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How is a record made? Bob Manning shows what it's like from the artist's point of view in the above series of photos. In the center, he is shown entering the Capitol offices in New York. At the top left, he goes over a number of songs which may be recorded with the Capitol staff, l. to r. Sid Feller, eastern A&R head; Bob Manning; Dick Linke, promotion head of Capitol; Bud Frazier, west coast promotion head; and Hal Cook, national sales manager. At the top right, after they have chosen "Venus DeMilo" and "You Made Me Love You" as the two sides for the singer to record, the group points to the finished product. At the bottom right they listen to the playback. And at the bottom left, they plan the promotional campaign for the record. If the record should make it and become a hit, Manning would almost automatically become one of the top names in the entertainment field and his price for personal appearances, under the direction of the William Morris office, would immediately skyrocket.

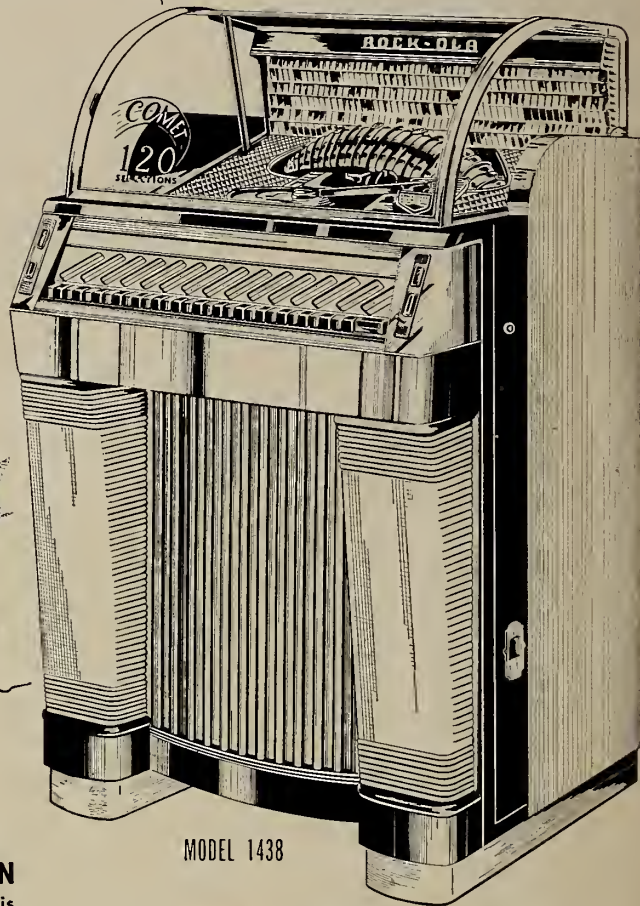
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GOOD THINGS IN STORE FOR '54

At this time of the year, when we think of what lies ahead for 1954, the greatest problem confronting the music and record business is the current negotiations with Petrillo for a renewal of the contract between the AFM and the recording companies. Talks are in abeyance at this moment, having bogged down last week, and they are not due to be resumed again until some time this week.

We trust that the union and the record companies will come to an agreement equitable to both because that is the one obstacle standing in the way of a tremendous year for the music business. If there is no strike and no recording ban, we can expect the record industry to break all previous marks in the year ahead.

Why?

For a number of reasons. But mostly because in the last year or two, record firms have dispensed with some of their antiquated methods of doing business and have come to realize that records don't sell themselves, that you have to go out and create a market for them.

Most record firms today are being conducted on the basis that promotion is what creates a hit. And it has worked. For let's face it. Most record hits are the result of heavy, steady and continuing promotion not only on the part of the record firm, but also by the publisher and the artist. The proof of that is that every day new records

come out which from an artistic point of view are beautiful and deserve to be hits. But they get no promotion and so they die.

On the other hand, everyone knows of hits which may not have been the greatest artistically, but which were promoted until they received enough exposure to garner the kind of audience which could make them hits.

Besides this new realization of the importance of promotion, diskeries also have learned to concentrate on the markets which move records. For instance, there has been a steadily increasing move to fulfill the needs of juke box operators for they must buy records through good times and had to keep their machines stocked. There has been more rational attention to disk jockeys, keeping in mind that they play a great part in exposing records to the public. And there has been the realization that special rewards must be offered to distributors and retailers to make them concentrate on the records the diskeries want sold.

In addition to all of this gradual reorganization which has now come to fruition, there is the rising population which has created more record buyers both among teenagers and adults.

Because of all of these factors the record business has every reason to be hopeful for the coming year. If the strike doesn't come off, we will undoubtedly see all existing sales marks broken.

THE NATION'S TOP TEN PLUS THE NEXT 25 JUKE 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.

THE CASH BOX



CODE			
AB—Abbott	CD—Cadence	DU—Duke	PC—Peacock
AL—Aladdin	CH—Chess	DY—Derby	Pro.
AP—Apollo	CK—Checker	ES—Essex	PE—Peacock
AT—Atlantic	CO—Columbia	FE—Federal	PR—Prestige
BA—Barbour	CR—Coral	FI—Fiesta	RA—Rainbow
BE—Bell	CY—Crysallette	4 Star—Four Star	RE—Regent
BR—Brunswick	DA—Dana	IM—Imperial	RH—Recorded In
BU—Bullet	DE—Decca	IN—Intro	Hollywood
CA—Capitol	DO—Dot	JU—Jubilee	MO—Modern
			RM—Rama
			SA—Savoy
			SIT—Sittin' In
			SP—Specialty
			SW—Swingtime
			TE—Tempo
			TI—Tico
			TN—Tennessee
			UN—United
			VA—Valley
			VI—RCA Victor
			ZO—Zodiac

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|---|---|
| <p>1 RICOCHET
TERESA BREWER
CA-2543 (F-2543)—Vicki Young
CR-61043 (9-61043)—Teresa Brewer
DE-28914 (9-28914)—Guy Lombardo O.</p> | <p>2 RAGS TO RICHES
TONY BENNETT
BE—Tony Russo
CO-40048 (4-40048)—Tony Bennett
DE-28838 (9-28838)—Georgie Shaw</p> |
| <p>3 OH, MEIN PAPA
EDDIE FISHER - EDDIE CALVERT
BE-1019 (45-1019)—J. Carroll & L. Clark
CA-2678 (F-2678)—Ray Anthony
CO-40134 (4-40134)—Harry James & Paul Weston
CR-61111 (9-61111)—R. Wottawa & B. De Weille</p> | <p>10 THAT'S AMORE
DEAN MARTIN
CA-2589 (F-2589)—Dean Martin</p> |
| <p>4 YOU, YOU, YOU
AMES BROTHERS
CO-40039 (4-40039)—Ken Griffin
ME-70198 (70198x45)—Johnny Horton
MG-11512 (K-11512)—Ken Remo</p> | <p>3 CHANGING PARTNERS
PATTI PAGE
BE-1017 (45-1017)—Helen Forrest
CA-2657 (F-2657)—Kay Starr
DE-28969 (9-28969)—Bing Crosby
KI-1304 (45-1304)—Ink Spots</p> |
| <p>5 ISTANBUL
FOUR LADS
CA-2665 (F-2665)—Joe "Fingers" Carr
CO-40082 (4-40082)—Four Lads</p> | <p>5 STRANGER IN PARADISE
TONY BENNETT - FOUR ACES
CA-2652 (F-2652)—Gordon MacRae
CO-40121 (4-40121)—Tony Bennett
CR-61111 (9-61111)—R. Wottawa & B. De Weille
DE-28927 (9-28927)—Four Aces
FI-20-026—Humberto Morales</p> |
| <p>6 SANTA BABY
EARTHA KITT
VI-20-5502 (47-5502)—Eartha Kitt</p> | <p>9 YOU ALONE
PERRY COMO
VI-20-5447 (47-5447)—Perry Como</p> |

11) EBB TIDE. 12) HEART OF MY HEART. 13) EH, CUMPARI. 14) MANY TIMES. 15) TO BE ALONE. 16) OFF SHORE. 17) LOVE WALKED IN. 18) MARIE. 19) VAYA CON DIOS. 20) IN THE MISSION OF ST. AUGUSTINE. 21) WOMAN. 22) MY HAPPINESS. 23) SECRET LOVE. 24) I SEE THE MOON. 25) I'LL NEVER STAND IN YOUR WAY. 26) THE JONES BOY. 27) C'EST SI BON. 28) THE STORY OF THREE LOVES. 29) OHI 30) I LOVE PARIS. 31) GRANADA. 32) GOLDEN VIOLINS. 33) SOUTH OF THE BORDER. 34) ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A SWEETHEART. 35) STRINGS OF MY HEART.

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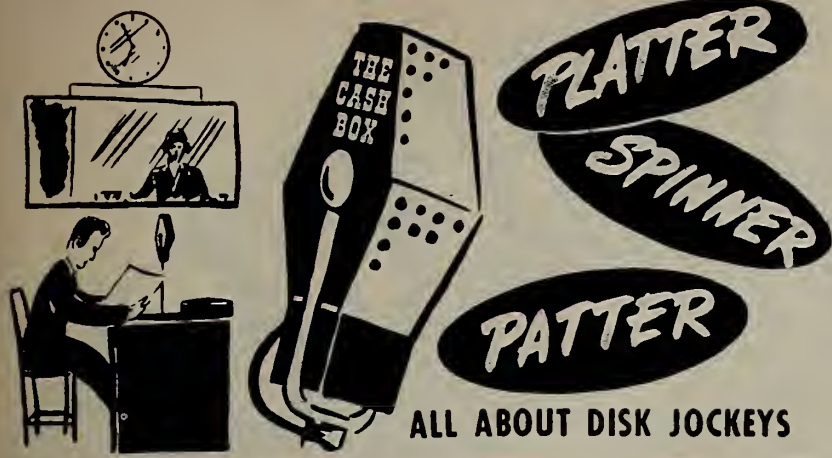
JONI JAMES
I'LL NEVER STAND IN YOUR WAY
MGM 11606 78 rpm • K11606 45 rpm

WHY CAN'T I

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ORCHESTRA
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<p>CARLOS RAMIREZ A LITTLE MORE OF YOUR AMOR MGM 30836 78 rpm • K30836 45 rpm</p>	<p>FRAN WARREN IF I COULD HAVE YOU BACK AGAIN MGM 11616 78 rpm • K11616 45 rpm</p>
<p>LESLIE CARON and MEL FERRER HI LILI HI LO and LILI AND THE PUPPETS MGM 30759 78 rpm • K30759 45 rpm</p>	<p>HANK WILLIAMS CALLING YOU WHEN GOD COMES AND GATHERS HIS JEWELS MGM 11628 78 rpm • K11628 45 rpm</p>
<p>GEORGE SHEARING TIEMPO DE CENCERRO Paris 1 and 2 MGM 11639 78 rpm • K11639 45 rpm</p>	<p>PAT O'DAY A BIRD FLYING NORTH TAKE ME HOME MGM 11645 78 rpm • K11645 45 rpm</p>
<p>CINDY LORD GUESSING BLUE BOY MGM 11643 78 rpm • K11643 45 rpm</p>	<p>JO ANN TOLLEY HOME COME YOU NEVER ANSWER BUT NEVER MY LOVE FOR YOU MGM 11630 78 rpm • K11630 45 rpm</p>
<p>CHARLES PAUL and His Orchestra MARTIN KANE THEME LOVE (NORA DRAKE THEME) MGM 11634 78 rpm • K11634 45 rpm</p>	<p>HENRY JEROME and His Orchestra TIPICA SERENADA CAFE PAREE MGM 11594 78 rpm • K11594 45 rpm</p>
<p>Another "SABRE DANCE" BARBU LAUTARU ORCHESTRA MORNING BIRD STORM WARNING MGM 30835 78 rpm K30835 45 rpm</p>	<p>BIG NBC-TV Dave Garroway Promotion JIMMY LEYDEN'S SERENADERS THE GIRL OF TODAY WE'RE HAVIN' A GOOD TIME MGM-11615 78 rpm K-11615 45 rpm</p>

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THE TEN RECORDS
DISK JOCKEYS PLAYED MOST THIS WEEK
 PLUS THE NEXT FIVE

A SUMMARY OF REPORTS RECEIVED FROM THE NATION'S DISK JOCKEYS

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| 1. OH, MEIN PAPA | Eddie Fisher (RCA Victor) |
| 2. STRANGER IN PARADISE | Eddie Calvert (Essex) |
| 3. CHANGING PARTNERS | Four Aces (Decca) |
| 4. RAGS TO RICHES | Tony Bennett (Columbia) |
| 5. THAT'S AMORE | Patti Page (Columbia) |
| 6. SANTA BABY | Tony Bennett (Columbia) |
| 7. HEART OF MY HEART | Dean Martin (Capitol) |
| 8. EBB TIDE | Eartha Kitt (RCA Victor) |
| 9. RICOCHET | Cornell, Desmond, Dale (Coral) |
| 10. MANY TIMES | Four Aces (Decca) |
| 11) ISTANBUL. | Frank Chacksfield (London) |
| 12) YOU ALONE. | Teresa Brewer (Coral) |
| 13) EH, CUMPARI. | Eddie Fisher (RCA Victor) |
| 14) THE JONES BOY. | |
| 15) SHE WAS FIVE AND HE WAS TEN. | |

A gag recently played on Johnny Andrews' "Midway Musical Menu" deejay show had Johnny popeyed. Jo Ann Tolley (MGM Record Star) visiting Andrews at the time went along with the gag. Joni James was placed in an adjoining closet sized room with a microphone. Johnny was given a made up request to play "Why Don't You Believe Me." Jo Ann was asked to sing it with Johnny. When the time came, Jo Ann pantomimed as Joni "sounded off." Johnny, with eyes protruding about six inches, stood up and momentarily forgot he was on the air. That roar of laughter the audience heard was the studio hands and station staffers who had gathered around to see the fun. Johnny almost collapsed when Joni walked out.

Pic of the week—Sam Brown (WARL-Arlington, Va.) reports fine listener reaction to Dinah Shore's "Changing Partners" and says Dinah's never been finah! . . . Six year old Lorry Robbins becomes the youngest disc-jockey in the world to have her own network show when her daily WOR show goes network January 4. The show will be heard over the whole Mutual Network every week-day from 2 to 2:30 p.m. Daddy, Fred Robbins, gives her a slight assist on the daily show, but as far as Miss Robbins is concerned, it's all hers. . . . Don Blair (WNBZ-Saranac Lake, N. Y.) proud dad of his first baby girl on December 15. . . . Here's news. WLEE-Richmond, Va., looking for a good combination personality-straight announcer to replace one of its top men who is being transferred to sales. Any one interested, write Harvey Hudson, assistant manager, WLEE. . . . Mike Cassone, who closed his Rialto Record Corp. to concentrate on his publishing firm, M & C, has his first tune in the hands of New York and New England jocks. "Non Cha Shane" by Louis Prima on Jubilee has been getting big play from Norm Prescott, Grady and Hurst, Art Ford, Bill Cook and many others. . . . A review of the top records on the "Music Milwaukee" survey for 1953 will be featured on a special radio program on WTMJ-Milwaukee, on Sunday, January 3, from 12:30 to 3 P.M. . . . When Jo Ann Tolley, MGM Record starlet was in Cleveland the week of December 7, the lovely gal visited jocks Phil McLane (WERE), Tom Edwards (WERE), Tom Brown (WHK), Bill Gordon (WHK), Johnny Andrews (WTAM), and Joe Mulvihill (WTAM). Jo Ann is one of the hardest working thrush's in the business.



