Eckstine)
  5. BE MY LOVE (Mario Lanza)
  6. A PENNY A KISS (Martin-Shore)
  7. ABA DABA HONEYMOON
  (Reynolds-Carpenter)
  8. YOU'RE JUST IN LOVE (Perry Como)
  9. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKEY (The Weavers)
  10. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Patti Page)

#### **Brad Phillips**

#### WINS-New York, N. Y.

- 1. IF (Perry Como)
  2. BRING BACK THE THRILL (Eddie Fisher)

- 2. BRING BACK THE THRILL (Eddle Fisher)
  3. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP (Guy Mitchell)
  4. MAMA (Vic Damone)
  5. I APOLOGIZE (Billy Eckstine)
  6. NO ONE BUT YOU (Dick Haymes)
  7. ON MOONLIGHT BAY (Gary & Bing Crosby)
  8. WOULD I LOVE YOU? (Tony Martin)
  9. METRO POLKA (Frankie Laine)
  10. ANDIAMO (Johnny Desmond)

#### Bill Smith

#### WSSB-Durham, N. C.

- 1. IF (Perry Como)
  2. MOCKIN' BIRD HILL (Paul-Ford)
  3. WOULD I LOVE YOU? (Patti Page)
  4. BE MY LOVE (Mario Lanza)
  5. ABA DABA HONEYMOON (Hayes-Kallen)
  6. SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP (Guy Mitchell)
  7. ON TOP OF OLD SMOKEY (The Weavers)
  8. BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES (Rosemary Clooney)
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#### \*AWARD O' THE

"PRETTY EYED BABY" (2:57) "THAT'S THE ONE FOR ME" (2:52)

> FRANKIE LAINE & JO STAFFORD (Columbia 39388)



 Frankie Laine and Jo Stafford team up to offer a tune that's bound to take off in the rhythm n' blues field. The couple, together for the first time, come through with a sensational rendition of a real Iriving number. Ops certainly won't be making any mistake to get this one into their machines. Both Frankie and Jo are at their respective best here beating out the lyrics in assured style. With some



JO STAFFORD

terrific backing coming from Paul Weston and his orchestra the picture is complete. The second side is a tune which already is taking off in R & B locations and this version is gonna give it another big push. Each one runs through a chorus and then they get together to finish in a blazing finale. These are both unusual sides and the top deck looks as though it could run away.

#### "BRING BACK MY LOVE" (2:48) "I MUST BE OUT OF MY MIND" (2:53)

#### ELMER WARNER (Savoy 784)

• Two very slow blues items are offered on this disk by Elmer Warner. Both ends are easy going numbers which Elmer sings very softly. The lyrics on either side are excellent to hear and ops are advised to take a listen to this.

#### "TRUE BLUES" (2:48) "I'M GONNA HAVE MY FUN" (2:46)

#### JIMMY McCRACKLIN (Swingtime 264)

· A very low down blues number gets worked over on the top deck by Jimmy McCracklin. With some terrific backing to go along, Jimmy shouts out the lyrics in a driving manner. The lower end has a good steady beat and another fine vocal from Jimmy. Ops know this boy's drawing

#### "CHANGEABLE WOMAN BLUES" (2:55) "MOONRISE" (2:47) CHARLES BROWN (Swingtime 276)

• Charles Brown takes two very slow tunes and sings the blues to them. Johnny Moore's Three Blazers provide a backing that blends benu-tifully with Brown's listenable voice. Everything he makes is good to hear and this disk is no exception.

#### "FROSTY MORNING" (2:48) "QUE PASA CHICA" (2:54) CAB CALLOWAY (Regent 3321)

• One of Cab Calloway's best sides in years is being pushed our way. This tune features a terrific set of lyrics which Cab delivers in his well known low down style as the orchestra provides a backing to match. Lower half is a mambo getting another loud treatment. Ops can't miss the top deck.

#### "DOUBLE THOUBLE BLUES" "GOOD WOMAN BLUES" (2:49) LOWELL FULSON (Aladdin 3088)

 One of the season's most unusual disks is turned out here by Lowell Fulson. With a single guitar as backing, Lowell goes through the sensational lyrics with a slow eerie feeling. The second side too is done in the same way. But the top deck has to be heard to be believed.

#### "GOOD NIGHT, DARLING" (2:59) "FALLIN' RAIN BLUES" (2:46) LONNIE JOHNSON (King 4450

 A pleasant sleep song is delivered softly on the upper deck by Lonnie Johnson. With an excellent guitar backing, Lonnie lends a lot of charm to this side. The bottom half is a shouting blues number which gets a steady beat and a blazing vocal. This'll get those coins into the machines.

#### "SIXTY MINUTE MAN" (2:34) "I CAN'T ESCAPE FROM YOU" (3:01)

#### THE DOMINOES (Federal 12022)

• The Dominoes show their virtuosity with two different types of numbers. The first one is a jump tune on which the boys display some terrific harmony as they sing out the clever lyrics. The second side is a ballad done very slowly in a broken vocal with the group in the background. This is right for the boxes.

#### "HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU" "DEAREST MOTHER" (2:42)

PAUL MONDAY (Peacock 1569)

· Paul Monday takes the well known birthday song and gives it a real live working over. With some new lyrics to introduce it and a rhythmic backing. Paul certainly goes to town on this. The lower half is a dramatic mother song offered in a very slow style. Ops have to listen in.

#### MacArthur Speech Starts Race On "Old Soldiers"

NEW YORK- No sooner had General MacArthur mentioned the tune "Old Soldiers Never Die" at the close of his speech before Congress, when several companies started a race to get it to market first.

To date, several new versions have been made including Herb Jeffries on Coral, Leroy Holmes on MGM, Gene Autry on Columbia, Red Foley on Decca, Vaughn Monroe on Victor, and Limmy Wakaley or Capital Jimmy Wakely on Capitol.

The song is at least a century old,

having originated in the English army. It's been in the public domain for several years, with hardly any interest being shown in it at all. Now Remick, Carl Fisher and Southern are offering versions of it and all are being swamped with orders.

Besides a rush to record the tune, many companies inunediately announced the forthcoming waxing of the MacArthur speech. Columbia, Victor and Capitol have already put it on sale besides numerous independents.



"DISK OF THE **WEEK'** 

BILLBOARD

JEZEBEL (BMI) -- "Frankie Laine's first disk on the Columbia label (39367) is a smash," says Cash Box. "Is bound to sweep the country with the dynamic interpretation it gets here." Billboard makes it a "pick" and figures it "certain" to hit. Meanwhile other versions -- Alexander Brothers (Mer. 5622) and Allen Greene (Mer. 5622) -- do more than justice to this tune which has all the earmarks of success.

IT NEVER HAPPEN' TO ME (Hollis) -- Peggy PEGGY . Lee (Cap. 1513) will ride high on this disk, SOLID an exciting Latin-flavored ditty that can't fail to catch on. Peggy gets the perfect background via Sid Feller's conducting.

KENTUCKY WALTZ (Peer) -- Rosemary Clooney STANDS OUT (Col. 39333) moves this folk item into the pop class with an outstanding rendition.

Watch it go!

\* \* \* \* STRONG BALLAD

A LOVE LIKE YOURS (BMI) -- Tony Fontane (Mer. 5611) is moving to the fore with his version of this strong ballad. Both tune and singer at their best. 2|c 2|c 2|c 2|c 2|c

SURE I LOVE THOSE WIDE OPEN SPACES (Belmar) --BET Terrific raves are circulating over this tune even before records are out. Arthur Godfrey with Laurie Anders (Col. 39404) do a sensational job. Art Lund's (MGM 10978) release is also top-notch. Ditty was inspired by the running tag line on the Ken Murray TV show. Will be big!

LIKELY DONKEY SONG (HEE-UH HAW-UH) (Tanz) - Up NOVELTY and coming novelty that shows possibilities. Waxed by Ziggy Talent (Vic. 20-4118) and Sugar Chile Robinson (Cap. 1526).

IS MY POP IN THERE? (Goday) -- Another Louis DEMAND Jordan (Dec. 27547) smash. But equally in demand is the Ivory Joe Hunter (MGM 10963) version. Both disks are tops.

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ing his ears to Perry Como's tromboning is no plant for National Noise Abatement Week, but rather an esthetic reaction to Singer Como's first attempt with the horn. Morrow's new "Rose, Rose I Love You" bids fair to become his top RCA Victor disk todate while Como is like Old Man River: date while Como is like Old Man River: he keeps on rolling along with the great ones.

#### Sheldon Has Religious Hit

NEW YORK—Ivan Mogull of Sheldon Music has a religious tune hit on his hands and he's spending his time inquiring how it's to be handled from firms who have had the same good

Mogull picked up a tune called "Everyone Is Welcome In The House Of The Lord" and the Mariners sang it twice on the Arthur Godfrey show.
The station was immediately flooded with mail from all over the country for sheet music and records. Federal and Decca have already cut the tune with the Mariners ready to go on Columbia and several more to follow.





The Top Ten Tunes Netting Heaviest Play, Compiled From Reports Submitted Weekly To The Cash Box, By Leading Music Operators In New York City's Harlem Area; Chicago's South Side, and New Orleans.

PLEASE SEND ME SOMEONE TO LOVE

> Percy Mayfield (Specialty 375)

ROCK LITTLE DADDY

> Freddie Mitchell (Derby)

HOW HIGH THE MOON

Les Paul & Mary Ford (Capitol 1451)

I APOLOGIZE

Billy Eckstine (MGM 10903)

TOO YOUNG

King Cole (Capitol 1449)

**BLACK NIGHT** 

Charles Brown (Aladdin 3076)

LITTLE RED ROOSTER

> Griffin Bros. & Margie Day (Dot 1019)

COOL WATER 

Four Tunes (RCA Victor 20-3967)

I WILL WAIT

Four Buddies (Savoy 769)

HOPEFULLY YOURS The Larks

(Apollo 1180)

Billy Eckstine

I APOLOGIZE

(MGM 10903)

HOW HIGH THE MOON

Les Paul & Mary Ford (Capitol 1451)

> **BLACK NIGHT**

Charles Brown (Aladdin 3076)

WHAT WILL I TELL MY **HEART?** 

Al Hibbler (Chess 1445)

**GEE BABY** 

Johnny Otis (Savoy 777)

BABY, LET ME HOLD YOUR HAND

Ray Charles (Swingtime 250)

KOREA BLUES

Bayou Boys (Chess 1449)

TEND TO YOUR BUSINESS

James Wayne (Sittin' In 588)

ROCKET 88 Jackie Brenston

(Chess 1458)

DON'T TAKE YOUR LOVE FROM ME

Laurie Tate & Joe Morris) (Atlantic 923)

CHICA BOO

Lloyd Glenn (Swingtime)

**ROCKET 88** 

Jackie Brenston (Chess 1458)

GEE BABY

Johnny Otis (Savoy 777)

I APOLOGIZE

Billy Eckstine (MGM 10903)

TOO YOUNG

Nat "King" Cole (Capitol 1449)

DO SOMETHING FOR ME

**Dominoes** (Federal)

**KEEP YOUR** HANDS ON YOUR HEART

Billy Wright (Savoy)

LITTLE RED ROOSTER

Griffin Bros. & Margie Day (Dot 1019)

BABY, LET ME HOLD YOUR HAND

Ray Charles (Swingtime 250)

LET'S ROCK **AWHILE** 

Amos Milburn (Aladdin)





The Top Ten Tunes Netting Heaviest Ploy, Compiled From Reports Submitted Weekly To The Cosh Box, By Leading Music Operators in Dollas, Los Angeles and Other Cities Listed.

KOREA BLUES

Bayou Boys (Chess 1449)

BLACK NIGHT

Charles Brown (Aladdin 3076)

DON'T TAKE YOUR LOVE AWAY FROM

ME Laurie Tate & Joe Morris (Atlantic 923)

LOST LOVE Percy Mayfield (Specialty 390)

LONG DISTANCE CALL Muddy Waters (Chess)

ROCKING & ROLLING

Little Son Jackson (Imperial)

ROCKET 88 Jackie Brenston (Chess 1458)

TENNESSEE WALTZ BLUES Stick McGhee

(Atlantic)

BABY, LET ME HOLD YOUR HAND

Ray Charles (Swingtime 250)

YOUR

TEND TO BUSINESS

Jimmy Grissom James Wayne (Recorded In Hollywood) (S'ttin' In)

**BLACK NIGHT** 

Charles Brown (Aladdin)

WHAT WILL I TELL MY **HEART** 

Al Hibbler (Chess)

ALL THAT WINE IS GONE

Big Jay McNeeley (Imperiol)

CHICA-BOO Lloyd Glenn

(Swingtime)

I'LL WAIT FOR YOU

Ruth Brown (Atlantic)

GOOD MAN BLUES

Roy Brown (DeLuxe)

DOLPHIN STREET BOOGIE

Red Callender (Recarded In Hollywood)

GEE BABY Johnny Otis (Savoy)

BABY, LET ME HOLD YOUR HAND

Ray Charles (Swingtime)

ONCE IN LOVE BLUES

SAVANNAH, GA

1 Black Night (Charles Brown)

2. I Apolagize
(Billy Eckstine)
3 Little Red Rooster
(Margie Day)
4 I Will Wait
(Ruth Brawn)

(Ruth Brawn)

S Last Love (Percy Mayfield)

Gee Baby (Johnny Otis)

Please Send Me Someone To Love (Percy Mayfield)

B. Don't Take Yaur Love From Me (Joe Morris)

Rocket 88 (Jackie Brenston)

10. Yeah, Yeah (Joe Morris)

OAKLAND, CAL.

1. Tennessee Waltz
Blues (Stick McGhee)
2. Gee Baby (Johnny Otis)
3. Sixty Minute Man
(The Dominoes)
4. I've Been Lost
(Little Willie)
5. How High The Moon
(Les Paul & Mary Ford)
6. Little Boy Blue
(Mumbles)
7. Tired Of Crying
(Fats Domino)
8 Rockin' (The Robins)
9. Let's Rock Awhile
(Amos Milburn)
10. I Apologize

10. I Apologize (Billy Eckstine)

ANDALUSIA, ALA.

1. Black Night
(Charles Brown)
2. One Steady Baby
(Margie Day)
3. I'll Wait For You
(Ruth Brawn)
4. Don't Take Your Love
From Me (Joe Morris
5. One Sweet Daddy
(Joe Liggins)
6. Money Blues
(Cammilla Haward)
7. Little Red Rooster
(Margie Day)
8. That's All Right
(Jimmy Rogers)

(Jimmy Rogers)

9. The Warld Is In A
Tangle (Jimmy Rogers)

10. Lost Love
(Percy Mayfield)

SHOALS, IND.

1 Black Night
(Charles Brown)
2. I Apologize
(Billy Eckstine)
3. Please Send Me Sameane Ta Love
(Percy Mayfield)
4. Dalphin Street Boogie
(Red Callender)
5. Rock Little Daddy
(Freddy Mitchell)
6. Sweet Peach

6 Sweet Peach
(Roy Brown)
7 Tennessee Walt Briues
(Stick McGhee)
8 Just Live Two Draps Of

Water (Wynanie Harris)
9 Lost Love (Percy Mayfield)
10 If (Ink Spots)

LITTLE ROCK, S C.

1 Black Night (Charles Brown)

1 Black Night
(Charles Brown)
2 Girl Fifteen
(Floyd Dixon)
3 Chew Tobacco Rag
(Lucky Millinder)
4 Tend Ta Your Business
(James Wayne)
5 Little Red Riootter
(Margie Day)
6 Lct's Rock Awhile
(Amas Milburn)
7 Rocket 88
(Jackie Brenston)
8 My Love, My Desire
(Joe Marris)
9 Lima Beans (Chess)
10 Slippin' And Slidin'
(Calvin Baze)

Music!



CH1CAGO-Johnny Desmond and presidents of four chapters of Johnny's national fan club listen in as a Wurlitzer gives out with his latest M-G-M waxing of "Andiamo". It happened at the recent convention held by the vocalist's fan organization in Chicago.

#### Eight Bunk Johnson Masters Found On Coast

LOS ANGELES, CAL.—Eight previously unissued masters featuring the trumpet of the late Bunk Johnson. legendary New Orleans jazz pioneer who died in 1949, have just been discovered. The Good Time Jazz Record Co. of Los Angeles has purchased all rights to them and will release the disks.

The eight sides were made during the winter of 1943-44 in San Francisco, where Johnson had been invited to give several concerts sponsored by a local hot jazz society. The sixty year old jazzman had been found the preceding year driving a truck in the Louisiana rice fields, and a new trumpet and false teeth had been purchased for him by the donations of jazz fans throughout the country. The San Francisco appearance was the start of a comeback trail later to lead to New York and fame, only to be followed once again by poverty and obscurity at the very end of his life.

In San Francisco, the then virtually unknown old man was unable to support himself playing jazz, and worked at various jobs in the shipyards and on the waterfront. It was during these difficult days that he made the series of records, the masters of which, for many years, were thought destroyed in a fire. They were found recently by Good Time Jazz in the files of the Allied Record Manufacturing Co., a processing and pressing plant in Hollywood, and purchased from David Rosenbaum of San Francisco, who had sponsored the recording sessions.

The first release, Ace in the Hole and 2:19 Blues, features vocals by Clancy Hayes, well-known San Francisco composer, for many years banjoist and vocalist with the famous Lu Watters Yerba Buena Jazz Band. Other members of the Yerba Buena Jazz Band appearing on the records include: Turk Murphy, trombone; Ellis Horne, clarinet; Burt Bales, piano; Pat Patton, banjo; Squire Girsback, bass. In addition to the vocals, Hayes also plays drums.

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YOU OFF MY MIND)
950 and 45-950° SHORTY LONG
GOODNIGHT CINCINNATI, GOOD
MORNING TENNESSEE
JUST LIKE TWO DROPS OF WATER
953 and 45-953\*

BOB NEWMAN
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LEFTOVER HASH 945 and 45-945°

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THE DOMINOES
DO SOMETHING FOR ME
CHICKEN BLUES
12001 and 45-12001 LITTLE ESTHER

LITTLE ESTHER
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#### Three Of A Kind



CHICAGO—Three of Capitol's top Western stars peek through a curtain of hit tunes and seem a little surprised at what they find—each other. Left to right are Cliffie Stone whose waxing of "Jump Rose Boogie" is presently going the rounds; Tennessee Ernie, still up there with "Shot Gun Boogie" and promising more great things with "Mr. & Mississippi"; and Tex Williams who's current disk is "I Lost My Gal From Memphis. This photo was taken during the recent MOA convention in Chicago when the boys gathered together to say hello to the ops.

# Conkling To Visit Every Columbia Distrib Within The Next Six Months

NEW YORK—Jim Conkling, president of Columbia Records, returned to New York this week after a trip to the coast where he visited with distributors, inspected Columbia's new factory in Los Angeles and was present as Frankie Laine cut his first sides for the firm.