WKNB-TV this week announced the appointment of Ralph Kanna as program director. Kanna is well known in the Hartford area for his work in recent years with stations WMMW-Meriden; and WONS-Hartford. . . . Joe Deane, (KQV-Pittsburgh, Pa.) last week phoned top award winners of the Pennsylvania Railroad Christmas Contest advising them of their early Christmas gifts. Winners received a bicycle, a portable radio, model train sets, wrist watches and fountain pens. Contestants were asked to complete in 25 words or less, the sentence "The Pennsylvania Railroad is helping to make Pittsburgh a better city because . . ." . . . Tom Edwards (WERE-Cleveland, O.) sending out membership cards to "The T. E. Dimple Club." . . . Bob E. Lloyd (WAVZ-New Haven, Conn.) says Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all his publisher and artist friends.



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BILL HALEY
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1954
 "TEN LITTLE INDIANS"

1954
 "I'LL BE TRUE TO YOU"
 Essex 340

RECORD REVIEWS

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| ⓐ DISK & SLEEPER | ⓐ GOOD |
| ⓑ EXCELLENT | ⓑ FAIR |
| ⓒ VERY GOOD | ⓒ MEDIOCRE |

LEW DOUGLAS ORCH.
(MGM 11654; K-11654)

ⓑ "CAESAR'S BOOGIE" (2:24) [Frederick ASCAP—Giovannini, Robinson] With the ork assisting, Lew Douglas sails through a boogie number with a good beat. A clever and interesting boogie woogie arrangement.

ⓑ+ "TURN AROUND BOY" (2:32) [Brandom ASCAP—Douglas, Fox, Curry] Bill Bailey takes on the vocal duties on this deck as he warbles a country flavored item to a waltz tempo. Chorus adds to the fullness of the deck. Could be big.

LUCY REED
(Chance 3006; 45-3006)

ⓑ "TANTALIZING MELODY" (2:45) [Brandom ASCAP—Hart, Hettel, Lewis] Al Trace's ork sets up the accompaniment for Lucy Reed's solo on a slow and pretty ballad.

ⓑ "PLEASE MR. RIGHT MAN" (2:38) [E. H. Morris ASCAP—Watts, Trace, Herman] The thrush eases through a sentimental tune with a pretty melody. Ok assist by the Trace-men.

JACKIE JOCKO
(Cabin 12130; 45-12130)

ⓒ "PLEASE BELIEVE ME" (2:27) [—Yoell, Jacobs] Joe Peters work the drums and Henry George the bass as they supply the backing for Jackie Jocko's reading of a ballad.

ⓒ "OLD DEVIL MOON" (2:05) [—Harburg, Lane] The warbler offers a chanting delivery of an established oldie with a similar assist from his boys. A beaty and zestful deck.

FREDDY COLE
(Okeh 7016; 4-7016)

ⓒ+ "MY SUGAR'S GETTING SALTY WITH ME" (2:20) [Marvin ASCAP—Alfred, Fisher] A smooth and rhythmic item gets a "King" Cole styling by brother Freddy Cole. Interesting delivery of a good song.

ⓒ "SON OF ALCOHOL" (2:40) [Fred Fisher ASCAP—Schwartz] On this end the artist sends out a shuffle item that's better designed for the rhythm and blues market. Good novelty.

BILLY ECKSTINE
(MGM 11655; K-11655)

ⓑ "I'M IN A MOOD" (3:01) [Bryant ASCAP—Spence, Troup] In his stylish and individual manner, Billy Eckstine croons a romantic number while Nelson Riddle and the ork assist. Plenty of feeling.

ⓑ "RENDEZVOUS" (3:10) [Dorchester ASCAP—Spielman, Kaye, Freed] Lionel Newman and the ork supply the backing on this end while Billy offers more romance material. Good sound is ever present.

THE CASH BOX DISK OF THE WEEK

"WHY" (2:50)

[Mogull ASCAP—Shapiro, Feyne]

"ANSWER ME, MY LOVE" (2:34)

[Bourne ASCAP—Winkler, Rauch, Sigman]

NAT "KING" COLE
(Capitol 2687; F-2687)



NAT "KING" COLE

● After another successful year as a wax artist, Nat "King" Cole bids for hitdom in '54 with a lovely ballad that stands a great chance

of making it. On one end the balladeer offers an interpretation of a tender love song tagged "Why" in his soft and romantic manner. The perfect backing is supplied by the Nelson Riddle ork. On the lower lid, the "King" takes hold of a tune that's been circulating for a while and offers a new set of lyrics to the lovely melody. The tune is labelled "Answer Me, My Love." The chorus in the backdrop offers an effective setting for this pretty tune. It's a top notch coupling for the boxes and a disk that should enjoy a big sale. The top end looks like the stronger of the two but either deck could make the grade.

WHIPOORWILLS
(Dootone 1201; 45-1201)

ⓑ "I WANT MY LOVE" (2:25) [Dootsie Williams BMI—Lauri] The Whipoorwills, featuring Sweet Georgia Brown, float through a pretty tune in an interesting fashion. Good number that could catch spins.

ⓒ+ "KISS A FOOL GOODBYE" (2:15) [Dootsie Williams BMI—Harold] Georgia rhythms through a jumper on this end while the Whipoorwills supply the background. A good sounding number.

ROSEMARY CLOONEY & JOSE FERRER
(Columbia 40144; 4-40144)

ⓑ+ "WOMAN" (2:23) [Studio BMI—Gleason] Jose Ferrer offers his first pop waxing as he lilt through a novelty about 'woman'. Tune is hitting big on the charts. Jose's wife, Rosemary Clooney assists.

ⓑ+ "MAN" (2:30) [Studio BMI—McKean, Gleason] Rosemary Clooney takes the lead on this platter as she sings another set of lyrics to the same melody. A good coupling that should get spins and laughs.

DAVID ROSE ORCH.
(MGM 30824; K-30824)

ⓑ "PARADE OF THE CLOWNS" (2:26) [M. Witmark ASCAP—Rose] David Rose leads his orchestra through an imaginative orchestration of a melody which he penned. Great delivery that makes great listening.

ⓑ "OUR WALTZ" (3:19) [Bregman, Vocco, Conn ASCAP—Rose] Here the ork sways through a lovely waltz melody presented with a lush smoothness by the crew. Great arrangement and attractive listening.

LEE MONTI
(Allied 5018; 45-5018)

ⓒ "A BOTTLE OF WINE AND YOU" (2:06) [Brandom ASCAP—Sabia, Monti, Tanner] Lee Monti and his Paisans bounce over a light Italian flavored item with a guitar and accordion in the lead as Tommy Nichols sings.

ⓒ+ "EVERYONE LOVES MARY ANN" (2:04) [Rugby BMI—Sabia, Monti, Tanner] Here the boys lilt through another Italian type ditty that brings in a bit of a Scotch beat.

HOWARD RUMSEY'S ALL-STARS
(Contemporary 359; 45-359)

ⓒ "MAMBO LOS FELIZ" (2:38) [—Shorty Rogers] On a special record for the Lighthouse Fund, Howard Rumsey's Lighthouse All Stars ride through a progressive jazz mambo. Ok for dancing.

ⓒ+ "WITCH DOCTOR" (2:34) [—Bob Cooper] The drums offer the introduction for a beaty item by the crew. Another jazzy item with a Latin beat.

PETE HANLEY
(Epic 9010; 4-9010)

ⓒ "FLAMENCO" (3:08) [Pickwick ASCAP—Wayne, Sherman] With the aid of the Don Costa Ork, Pete Hanley belts out a fast moving number about a Flamenco dancer. A zestful arrangement and delivery.

ⓑ "MOONLIGHT IN VERMONT" (3:12) [M. H. Goldsen ASCAP—Blackburn, Suesdorf] Pete gets a lush setting on this end for a romantic reading of a very lovely ballad. A tender and sentimental love song.

VAN CLEAF SISTERS
(Benida 5005; 45-5005)

ⓑ+ "I TOLD A LIE" (2:25) [Citation BMI—Polk] The smooth voices of the Van Cleaf Sisters come over wonderfully as the debut on the Benida label with a pretty country flavored waltz. Catchy tune with great harmony and style.

ⓑ "FLORIDA" (2:19) [Larry Spier ASCAP—Redmond, Goodhart, Spier] On this end the chirps lilt through an old-fashioned styling of a cute ditty that should be spinning in the Florida boxes eternally. Real cute deck.

THE INK SPOTS
(King 1304; 45-1304)

ⓑ+ "STRANGER IN PARADISE" (2:35) [Frank ASCAP—Wright, Forrest] The Ink Spots send up a great cover job on a tune that's smashing through on the pop charts. Real pretty job. Lead voice terrific.

ⓑ "CHANGING PARTNERS" (2:15) [Porgie BMI—Darion, Coleman] The boys offer another top grade version of a current pop waltz hit. Boys jump up at mid point and slow up again. A top-notch coupling that should enjoy a healthy sale.

JERRI WINTERS
(Rainbow 236; 45-236)

ⓑ "HOW COME YOU DO ME LIKE YOU DO" (2:36) [Mills ASCAP—Austin, Bergere] The Billy Mure ork backs Jerri Winters as she revives a great oldie. A stylish reading with a chorus assisting in the backdrop.

ⓑ "I GOT A CRUSH ON YOU" (2:42) [New World ASCAP—Gershwin, Gershwin] Jerri offers another quality job as she treats a Gershwin oldie to a solid reading. Should do well in the boxes.

THE CASH BOX BEST BETS

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.

- ★ "TURN AROUND BOY".....Lew Douglas O.....MGM 11654; K-11654
- ★ "I TOLD A LIE".....Van Cleaf Sisters.....Benida 5005; 45-5005
- ★ "WOMAN"—"MAN".....Rosemary Clooney & Jose Ferrer.....Columbia 40144; 4-40144
- ★ "STRANGER IN PARADISE".....Ink Spots.....King 1304; 45-1304

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Clooney ★

★ Jose
Ferrer ★

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(Uh-Huh)

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RECORD REVIEWS

ⓐ DISK & SLEEPER	ⓐ GOOD
ⓑ EXCELLENT	ⓑ FAIR
ⓐ VERY GOOD	ⓐ MEDIOCRE

BILL STEGMEYER ORCH.
(Benida 5002; 45-5002)

B "COPANGO" (2:33) [Sanford BMI—Stegmeyer] Benida's first instrumental disk is a lush and flowing Latin tempo item presented by the Bill Stegmeyer Ork. A lovely piece of material that could catch on.

B "THAT OLD GANG OF MINE" (2:35) [Bourne ASCAP — Rose, Dixon, Henderson] A favorite oldie gets a sentimental styling by the soft strings of the crew. Good dance music for the quiet hour.

LLOYD SHAFFER ORCH.
(Crystalette 644; 45-644)

C+ "THE DREAM" (2:59) [Top Tunes ASCAP — Shaffer] The chorus joins Lloyd Shaffer as he leads the ork through one of his own compositions. A melodious item that makes top notch listening.

C+ "NEW YORK" (2:40) [Simon House BMI — Darby, Newman] Again the chorus adds a fullness to a busy instrumental interpretation of bustling New York. Music is the theme from flicker "How To Marry A Millionaire."

PETE PONTRELLI ORCH.
(Skyway 102; 45-102)

C+ "DELICIOUS AND REFRESHING" (2:43) [Skyway BMI — Whenham] Trudy Williams takes on the vocal chores as Pete Pontrelli and the ork assist her on this cute bouncer. A light ok deck.

C "BEAUTIFUL TAMPA BAY" (2:38) [Skyway BMI—Whenham] The ork presents another smooth instrumental setting to a Latin tempo as Larry Noble does the warbling.

WOODY HERMAN
(MGM 11661; K-11661)

C+ "CUBAN HOLIDAY" (3:04) [Charling ASCAP — Wotton] A rhythmic piece of Latin material is given the Woody Herman styling. Number jumps up toward mid-point and Woody offers some fancy tooting.

C "PRELUDE TO A KISS" (3:14) [American Acad: ASCAP—Ellington, Gordon, Mills] Woody takes hold of his saxophone on this deck for a bluesy instrumental version of an ok tune. Music on the sentimental side.

ALAN DEAN
(MGM 11658; K-11658)

B+ "WHAT ARE YOU WAITING FOR" (2:16) [Crestview ASCAP — Tishman] Alan Dean makes a strong showing as he bids for hitdom with a romantic delivery of a lovely ballad. The warbler gives his all for the tune. Looks like a hit.

C+ "CALL ME ANYTIME AT ALL" (2:26) [Kahl BMI — Brown, Brown] Joe Lipman's ork sends up another fitting accompaniment for a strong love tune belted out by the chanter. A pretty tune that makes top listening.

THE CASH BOX SLEEPER OF THE WEEK

"DON'T ASK ME WHY" (2:46)
[Harms ASCAP—Stolz, Reich, Robinson, Young]

"AWAY UP THERE" (2:17)
[Wemar BMI—Burkes, Burkes, Meyer]

EILEEN BARTON
(Coral 61109; 9-61109)



EILEEN BARTON

● Eileen Barton puts her best foot forward for the new year and

comes up with a disk that rates raves from beginning to end. She takes a beautiful tune titled "Don't Ask Me Why" and with the aid of the Jack Pleis ork sends it out in a top grade manner. It's by far her best effort to date and is definitely a platter that should be enjoying a ride up to the heights of the pop lists. On the lower lid, the chirp bounces over a light and happy ditty "Away Up There" that reminds one of her "Baked A Cake" hit. A cute coupling. The top portion has the goods and should be a big thing for Eileen. Keep an eye on it.

"SALUTE TO GLENN MILLER" (3:26) Part 1
[BVC, Jewel, Robbins, Feist]

"SALUTE TO GLENN MILLER" (3:27) Part 2
[Mutual, BVC, Feist, Southern]

THE MODERNAIRES
(Coral 61110; 9-61110)



THE MODERNAIRES

● With the motion picture "The Glenn Miller Story" soon to make its opening around the country, the

Modernaires send up a two-sided record in memory of the great band leader. On this exciting disk dubbed "A Salute To Glenn Miller," the vocal group offers such great Miller hits as "Moonlight Cocktail," "Elmer's Tune," "Moonlight Serenade," "Chattanooga Choo-Choo," "String Of Pearls," "Perfidia," "At Last," "Serenade In Blue" and "I've Got A Gal In Kalamazoo." Both decks bring back great memories of the great band era. With Fran Scott and the ork setting up the music, and the Modernaires delivering a top grade vocal on each tune, this deck can't miss the hit category.