Conkling revealed that this was just the first of the constant trips he intends to make. Within the next six months, he plans to visit every Columbia distributor in the country.

Feeling that it's not enough to be in touch with his representatives merely by mail or phone, Conkling said the only way to really assess business conditions and operation was to get out into the field and observe them.

Although the spring and summer slump is beginning to set in, Conkling stated that from his observation, record distributors were in a much better position than many other types of merchandisers since their inven-





tories were not as greatly overloaded.
Although Columbia sales have so

far held up because of sales contests which the company has been conducting, the diskery nevertheless is preparing counteraction to the usual seasonal slump.

One of the methods which Conkling intends to utilize is a renewed interest in operator business. Following the recent statements of Paul Wexler and George Hayes concerning Columbia's desire to stimulate this trade, Conkling reaffirmed the company's intention of wooing the juke box op. He stressed the need for doing a real job with ops, giving them the kind of product they want and the service

while in Los Angeles, Conkling spent two weeks at Columbia's new plant. It is reputed to be the largest, most modern record factory in existence today and Conkling feels that with the facilities this and other plants give him, his firm is in a position to keep distributors well supplied with all the hits he expects to continue turning out.

#### **Price Chart Filing Postponed**

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Retail stores this week were granted a thirty day extension—until May 30—to put their new margin-type price control ceilings into effect by filing required charts. Until a retailer files his pricing chart, however, his ceiling prices still will be regulated under the general price freeze which set price levels at the highest figure for which goods were sold in the base period of Dec. 19-Jan. 25.

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# THE CASH BOX "Folk" and "Western" Record Reviews



"HOWLIN' AT THE MOON" (2:47)
"I CAN'T HELP IT" (2:53)

HANK WILLIAMS (MGM 10961; K10961)



HANK WILLIAMS

 Hank Williams has an unusual side in a tune called "Howlin' At The Moon" and he does it with a great deal of zest. Hank, who gets a meaning all of his own into his disks, pours everything into this one including the howlin'. We have an idea that ops who put this into their machines will do a little howlin' with delight when they count their receipts. Giving it a driving vocal, Hank has some wonderful lyrics to work with and a guitar backing that's out of this world. The lower half, in contrast, is a ballad with a slow, definite rhythmic beat. Hank does a crying act on this one and it sounds real good. The top deck, however, has a novelty appeal. Ops shouldn't pass it by.

"FRECKLE FACED GAL" (2:29)

"TENNESSEE" (2:44)

TOMMY SCOTT

(Federal 10011)

Tommy Scott, a new voice on the western horizon, has a couple of sides here which should set him up solid. Both tunes have an excellent lyric to recommend them, a driving vocal by Tommy and some fine guitar backing. Here's one that shouldn't be missed.

"WITHOUT A PORT OF LOVE" (2:52)

"THE LAMP OF LIFE" (2:53)

MOON MULLICAN

(King 947)

Two very soft ballads are put forward on this disk by Moon Mullican. Moon, who makes every disk he cuts a pleasure to hear, does these with great ease. The guitars in the background are in keeping with the mood. For the quiet spots, this is perfect.

"BOOGIE WOOGIE FEVER" (2:16)
"NO PARKING HERE" (2:00)

GENE O'QUIN

(Capitol 1508)

• A wild side is being offered on the top deck by Gene O'Quin. This boogie number has a terrific beat, blazing instrumental backing and a vocal to match. The bottom half is a cute little item which Gene does ok. Ops better watch the top deck.

"WHITE PETALS FROM A ROSE" (2:40)

"AS LONG AS YOU BELIEVE IN ME" (2:40)

JIMMIE DAVIS

(Capitol 1510)

• Jimmie Davis has a slow ballad to work with on the first side. He does this sentimental thing in a crying voice and gets a lot of feeling into it. On the lower half he does a duet on a very pleasant ballad. This'll make a good filler item.

"LET'S GO BACK TO THE BIBLE" (2:40)

"SHE'LL BE THERE" (2:50)

WILF CARTER (RCA Victor 21-0457; 47-0457))

● Wilf Carter has a religious ballad on the top deck which he does a good job with. Getting some fine backing, Wilf puts real meaning into this one. The lower end is a sentimental piece on which he again gives his all. Ops in the right locations will want to take a look at this.

"COYOTE SONG" (2:35)

"FEMALE SHUFFLE" (2:35)

BILLY BRIGGS

(Imperial 8107)

● Billy Briggs, who's becoming a name to reckon with in the western field, has two more numbers to offer on this platter. Both ends get driving vocals from Billy and some excellent guitar work as he sings out the clever lyrics. Ops definitely shouldn't miss this disk.

"I'VE NEVER LIVED IN TENNESSEE" (2:53)

"THERE'S A RIGHT WAY, A WRONG WAY" (2:47)

LEON McAULIFFE (Columbia 20807)

A very swingy item is dished out on the upper level by Leon McAuliffe and his western swing band. Jimmy Hallgood comes through on the vocal in accomplished manner and the boys provide a backing to match. Lower half is another good item set at a fast pace. This is one for ops to listen to.

"ROCKY ROAD BLUES" (2:20)
"KENTUCKY WALTZ" (2:38)

BILL MONROE

(Columbia 20013)

• A tune with a good beat and some excellent lyrics serves Bill Monroe on the top half of this platter. Bill lends real hillbilly flavor to almost everything he does. The second side is the tune he wrote himself and his interpretation of this waltz is first rate. This is a must for ops.



# RHUMBA BOOGIE Hank Snow (RCA Victor 21-0431;

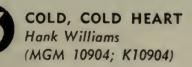
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MOCKIN' BIRD HILL Pinetoppers (Coral 64061; 9-64061)

# SHOTGUN BOOGIE Tennessee Ernie (Capitol 1295; F-1295)

KENTUCKY WALTZ

Eddy Arnold
(RCA Victor 21-0444;
48-0444)



#### **Additional Tunes**

BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES Jimmy Wakely (Capitol 1393; F-1393)

THERE'S BEEN A
CHANGE IN ME
Eddy Arnold
(RCA Victor 21-0412;
48-0412)

CHEW TOBACCO RAG Zeb Turner

STRANGE LITTLE GIRL
Red Foley & Ernest Tubb

(Decca 46311; 9-46311) Cowboy Copas (King 951)

(King 950)

I LOVE YOU A THOUSAND WAYS Lefty Frizell (Columbia 20739; 8-770)

# Sullivan's "Toast Of The Town" Show Stimulates Disk Sales To Public And Ops

NEW YORK—The ability of a TV performance to create additional disk sales for an artist has become a weekly phenomenon through Ed Sullivan's "Toast Of The Town" show.

For some time now TV has been playing a tremendous role in stimulating record sales of stars who perform via that medium not only to the general public but to operators of juke boxes as well. And Sullivan has been a pioneer in this field.

A list of singers he has had on his show would read like a "Who's Who" of the record business. Each of his programs has featured at least one recording star and often he has had as many as three. These include such top names as Frankie Laine, Patti Page, King Cole, Billy Eckstine, Dinah Shore, Gordon Jenkins, Mindy Carson, Georgia Gibbs, Vaughn Monroe, Fran Warren, Vic Damone, Teresa Brewer and dozens of others.

It's been consistently observed that after they've sung one of their recorded numbers on his program, sales of their disks have taken a decided upturn. Moreover, it's almost pinpoint selling in that the exact tune which is sung receives the benefit of the sales increase.

The potency of a TV performance in sending a tune into the hit class received further verification this week when "I Like The Wide Open Spaces" was performed on the Ken Murray show and immediately caused a furor.

The song, written by Murray together with Charles Wick and Royal Foster, was sung by Laurie Anders. It was then announced that the tune would be recorded and orders started flowing in from everywhere. To date they're hovering around the 50,000 mark before the disk is even on the market

As a result of these advance orders, Columbia had Arthur Godfrey and Laurie Anders rush a waxing of the tune last Friday and the diskery is planning to release it immediately.

Not only were inquiries received after the program from such juke box operators as Hirsh de La Viez, who operates hundreds of machines in the Washington area, but several independent record companies contacted "The Cash Box" asking where they could get the music in order to cut it themselves.

A recent example of a tune which caught on after being used as a theme on a TV show is "Syncopated Clock." This instrumental, now going over big in the boxes, came out of a new Leroy Anderson album.

The consistent sales increase of artists' tunes after appearing on such shows as "Toast Of The Town" now offers record companies an additional means of familiarizing both the public and ops with their artists' disks.

#### Cy House Goes To Specialty

NEW YORK—Effective May 1, Cy House, veteran rhythm n' blues man, starts his new job as eastern field rep for Specialty Records with territory covering the entire eastern seaboard and as far west as Detroit. House will work out of the Philadelphia office. Last week he resigned from Modern Records after having been with them for two years. Saul Bihari, head of Modern, will not fill House's post but will make regular trips in from the coast to handle his former duties.

# Meeting Dates Of Music Operators' Associations

May 2—Coin Machine Operators of Harris County
Place: Chamber of Commerce Building, Houston, Texas

3—Phonograph Merchants' Association Place: Hotel Hollenden, Cleveland, Ill.

3—Washington Music Gnild Place: Hamilton Hotel, Washington, D. C.

3—Summit County Music Operators' Association Place: Akron Hotel, Akron, Ohio

8—Automatic Phonograph Owners' Association Place: Gibson Hotel, Cincinnati, Ohio

8—California Music Guild Place: 311 Club, Oakland, Cal.

10—Connecticut State Coin Association Place: Hotel Bond, Hartford, Conn.

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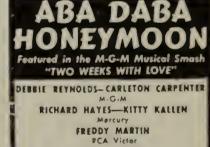
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#### -MOCKIN' BIRD 112.9 126.1 HILL

CA-1373 (F-1373)—LES PAUL Chicken Reel CR-64061 (9-64061—PINETOPPERS DE-27444 (9-27444)—RUSS MORGAN Flying Eagle Polko
LO-851 (30296)—MARLIN SISTERS
Girl I Left Behind
ME-5552 (5552x45)—TINY HILL If You've Got The Money
ME-5595 (5595x45)—PATTI PAGE I Love You Because VI-21-0396 (48-0396)-BRITT & ALLEN

CA-1342 (F-1342)—DEAN MARTIN

#### 2-IF

#### 104.3 88.7

I Love The Way You Say
CA-1351 (F-1351)—JAN GARBER O.
Castles In The Sand
CO-39082 (6-939)—JO STAFFORD It Is No Secret CR-60355 (9-60355)—DENNY VAUGHAN Wait For Me
DE-27391 (9-27391)—INK SPOTS A Friend of Johnny's DE-27481 (9-27481)—LOUIS ARMSTRONG You're Just In Love DE-27534 (9-27534)—ETHEL SMITH Be My Love

LO-833—DICK JAMES

ME-5565 (5565x45)—VIC DAMONE You And Your Beautiful Eyes MG-10896 (K10896)—BILLY ECKSTINE When You Return VI-20-3997 (47-3997)—PERRY COMO

Zing, Zing, Zoom, Zoom

#### 82.7 100.4 3—BE MY LOVE

CA-1352 (F-1352)—RAY ANTHONY O. I Wonder What's Become Of Sally CO-39157—LES BROWN

In The Land Of Make Believe CR-60373 (9-60373)—OWEN BRADLEY Sentimental Music

DE-27366 (9-27366)—VICTOR YOUNG Too Young

DE-27534 (9-27534)-ETHEL SMITH If

MG-10799 (K-10799)—BILLY ECKSTINE Only A Moment Ago VI-10-1561 (49-1353)—MARIO LANZA I'll Never Love You

#### ON TOP OF OLD SMOKY **68.1** 55.2

CO-39328—BURL IVES Syncopated Clock May 5 April 28

CR-60436 (9-60436)—GEORGE CATES Syncopated Clock DE-27515 (9-27515)—WEAVERS Across The Wide Missouri
ME-5612 (5612 x 45)—GEORGE SIRAVO O. Do You Dig John Peel

#### -HOW HIGH THE MOON 67.1 24.8

CA-1451 (F-1451)—LES PAUL & MARY FORD Walkin' & Whistlin' Blues CO-39145—ERROLL GARNER Poor Butterfly DE-24513 (9-24513)—LIONEL HAMPTON O. MG-30303 (K30303)—DAVID ROSE

#### -WOULD I LOVE YOU 64.4 55.1

CA-1368 (F-1368)-HELEN O'CONNELL Gypsy Heart CO-39159 (4-39159)—DAY & JAMES Lullaby Of Broadway
DE-27402 (9-27402)—JERRY GRAY O.
Say It With Your Kisses
DE-27490 (9-27490)—GORDON JENKINS I Love You Much Too Much ME-5571 (5571x45)—PATTI PAGE Sentimental Music VI-20-4056 (47-4056)—TONY MARTIN I Apologize

#### -SYNCOPATED CLOCK 50.3 18.1

CO-39328 (4-39328)—PERCY FAITH O. On Top Of Old Smoky
CR-60436 (9-60436)—GEORGE CATES
On Top Of Old Smoky
DE-27583 (9-27583)—ETHEL SMITH The Loveliest Night Of The Year DE-40201 (9-40201)—LEROY ANDERSON Waltzing Cat
ME-5607 (5607 x 45)—TONY FONTANE No One But You NA-9152—EILEEN BARTON Lock The Barn Door VI-20-4090 (47-4090)—THREE SUNS March Of The Cards

#### 45.5 15.9 8—I APOLOGIZE

CO-39189 (4-39189)—CHAMP BUTLER There'll Be Mournin (9-27484)—DON CHERRY DE-27484 (9-27484)—DON CHERRY

Bring Back The Thrill

LO-964 (45-964)—ANITA O'DAY

You Took Advantage Of Me

ME-8209 (8209x45)—DINAH WASHINGTON

My Heart Cries For You

MG-10903 (K10903)—BILLY ECKSTINE

Bring Back The Thrill

VI-20-4056 (47-4056)—TONY MARTIN

Would I Love You? DE-27484

#### BEAUTIFUL. **BROWN EYES** 41.6 47.1

CA-1426 (F-1426)—ARTHUR SMITH Train Whistle Blues
CA-1393 (F-1393)—JIMMY WAKELY CO-39212 (4-39212)—ROSEMARY CLOONEY DE-27485 (9-27485)—EVELYN KNIGHT That's How Our Love Will Grow DE-46302 (9-46302)—EDDIE ZACK Shenondoah Waltz ME-5370 (5370x45)—DORIS DREW Shut Up MG-10914 (K10914)—ARTHUR SMITH

#### VI-20-4062—LISA KIRK -ABA DABA HONEYMOON 34.6 62.6

CO-38802—WILLIE SOLAR CO-39205 (4-39205)—HELEN KANE Hug Me, Kiss Me, Love Me CR-60374 (9-60374)—CLIFF STEWARD Down In Jungle Town
DE-27474 (9-27474)—CARMICHAEL & DALEY

Golden Rocket ME-5586 (5586x45)—HAYES & KALLEN I Don't Want To Love You MG-30282 (K30282)—REYNOLDS & CARPENTER

Row, Row, Row VI-20-4065 (47-4065)—FREDDY MARTIN Beautiful Madness

#### 11—HOT CANARY 33.5 14.4

CA-1430 (F-1430)—JAN GARBER That's How Our Love Will Grow CA-1495 (F-1495)—PAUL WESTON La Raspa CO-39329 (4-39329)—PERCY FAITH O. Nervous Gavotte
DE-27509 (9-27509)—FLORIAN ZABACH Jalousie DE-27578 (9-27578)—ELLA FITZGERALD

Two Little Men

May 5 April 28

#### -SPARROW IN THE TREE TOP 24.4 37.4

CA-1440 (F-1440)—LES BAXTER Tonight We II Go Dancing CO-39190 (4-39190)—GUY MITCHELL Christopher Columbus CR-60401 (9-60401)—LYN MURRAY Let Me In DE-27477 (9-27477)—CROSBY &

ANDREWS SISTERS
Forsaking All Others
LO-931 (45-931)—REGGIE GOFF I Love You Because
ME-5597 (5597x45)—REX ALLEN
Always You
MG-10923 (K-10924)—ART MOONEY Beautiful Brown Eyes

#### BRING BACK THE THRILL 24.3 28.2

CA-1350 (F-1350)—MARY MAYO A Penny A Kiss
DE-27484 (9-27484)—DON CHERRY I Apologize LO-960—VINNI DE CAMPO ME-5575 (5575x45)—TONY FONTAINE Vision of Bernadette
MG-10903 (K10903)—BILLY ECKSTINE I Apologize VI-20-4016 (47-4016)—EDDIE FISHER If It Hadn't Been For You

#### 14—TOO YOUNG 24.1 14.7

CA-1449 (F-1449)—KING COLE That's My Girl
CO-39271 (4-39271)—TONI ARDEN Too Late Now CR-60393 (9-60393)—DENNY VAUGHN I Love The Way You Say Goodnight

DE-27569 (9-27569)—PATTY ANDREWS Gotta Find Somebody To Love DE-27366 (9-27366)—VICTOR YOUNG Be My Love ME-5599 (5599x45)—RICHARD HAYES

Shenandoah Waltz MG-10920 (K10920)—JOHNNY DESMOND I Fell VI-20-4105 (47-4105)—FRAN ALLISON

#### 15—YOU'RE JUST 20.0 38.7 IN LOVE

CO-39052—CLOONEY & MITCHELL Marrying For Love
CR-60335 (9-60335)—TILTON & BABBITT

It's A Lovely Day Today
DE-27317 (9-27317)—MERMAN & HAYMES
DE-27481 (9-27481)—LOUIS ARMSTRONG -CHAPEL & LeWINTER O. ME-5545-I've Never Been In Love Before MG-10845—RUSS CASE Best Thing For You VI-20-3945 (47-3945)—COMO & FONTANE SISTERS It's a Lovely Day Today

#### 16—THE LOVELIEST NIGHT OF THE YEAR 17.3 16

CA-1408 (F-1408)—HELEN O CONNELL Arthur Murray Taught Me Dancing CO-39192 (4-39192)—PERCY FAITH You Are The One

DE-27507 (9-27507)—FRED WARING Tulips and Heather DE-27583 (9-27583)—ETHEL SMITH Syncopated Clock LO-937 (45-937)—ANNE SHELTON Love Me, My Love

MG-30352 (K-30352)—ANN BLYTH VI-10-3300-MARIO LANZA La Donna E Mobile

#### 17-IT IS NO SECRET 15.7 18.5

CA-1308 (F-1308)—JOE ALLISON CO-39802 (6-939)—JO STAFFORD CO-39073 (6-928)—MARINERS

How Near To My Heort CR-64069 (9-64069)—OZIE WATERS DE-27326 (9-27326)—BILL KENNY I Hear A Choir

DE-46281 (9-46281)—HANK GARLAND LO-872 (45-872)—BOB HOUSTON Sweetheart's Dream

ME-5564 (45x5564)—KALLEN & HAYES Get Out Those Old Records VI-21-0405 (48-0405)-BRITT & ALLEN