STANLEY BLACK ORCH.
(London 1391; 45-1391)

C+ "FROM HERE TO ETERNITY" (3:17) [Barson ASCAP—Larger, Wells] The Stanley Black orchestra presents a lush, full string arrangement of a number that's been enjoying a good sale.

C+ "STARLIGHT SERENADE" (2:14) [Alamo ASCAP — Weisman, Twomey, Weiss] On this end the ork glides through another pretty instrumental with the piano in the spotlight.

BUDDY DI VITO
(Chance 3007; 45-3007)

B "EVERYTIME" (2:35) [Southern ASCAP — Farrar, Kent] The Meadowlarks back Buddy Di Vito on a romantic number which he presents with softness and ease. A good group number.

C+ "DREAM TIME" (2:56) [Begonia BMI—Renaldo, Morgan] The gorup cruises through another romantic ballad in a hushed and dream-dusted manner.

ART LOWRY
(Columbia 40133; 4-40133)

C+ "POPPA PICCOLINO" (2:27) [Chappel ASCAP—Musel, Mascheroni] Mike Stewart takes the lead on a march tempo presentation, by the Art Lowry ork, of a tune that's clicking big in England. A lively and colorful ditty.

C+ "PAULA, PAULA" (2:37) [Peer International BMI — Collazo, Menendez, De La Rosa] The crew gives out a popular Latin item as Art shows his talents at the keyboard. Good number with a beat.

THE MELACHRINO STRINGS
(RCA Victor 20-5579; 47-5579)

B "MYSTERY STREET" (2:12) [Sherwin ASCAP — Howard, Plante, Philippe, Gerard] Under the direction of George Melachrino, the Melachrino strings ease through a lush version of a bluesy number that been around. Could click.

C+ "THEME FROM EIGHT O'CLOCK WALK" (2:45) [Maurice Ltd. ASCAP—Melachrino] The crew offers another lush item a bit on the heavy side. Tender material for the quiet hours.

JIMMY ETTA ORCH.
(Stylecraft 5047; 45-5047)

C+ "DON'T MAKE ME CRY AGAIN" (2:20) [M & C Publishing ASCAP—Cummings] Joyce Aimie gives out with a strong reading on a feelingful ballad as the Jimmy Etta orchestra supplies the backdrop. Good tune and reading.

C+ "STAY CLOSE TO MY HEART" (2:45) [M & C Pub. ASCAP—Cummings] The thrush handles another romantic item, this one set to a Latin beat. Joyce has a tear in her voice that's effective. More fine backing.

BETTY HUTTON
(Capitol 2688; F-2688)

C+ "I TOOK THE LONG WAY AROUND" (2:49) [Hill & Range BMI—Hill] Betty Hutton who has been wowing them at the Palace in N. Y. comes up with a pretty country flavored item which she eases through in her warm manner.

C+ "BROKE, BARE-FOOT, AND STARRY-EYED" (2:16) [Leeds ASCAP—Roseland, Cormier] The Nelson Riddle ork again assists as the chirp jumps through a light ditty with a cute set of lyrics. Bit of multiple voicing too.

JERRY GRAY ORCH.
(Decca 28986; F-28986)

B "THE CREEP" (2:33) [Miller ASCAP—Burton, Sigman] Jerry Gray and the ork jump through a tune that's the rage in England. Linda Lee does the chirping on this, the first vocal version of the song.

C+ "OOMPH-CHUCK" (2:43) [Albert ASCAP—Gray] On this deck the leader conducts the crew through one of his own compositions. Good jump material tailor made for dancing.

THE CASH BOX ROUND THE WAX CIRCLE

NEW YORK:

All talk in the music business this week centers on the projected record ban. Almost every diskery is cutting like crazy with record sessions scheduled around the clock. By the time January 1st rolls around there'll be so many records in the can, it will take many, many months before the effect of any strike can be felt. . . . Grand Ole Opry, which did fabulous business last October at the Seville Theater in Montreal and the Casino in Toronto, will play a return engagement in January starring Carl Smith. . . . Mary Lou Smith of King recovering from a minor surgery seige. . . . Larry Newton of Derby says he has a winner in "Ridin' To Tennessee" with vocal by Betsy Gay and orchestra by Teddy Phillips. . . . Tom Eldridge, who used to be with The Holidays, and has now gone out as a single, is appearing under the name of Tom Richards. . . . Danny De Carlo has recorded "It's Heavenly" for Jubilee and Mac Weiss of Mid-City Music, publisher of the tune, has great hopes for it. . . . Karen Chandler having done SRO business at the Henry Grady Hotel in Atlanta, Georgia, has been pacted to a repeat appearance this summer. . . . Lauri Layton, who's just finished her first featured spot in cafe work at the Ranch House



KAREN CHANDLER

in Providence, is back in N.Y. briefly before hopping off for the mid-west and further cafe dates. . . . Eydie Gorme's latest Coral dinking "Gimme Gimme John" has been banned from some stations. The controversial record refers to a k-ss. . . . Lots of excitement about Eileen Barton's new one "Don't Ask Me Why."

CHICAGO:

When we first saw and heard Al Wallis on Howard Miller's "Close Up" (5 day per week TV show, 5:30-6 P.M., CST, over WNBQ-TV, NBC, Chgo) well, we just held our breath. Anxious and eager as we were to yell about this guy's great singing talent. Because The Cash Box yelled loud, long and mightily about Al Wallis y'ars ago. . . . By the way, we're falling more and more in love with that cutest of cuties, June Valli, everytime we see and hear her on Howard Miller's show. Little June lights up the Miller shot like a singing June breeze. So sweet and so swell. . . . Larry Green phones to advise us that Charley Applewhite is going over to see Santa Claus because he most sincerely wants to thank Santa for all the grand things which have happened to him. Like his first theatre singing engagement. And at the big Chicago Thitter, at that. . . . They tell us that musicians want more money for disk dates and also want better than the 1% they're now getting from diskeries. Want 5% in fact. If this should cause a recording ban, again, many a diskery will again clean out overloaded warehouses as happened the last time. And with so many, many cuttings yet in the can, it'll take a long, long time to decide the issue, they say. . . . Marty Hogan away for a two week rest. To the Sea View, Miami Beach. The lucky stiff. . . . Gorgeous cocktail party for Mercury's Pearl Eddy. Hosted by Ed Ryan and Bud Brandom. Saw Art Talmadge, Kenny Meyers, Dee Kilpatrick and Bonnie Kröll all of Mercury present. Also Henry Friedman, Mercury's local distrib. Kenny Brandom, Frank LaVere, Lew Douglas, Bob Cole, Leo Fox, Glory Fox, Bob Smith, Marty Hogan, Jackie and Eddie Hubbard, Jay Trompeter, Jim Mills, Dirk and Ann Courtenay, Myron Schultz, Jack Cary, Bob Porter, Jim Lounsbury, Josh Brady, Ed Cerney, Donn Richey, Linn Burton, Jack Payne, Paul Condylos, and so many, many others. . . . Bill Anson reported rapidly rising right to the very top spot as deejay.



AL WALLIS

LOS ANGELES:

Another new year has blossomed forth. With the wide line up of great artists and the new talent that is ready to make its debut it looks like 1954 will be another great year for the record industry. . . . Mary Small has been a busy gal while in Hollywood. After closing at the Mocambo she made several personal appearances and also appeared on the Jack Owens TV show. She opens at the Riverside Hotel in Reno, Nevada, for her next engagement. . . . Decca's Jeri Southern, stages her first West Coast engagement at the Keyboard Supper Club in Beverly Hills. She was originally booked for a two week stand but since she packed in such large crowds the management has extended her nightly appearances for an indefinite period. . . . Julius LaRosa will soon do a screen test for Paramount. If the tests jell he'll star in the forthcoming flicker "Away We Go." . . . Warner Brothers discovered that Robert Cummings could sing; so did Columbia Records where Bob will wax four new platters. . . . "Santa Baby" has been very good to Eartha Kitt considering that it's the top RCA Victor seller in the Los Angeles area. Her recent stint at the Mocambo boosted all her records, including her album and the "New Faces of 1952" original cast album. This show



GORDON JENKINS

is due here at the Biltmore on January 5th at which time Miss Kitt will probably double between the theatre and the Mocambo. . . . Jerry Colonna returned from Jackson, Mississippi where he starred in a special benefit show to raise money for tornado victims. . . . Capitol's Glenn Wallichs threw a cocktail party for Nat "King" Cole on December 17th. The occasion marked Cole's tenth year with Capitol. Deejays and representatives from the press were among the many celebrities who attended. Nat is credited with having more records hit the million mark than any other Capitol artist. He opened at the El Rancho Vegas in Las Vegas on December 30th and will be in LA for an engagement at Ciro's starting January 22nd. . . . The Lancers now appear at the Hotel Golden in Reno until January 12. . . . Several artists are now appearing in the desert area of Palm Springs. Bob London spotlights the show at the Chee Chee while the Page Cavannaugh Trio take over at the Howard Manor. Bob's latest offering is "Village in Peru" on the Crystalette label. . . . Gordon Jenkins closed at the Hotel Thunderbird in Las Vegas and returned to Los Angeles for the holidays. His "Seven Dreams" album has become a big seller for Decca.

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The entire Cash Box staff sends you best wishes for a Happy New Year and a most successful record year in '54.

Joni James appeared on the Howard Miller TV show on Friday, the 11th, reports Morry Goldman of James H. Martin Distributing in Chicago. The TV spot followed a disk jockey party at Linn Burton's Steak House. Also appearing on the Miller show was the MGM artist Ken Remo. Goldman reports that immediately following the television appearances, Martin Distributing noted an up-surge in the sales of both artists' records. . . . RCA Victor Distributing Co., Chicago, held its annual Christmas party for employees on Saturday, December 12, at the Knickerbocker Hotel. Voted this year's King and Queen were Ray Forester and Daisy Appleford. . . . RCA Victor has just released an album titled "Show Business." Based on the book by Joe Laurie Jr. and Abdel Green. Narrated by George Jessel. Containing the voices of some show biz' all time greats. Out on either LP or EP, this album lasts about one hour. At a disk luncheon on Thursday, December 10, Rocky Rolf of RCA Victor Dist. Co., Chicago, presented an album to each of the deejays who attended. . . . Henry Friedman of Midwest Mercury Distributing in Chicago tells us that things are really jumping out that-a-way. Patti Page's version of "Changing Partners" continues to climb in sales. The firm also reports great enthusiasm by the sales and promotion force in response to the Childcraft and Super Circus records. . . . In reference to Jim Lowe's "Santa Claus Rides: A Strawberry Roan," the Harmonicats' "Just One More Chance" and "The Creep" by Ralph Marteries, Midwest has created the slogan "Watch these three for '53, as they soar in '54." . . . Alice Limpiris of Park Avenue Record Distributing in Detroit, Michigan, says that the firm has registered a new label known Small Fry Records. Jerry Harris will be in charge of the general business and sales of the new kiddie line and Jane Harris, office manager and assistant a & r. The new label will operate its sole selling agency from the Park Avenue Record Company. The first release has been set for about the 10th of January. . . . MGM distributes are working promotional ties with theaters on the "Julius Caesar" album. In Los Angeles, Gordon Wolf of Sunland Music has arranged for an album plug to appear on all the theater ticket envelopes to theatergoers buying advance seats. So far these have been distributed to about 20,000. In New York, Sanford Distributors has arranged to send out special letter to editors of high school papers and English department supervisors concerning the availability of the album so that it can be announced in classes. Reported to have good results.