VI-20-3976 (47-3976)—THREE SUNS To Think You've Chosen Me May 5 April 28

#### 18—A PENNY A KISS 15.2 21.5

CA-1350 (F-1350)—MARY MAYO

Bring Back The Thrill
DE-27414 (9-27414)—ANDREWS SISTERS
Zing, Zing—Zoom, Zoom
LO-878—BREWER-LANSON Hello ME-5567 (5567×45)—EDDY HOWARD

I Still Feel The Same About You
VI-20-4019 (47-4019)—SHORE-MARTIN

#### 19—LET ME IN 15.1 11.4

In Your Arms

CA-1431 (F-1431)—RED INGLE Chew Tobacco Rag
DE-27495 (9-27495)—PETER LIND HAYES
I'm On My Way Home LO-973 (45-973)—BOBBY WAYNE Wild Card

MG-10923 (K10923)—BLUE BARRON Somebody's Thinking Of You VI-20-4077—FONTANE SISTERS

Hurry Home To Me

#### -MY HEART CRIES FOR YOU 13.6 40.8

CA-1328 (F-1328)—JIMMY WAKELY Music By The Angels CO-39067—GUY MITCHELL The Roving Kind
CO-39086 (4-39086)—STAFFORD & AUTRY

Teardrops From My Eyes CO-39142 (4-39142)—KEN GRIFFIN So Long
DE-27333 (9-27333)—VICTOR YOUNG

The One Finger Melody
DE-27378 (9-27378)—KNIGHT-FOLEY 'Poter Pie

LO-877—AL MORGAN Get Out Those Old Records ME-5563 (5563x45)-VIC DAMONE Music By The Angels

ME-8209 (8209x45)—DINAH WASHINGTON I Apologize MG-10868 (K10868)—BILL FARRELL

You Love Me VI-20-3978 (47-3978)—DINAH SHORE

Nobody's Chasing Me

#### ADDITIONAL TUNES LISTED BELOW IN ORDER OF POPULARITY

21—SOUND OFF 13.0 22—LULLABY OF BROADWAY 11.9 12.2 -TENNESSEE WALTZ 10.9 28.1 THE ROVING KIND 10.8 14.5 25—SHENANDOAH 10.7 WALTZ 7.9 26—METRO POLKA 9.2 14.3 ACROSS THE WIDE **MISSOURI** 14.9 28—VESTI LA **GIUBBA** 7.9 3.7

29—WE KISSED IN A SHADOW 5.4 4.3

30—UNLESS 5.3

31—WHEN YOU AND I WERE YOUNG MAGGIE BLUES 4.9

-MAY THE GOOD LORD BLESS AND KEEP

6.5 YOU 33—KENTUCKY

WALTZ 4.2 34—ONCE UPON A

3.9

NICKEL **4.1** 35—SHOT GUN

BOOGIE 3.8 10.5

36—I LOVE THE WAY YOU SAY GOODNEGHT 3.7 3.4

3.4

37—ALWAYS YOU 8.9

38—SEPTEMBER 2.2 SONG

-NEVER BEEN 2.1 KISSED

3.3 40—IN YOUR ARMS 1.2

# OP SUGGESTS MANUFACTURERS SET UP YEARLY CASH PRIZE FOR "BEST GAME IDEA"

Will Bring Deluge Of New Ideas Predicts Al Schlesinger Of Poughkeepsie



AL SCHLESINGER

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y .-- Al Schlesinger, owner of Square Amusement Company, and one of the country's pioneer coinmen, comes up with a suggestion that bears scrutiny.

Schlesinger writes:

I have just finished reading the editorial in the current issue of "The Cash Box" entitled "Wanted New Products." Your reasons for wanting new products is adequately explained. There is no doubt of the coin machine industry's need for new ideas. This has been apparent for years. Yet, to my knowledge, no manufacturer, nor a manufacturer's association, has as yet taken the initiative in setting up a fund to reward anyone who has created a new idea or product in a

Why doesn't the manufacturer's association set up a fund to be awarded yearly for the best idea submitted. I am certain that with thousands of operators and mechanics over the country, a deluge of ideas for new products would be submitted. At least, they would be trying to win the yearly award, regardless of whatever deal they made with an individual manujacturer.

While "The Cash Box" magazine and the motion picture industry award "Oscars" to outstanding individuals yearly, no rewards of any kind are offered to the folks engaged in the coin machine industry. I say this in view of the fact that all manufacturers would be willing, and have in the past offered the moon to anybody who had a new idea. But actually, what person or group of persons in the past five years have become wealthy because of a new idea contributed to any given manufacturer? If this has not happened, what is the reason? Could it be that the present manufacturers are so entrenched with their present trend in manufacturing,

that they seek no new ideas? Incidently, they have all done well just recreating old ideas. However, there comes a time when the market on recreated ideas ceases, such as is happening now, and the hue and cry goes up for new products.

I could go on and on along this line, but feel that I could not let your splendid editorial "Wanted New Products" go unheeded without expressing my sentiments.

Schlesinger explains his suggestion about the annual award. "What I have in mind about a cash award yearly for the best idea" states Al, 'could be worked out in many ways. Either a majority vote of the Manufacturers Association would determine the winner, or a poll of all the operators after the product has been in operation, or a vote taken at the yearly convention, with a majority determining the winner. In this way an idea can be taken to any of the manufacturers, and at the end of the year any products manufactured along lines of ideas submitted by the trade, would then be submitted for consideration in any of the various ways outlined above. What this actually would do, in my opinion, would be to stimulate the rank and file, who would have a real incentive for submitting ideas, providing the yearly award was worth while shooting for. This is in addition to any deal the inventor would make with a manufacturer.'

(Ed Comment: Al Schlesinger's plan is reproduced herewith as a medium of stimulating interest in the quest for new products. We might point out that is only a little over a year ago that the shuffle game idea came along, which was entirely new and different, and which did much to bring all in the industry profit. We would also like to call attention to Amusement Machine Poll conducted by "The Cash Box" in June, 1949, and as a result of the voting of the operators, presented "Oscars" to manufacturers of six different types of amusement machines. We had intended to make this a yearly feature, but due to the lack of interest of all concerned, had to discontinue the poll.

We are most willing to re-institute the poll (providing world affairs make it possible) with the cooperation of the manufacturers and operators. We are most anxious to hear from the trade, and ask that opinions and suggestions be submitted.)

### MUSIC BIZ LEADS SALES

Second Quarter Finds Music Demand and Sales Ahead. Attribute Buying In Some Areas To Dime Play. 45 rpm Phonos Also Show Brisk Sales.

CHICAGO-Reports current thruout the industry here, as the second quarter gets under way, is that the music sales lead continues unshaken.

Many are now of the belief that this will be the case thruout the rest of the year.

They base this belief on the fact that, since dime play has started into operation in many sections of the country, more new phonos will be sold.

General opinion is that new phonos make it so much easier for the music operators to start right off with 1 play 10c and 3 plays 25c.

In the meantime, from all present indications, music sales have taken a very commanding lead. Music is holding this lead right into the second quarter of the year.

The new, small, 45 rpm phonos, which were introduced just a short time ago, and which are now selective, are also continuing right ahead enjoying good sales.

In the meantime, manufacturers report that production is much lower than what it was during the last quarter of 1950.

In fact, in some cases, according to

"Production is far less than fifty per cent of what we produced in the last quarter of 1950."

This statement was made by one of the leading manufacturers of automatic phonographs.

In the meantime, tho, there seems to be no slow-up on automatic phono sales. Some distribs report that sales seem to come in bunches.

They state, "We get bad days when we don't sell a single phonograph and then, all of a sudden, we're jammed with orders."

This, of course, doesn't effect the manufacturer, nor the general sales picture. The fact remains that phonos are heing sold in very good quantity and that sales are continuing unhalted.

One distrih reported, "In our case, we are making sales of phonographs to many ops here who have been forced to retire other types of equipment.

"Yet," he reports, "to hold onto the locations, and to continue in this business, they are buying the only type of equipment that they can operate at this time—phonographs."

This same distributor also states, "It is surprising to note that most of these people have started right off with dime play. They report that the collections are lots better than what they enjoyed on other types of machines, or what they believed they would be able to enjoy."

Reports like the above have come thru from other distributors.

Operators, generally, are interested in getting into dime play action. Purchases of new machines are their best bet in this direction, they state.

They also claim, "One type of equipment we can depend on at all times, come what may, are the juke boxes. So we're buying more of these than we did in past months.

#### Mfrs. Continue Drive For More War Work

CHICAGO-Most noticeable in all the manufactories in this area related to this industry is the fact that former salesmen are now traveling about the nation in an effort to obtain sub-con-

tracts for the plants they represent.

Where salesmen formerly confined themselves to visiting with the firms distribs, in an effort to sell more games, merchandisers or music machines, they are now actions. chines, they are now acting as pro-curement agents for obtaining war work sub-contracts for their factories.

Some of these salesmen have proved themselves very successful in this regard. Others, new to this type of work, haven't as yet got going. But it is expected that as they travel about, visiting with the large prime contractors, they will soon get the hang of the work, and will be bringing more sub-contracts into their factories.

Manufacturers are reported to realize that the three basic metals: cop-per, steel and aluminum, will prove much scarcer after July 1, when NPA's CMP (Controlled Materials Plan) goes into effect.

They are, therefore, of the belief that they had best protect them elves with whatever sub-contract war work they can obtain at this time.