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| <p>Bill Ballance
KNX—Hollywood, Calif.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Stranger In Paradise (Tony Bennett—Four Aces) 2. Changing Partners (P. Page) 3. That's Amore (Dean Martin) 4. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield) 5. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher) 6. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer) 7. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt) 8. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett) 9. Off Shore (Leo Diamond) 10. C'est Si Bon (Stan Freberg) | <p>Johnny Morris
WLWL—St. Paul, Minn.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Oh, Mein Papa (E. Calvert) 2. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher) 3. Changing Partners (P. Page) 4. My Hymn To Her (A. Wayne) 5. Nina-Non (Joni James) 6. The Jones Boy (Mills Bros.) 7. Stranger In Paradise (Four Aces) 8. A Christmas Medley (Liberace) 9. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt) 10. That's Amore (Dean Martin) | <p>Mort Nusbaum
WHAM—Rochester, N. Y.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher) 2. Ebb Tide (Vic Damone) 3. The Jones Boy (Mills Bros.) 4. She Was Five And He Was Ten (Judy Valentine) 5. Tipica Serenada (H. Jerome) 6. My Hymn To Her (A. Wayne) 7. Under Paris Skies (M. Miller) 8. That's Amore (Dean Martin) 9. Off Shore (Leo Diamond) 10. The Typewriter (L. Anderson) |
| <p>Nick Nickson
WBBF—Rochester, N. Y.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher) 2. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt) 3. C'est Si Bon (Stan Freberg) 4. Are You Looking For A Sweetheart (Kitty Kallen) 5. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett) 6. Stranger In Paradise (Four Aces) 7. That's Amore (Dean Martin) 8. Two Purple Shadows (J. Vale) 9. Changing Partners (D. Shore) 10. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer) | <p>Robin Seymour
WKMH—Dearborn, Mich.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Oh, Mein Papa (E. Calvert) 2. Changing Partners (P. Page) 3. Strings Of My Heart (Gaylords) 4. That's Amore (Dean Martin) 5. Heart Of My Heart (Cornell, Desmond, Dale) 6. Stranger In Paradise (4 Aces) 7. Gadabout (David Carroll) 8. Granada (Monte Kelly) 9. The Game Of Love (Darnell) 10. Palsy Walsy (George Siravo) | <p>Sandy Singer
KCRI—Cedar Rapids, Iowa</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. My Hymn To Her (A. Wayne) 2. You, You, You (Ames Bros.) 3. Changing Partners (P. Page) 4. Many Times (Eddie Fisher) 5. You Alone (Perry Como) 6. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher) 7. Stranger In Paradise (Four Aces) 8. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett) 9. Heart Of My Heart (Four Aces) 10. That's Amore (Dean Martin) |
| <p>Don McLeod
WJBK—Detroit, Mich.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Oh, Mein Papa (E. Calvert) 2. Stranger In Paradise (Four Aces) 3. Changing Partners (P. Page) 4. Heart Of My Heart (Cornell, Desmond, Dale) 5. That's Amore (Dean Martin) 6. Woman (Johnny Desmond) 7. You Alone (Perry Como) 8. Sound Of Love (F. Murphy) 9. South Of The Border (Sinatra) 10. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher) | <p>Will Lenay
WSAI—Cincinnati, Ohio</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt) 2. Stranger In Paradise (4 Aces) 3. Changing Partners (P. Page) 4. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer) 5. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett) 6. Heart Of My Heart (Cornell, Desmond, Dale) 7. To Be Alone (Hilltoppers) 8. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher) 9. Why Does It Have To Be Me (Tony Bennett) 10. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield) | <p>Donn Tibbetts
WFEA—Manchester, N. H.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The Jones Boy (Mills Bros.) 2. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett) 3. Many Times (Eddie Fisher) 4. Changing Partners (P. Page) 5. Changing Partners (D. Shore) 6. Nina-Non (Joni James) 7. White Christmas (Mantovani) 8. High On A Windy Hill (Winterhalter) 9. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer) 10. That's Amore (Dean Martin) |
| <p>Arty Kay
WVLK—Lexington, Ky.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt) 2. Christmas Dragnet (Freberg) 3. I Want A Hippopotamus For Christmas (Gavla Peevey) 4. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett) 5. Changing Partners (P. Page) 6. You, You, You (Ames Bros.) 7. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer) 8. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield) 9. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher) 10. Stranger In Paradise (Four Aces) | <p>Wallie Dunlap
WICC—Bridgeport, Conn.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher) 2. Stranger In Paradise (4 Aces) 3. Changing Partners (P. Page) 4. Heart Of My Heart (Cornell, Desmond, Dale) 5. That's Amore (Dean Martin) 6. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt) 7. Secret Love (Doris Day) 8. Native Dancer (Rusty Draper) 9. Holiday Greetings (Jimmie Ainsworth) 10. Why Do You Have To Go (June Christy) | <p>Sherm Feller
WVDA—Boston, Mass.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Nina-Non (Joni James) 2. She Was Five And He Was Ten (Judy Valentine) 3. Snow, Snow, Beautiful Snow (Monty Kelly) 4. Stella By Starlight (Winterhalter) 5. Off Shore (Richard Hayman) 6. Golden Violins (Chacksfield) 7. You Alone (Perry Como) 8. Tipica Serenada (H. Jerome) 9. My Hymn To Her (A. Wayne) 10. The Creep (Three Suns) |
| <p>Art Hellyer
WMAQ—Chicago, Ill.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Oh, Mein Papa (E. Calvert) 2. Heart Of My Heart (Cornell, Desmond, Dale) 3. Woman (Johnny Desmond) 4. I See The Moon (Schumann) 5. Don't Forget To Write (Valli) 6. That's Amore (Dean Martin) 7. Changing Partners (P. Page) 8. C'est Si Bon (Stan Freberg) 9. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer) 10. A Baby Cried (Lou Monte) | <p>Harry Burge
WQAM—Miami, Fla.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett) 2. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer) 3. You, You, You (Ames Bros.) 4. Eh, Cumpari (Julius La Rosa) 5. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield) 6. That's Amore (Dean Martin) 7. Istanbul (Four Lads) 8. Many Times (Eddie Fisher) 9. Stranger In Paradise (Bennett) 10. Changing Partners (P. Page) | <p>Roger Clark
WNOR—Norfolk, Va.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Why Does It Have To Be Me (Tony Bennett) 2. That's Amore (Dean Martin) 3. Changing Partners (P. Page) 4. My Hymn To Her (A. Wayne) 5. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt) 6. Secret Love (Doris Day) 7. South Of The Border (Sinatra) 8. Oh, Mein Papa (E. Calvert) 9. Tipica Serenada (H. Jerome) 10. She Was Five And He Was Ten (Judy Valentine) |
| <p>Rod Loudon
KPOJ—Portland, Ore.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer) 2. Many Times (Eddie Fisher) 3. Changing Partners (P. Page) 4. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett) 5. Eh, Cumpari (Julius La Rosa) 6. Baby, Baby, Baby (T. Brewer) 7. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher) 8. Stranger In Paradise (Bennett) 9. In The Mission Of St. Augustine (Sammy Kaye) 10. Heart Of My Heart (Cornell, Desmond, Dale) | <p>Carmine Anthony
KGKO—Dallas, Tex.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett) 2. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield) 3. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer) 4. You, You, You (Ames Bros.) 5. Vaya Con Dios (Paul & Ford) 6. Changing Partners (P. Page) 7. That's Amore (Dean Martin) 8. Many Times (Eddie Fisher) 9. Stranger In Paradise (Four Aces) 10. Eh, Cumpari (Julius La Rosa) | <p>Stan Pat
WTNJ—Trenton, N. J.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Sadie Thompson Song (Leo Diamond) 2. Strings Of My Heart (Gaylords) 3. Nina-Non (Joni James) 4. Life Is Just A Bowl Of Cherries (Jaye P. Morgan) 5. Don't Forget To Write (Valli) 6. Stranger In Paradise (4 Aces) 7. It's Anybody's Heart (Warren) 8. For The First Time (Nocturnes) 9. I'd Like To Be In Your Shoes (Norman Brooks) 10. Again, Again And Again (Mary Mayo) |
| <p>Frank Pollack
KOOL—Phoenix, Ariz.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. My Hymn To Her (A. Wayne) 2. Stranger In Paradise (Four Aces) 3. Changing Partners (Kay Starr) 4. That's Amore (Dean Martin) 5. Love You So (Peggy Lee) 6. South Of The Border (Sinatra) 7. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt) 8. Ebb Tide (Jerry Colonna) 9. You've Changed (C. Russell) 10. Down By The Riverside (Bing & Gary Crosby) | <p>Tom Edwards
WERE—Cleveland, Ohio</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher) 2. Stranger In Paradise (Four Aces) 3. Stranger In Paradise (Bennett) 4. Changing Partners (P. Page) 5. The Way I Feel (Four Knights) 6. Heart Of My Heart (Cornell, Desmond, Dale) 7. Oh, Mein Papa (E. Calvert) 8. She Was Five And He Was Ten (Judy Valentine) 9. You Alone (Perry Como) 10. The Jones Boy (Mills Bros.) | <p>Wayne Stitt
WHB—Kansas City, Mo.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett) 2. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer) 3. Changing Partners (P. Page) 4. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield) 5. To Be Alone (Hilltoppers) 6. Marie (Four Tunes) 7. Istanbul (Four Lads) 8. Off Shore (Leo Diamond) 9. That's Amore (Dean Martin) 10. Time Will Tell (Hilltoppers) |



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Art Roberts

KXLW—St. Louis, Mo.

1. Changing Partners (P. Page)
2. Oh, Mein Papa (E. Calvert)
3. Heart Of My Heart (Cornell, Desmond, Dale)
4. Christmas Medley (Liberace)
5. Christmas Dragnet (Freberg)
6. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
7. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett)
8. Marie (Four Tunes)
9. Time Will Tell (Hilltoppers)
10. Granada (Frankie Laine)

Bud Wilson

WTXL—W. Springfield, Mass.

1. Stranger In Paradise (4 Aces)
2. Changing Partners (P. Page)
3. Heart Of My Heart (Cornell, Desmond, Dale)
4. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett)
5. You, You, You (Ames Bros.)
6. Off Shore (Leo Diamond)
7. Are You Looking For A Sweetheart (Kitty Kallen)
8. Diggin' (Buddy Morrow)
9. Music Box (Mindy Carson)
10. Miserlou (Fay DeWitt)

Bill Stell

WSVS—Crewe, Va.

1. Stranger In Paradise (Four Aces)
2. Oh, Mein Papa (E. Calvert)
3. Changing Partners (P. Page)
4. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield)
5. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer)
6. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt)
7. Christmas Dragnet (Freberg)
8. White Christmas (Mantovani)
9. Silent Night (Julius La Rosa)
10. That's Amore (Dean Martin)

Ira Cook

KECA & KMPC—Hollywood, Calif.

1. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt)
2. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
3. Stranger In Paradise (Four Aces)
4. Many Times (Eddie Fisher)
5. Eh, Cumpari (Julius La Rosa)
6. Ebb Tide (Vic Damone)
7. Oh, Mein Papa (E. Calvert)
8. C'est Si Bon (Stan Freberg)
9. Changing Partners (Kay Starr)
10. Heart Of My Heart (Cornell, Desmond, Dale)

Ed Reilly

WBRY—Waterbury, Conn.

1. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
2. Stranger In Paradise (Four Aces)
3. Oh, Mein Papa (Eddie Fisher)
4. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt)
5. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield)
6. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett)
7. Heart Of My Heart (Four Aces)
8. Changing Partners (P. Page)
9. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer)
10. I Want A Hippopotamus For Christmas (Gayla Peevey)

Larry Gentile

WJBK—Detroit, Mich.

1. Oh, Mein Papa (Eddie Fisher)
2. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
3. Strings Of My Heart (Gaylords)
4. I Love Paris (Tony Martin)
5. To Be Alone (Hilltoppers)
6. You Alone (Perry Como)
7. Silver Bells (Whiting & Wakely)
8. Life Is Just A Bowl Of Cherries (Jay P. Morgan)
9. Granada (Frankie Laine)
10. My Hymn To Her (A. Wayne)

Jack Downey

WONS—Hartford, Conn.

1. Stranger In Paradise (Four Aces)
2. Oh, Mein Papa (E. Calvert)
3. Please Don't Talk About Me (Johnnie Ray)
4. Don'cha Hear Them Bells (Paul & Ford)
5. Lover Come Back (Nat "King" Cole)
6. Tipica Serenada (H. Jerome)
7. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer)
8. Granada (Frankie Laine)
9. I Love You (Frank Sinatra)
10. Heart Of My Heart (Four Aces)

Ralph Phillips

WFBR—Baltimore, Md.

1. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher)
2. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett)
3. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
4. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer)
5. Istanbul (Four Lads)
6. You Alone (Perry Como)
7. Heart Of My Heart (Cornell, Desmond, Dale)
8. Eh, Cumpari (Julius La Rosa)
9. In The Mission Of St. Augustine (Sammy Kaye)
10. To Be Alone (Hilltoppers)

Frank White

KMYR & KBTW—Denver, Colo.

1. Changing Partners (P. Page)
2. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer)
3. Oh, Mein Papa (E. Calvert)
4. Heart Of My Heart (Four Aces)
5. Secret Love (Doris Day)
6. You Alone (Perry Como)
7. Istanbul (Joe "Fingers" Carr)
8. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett)
9. Granada (Frankie Laine)
10. Bimbo (Eddy Howard)

Joe Daboul

WJKO—Springfield, Mass.

1. Stranger In Paradise (4 Aces)
2. The Jones Boy (Mills Bros.)
3. You Alone (Perry Como)
4. Oh, Mein Papa (E. Calvert)
5. Changing Partners (P. Page)
6. Strings Of My Heart (Gaylords)
7. Heart Of My Heart (Cornell, Desmond, Dale)
8. Mama Gone Goodbye (Gale)
9. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
10. Stranger In Paradise (Bennett)

Ray Perkins

KFEL—Denver, Colo.

1. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett)
2. Stranger In Paradise (Tony Martin)
3. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer)
4. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher)
5. Changing Partners (D. Shore)
6. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
7. Eh, Cumpari (Julius La Rosa)
8. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield)
9. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt)
10. Many Times (Eddie Fisher)

Pete Taylor

WKDN—Camden, N. J.

1. I'll Never Stand In Your Way (Joni James)
2. Vaya Con Dios (Paul & Ford)
3. You, You, You (Ames Bros.)
4. Eh, Cumpari (Julius La Rosa)
5. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett)
6. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield)
7. Oh! (Pee Wee Hunt)
8. Many Times (Eddie Fisher)
9. Changing Partners (P. Page)
10. Pa-Paya Mama (Perry Como)

Don Bell

KRNT—Des Moines, Iowa

1. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett)
2. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer)
3. Stranger In Paradise (Bennett)
4. Vaya Con Dios (Paul & Ford)
5. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
6. Changing Partners (Kay Starr)
7. Oh, Mein Papa (E. Calvert)
8. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield)
9. To Be Alone (Hilltoppers)
10. Eh, Cumpari (Julius La Rosa)

Chuck Norman

WIL—St. Louis, Mo.

1. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher)
2. Stranger In Paradise (Bennett)
3. Oh, Mein Papa (E. Calvert)
4. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt)
5. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
6. Granada (Frankie Laine)
7. I Can't Believe That You're In Love (Ames Bros.)
8. Marie (Four Tunes)
9. Changing Partners (P. Page)
10. Heart Of My Heart (Cornell, Desmond, Dale)

Tom Arim

WSTV—Stuebenville, Ohio

1. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher)
2. Stranger In Paradise (Bennett)
3. She Was Five And He Was Ten (Mills Bros.)
4. Two Purple Shadows (J. Vale)
5. Changing Partners (P. Page)
6. Oh, Mein Papa (E. Calvert)
7. Heart Of My Heart (Cornell, Desmond, Dale)
8. Stranger In Paradise (Four Aces)
9. You Alone (Perry Como)
10. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett)

John Dixon

WALA—Mobile, Ala.

1. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
2. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt)
3. My Hymn To Her (A. Wayne)
4. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett)
5. C'est Si Bon (Stan Freberg)
6. Ebb Tide (Vic Damone)
7. Why (Karen Chandler)
8. Moonlight In Vermont (Jerri Adams)
9. Changing Partners (P. Page)
10. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher)

Alan Black

WPIT—Pittsburgh, Pa.

1. Two Purple Shadows (J. Vale)
2. Down By The Riverside (Bing Crosby)
3. Stranger In Paradise (Bennett)
4. The Creeo (Three Suns)
5. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher)
6. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield)
7. Changing Partners (Bennett)
8. Istanbul (Four Lads)
9. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett)
10. You Alone (Perry Como)

Al Ross

WBAL—Baltimore, Md.

1. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett)
2. Many Times (Eddie Fisher)
3. Changing Partners (P. Page)
4. You, You, You (Ames Bros.)
5. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer)
6. Vaya Con Dios (Paul & Ford)
7. It's Anybody's Heart (Fran Warren)
8. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
9. In The Mission Of St. Augustine (Sammy Kaye)
10. Ebb Tide (Vic Damone)

Edna Richardson

WTMA—Charleston, S. C.

1. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett)
2. Changing Partners (P. Page)
3. You, You, You (Ames Bros.)
4. You Alone (Perry Como)
5. Heart Of My Heart (Cornell, Desmond, Dale)
6. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
7. I'll Never Stand In Your Way (Joni Jones)
8. Stranger In Paradise (4 Aces)
9. Granada (C. Dennis)
10. What It Was, Was Football (A. Griffith)

Ed Meath

WHEC—Rochester, N. Y.

1. Stranger In Paradise (4 Aces)
2. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher)
3. Heart Of My Heart (Four Aces)
4. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett)
5. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
6. You're On Trial (Don Cornell)
7. Changing Partners (P. Page)
8. She Was Five And He Was Ten (Judy Valentine)
9. Christmas Dragnet (Freberg)
10. You Alone (Perry Como)

Joe Deane

KQV—Pittsburgh, Pa.