Some of the factories here are well under way, as far as war work is concerned. Others are still searching. Some have quoted on various parts and await answers to their quotations. Generally, tho, there isn't as much

war work going on as the manufacturers would like to have, or as much as they could safely handle, at this

## **OPS** Issues Ceiling Price **Regulation For Manufacturers**

#### Ruling Effective May 28

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The Office of Price Stabilization this week issued its general manufacturers' order, establishing new ceiling prices for in-dustrial firms thruout the country. The order is known as the "General Manufacturers' Regulation" (CPR 22 —Ceiling Prices For Certain Manufactured Products.)

This regulation is intended to set ceiling prices at a pre-Korean base plus actual increases in materials costs thru 1950 and increases in factory payroll costs thru March 15,

The ruling is effective May 28, 1951. Manufacturers must notify OPS by registered mail as to proposed ceil-ing prices higher than those under General Ceiling Price Regulation and must wait 15 days after OPS receives notification before selling at the new

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OPS before May 28.

CPR applies to sales by all manufacturers in the continental United States, with the exception of several types of manufacturer, who have already been placed under regulation, or those specifically mentioned in this order. Coin Machine manufacturers are not mentioned as exempted.

The pricing standards declare that the level of price ceilings for an industry shall be considered generally fair and equitable if the dollar profits of the industry amount to 85 percent of the average for the industry's best three years during the period 1946-'49 inclusive.

Briefly, the new regulation allows manufacturers to add increases in factory payroll and material costs to pre-Korean prices in optional base periods of April 1 to June 24, 1950, or any one of the three calendar quar-The regulation does not allow addition of increased costs for general overhead and administrative expenses, sales promotion, advertising or overtime pay.

Any manufacturer may appeal to the Office of Price Stabilization for an upward price adjustment if ceiling prices result in operating losses. Application will be acted upon within 30 days.

If a manufacturer believes he cannot price under any of the provisions of the regulation, he may apply to the Director of Price Stabilization for a ceiling price. Petitions for amending this regulation may be filed in accordance with the provisions of Price Procedure Regulation No. 1.

Ceiling prices for new commodities differing only by reason of minor changes in design or construction which does not reduce unit manufacturing materials cost or prevent its offering fairly equivalent service, shall be the ceiling price for the previous commodity established under this regulation.

On new commodities differing from any sold between July 1, 1949 and June 1950, the ceiling price is the same as for the most closely competitive product. Before any sale can be made under this provision, the manufacturer must file a report with the Director of Price Stabilization, Washington 25, D. C., and then can sell after 15 days unless notified the price has been disapproved or further information is requested.

Every manufacturer should have a copy of this regulation. It's lengthy and many points are clarified by examples. Write for "Manufacturers' General Ceiling Price Regulation 22," and address the request to Office of Price Stabilization, Washington 25,



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### **Bally Shipping New "Baseball" Shuffle Game**



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CHICAGO — Bally Manufacturing Company, this city, commenced ship-ments this week of "Bally Baseball," described as a new type shuffle-game with baseball action by George Jenkins, vice president and director of sales, who announced the new game to the trade.

"'Bally Baseball' is not merely another bowling game dressed up to look like baseball," stated Jenkins. "It is the first really new shuffle-game since the introduction of shuffle-bowling, and introduces a revolutionary new play-principle, a new style of puck action, a new skill challenge, a new, a fast fascinating score system."

"Bally Baseball" features two sets of targets on a slanting play-field at the end of a regulation polished shuffle board. One set of targets consists of four cups arranged in diamond for-mation on a turntable that revolves when roll-overs are hit, the roll-overs being the second set of targets. Player first shoots to put "men" on bases by shooting pucks into the cups. He then

shoots to advance "men" on bases by shooting pucks across roll-overs. If a roll-over is hit before "men" are on bases, inning ends without a run, as runs are scored only when "men" advance from third base to home plate, when puck is automatically kicked out of run. For this reason the player of cup. For this reason the player must aim to miss the roll-overs while shooting to put "men" on base.

"Bally Baseball" may be played by one player for one coin or two players for two coins. Standard coin-mechanism is dime-operated.

#### Half Of Exhibit **Space Sold For NAMA** Convention In Nov.

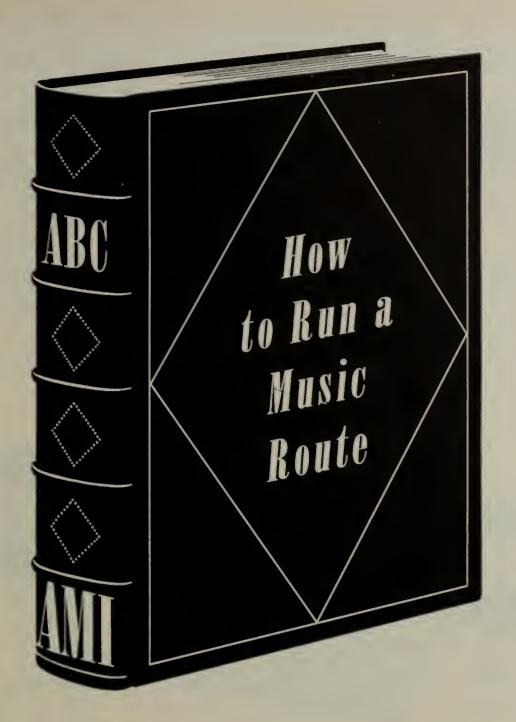
69 Firms Already Signed

CHICAGO—Altho the 1951 NAMA Convention is more than seven months away, 69 manufacturers and suppliers of the merchandise machine industry have signed contracts for over half the available exhibit space at the forthcoming show, to be held at the Cleveland Auditorium, Cleveland, O., November 12 to 15, according to an announcement by Davre J. Davidson, whilit sples committee shairmen exhibit sales committee chairman.

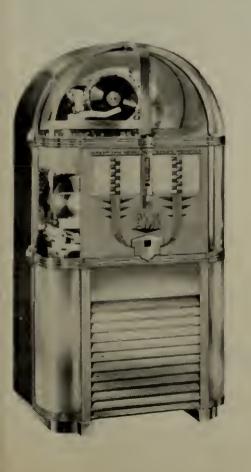
Davidson reported that old established firms, as well as firms new to the field of automatic merchandising, will be represented. He said this will give complete industry representation and tie in with a convention program geared to meet the needs of operators.



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Firms In Business In 1950 Do Not **Have To Make Re**ports To NPA For **Materials Used** For Maintenance, Repair, Operating

#### **Regulations For New** Firms Using DO-97

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Business firms which were in operation in 1950 need NOT make reports of quarterly quotas to NPA on materials used for maintenance, repair and operating supplies (MRO Regulation 4), the National Production Authority emphasized this week.

NPA made the clarification explanation because some firms, apparently misunderstanding Section 4 of Regulation 4, have gone to the unnecessary expense and bother of continuing to make reports. This is the regulation that permits the use of defense order (DO-97) for procurement of MRO suppiles.

Only new companies which were not in operation last year, or were only in partial operation, need make these MRO reports, NPA emphasized.

The procedure for new firms is this:

(1) If the organization was in partial operation in 1950, it shall compute the amount it would have spent for MRO for the entire yera had it continued at the rate it used the materials during the time it was in operation, making reasonable compensation. eration, making reasonable compensations to establish a fairly representative quota.

(2) If a firm was not in operation at all last year, its quarterly MRO quota shall be the minimum amount of MRO which it determines to be reasonably necessary for its operation, but not to exceed \$5,000 a quarter. If that is insufficient, the organization may make application for an increase.

(3) If the quarterly MRO quota is in excess of \$1,000, a new firm or one in partial operation in 1950 must, within 30 days after its first use of a DO-97 rating, notify the NPA of the quota it has established, the base period used, the method by which the quota was figured and any corrections made for seasonal or other fac-

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### Delaware Ops Must Affix License Stamp

\$50 Fine For Failure To Do So

DOVER, DEL.—A bill given final passage by the Delaware Legislature (April 19) provides that owners of coin-operated amusement machines and music machines must affix a decalcomania stamp to each machine to evidence payment of a license fee.

Also given final passage was a bill providing a penalty of a fine up to \$50 for failure to have a decalcomania stamp affixed to such machines.

The bills were sponsored by Senators Curtis W. Steen and Walter A. Handsberry, respectively.



#### AMI Reports Earnings For 1st Quarter Greater Than '50

#### John Haddock Reelected President; Same Directors Reelected

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich.—AMI Inc., manufacturers of the current Model "C" phonograph, Wall Boxes, and accessories, reported earnings before taxes for the quarter ended March 31 of \$195,669, or the equivalent of \$1.21 a share on the 158,156 shares of common stock outstanding.

John W. Haddock, president, said that pending clarification of certain tax rulings, it was impossible to estimate Federal taxes at this time.

AMI reported earnings after taxes for the corresponding period last year of \$133,654, or the equivalent of 82c a share on the common. Net earnings after taxes for the year 1950 were \$504,475, which amounted to \$3.09 a share on the common.

Haddock said that net sales for the first quarter this year rose 10 per cent over those for the like period in 1950.

Because of production cutbacks made necessary by government orders limiting the use of critical materials,



JOHN HADDOCK

Haddock said that sales for the second quarter of the year will not be as large as those for the like period last year, although profits before

taxes for the half year should be approximately the same. He added that the company hopes to be able to produe civilian products during the third quarter at about the same rate as during the second quarter, pending issuance of government regulations.

AMI officials, Haddock said, have every reason to anticipate that by the end of the year the company will be running at capacity on a combination civilian and d fense work, for which the company's electronic manufacturing and assembling facilities are excellently suited.