1. I Want A Hippopotamus For Christmas (Gayla Peevey)
2. Oh, Mein Papa (E. Calvert)
3. She Was Five And He Was Ten (Mills Bros.)
4. 'Til We Two Are One (Shaw)
5. Stranger In Paradise (Four Aces)
6. Stranger In Paradise (Bennett)
7. The Note In The Bottle (Gale)
8. You're On Trial (Don Cornell)
9. Put Christ Back Into Christmas (Red Foley)
10. Heart Of My Heart (Cornell, Desmond, Dale)



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	Jan. 2	Dec. 26		Jan. 2	Dec. 26		Jan. 2	Dec. 26
1—Oh, My Papa	106.3	124.3	VI-20-5515 (47-5515)— DINAH SHORE	62.3	74.5	★CR-61069 (9-61069)— JOHNNY DESMOND By The River Seine	21.1	28.0
BE-1019 (45-1019)— J. CARROLL & L. CLARK Off Shore			VI-20-5537 (47-5537)— PEE WEE KING Bimbo			DE-28985 (9-28985)— GUY LOMBARDO The Jones Boy		
CA-2678 (F-2678)— RAY ANTHONY O. Secret Love			6—Ricochet			15—Istanbul		
CO-40134 (4-40134)—HARRY JAMES & PAUL WESTON Serenata			CA-2543 (F-2543)— VICKI YOUNG Affair With A Stranger			CA-2665 (F-2665)— JOE FINGERS CARR Maple Leaf Rag		
CR-61111 (9-61111)—R. WOT- TAWA & B. DeWILLE Oh, Mein Papa			★CR-61043 (9-61043)— TERESA BREWER Too Young To Tango			★CO-40082 (4-40082)— FOUR LADS I Should Have Told You Long Ago		
DE-28964 (9-28964)— RUSS MORGAN Go Man Go Polka			DE-28914 (9-28914)— GUY LOMBARDO O. Bridge Of Sighs			VI-20-5522 (47-5522)— NORO MORALES Am I Blue		
★ES-336 (45-336)— EDDIE CALVERT Mystery Street			VI-20-5454 (47-5454)— PEE WEE KING O. Oh, Mist'able Love			16—C'est Si Bon		
FI-20-026— HUMBERTO MORALES Stranger In Paradise			VI-20-5436 (47-5436)— GOGI GRANT Everyone Knows I Love You			★CA-2677 (F-2677)— STAN FREBERG A Dear John And Marsha Letter		
LO-1403 (45-1403)—REG OWEN Off Shore			7—Ebb Tide	50.0	48.6	VI-20-5358 (47-5358)— EARTHA KITT African Lullaby		
LO-18181 (45-18181)— LYSS ASSIA			CO-40093 (4-40093)— KEN GRIFFIN			17—I See The Moon	10.7	7.0
★VI-20-5552 (47-5552)— EDDIE FISHER Until You Said Goodbye			CR-61075 (9-61075)— LAWRENCE WELK Beautiful Ohio			★CO-40047 (4-40047)— THE MARINERS I Just Want You		
VI-20-5568 (47-5568)— TITO RODRIGUEZ O. In The Still Of The Night			DE-28875 (9-28875)— CHARLIE APPLEWHITE I Love Paris			DE-28900 (9-28900)— DICK TODD If I Never Get To Heaven		
2—Stranger In Paradise	97.5	89.2	DE-28975 (9-28975)— JERRY COLONNA The Velvet Glove			VI-20-5478 (47-5478)— VOICES OF W. SCHUMANN All Alone		
CA-2652 (F-2652)— GORDON MOCRAE Never In A Million Years			DE-28977 (9-28977)— DAVE BALLARD Off Shore			18—You, You, You	10.4	17.8
★CO-40121 (4-40121)— TONY BENNETT Why Does It Have To Be Me			KI-1297 (45-1297)— THE INK SPOTS If You Should Say Goodbye			CO-40039 (4-40039)— KEN GRIFFIN No Other Love (70198 x 45)		
★DE-28927 (9-28927)— FOUR ACES The Gang That Sang "Heart Of My Heart"			★LO-1358 (45-1358)— FRANK CHACKSFIELD O. Waltzing Bugle Boy			ME-70198 (70198 x 45)— JOHNNY HORTON		
FI-20-026— HUMBERTO MORALES Oh, Mein Papa			ME-70177 (70177 x 45)— ROBERT MAXWELL Rose Marie (70126x45)			MG-11512 (K-11512)— KEN REMO Ufemia		
KI-1304 (45-1304)— INK SPOTS Changing Partners			ME-70126 (70126x45)— VIC DAMONE If I Could Make You Mine			★VI-20-5325 (47-5325)— AMES BROTHERS Once Upon A Time		
ME-70269 (70269x45)— VIC DAMONE A Village In Peru			8—Santa Baby	48.6	43.7	VI-20-5386 (47-5386)— NORO MORALES O. The Sheik Of Araby		
VI-20-5535 (47-5535)— TONY MARTIN I Love Paris			★VI-20-5502 (47-5502)— EARTHA KITT Under The Bridges Of Paris			19—Granada	10.3	8.0
VI-20-5505 (47-5505)— RALPH FLANAGAN O The Typewriter			9—Heart Of My Heart	42.1	23.3	★CO-40136 (4-40136)— FRANKIE LAINE I'd Give My Life		
VI-20-5551 (47-5551)— AL ROMERO Off Shore			★CR-61076 (9-61076)— CORNELL, DESMOND, & DALE I Think I'll Fall In Love Today			DE-28743 (9-28743)— BING CROSBY It Had To Be You		
3—That's Amore	72.9	80.6	★DE-28927 (9-28927)— FOUR ACES Stranger In Paradise			DE-28732 (9-28732)— OWEN BRADLEY The Breeze		
★CA-2589 (F-2589)— DEAN MARTIN You're The Right One			ME-70262 (70262x45)— FRANKIE LAINE South Of The Border			★ES-341 (45-341)— MONTY KELLY Snow, Snow Beautiful Snow		
4—Rags To Riches	66.2	85.5	10—Eh, Cumpari	33.7	38.1	TI-1302 (45-1302)— CLARK DENNIS My Love For You		
BE—TONY RUSSO Many Times			★CD-1232 (45-1232)— JULIUS LA ROSA Till They've All Gone Home			20—To Be Alone	10.0	14.7
★CO-40048 (4-40048)— TONY BENNETT Here Comes That Heartache Again			11—Christmas Dragnet	30.3	11.0	★DOT-15105 (45-15105)— THE HILTOPPERS Love Walked In		
DE-28838 (9-28838)— GEORGIE SHAW Let Me Go, Devil			★CA-2671 (F-2671)— STAN FREBERG Christmas Dragnet			21—Kissing Bridge	9.6	6.0
KI-1280 (45-1280)— BILLY WARD AND DOMINOES Don't Thank Me			12—You Alone	29.7	10.5	★VI-20-5524 (47-5524)— FONTANE SISTERS Silver Bells		
5—Changing Partners	63.2	78.8	★VI-20-5447 (47-5447)— PERRY COMO Pa-Paya Mama			CR-61102 (9-61102)— THREE DONS & GINNY Just Another Chance		
BE-1017 (45-1017)— HELEN FORREST Lover Come Back To Me			13—Many Times	27.2	14.3	DE-28945 (9-28945)— MILLS BROS. She Was Five And He Was Ten		
CA-2657 (F-2657)— KAY STARR I'll Always Be In Love With You			CO-40076 (4-40076)— PERCY FAITH O. In Love			★VI-20-5524 (47-5524)— FONTANE SISTERS Silver Bells		
DE-28969 (9-28969)— BING CROSBY Y'All Come			★VI-20-5453 (47-5453)— EDDIE FISHER Just To Be With You			DE-28985 (9-28985)— GUY LOMBARDO Woman		
KI-1304 (45-1304)— INK SPOTS Stranger In Paradise			14—Woman	25.1	15.3	ME-70268 (70268x45)— BOBBY WAYNE Snow, Snow Beautiful Snow		
★ME-70260 (70260x45)— PATTI PAGE Where Did My Snow- man Go?			CO-40144 (9-40144)— J. FERRER & R. CLOONEY Man					

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Jan. 2		Dec. 26		Jan. 2		Dec. 26		Jan. 2		Dec. 26	
23—Vaya Con Dios	9.2	14.1			31—The Creep	7.5	—	37—Don't Forget To Write	4.6	5.5	
AT-15001 (45-15001)— WINGY MANONE Song From Moulin Rouge			CA-2685 (F-2685)— STAN KENTON Tenderly		★VI-20-5488 (47-5488)— JUNE VALLI Mystery Street						
BE-1004 (45-1004)— LARRY CLINTON O P. 5, I Love You			EP-9011 (4-9011)— LEE ROY Midnight Festival		38—Hey Joe	4.5	—	BE-1009 (45-1009)— CAB CALLOWAY Gambler's Guitar			
★CA-2486 (F-2486)— LES PAUL & MARY FORD Johnny			LO-1404 (45-1404)— TED HEATH Slim Jim		★CO-40036 (4-40036)— FRANKIE LAINE Sittin' In The Sun			CO-21129 (4-21129)— CARL SMITH Darlin' Am I The One			
CA-2514 (F-2514)— WES & MAR TUTTLE I Wonder Where You Are			ME-70281 (70281x45)— RALPH MARGERIE Love Theme		DE-28797 (9-28797)— KITTY WELLS My Cold, Cold Heart Is Melted Now						
CO-40098 (4-40098)— LOS PANCHOS TRIO Lo Dudo			MG-11651 (K-11651)— ART MOONEY Flirtation Waltz								
CR-60991 (9-60991)— JACK SMITH Knothole			★VI-20-5553 (47-5553)— THREE SUNS Just One More Chance								
CY-654 (45-654)— BOB LONDON My Adobe Hacienda			VI-20-5575 (47-5575)— AL ROMERO Chivirico Rhythm								
DE-28780 (9-28780)— GUY LOMBARDO O. With These Hands			32—A Dear John And Marsha Letter	6.3	—						
ME-89047 (89047x45)— ANITA DAY Ain't This A Wonderful Day			★CA-2677 (F-2677)— STAN FREBERG C'est Si Bon								
24—Secret Love	9.1	7.3	33—Off Shore	5.9	6.2	39—Lover Come Back	4.1	6.9			
CA-2678 (F-2678)— RAY ANTHONY O. Oh Mein Papa			★AM-1005 (45-1005)— LEO DIAMOND Easy Melody			★CA-2610 (F-2610)— NAT "KING" COLE That's All					
★CO-40108 (4-40108)— DORIS DAY The Deadwood Stage			AT-1013 (45-1013)— BUDD JOHNSON Don't Take Your Love From Me			ME-70257 (70257x45)— VIC DAMONE I Just Love You					
DE-28876 (9-28876)— GORDON JENKINS Theme From "Seven Dreams"			BE-1019 (45-1019)— J. CARROLL & L. CLARK Oh, Mein Papa			ME-89042 (89042x45)— STAN GETZ QUINT.					
MG-11604 (K-11604)— TOMMY EDWARDS That's All			CA-2630 (F-2630)— AXEL STORDAHL O. The Piccolino								
VI-20-5512 (47-5512)— GOGI GRANT Ricochet			CR-61084 (9-61084)— MAT MATHEWS Easy Melody			40—Strings Of My Heart	3.7	6.3			
25—Golden Violins	9.0	4.4	DE-28918 (9-28918)— RUSS MORGAN O. Idle Gossip			★ME-70258 (70258x45)— GAYLORDS Mama-Papa Polka					
CA-2659 (F-2659)— JACKIE GLEASON O. Mystery Street			DE-28977 (9-28977)— DAVE BALLARD Off Shore								
★LO-1368 (45-1368)— FRANK CHACKSFIELD A Girl Called Linda			KI-6483 (45-4683)— EARL BOSTIC Don't You Do It			41—Robe Of Calvary	3.4	6.4			
26—Love Walked In	8.5	9.2	LO-1403 (45-1403)— REG OWEN Oh, Mein Papa			42—Pa-Paya Mama	3.3	6.1			
DO-15105 (45-15105)— THE HILLTOPPERS To Be Alone			★ME-70252 (70252x45)— RICHARD HAYMAN O. Joey's Theme			43—Bimbo	3.1	5.8			
27—Nina-Non	8.3	—	MG-11610 (K-11610)— ART MOONEY O. Mogambo			44—Don'cha Hear Them Bells	3.0	6.8			
★MG-11637 (K-11637)— JONI JAMES Christmas And You			VI-20-5551 (45-5551)— AL ROMERO Stranger In Paradise			45—She Was Five And He Was Ten	2.7	1.8			
28—In The Mission Of St. Augustine	8.2	4.9	34—Marie	5.7	11.6	46—South Of The Border	2.6	1.9			
★CO-40061 (4-40061)— SAMMY KAYE No Stone Unturned			★JU-5128 (45-5128)— THE FOUR TUNES			47—Sweet Mama, Tree Top Tall	2.4	1.2			
DE-28913 (9-28913)— JIMMIE LOGSDON Pa-Paya Mama			35—I Love Paris	5.5	3.1	48—Mama Papa Polka	2.0	4.3			
JU-5127 (45-5127)— THE ORIOLES Write And Tell Me Why			★CA-2479 (F-2479)— LES BAXTER O. Gigi			49—I Can't Believe That You're In Love With Me	1.7	3.6			
29—Down By The Riverside	8.0	6.7	DE-28875 (9-28875)— CHARLIE APPLEWHITE Ebb Tide			50—Oh!	1.1	5.6			
CO-40005 (4-40005)— THE FOUR LADS Take Me Back			ME-70274 (70274x45)— GEORGIA GIBBS Under Paris Skies								
★DE-28955 (9-28955)— BING & GARY CROSBY What A Little Moon- light Can Do			VI-20-5521 (47-5521)— FRANKIE CARLE O. Flame								
30—Caribbean	7.8	12.9	VI-20-5535 (47-5535)— TONY MARTIN Stranger In Paradise								
★AB-140 (45-140)— MITCHELL TOROK Weep Away			36—Boogie Woogie Maxixe	5.0	5.7						
DE-28812 (9-28812)— ROBERTA LEE Let's Go Home			CR-61063 (9-61063)— JACK RICHARDS I've Heard That Song Before								
ME-70247 (70247x45)— DAVID CARROLL Gadabout			VI-20-5530 (47-5530)— AMES BROTHERS I Can't Believe That You're In Love With Me								
VI-20-5414 (47-5414)— TONY MARTIN Relax											
VI-20-5412 (47-5412)— EDDIE KIRK											

MOA Prepares For Convention March 8 - 10

CHICAGO—George A. Miller, national president and business manager of Music Operators of America said this week that "manufacturers, publishers, distributors, record companies, and music operators of the nation are very interested in the forthcoming convention to be held at the Palmer House in Chicago from March 8 thru 10th." National headquarters are receiving letters from all parts of the industry with requests for space to display merchandise.

This year the show will be expanded and some merchandise that has not been displayed in the past will be on exhibit at the convention. The manufacturers of automatic phonographs will take a very active part in the convention and will support it to the fullest extent. The record companies will be there with their displays and their usual array of talent.