Haddock also announced that at the company's annual meeting it had been decided that all authorized but unissued shares of preference stock would be eliminated. At the same time, John Haddock was reelected president and the following directors reelected: Frank J. Quinn, New York City; H. J. Dowd, New York City; S. J. Allie, Chicago; and E. R. Farny, New York City.

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#### Richmond Ops View Wurlitzer Phono



RICHMOND, VA.—Ken O'Connor, O'Connor Distributing Company, Inc., this city, who was visiting New York this past week, brought along a photo taken at his offices recently. "Music operators in my territory" stated O'Connor "are continuously visiting our showroom to familiarize themselves with the new Wurlitzer 1400 phonos, and to make plans for purchases."

Shown in the picture, are, left to right: Mr. Messick; Alfredo J. Goria, an operator from Roanoke; Goria's father; Milton Sensheiner, Allen Distributing Co., Hopewell; and on the extreme right a gentleman whom we hope excuses us for forgetting his name.

#### N. C. & S. C. Music Ops To Meet At Charlotte

RALEIGH, N. C.—Wade Marr, Jr., who is making great progress in his efforts to create a sound music operators' association in North and South Carolina, will bring together the music operators of both these states for a meeting in Charlotte, N. C. on Monday, May 21.

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Operating at present under the North Carolina Amusement and Recreational Association, Inc., the organization claims over seventy members and hope to add many more.

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Hirsh de LaViez, Washington, D. C.
coinman, has promised to be on hand
to address the gathering.

# THRU THE COIN CHUTE

#### **EASTERN FLASHES**

Operators of both games and music tell us that collections this past week have gone up, but some doubt that this happy condition will continue to improve when the weather gets warmer. "TVing of baseball games will take its toll," they state. However, if the previous year's experience can be used as a barometer, these operators can be wrong. Nice weather will bring out the patrons seeking amusement, especially as today's trend is to stay at home and watch television during spells of bad or cold weather. Many operators have told us that last summer's collections were a great deal better than their winter take. With more people than last year ready to take a rest from home TV, and with summer shows taking the place of the big all-star shows, people in the coin machine industry look to the late spring, summer, and early fall months to become their best income months.

Ed Wurgler, sales manager for Rudolph Wurlitzer, spends a few days in town with Joe Young, Young Distributing, local distributor. . . . Ken O'Connor, O'Connor Distributing Co., Richmond, Va., who happened to be in the big city vacationing, visited with Wurgler. . . . Alma Young, Joe's gorgeous wife, just back from a visit to her home town, Townley, Ala., raving about a record that's getting a terrific play in juke boxes thruout the South, "The Strange Little Girl" recorded by Red Foley and Ernest Tubb. Alma lays claim to having predicted "Goodnight, Irene" as a coming big hit before it hit the top, now acclaims this Decca record as the next big money maker for the music operators. (Ed Comment: Backing her judgment is that of "The Cash Box" music editor, who selected it as the "Bullseye of the Week" in the April 14 issue.) . . . Dave Lowy, Dave Lowy & Co., displays Evans' "Shuffle Ten Strike," which is now awaiting an OKay by the license department. "Operators just awaiting the Okay," states Dave, "and I'm looking for a big sale of this very entertaining game." Dave, by the way, to Chicago, and will be in the Windy City when you read this. . . . Jack Mitnick, AMI regional representative, serving on the jury the past week. (A very funny story about this. Ask Ben Becker.) . . . Ben Becker, Bally regional representative also in the city. Ben drove to town from Hartford, Conn., with Abe Rechschafter of Reliable Coin Machine Co. Ben hitting the New England States and the Jersey seashore while in the East.

Barney (Shugy) Sugerman, Runyon Sales Co., spends the week vacationing at Virginia Beach. Irv (Kempy) Kempner, comes off the road to fill in at the office during Shugy's absence. A. Irving Kaye, Brooklyn operator, visits along coinrow. . . . Meet up with Harry Pearl, who tells us that Genco's next amusement game will be a "bit hit." . . . Hirsh de LaViez, the Washington, D. C. comet, in town—"to get a few days of relaxation," he states. . . . Bob Bear, Wurlitzer sales representative, the father of three girls, now boasts the addition of a boy—and what do you think they name the kid? You're right—Teddy Bear. . . . Business at Koeppel Distributing Company continues to improve with each passing week, the Koeppel brothers, Harry and Hymie, tell us. These men have worked up quite a reputation for supplying the tops in used music machines. . . . Mike Munves continues along, rushed to the limit with orders for arcade equipment, with everyone asking for immediate deliveries. Arcade owners now open for week-end play, and would like to have all their equipment working to get a good start on the season. However, they insist upon having the machines for their openings of the regular season, most of which start off with Decoration Day. In his efforts to satisfy all, Munves has his staff working day and night, with Mrs. Munves on hand chipping in. Mike even uses Sunday to visit the nearby arcades, altho his missus is trying to keep him at home for at least one day's rest.

Max Levine, Scientific Machine Corp., Brooklyn, now busily engaged in turning out defense products. However, a portion of the firm's large building is still devoted to manufacture of its amusement products. . . . Al Simon, Albert Simon, Inc., runs down to Philly to see the coin trade there. . . . It appears almost certain that the city will vote some sort of juke box tax. With the pressure on for more revenue, and reports in its hands from other communities thruout the country as to their license fees on music machines, the most local ops can hope for is that the fee isn't too high. Administration has its eye on a \$25 tab, but all are hoping a more equitable and fair amount will be set. We'll know by June 20. If the final estimate of general fund receipts between June 15 and 20 indicates that the new sales tax yield will be enough, it may not be necessary to impose the tax at all.

#### MIAMI MURMURS

With the weather up north taking on a warmish tint, visiting coinmen are getting scarcer, and some who have been spending the winter here are going away. Joe Eisen, former Wurlitzer distributor in the East, was one of these. Joe played his last game of gin with the "natives" for this season, leaving for parts north with tears in his eyes. His gin playing pals, all former New Yorkers, bid him good-bye. Among them were Willie (Little Napoleon) Blatt, Willie Levey, Dave Friedman, Whitie Pincus and Murray Blane. The boys told Eisen to take his 124 points with him, but to be sure to bring some fresh money next season. . . . Ely Ross, Taran Distributing, looking forward to those new amusement and shuffle games. . . . At Bush Distributing, Ozzie Truppman and Ted Bush also awaiting arrival of new games, while busy doing quite a job with ChiCoin's "Hit Parade." . . . Gordon Williams, Broward Novelty Co., sold his novelty games to Bob Wellans—and bought Wellans' entire music biz. Result of the exchange is that each now has about 500 units of specialized equipment.

Milty Green, with offices in Brooklyn and Manhattan as well as here, has been spending plenty of time and money getting local route in shape—"so that I can play a little," states Milty. . . . Bert Lane continues to set out his Cue-Ball machines, and tells us they're doing fine. . . . Charley Polgar tells us of the local operator who phoned the Better Business Bureau, asking them "Well, could you tell me why business isn't better?" . . . One of New York's distributors vacationing here telling all that he bought a home and some acreage and intends to spend considerable time around, which caused the caustic comment "Now, isn't that just peachy."

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#### CHICAGO CHAT

Most important thing for all coinmen is to realize that NPAs CMP (Controlled Materials Plan) will, most definitely, cut deep into the normal production of all manufacturers. This means, with a scramble forthcoming for whatever steel, copper, aluminum (and, without doubt, as time goes on, other important metals) which will be left, after the priority users get their share, that the manufacturers in this industry will be scraping the bottom of the barrel to get whatever they can of these three necessary and vital metals to continue to produce their normal equipment. This means that any coinman, who is today selling machines without replacing with new machines (while he can), will find himself caught plenty short. . . . Don't for a moment believe that "war is far in the background". If the word of experts is to be taken. "The situation is more serious right now than it has ever before been". Those are the words of Gen. George Marshall. And General Marshall, if anyone, should be in the position to know. This, then, is the time for all coinmen, large and small, to get whatever they can. While they can. And while the getting is good. . . . Music has been leading in sales since the last quarter of 1950. The lead is continuing unshaken into this second quarter of 1951. It is believed, by many, that this lead will continue all thru 1951.

J. A. "Art" Weinand. Rock-Ola Manufacturing Corp., in addition to his other many duties, which probably make him one of the busiest of exces in this town, squeezes in the time to make a hurried trip to Omaha and Des Moines. Paul Huebsch, newly appointed general sales manager over at J. H. Keeney & Co., getting acquainted with the coin trade, states "I'm getting along great, but more than anything, just love working in this industry". The factory is busier than ever, with reports that their television is going over tremendously.

... Over at the plant of United Manufacturing Co., Bill DeSelm reports that the factory is busy with several of its machines, and that they are now starting to ship samples of its new five ball game "ABC". Reaction to this new and entirely different game is most wonderful" states DeSelm. . . . Among the visitors at the United plant this week were Bud Parr of Los Angeles, Calif., and Lou Casola of Rockford. and Lou Casola of Rockford.