Committees have been appointed and in the very near future another meeting will be held in Chicago to complete all arrangements. Other people will be appointed to various committees at a later date.

George A. Miller and Ray Cunliffe will handle all reservation and exhibits either through the national headquarters, 128 East 14th Street, Oakland, California; or Ray Cunliffe, 3018 East 91st Street, Chicago, Ill.

Hirsh de la Viez will be the general chairman for entertainment and Al Denver will head the reception committee. There will be committeemen to accept applications for all music operators desiring to become members of MOA at this particular exhibit.

Mozian Stars On Granz' Clef Label

NEW YORK—Roger King, Mozian, trumpeter, arranger, composer and dancer whose recently organized band has been getting much comment in the jazz circles, is scheduled to release his second record for the new pop series of Norman Granz' Clef label.

The talented 26 year old, who formed his first band when he was only fourteen, has written many instrumental items which have been used by dance teams over the years. The Hamilton Trio of "Your Show of Shows" fame is one of the groups.

Probably the most popular piece by Mozian is a number called "Asia Minor" which he penned in 1949 and which was used in a ten-minute ballet suite called "Iridescence" at the Radio City Music Hall in 1952. Two other originals used in this suite were "Desert Dance" and "Black Pearl".

The first release of the 15 piece band was a record called "Love For Sale" coupled with a Mozian original "Midnight In Spanish Harlem" which is reported enjoying a healthy sale. And in the month of January, the crew is scheduled to send up its second disk; two modern dance versions, one of the standard "Temptation", and the other a new Mozian composition "Panorama".

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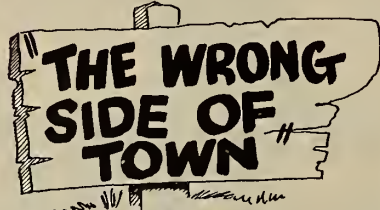
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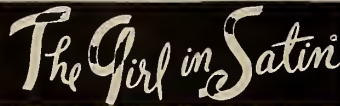
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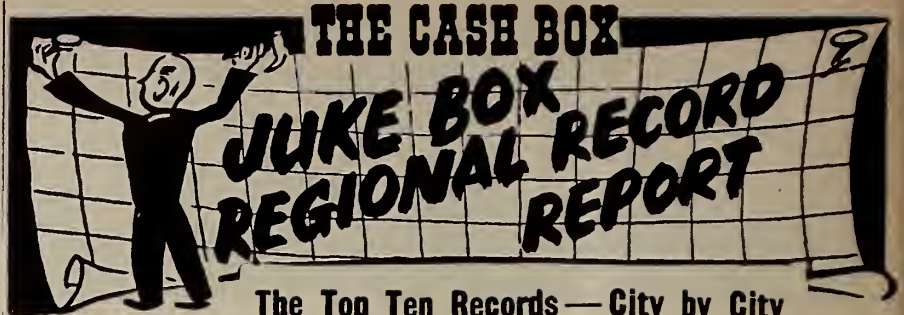
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2. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett)
3. Stranger In Paradise (Bennett)
4. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
5. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer)
6. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt)
7. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield)
8. You Alone (Perry Como)
9. Vaya Con Dios (Paul & Ford)
10. Under Paris Skies (Three Suns)

Chicago, Ill.

1. Oh, Mein Papa (Fisher-Calvert)
2. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
3. Changing Partners (P. Page)
4. Stranger In Paradise (Bennett)
5. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett)
6. Woman (Johnny Desmond)
7. Heart Of My Heart (Cornell, Desmond, Dale)
8. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer)
9. Istanbul (Four Lads)
10. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt)

Los Angeles, Calif.

1. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett)
2. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
3. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt)
4. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield)
5. Changing Partners (Page-Starr)
6. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher)
7. Stranger In Paradise (Bennett)
8. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer)
9. Eh, Cumpari (Julius La Rosa)
10. Many Times (Eddie Fisher)

Philadelphia, Pa.

1. Oh, Mein Papa (Fisher-Calvert)
2. Heart Of My Heart (Four Aces)
3. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett)
4. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield)
5. Stranger In Paradise (Four Aces-Tony Bennett)
6. Changing Partners (P. Page)
7. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
8. Many Times (Eddie Fisher)
9. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt)
10. Vaya Con Dios (Paul & Ford)

Boston, Mass.

1. Oh, Mein Papa (Fisher-Calvert)
2. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
3. Changing Partners (P. Page)
4. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett)
5. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt)
6. Stranger In Paradise (Four Aces-Tony Bennett)
7. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield)
8. Eh, Cumpari (Julius La Rosa)
9. You Alone (Perry Como)
10. Many Times (Eddie Fisher)

Denver, Colo.

1. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett)
2. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer)
3. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield)
4. Changing Partners (P. Page)
5. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher)
6. Eh, Cumpari (Julius La Rosa)
7. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
8. You, You, You (Ames Bros.)
9. Stranger In Paradise (Bennett)
10. Many Times (Eddie Fisher)

Cincinnati, Ohio

1. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett)
2. Changing Partners (P. Page)
3. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield)
4. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer)
5. Stranger In Paradise (Four Aces-Tony Bennett)
6. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher)
7. You, You, You (Ames Bros.)
8. Many Times (Eddie Fisher)
9. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt)
10. Vaya Con Dios (Paul & Ford)

Seattle, Wash.

1. Rags To Riches (T. Bennett)
2. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
3. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield)
4. Istanbul (Four Lads)
5. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer)
6. Changing Partners (P. Page)
7. Stranger In Paradise (Four Aces)
8. Eh, Cumpari (Julius LaRosa)
9. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher)
10. Many Times (Eddie Fisher)

Washington, D. C.

1. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher)
2. Rags To Riches (T. Bennett)
3. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer)
4. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield)
5. Changing Partners (P. Page)
6. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
7. Stranger In Paradise (Bennett)
8. Vaya Con Dios (Paul & Ford)
9. Heart Of My Heart (Four Aces)
10. Eh, Cumpari (Julius La Rosa)

Buffalo, N. Y.

1. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher)
2. Rags To Riches (T. Bennett)
3. Stranger In Paradise (Bennett)
4. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
5. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt)
6. Changing Partners (P. Page)
7. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield)
8. Eh, Cumpari (Julius La Rosa)
9. Vaya Con Dios (Paul & Ford)
10. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer)

Indianapolis, Ind.

1. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher)
2. Rags To Riches (T. Bennett)
3. Changing Partners (P. Page)
4. Stranger In Paradise (Four Aces-Tony Bennett)
5. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
6. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt)
7. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield)
8. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer)
9. Woman (Johnny Desmond)
10. Heart Of My Heart (Four Aces)

Nashville, Tenn.

1. Rags To Riches (T. Bennett)
2. Changing Partners (P. Page)
3. Stranger In Paradise (Tony Bennett-Four Aces)
4. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield)
5. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer)
6. Many Times (Eddie Fisher)
7. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher)
8. Istanbul (Four Lads)
9. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
10. Eh, Cumpari (Julius La Rosa)

Atlanta, Ga.

1. Rags To Riches (T. Bennett)
2. Changing Partners (P. Page)
3. Oh, Mein Papa (Fisher-Calvert)
4. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer)
5. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield)
6. Vaya Con Dios (Paul & Ford)
7. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt)
8. Stranger In Paradise (Bennett)
9. Many Times (Eddie Fisher)
10. You Alone (Perry Como)

Dallas, Tex.

1. Rags To Riches (T. Bennett)
2. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer)
3. Changing Partners (P. Page)
4. Vaya Con Dios (Paul & Ford)
5. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt)
6. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher)
7. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
8. Stranger In Paradise (Four Aces)
9. You, You, You (Ames Bros.)
10. Eh, Cumpari (Julius La Rosa)

Cleveland, Ohio

1. Stranger In Paradise (Four Aces-Tony Bennett)
2. Changing Partners (P. Page)
3. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
4. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher)
5. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt)
6. Rags To Riches (T. Bennett)
7. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield)
8. Eh, Cumpari (Julius La Rosa)
9. Christmas Dragnet (Freberg)
10. Heart Of My Heart (Four Aces)

Detroit, Mich.

1. Oh, Mein Papa (Fisher-Calvert)
2. Changing Partners (P. Page)
3. Stranger In Paradise (Four Aces)
4. Rags To Riches (T. Bennett)
5. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
6. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt)
7. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield)
8. Marie (Four Tunes)
9. Heart Of My Heart (Cornell, Desmond, Dale)
10. Christmas Dragnet (Freberg)

Kansas City, Mo.

1. Rags To Riches (T. Bennett)
2. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer)
3. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield)
4. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
5. Changing Partners (P. Page)
6. Many Times (Eddie Fisher)
7. Istanbul (Four Lads)
8. Stranger In Paradise (Bennett)
9. Eh, Cumpari (Julius La Rosa)
10. Vaya Con Dios (Paul & Ford)

San Francisco, Calif.

1. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett)
2. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
3. Eh, Cumpari (Julius La Rosa)
4. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield)
5. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt)
6. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer)
7. Stranger In Paradise (Bennett)
8. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher)
9. Many Times (Eddie Fisher)
10. You, You, You (Ames Bros.)

St. Louis, Mo.

1. Oh, Mein Papa (Fisher-Calvert)
2. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
3. Changing Partners (P. Page)
4. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett)
5. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt)
6. Marie (Four Tunes)
7. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield)
8. Heart Of My Heart (Four Aces-Cornell, Desmond, Dale)
9. Christmas Dragnet (Freberg)
10. Istanbul (Four Lads)

Pittsburgh, Pa.

1. Oh, Mein Papa (Fisher-Calvert)
2. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
3. Stranger In Paradise (Four Aces-Tony Bennett)
4. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt)
5. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett)
6. Changing Partners (P. Page)
7. To Be Alone (Hilltoppers)
8. You Alone (Perry Como)
9. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer)
10. Istanbul (Four Lads)

New Orleans, La.

1. That's Amore (Dean Martin)
2. Rags To Riches (Tony Bennett)
3. Changing Partners (Page-Starr)
4. Stranger In Paradise (Tony Bennett-Four Aces)
5. Oh, My Papa (Eddie Fisher)
6. Ebb Tide (Frank Chacksfield)
7. Many Times (Eddie Fisher)
8. Santa Baby (Eartha Kitt)
9. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer)
10. You, You, You (Ames Bros.)

Diskeries Record In Quantity Preparing For Possible Strike

NEW YORK—Almost every diskery, major and independent, were busy cutting as many records as possible last week in anticipation of the possible record ban which may go into effect December 31.

Recording studios were being used around the clock with many artists either coming into the city or extending their stay here in order to be able to cut.

Publishers were showing all their possible material and A&R men were sifting everything available in an effort to find suitable songs for their talent.

All this activity was not only considered good insurance, but it was felt recording circles that even if the strike should not come off, it would still be cheaper to record now that it is going to be once the new contract is negotiated.

There were no new developments as far as the contract between the musicians and the diskeries is concerned for there have been no further meetings since the break-down last Friday, December 18. Union negotiators were all out of town this week and no new meetings are expected to take place until after Christmas.

The union is asking an increase in the price per musician, a hike in the rate to the musicians' fund, and a cut in the number of sides per session from 4 to 2. They propose a five year contract.

The current contract which expires December 31 was also a five year pact and was negotiated after a strike of 10 months during which there were no recordings with musicians.

If the record ban should come off, it is felt in the trade that those who will be hardest hit will be the small

publishers who have no catalogues on which to rely. The record companies probably won't feel anything for many, many months to come for with all the disks they have in the can together with the number that have been cut last week and are due to be cut next week, they are all well stocked.

There has been considerable feeling in the industry however that the strike won't take place at all. Many claim that the current maneuvers are all will be settled before the deadline date.

Flanagan-Morrow Concert Clicks

DETROIT, MICH.—An experiment with two orchestras proved to be successful last Saturday, December 19, when Ralph Flanagan and Buddy Morrow gave a combined concert at Detroit's Michigan State Fair Coliseum.

Approximately 6000 people attended the Dance-Combined Band Concert for a gross of between \$9,000 to \$10,000.

The program consisted of special arrangements for ½ hour segments with the combined musicians playing together and Flanagan and Morrow alternating at the helm.

As a result of the success of the concert, Herb Hendler, manager of both bands, said he expected to send the combined outfit out on tour starting in the Fall.

Hilltoppers Play Chi Theatre During Xmas

GALLATIN, TENN.—The Hilltoppers are planning a reunion during the Christmas holidays when they will be booked into the Chicago Theater for the two week span starting December 26.

Don McGuire and Seymour Speigelman will be enjoying their Christmas leave from college. McGuire is taking his masters at Western Kentucky and Speigelman his masters degree at Peabody College in Nashville. Jimmy Sacca, the featured voice of the group, will have a holiday leave from his army post at Port Dix and Billy Vaughn, musical director of Dot Records, will meet the boys for the booking.

The group has been recording this week in New York. They will appear on the Milton Berle TV show on the 12th of January.

While in Chicago with the Hilltoppers, Randy Wood, president of Dot Records, is planning a party for those in the music business at Linn Burton's Steak House.

Two Hits



NEW YORK—Larry Coleman (right) accepts a scroll from Carl Haverlin, prexy of Broadcast Music, Inc., honoring him for cleffing the hit "Changing Partners." Tucked under his arm is a similar award for "Ricochet." Larry was the only writer to rate double kudos at the recent dinner which BMI gave for its hit writers and publishers, namely those associated with placing in the Top Ten in 1953.

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With the usual pre-Christmas slump prevailing, the only location that has any American acts with any name value coming in is the Seville Theatre. The most recent show was made up of 'Pee Wee' Hunt and his orchestra, the Golden Gate Quartet and Dolores Martel. . . . Charles Trenet closed at the Sheraton Mount Royal Hotel December 19th. . . . Most clubs have either closed for the Christmas and New Year period or brought in low priced shows. . . . Jack Horn, owner of the Clover Cafe, at one time operator of the Vienna Grill, opened a new club in the face of the Holiday slump. Location is in the same spot the old Folies Bergeres occupied and he calls his new endeavor The Main Cafe. Headlining the opening bill was local singer Roland Legault. . . . Ann Summers, chirp with Sammy Kaye on his recent one-nighter tour back visiting her husband Frank Costi, local bandleader, for the Holidays. . . . Also home for the Holidays after working six weeks at the Sands, Las Vegas, is Betty Hill, Montreal's favorite line girl. . . . With the Chez Paree closed, genial manager Jerry Taylor is taking a well deserved vacation on the West Coast. Location reopens January 12th with Dorothy Lamour headlining the show. . . . The usual round of Cocktail Parties took place; the two most prominent being London Records on December the 11th and RCA Victor's December 21st at which Dolores Martel charmed everyone. . . . Dixie Bill Hilton, Apex Hillbilly star, finished a five-month tour of the Maritime Provinces and passed through Montreal on his way home to Calgary for the Holidays. . . . George Taylor, East Coast representative for MGM, Mercury, Quality, in town due to sickness in the family. . . . Rodeo Records have released Ralph (Montana) Hill's "New Brunswick Waltz" which should be a good seller in the Eastern end of the country. . . . Lennie Rubin, well know local pianist has penned a song titled "Joan" which was inspired by Norman Brooks' wife. Expects big things from the song. . . . Wishing everyone A Happy and Harmonious New Year.

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For Disk Jockeys: "SA"—Spin Appeal.

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Mitchell Completes Tour

MILANO, ITALY—Freddie Mitchell, sax artist, band leader and composer, just finished a series of jazz concerts that have taken him and his aggregation into seventy continental cities and provinces.

The series opened on August 26 and played its final date on December 12.

Mitchell writes, "I'm disappointed in not having played Rome and Paris. My admiration for Italy is "Malta Bella Italia" but not it's Home Sweet Home. We arrive on the Constitution December 29."

Seeco Band To Tour U.S.

NEW YORK—The Cesar Sonception Band was welcomed by Seeco records on the ork's return from Latin America. The orchestra, one of the leading Puerto Rican aggregations, has completed a tour of a number of the leading spots in Latin America, capped off by a featured spot at the Caribe Hilton Hotel in San Juan.

A tour has been planned for the band in this country; one which will include leading hotels and clubs.

The band will record for Seeco while in the U. S. for two months.

No Biz Like ...



NEW YORK—Bruno-New York, Inc staged a special get-together recently in the Johnny Victor Theater for New York-area disc jockeys in connection with the release of RCA Victor Records' new album, "Show Biz," a recorded 50-year cavalcade of the entertainment world's greats. Those on hand for the party included Hildegard, who's featured in the album; George Jessel (center), who is the narrator for the 58-minute recording, and Frank M. Folsom, president of RCA.

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| <p>1 I'LL BE TRUE
Faye Adams & Joe Morris
(Herald 419)</p> <p>2 MARIE
Four Tunes
(Jubilee 5128)</p> <p>3 SOUL ON FIRE
Lavern Baker
(Atlantic 1004)</p> <p>4 MONEY HONEY
Drifters
(Atlantic 1006)</p> <p>5 GOLDEN TEARDROPS
Flamingos
(Chance 1145)</p> <p>6 I'M JUST YOUR FOOL
Ella & Buddy Johnson
(Mercury 70251)</p> <p>7 RAGS TO RICHES
Dominoes
(King 1280)</p> <p>8 SANTA BABY
Eartha Kitt
(RCA Victor 20-5502)</p> <p>9 SUNDAY KIND OF LOVE
Harp-Tones
(Bruce 101)</p> <p>10 WRITE AND TELL ME WHY
Orlones
(Jubilee 5127)</p> | <p>MONEY HONEY
Drifters
(Atlantic 1006)</p> <p>RAGS TO RICHES
Dominoes
(King 1280)</p> <p>MARIE
Four Tunes
(Jubilee 5128)</p> <p>HONEY HUSH
Joe Turner
(Atlantic 1001)</p> <p>LOVER COME BACK TO ME
Nat "King" Cole
(Capitol 2610)</p> <p>MAD LOVE
Muddy Waters
(Chess 1550)</p> <p>I'LL BE TRUE
Faye Adams & Joe Morris
(Herald 419)</p> <p>I HAD A NOTION
Al Savage & Joe Morris
(Herald 417)</p> <p>DRUNK
Jimmy Liggins
(Specialty 470)</p> <p>TV IS THE THING
Dinah Washington
(Mercury 70214)</p> | <p>THE THINGS THAT I USED TO DO
Guitar Slim
(Specialty 482)</p> <p>RAGS TO RICHES
Dominoes
(King 1280)</p> <p>OOH LAWDY MY BABY
Tommy Ridgley
(Atlantic 1009)</p> <p>I HAD A NOTION
Al Savage & Joe Morris
(Herald 417)</p> <p>I DON'T KNOW WHAT I'LL DO
Sugar Boy
(Checker 783)</p> <p>SOMETHING'S WRONG
Fats Domino
(Imperial 5262)</p> <p>OKE SHE MOKE SHE POP
Joe Turner
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Honey Boyd
(Specialty 476)</p> <p>TV MAMA
Joe Turner
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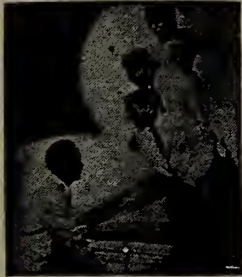
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(Specialty 470)</p> <p>YOU'RE SO FINE
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(Checker 786)</p> <p>SUNDAY KIND OF LOVE
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(Bruce 101)</p> <p>BLIND LOVE
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Helen Thomason
(States 126)</p> <p>LOVE MY BABY
Little Junior
(Sun 192)</p> <p>WELL, I DONE GOT OVER IT
Guitar Slim
(Specialty 482)</p> <p>HONEY HUSH
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(Atlantic 1001)</p> <p>I HAD A NOTION
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Jimmy Liggins
(Specialty 470)</p> <p>RAGS TO RICHES
Dominoes
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Muddy Waters
(Chess 1550)</p> <p>SAVING MY LOVE FOR YOU
Johnny Ace
(Duke 118)</p> |
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THE CASH BOX RHYTHM N' BLUES Ramblings

NEW YORK:

Writing the first column of 1954 makes one wonder what the coming year holds in store for us. It is easy to predict that new stars will be born. Names either not yet performing or buried under the mass of talent struggling to break through will be established artists of great drawing power twelve months hence. Will some yet unformed record company be riding the heights this time next year? Some established names will suddenly stop selling. Why? That's what makes this such an interesting and oft times bewildering business. You can't stop punching for a minute. There's always someone waiting to take your place. . . . Card from George Goldner, Tico Records, advises us he's having a great time out on the coast. Surprise for George, when he gets back, is the sales figure on "Baion" by Joe Loco. . . . The "Sleeper" review "Going Down To Big Mary's" was erroneously credited to Pamlee. Mistake was on the label. It should have read "Barnhill Music Corp.". . . . Vicentico Valdes, one of Seeco's leading vocal artists just completed a tremendously successful set of dates through South America. Valdes is returning with some new sides cut in Cuba and backed by the famous Senora Matancera. . . . Lee Magid, Central A & R head, signed Gladys Gladrags and her first disk, due in a week or ten days, sounds great. Gal can sing. Lee also signed

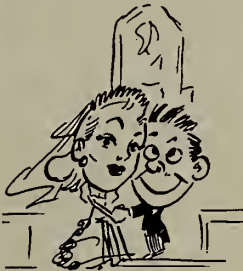


BILL WARD & THE DOMINOES

the Keys of Harmony, gospel group formerly with Tuxedo Records. . . . Monte Bruce, whose Harp-Tones are hitting great with "Sunday Kind Of Love", held another session with the group and thinks he has some terrific sides in the can. Monte is dickering for name male and female singers and will make an announcement soon. . . . Can't keep a good group out of the charts for long. Did you notice "Rags To Riches" by the Dominoes sitting in the #1 position?

CHICAGO:

What makes a glowing Christmas story? And a grand opening item for the New Year? We think it's the following: Seems like, just last week, 12/16, while Ernie Leaner of United Record Distributors was very, very busy taking orders, and helping his men pack off those Xmas record shipments, in walked Vivian Carter and Jimmy Bracken. Vivian and Jimmy are partners in Vee Jay Records. Vivian is also Gary's well known WGRY deejay. Originally the two had become partners back in '48 in a small record shop. Anyway, to make a long story shorter, Vivian casually mentioned to Ernie, after the usual affable greetings among these friends, "We're looking for a preacher." Ernie's ears pricked right up. His eyes lighted. But, looking out the window, with the snowy rain a comin' down, Ernie said, "I know a preacher. He's just down the street. Now you two stay here out of this bad weather," Ernie urged, "and I'll go fetch him." So Ernie dashed down the street just as fast as he could go. And on the way bought a gorgeous bouquet for Vivian. Came back with the preacher and said, "Here they are Reverend." So-o-o-o with Ernie Leaner and his secretary serving as the two necessary witnesses, Vivian Carter and Jimmy Bracken tied themselves together into the firmest kind of partnership by becoming Mr. and Mrs. And this happened right in the gay and festive Christmas offices of United Record Distributors here in good, old Chicago. Ernie just beamed and beamed. His secretary dropped that usual happy tear like all women do at weddings. Now Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Bracken are going to bring out their new release to not only honor this very grand and unusual occasion but, at the same time, to honor their very dear friends, George and Ernie Leaner. We still think this is one of those "dream stories" that happens to a columnist but once in a lifetime and, especially, at Xmastime.



LOS ANGELES:

A bright new year full of promise and possibilities is now here. All the indes expect it to be a big year for them. New Year's resolutions have been made and some broken already so it's back to work again looking over the past and planning for the future. . . . At Aladdin Records, Leo and Eddie Mesner recently cut new sessions with Lloyd Glenn which will be released soon. The sessions were conducted by their musical director, Maxwell Davis. . . . Aladdin is getting all set for their first sessions with Louis Jordan which will be conducted soon. . . . Over at the Modern Records plant Joe and Saul Bihari are kicking off the new year with several big releases which will be out in the near future. . . . Art Rupe, prexy of Specialty Records, also has been working hard on plans for the New Year. They have several big numbers that are riding high and show great promise for '54. Among them is Mercy Dee's version of "Dark Muddy Bottom" and "Get To Gettin'". . . . Lew Chudd recently signed two new groups called the Spiders and The Hawks who will cut new sessions under the Imperial label. Fats Domino's Imperial waxing of "Something's Wrong" shows great promise. . . . George Goldner, prexy of Tico and Rama Records, New York, had planned to spend the holidays in Southern California but was called away on business. . . . Pee Wee



THE FOUR TUNES

Crayton flew back from Alaska to appear at the Elks Hall on Christmas eve. Others in the big holiday show included J. Hodge, Linda Hayes and Little Willie Littlefield. Crayton then flew on to Atlanta, Georgia, for other holiday dates. . . . Roy Milton and his Mighty Men enjoyed the Florida climate over the holidays. They will be in the LA area the middle of January. . . . Johnny Otis is now touring the North on concert dates. He will be back in Southern California before heading East. . . . Mel Walker recently signed with Universal Attractions. He soon heads East to join a big package unit. . . . Charley Parker opens at Zardi's on January 11th. . . . Torch singer, Billie Holiday, has returned to Los Angeles and now appears nightly at the Tiffany Club. . . . Prez Prado highlighted the gala New Year's eve dance at the Elks Hall. . . . Due to the strong reaction that "Marie" by the Four Tunes has received Decca has re-issued waxings of the tune by Louis Armstrong and the Mills Brothers.



- 1** MONEY HONEY
Drifters
(Atlantic 1006)

- 2** RAGS TO RICHES
Dominoes
(King 1280)

- 3** HONEY HUSH
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(Atlantic 1001)

- 4** MARIE
Four Tunes
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Little Walter
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- 9** ONE SCOTCH, ONE BOURBON, ONE BEER
Amos Milburn
(Aladdin 3197)

- 10** MAD LOVE
Muddy Waters
(Chess 1550)

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Entertaining Ops



MIAMI, FLA.—Patti Page stopped by to say hello to all the operators at the third annual Amusement Machine Operators Association dinner held in Miami, December 12. In the above picture, (l. to r.) are: Willie Blatt, president of the association; Patti Page; Steve and Rose Brookmaier, Mercury Record distributors.

Disk Stars Find Colleges Untapped Field For Additional Bookings

NEW YORK—In a recent survey conducted by the Intercollegiate Broadcasting System, a network of campus limited college radio stations, now representing 107 of the 200 stations in existence, almost 70% of all campus radios were tuned to the local college station. Each of these stations

program music for over 90% of their air time.

Records which are played are those received either from the record companies or from the individual artist's record promoters. With the numerous plays received each day IBS has received inquiries as to the possibilities of having some of these artists appear at different college functions. The orchestras now in demand are those of Ralph Marterie and Ray Anthony. Many of the newer artists in the record field have also received invitations to appear after their records have been exposed to the listeners.

All these stations, although willing to play records, do not receive a majority of the releases. In order to overcome this difficulty sixty of the stations are subscribing to a record plan whereby they each contribute a certain amount of money toward the packing and shipping. All the record companies have to do is ship the records to one central place and they will be repacked and remailed to the individual stations.

Sol Handwerger of MGM records was the first to take advantage of the plan and MGM releases have gone out to many of the stations. Since Handwerger's entry, other companies such as Benida Records and Bell Records have sent releases.

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Sheriff Tex Davis
WLOW—Norfolk, Va.

1. There Stands The Glass (Webb Pierce)
2. Let Me Be The One (Locklin)
3. I Forgot More (Davis Sisters)
4. Wake Up Irene (Thompson)
5. North Wind (Slim Whitman)
6. Changing Partners (King)
7. Blue Christmas (Ernest Tubb)
8. I'm Walking The Dog (Pierce)
9. Ricochet (Pee Wee King)
10. Bimbo (Jim Reeves)

Johnny Rion
KSTL—St. Louis, Mo.

1. Blue Christmas (Ernest Tubb)
2. Reindeer Boogie (Hank Snow)
3. Changing Partners (King)
4. Let Me Be The One (Locklin)
5. Ooh-La-La (Justin Tubb)
6. Singin' On The Other Side (Martha Carson)
7. There Stands The Glass (Webb Pierce)
8. Yesterday's Girl (Thompson)
9. Supertime (Jimmie Davis)
10. Cheatin's A Sin (Kitty Wells)

Chuck Nichols
KOWB—Loromie, Wyo.

1. Let Me Be The One (Locklin)
2. I'm Making Love To a Stranger (Jimmy Dickens)
3. Tain't Nice (The Carlisles)
4. Wake Up Irene (Thompson)
5. Changing Partners (King)
6. Christmas Roses (Hank Snow)
7. Barefooted Little Cowboy (Jimmy Dickens)
8. North Wind (Slim Whitman)
9. You're The Angel On My Christmas Tree (Faron Young)
10. Reindeer Boogie (Hank Snow)

Billy The Kid Stanley
WNOE—New Orleans, La.

1. Let Me Be The One (Locklin)
2. There Stands The Glass (Webb Pierce)
3. Tain't Nice (The Carlisles)
4. I Forgot More (Davis Sisters)
5. That's What I'd Do For You (Faron Young)
6. Blame It On The Moonlight (Red Garrett)
7. Satisfaction Guaranteed (Carl Smith)
8. Release Me (Jimmy Heap)
9. Bimbo (Jim Reeves)
10. God Was So Good (Al Terry)

Dave Walshak
KCTI—Gonzales, Tex.