Ed Levin, Chicago Coin Machine Co., is back in town sporting a somewhat freckled tan after taking the long way home from Florida. Ed stopped off at New Orleans, La., Birmingham, Ala., and Nashville, Tenn. "Everywhere I hit," stated Ed, "the reaction to 'Hit Parade', the 45 rpm selective phonograph, was tremendous," . . . Samuel Wolberg of Chicago Coin is back in town, and reported working hard to catch up with the many items on his desk. . . . Sam Gensburg, also of ChiCoin, expected to go back to Florida very shortly. . . . Irv Sandler of Sandler Distributing Co., is back handling the Rock-Ola line in Eastern lowa. Irv recently bought out the stock of his partner in the Des Moines wholesaling firm, and now is conducting his firm as sole owner. . . . Bill Marmer, Sicking, Inc., Cincinnati, O., visiting at the Bally plant. . . . Jack Nelson of Bally still out of town. . . . Art Garvey of Bally seeing the trade in Ohio. . . . Bill Haldeman, head of production control at Rock-Ola, handling out those seegars in celebration of the arrival of a new son. James Warren. . . C. R. Sandoval, Cuban distributor for Rock-Ola, reported to be going great there, with equipment arriving regularly each week. going great there, with equipment arriving regularly each week.

Sam Stern, Williams Manufacturing Corp., kept glued to his desk, seeing visiting distribs and kept continually busy answering the telephone from points thruout the country. All report to Stern that the firms "Music Mite" is proved depended in the new amusement machine "Super World Series" in great depended. in great demand. . . . Frank Mencuri, Exhibit sales manager, still on the road. The rush at this factory is keeping all on the hustle, with demands for immediate deliveries so that the equipment can be set and ready for the coming arcade season. . . . Bally Manufacturing announces its new "Bally Basehall" arcade season. . . . Bally Manufacturing announces its new "Bally Basehall" shuffle game. "It's a new idea in shuffle games" stated one of the firm's officials. "It will inject new life into this field, and start off a new boom. Our location tests showed amazing collections. It's a fascinating game for one player, and there's the competitive angle for two players. All who have seen the game in action predict that it will accomplish for the shuffle game field what the Bally Bumper did for the pin games many years back."

Over at Coven Distributing Co., Ben Coven reports that phono ops are busily engaged in converting their music machines to 1 play 10c, 3 plays 25c, and that his mechanical staff is supplying the Wurlitzer conversion kits. Ben also re-forts that the Wurlitzer 1400 model is going great. . . . Veteran hospitals can use unlimited quantities of current records—so if you music operators have any taken off your routes get in touch with the nearest vet hospital and ask if they want you to send or deliver them. Some of those hospitals may need players. If you have any old phono to donate, we can assure you they'll be very heartily appreciated. There are many boys returning from Korea who have given a great deal and are in need of amusement and relaxation. The music trade can be of great assistance-and it's really so little of a sacrifice. Individual donations would be great, but the many music associations thruout the country, thru its better facilities, should immediately set the ball rolling. The boys will never forget this gesture, and the entire automatic phono industry will accomplish a good-will measure.

J. W. Henderson of Safe Way Music, reported this past week that I play for 10c. 3 plays for 25c, was working out very nicely for him. Henderson says "So far the play is working out very nicely, I feel sure that it is going to work out okay all around. The public seems to get accustomed to 10c play. They don't hesitate at 1 play for 10c and 3 plays for 25c."... Bally announces that its "Bally Service School" will hold sessions during the month of May, starting on Monday, May 13. The school runs for three days, ending on Wednesday, May 16. Sessions start at 10 A.M. sharp, and are conducted by a mechanical staff headed by Bob Breither. Bob asks that those who intend to attend please drop him a note, stating name of people coming and on which dute they will attend

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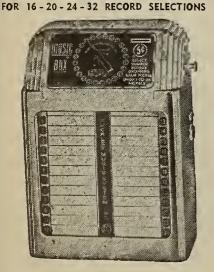
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#### CALIFORNIA CLIPPINGS

Seems the vending biz is cooking up steam. Distribs and ops handling vendors appear to be in for some of the best sailing they've had in a long time. Backing this up, for one, is Al Silberman over at Badger Sales, where it's a problem these days to hold a vendor in stock. Al reports that the Mills Coffee machine is doing as well on military and industrial locations as cold drink vendors, and this in fairly warm weather, at that. In addition to increased consumer and operator demand causing a shortage in all vending equipment, Al also notes that the mfrs. have had to curtail their production. . . W. R. Happel, Jr., of Badger was just back from a Las Vegas jaunt and able to grin about his losings, which should indicate that he came close to breaking even. . . . Hottest things on the Badger floor these days are Keeney's 4-way conversion unit and the United 5 Player Shuffle Alley. . . . There's also a batch of beauties in the former Keeney TV set, which has been rechristened the Delmont especially for Badger distribution under Ray Powers expert handling and which looks mighty good in all its varied cabinet styles and screen sizes.

Selling new Rock-Olas as fast as they come in at Bud Parr's General Music Company, Fred Gaunt tells us he's still waiting on that new game to really perk things up. Fred was just about to take off for a hard-earned few days rest at 29 Palms when we dropped by. . . . It reached us second hand, in fact several second hands, but understand that Automatic Games' well ballyhooed game auction up in Las Vegas didn't move quite as much merchandise as Dannie Jackson and George Warner had hoped for. . . . A busy lad these days is Lyn Brown, with United's 5-Player Shuffle Alley bringing 'em in. . . Back from a Vegas trip at Sicking Distribs was Jack Simon, who reported that business was holding its own. Looking extra sharp in a well tailored suit was Sicking secy. Cele Padwa (we'll have to find out who's her tailor).

Music ops are pitching in to help introduce Capitol's "Don't Kindle the Flame," written by Leuenhagen's Mary Solle, and Mary got a big kick out of one of the well-intentioned lads coming back for a reorder a few days later with the remark, "Say, Mary, you know this thing's really bringing in the nickels". . . . It happens to be a fine tune, as cut by Bucky Tibbs and Deuce Spriggins. . . . Leuenhagen's is certainly keeping the boys in close touch with the record artists these days, with Russ Morgan, Georgie Cates, Kay Brown and April Stevens among those putting in time across Mary's busy counter within the past few weeks. . . . Al Bettelman just back to C. A. Robinson's after a Northern trip, which Al credits with stirring up a little action and a whole lot of goodwill, that stuff you can't ring up on the register but which you can't buy for all the loot in the Bank of America. . . . On the Row: J. Torres of L. A. . . . SanBerdoo's T. R. Nicolay. . . . J. G. Delado from Oxnard. . . . Roy Borton of Coalinga. . . . El Monte's William J. Denning. . . . C. F. Hartman from Bakersfield. . . . Oildale's Niles Smith.

#### MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

With better weather and receding waters in the flooded areas, the operators are looking for increased and better business. . . . Glen Bischell of Chippewa Falls, Wis., reports that things are picking up on his route. . . . In from St. Cloud were Charles Bohnen and Charles Sersen. Charley is still trying to catch up after taking some time off for a brief trip to Florida. . . . Gabby Clusieu of Grand Rapids made a quick trip into town to pick up some supplies. . . . In town for a couple of days was Don Culver of Glendive, Montana. . . . Some of the other operators who were in town to pick up supplies were: Elgin McDaniel of Wadena; Hank Krueger of Fairfax; John Galep of Menominie, Wis.; Frank Majer of Grand Rapids; and Vic Hendel of Worthington.

Pete Wornson of Mankato was in and we learned that he was very fortunate in that his home was not in the area that was flooded. . . . R. E. Aherin of Lamoure, N. D., and his wife were in town for a few days and they took in the Ice Follies. . . . Also in town with them were Mr. and Mrs. R. Embertson of Lamoure. . . . Don Hazelwood of Aitken, has just returned from a trip to Mexico. Mrs. Hazelwood was all set to go with him but due to the children having the mumps, she was unable to make the trip. . . . Also seen in and around town was Jack Backus of Jamestown, N. D.; Phil Stang of Jordon; and Walt Schmidt of Red Wing. The Lieberman Music Company reports that the Gottlieb "Happy-Go-Lucky" is making a hit with the operators. The gang at the Lieberman Music Company received word from Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lieberman who are in Paris and they state they are having a nice time.

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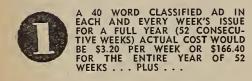
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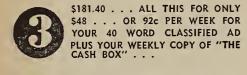
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METHOD: "The Confidential Price Lists" should be read as follows: First

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#### **EXPLANATION**

- 1. Prices UP 2. Prices DOWN
- Prices UP and DOWN
- 4. No change from Last Week
- 5. No quotations Last 2 to 4 Weeks6. No quotations 4 Weeks or Longer
- 7. Machines Just Added
- Great Activity



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5. 24	29.50	49.50				
3. 600R	40.00	100.00				
3. 600K	40.00	100.00				
4. 500A	40.00	69.50				
4. 500K	42.50	69.50				
4. 41 (Counter)	49.50	65.00				
6, 51 (Counter)	30.00	45.00				
4. 61 (Counter)	39.50	75.00				
2. 71 (Counter)	35.00°	85.00				
6. 81 (Counter)		75.00				
2. 700	69.50	99.50				
4. 750M	89.50	109.50				
2* 750E	89.50	135.00				
4. 780M Colonial		129.50				
4. 780E		129.50				
4. 800		124.50				
1. 850		119.50				
4. 950		125.00				
4* 1015		319.50				
4. 1017 Hideaway	225.00	259.50				
4* 1100		475.00				
2* 1080		309.50				
6. 300 Adapter		15.00				
4. 320 Wireless Wall Box.	3.50	5.00				
4. 310 Wall Box 30 Wire		5.00				
4. 320 2 Wire Wall Box	3.50	5.00				
6. 332 2 Wire Bar Box		9.50				
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Model "C" Phonograph  Model HS-SM Hideaway	\$795.00
5c-10c Wall Box (40 Selections)	575.00 59.50
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Turf King	\$695.00
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Two Player Shuffle Alley Rebound	375.00
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Model "1450" Phonograph Model 4851 5c-10c-25c Wall Box (48 Selections)	914.50
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