1. Don't Make Me Ashamed (Marty Robbins)
2. There Stands The Glass (Webb Pierce)
3. Bimbo (Jim Reeves)
4. Changing Partners (King)
5. I Love You (Wright & Reeves)
6. I Think I'm Falling In Love With You (Darrell Glenn)
7. Satisfaction Guaranteed (Carl Smith)
8. Lessons In Love (H. Locklin)
9. Christmas Roses (Hank Snow)
10. Rock Me (Lucky Joe Almond)

Sleepyhead Cliff
KASM—Albany, Minn.

1. There Stands The Glass (Webb Pierce)
2. Bimbo (Jim Reeves)
3. Pa-Paya Mama (J. Logsdon)
4. Who'll Buy My Heartaches (Carl Smith)
5. Sorrow And Pain (Davis Sis.)
6. Hootchy Kootchy Henry (Mitchell Torok)
7. I Want You, Yes (G. Wright)
8. Only A Pastime (D. Glenn)
9. Pig Latin Serenade (Johnnie & Jack)
10. Bonita Chiquita (R. Grayzell)

Dal Stallard
KCNO—Kansas City, Mo.

1. There Stands The Glass (Webb Pierce)
2. Let Me Be The One (Locklin)
3. Caribbean (Mitchell Torok)
4. Mama, Come Get Your Baby Boy (Eddy Arnold)
5. Blue Christmas (Ernest Tubb)
6. Satisfaction Guaranteed (Carl Smith)
7. North Wind (Slim Whitman)
8. Go Cry Your Heart Out (Hank Thompson)
9. You All Come (Archie Duff)
10. I Really Don't Want To Know (Eddy Arnold)

Buddy Starcher
WESC—Greenville, S. C.

1. Changing Partners (P. Page)
2. Ricochet (Teresa Brewer)
3. Song Of The Waterwheel (Slim Whitman)
4. Let Me Be The One (Locklin)
5. Tain't Nice (The Carlisles)
6. Caribbean (Mitchell Torok)
7. I Forgot More (Davis Sisters)
8. New Wildwood Flower (Buddy Starcher)
9. Long Black Rifle (Tex Ritter)
10. Wake Up Irene (Thompson)

Joe Morris
WKDK—Newberry, S. C.

1. Let Me Be The One (Locklin)
2. I Forgot More (Davis Sisters)
3. There Stands The Glass (Webb Pierce)
4. Hey Joe (Carl Smith)
5. I'm Walking The Dog (Pierce)
6. Tain't Nice (The Carlisles)
7. Santa Got Stuck In The Chimney (Jimmy Boyd)
8. You're Gone (Davis Sisters)
9. Bimbo (Jim Reeves)
10. You All Come (Cousin Herb Henson)

Mack Sanders
KFBI—Wichita, Kon.

1. There Stands The Glass (Webb Pierce)
2. I Forgot More (Davis Sisters)
3. Satisfaction Guaranteed (Carl Smith)
4. Bimbo (Jim Reeves)
5. I'm Walking The Dog (Pierce)
6. Divorce Granted (E. Tubb)
7. A Dear John Letter (Shepard & Huskey)
8. Run 'Em Off (Jeanie Robinson)
9. Hey Joe (Carl Smith)
10. Let Me Be The One (Locklin)

Jack Gale
WRSR—Cleveland, Ohio

1. I Want You, Yes (G. Wright)
2. It's Been So Long (W. Pierce)
3. Tain't Nice (The Carlisles)
4. Bimbo (Jim Reeves)
5. Unpucker (The Carlisles)
6. I'm A Stranger In My Home (Maphis & Lee)
7. I Believe In Lovin' (Gene O'Quin)
8. Let Me Be The One (G. Hill)
9. I Love You (Ginny Wright & Jim Reeves)
10. Forgive Me John (Shepard & Huskey)

Smokey Smith
KRNT—Des Moines, Iowa

1. I Love You (Wright & Reeves)
2. Let Me Be The One (Locklin)
3. A Millionaire Without A Dime (Eddie Hazelwood)
4. Dig That Crazy Moon (Porter Wagoner)
5. Everything To Lose (R. Morris)
6. Tell 'Em No (Curtis Gordon)
7. I'm Walking The Dog (Pierce)
8. Satisfaction Guaranteed (Carl Smith)
9. It's A Long, Long Ride (Marty Robbins)
10. Changing Partners (King)

Shel Horton
WVAM—Saxton, Po.

1. Changing Partners (King)
2. There Stands The Glass (Webb Pierce)
3. Six Buzzard Feathers (Chris Martin)
4. I'm Just Here To Get My Baby Out Of Jail (M. Shiner)
5. Tennessee Ghost Train (Dale)
6. Run 'Em Off (Onie Wheeler)
7. Wake Up Irene (Thompson)
8. I Forgot More (Davis Sisters)
9. Ting A Ling A Jingle (Pinetoppers)
10. Five Foot Two, Eyes Of Blue (Floyd Kramer)

Charlie Williams
KCNC—Fort Worth, Tex.

1. You All Come (Archie Duff)
2. I Really Don't Want To Know (Eddy Arnold)
3. Run 'Em Off (Onie Wheeler)
4. Bimbo (Jim Reeves)
5. When Mexican Joe Met Jole Blon (Hank Snow)
6. Wake Up Irene (Thompson)
7. I'll Never Get Over You (Eddy Arnold)
8. There Stands The Glass (Webb Pierce)
9. I Think I'm Falling In Love With You (Darrell Glenn)
10. Heartbreak Ahead (C. Arthur)

Cactus Jim Western
KUTA—Salt Lake City, Utah

1. I Really Don't Want To Know (Eddy Arnold)
2. Let Me Be The One (Strange)
3. Yesterday's Girl (Thompson)
4. White Christmas (E. Arnold)
5. Bimbo (Jim Reeves)
6. Changing Partners (King)
7. Remembering (Mac Wiseman)
8. Wake Up Irene (Thompson)
9. Nothin' At All (T. T. Tyler)
10. Put Christ Back Into Christmas (Red Foley)

Dave Miller
WMIE—Miami, Fla.

1. Yesterday's Girl (Thompson)
2. North Wind (Slim Whitman)
3. Why Don't You Open The Door (York Bros.)
4. Texas Polka (Bonnie Lou)
5. Christmas Roses (Hank Snow)
6. Let Me Be The One (Locklin)
7. Apples, Peaches And Cherries (Peggy Lee)
8. Hey Joe (Carl Smith)
9. That's What I'd Do For You (Faron Young)
10. You're Gone (Davis Sisters)

Earl Grandpappy Davis
WFGH—Bristol, Va.

1. Let Me Be The One (Locklin)
2. There Stands The Glass (Webb Pierce)
3. Bimbo (Jim Reeves)
4. Satisfaction Guaranteed (Carl Smith)
5. Tain't Nice (The Carlisles)
6. Woman (Johnny Desmond)
7. Barefooted Little Cowboy (Jimmy Dickens)
8. First Last And Always (Ray)
9. You're My Downfall (Johnny & Jack)
10. Two Faced (Howington Bros.)

Carl E. Lamm
WCKB—Dunn, N. C.

1. Christmas Roses (Hank Snow)
2. I Love You (Wright & Reeves)
3. Tain't Nice (The Carlisles)
4. Let Me Be The One (Locklin)
5. Changing Partners (King)
6. There Stands The Glass (Webb Pierce)
7. I Fell Out Of A Christmas Tree (Little Rita Faye)
8. I Really Don't Want To Know (Eddy Arnold)
9. I Gave My Wedding Dress Away (Kitty Wells)
10. Sorrow And Pain (Davis Sis.)

F. M. Smith
WFOR—Hottiesburg, Miss.

1. Fancy Pants (Floyd Cramer)
2. Bimbo (Jim Reeves)
3. I Fell Out Of A Christmas Tree (Little Rita Faye)
4. Wake Up Irene (Thompson)
5. You All Come (Bing Crosby)
6. Changing Partners (King)
7. Cheatin's A Sin (Kitty Wells)
8. Put Christ Back Into Christmas (Red Foley)
9. Satisfaction Guaranteed (Carl Smith)
10. There Stands The Glass (Webb Pierce)

Gabe Tucker
KATL—Houston, Tex.

1. I Want A Mommy For Christmas (Bobby Wayne)
2. Changing Partners (King)
3. You Plus Me Equals Love (Owen Perry)
4. Release Me (Jimmy Heap)
5. North Wind (Slim Whitman)
6. I'll Never Get Over You (Eddy Arnold)
7. Bimbo (Jim Reeves)
8. Invisible Hands (Hank Snow)
9. I Fell Out Of A Christmas Tree (Little Rita Faye)
10. Girls Won't Leave Me Alone (Billy Walker)

Marty Licklider
WICA—Ashtabula, Ohio

1. Let Me Be The One (Locklin)
2. Elfe The Elf (Woodall & Bally Sisters)
3. There Stands The Glass (Webb Pierce)
4. Ooh-La-La (Justin Tubb)
5. Changing Partners (King)
6. For Now And Always (Snow)
7. Rudolph The Red Nosed Reindeer (Gene Autry)
8. I Love You (Ginny Wright & Jim Reeves)
9. You Fool, You Fool (Roberts)
10. At The End Of A Long, Lovely Day (Marty Robbins)

THE CASH BOX
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**HILLBILLY,
 FOLK & WESTERN
 JUKE BOX TUNES**

1 **THERE STANDS THE GLASS**
 Webb Pierce
 (Decca 28834; 9-28834)

2 **LET ME BE THE ONE**
 Hank Locklin
 (Four Star 1641)

3 **I FORGOT MORE THAN YOU'LL EVER KNOW**
 Davis Sisters
 (RCA Victor 20-5345; 47-5345)

4 **CARIBBEAN**
 Mitchell Torok
 (Abbott 140; 45-140)

5 **A DEAR JOHN LETTER**
 Jean Shepard & Ferlin Huskey
 (Capitol 2502; F-2502)

6 **I'M WALKING THE DOG**
 Webb Pierce
 (Decca 28834; 9-28834)

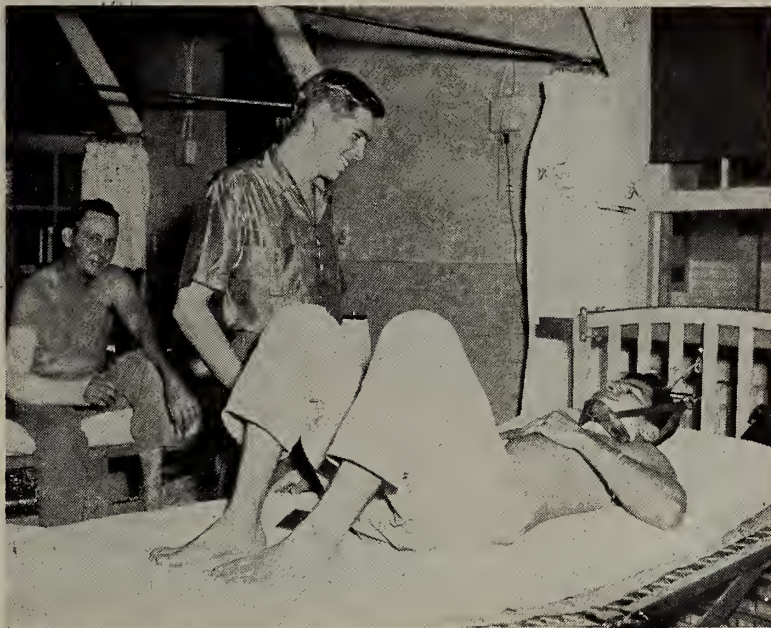
7 **SATISFACTION GUARANTEED**
 Carl Smith
 (Columbia 21166)

8 **HEY JOE!**
 Carl Smith
 (Columbia 21129; 4-21129)

9 **TENNESSEE WIG-WALK**
 Bonnie Lou
 (King 1237)

10 **NORTH WIND**
 Slim Whitman
 (Imperial 8208)

Visiting Veterans



ST. LOUIS, MO.—Johnnie Ray visits recently returned Korea war wounded at the hospital at the Scott Air Force Base in St. Louis. Johnnie at the time was appearing at the Chase Hotel in that city.

Tiny Markle Forms New Haven Band

NEW HAVEN—Some months ago, four New Haven musicians teamed their talents to play a benefit for crippled children. The crew met with such great comments from so many people that it decided to stay together. And it is now known as Tiny Markle and his Orchestra.

Tiny, who is well known as a disk jockey at WAVZ in New Haven, brings up the subject of his great thrill when Sunny Gale and Bill Kenny raved about the band at that initial benefit performance.

All of the members of the ork have name band experience. Jimmy Peters, saxist, was formerly with Tony Pastor and appeared in the movie "Two Blondes and a Redhead". He started in the band business with the Gray Gordon Orchestra.

Bobby Shea, piano player and arranger, arranged for Charlie Spivak, Bunny Berrigan and Newt Perry.

Arnold Most, drummer, played with Newt Perry.

With these three men as the heart of the band, and with Tiny handling the publicity and business, the crew went to Dan Kops, vo and general manager of WAVZ for some aid. Kops

got together with other businessmen of the New Haven area and started the Wednesday night Jamborees at the YWCA ballroom with the Markle Ork. And since then the boys have been playing in many of the nighteries around town, playing for such artists as Alan Dale, Steve Lawrence, Jackie Paris, Jeri Winters, Tommy Mara, Billy Eckstine and the Four Aces.

Others in the band are Phil Mason, Dave Swerling, Archie Rollins, Vic Butler and Andy Covino. Dolores Costello and Dick Hoyt are the vocalists.

Creatore & Peretti To Develop Mercury Talent

NEW YORK—Hugo Peretti and Luigi Creatore, who have been writing and producing the Mercury kiddie line for some time, will, beginning the first of the year, attempt to discover and promote new pop talent for the diskery. The pair intend to sign four or five new artists, pick out material for them and produce records.

It is their intention to stick with each artist until he has had enough exposure so that he has had a real chance to prove himself.

This operation will be outside of Mercury's regular A&R set-up.

THE TEN FOLK AND WESTERN RECORDS DISK JOCKEYS PLAYED MOST THIS WEEK

1. LET ME BE THE ONE Hank Locklin (4 Star)
2. THERE STANDS THE GLASS Webb Pierce (Decca)
3. BIMBO Jim Reeves (Abbott)
4. CHANGING PARTNERS Pee Wee King (RCA Victor)
5. I FORGOT MORE THAN YOU'LL EVER KNOW Davis Sisters (RCA Victor)
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"JUST MARRIED" (2:24) [Central BMI—T. Collins]
"I HARDLY KNEW IT WAS YOU" (2:18)

[Lowery BMI—D. Welch]
FARON YOUNG
(Capitol 2690)

● Pvt. Faron Young, who is probably adding fans to his already large following, while serving in Uncle Sam's Army, should have many more joining his clan through the efforts of his latest release, "Just Married". The tune, one of the artist's best efforts to date, is a delightful quick beat ditty with a light and colorful air about it. Young's distinctive vocal styling is

top calibre as he tells how he and his recently acquired bride are going to make the best of it by living on love until the rent comes due. Bottom portion, "I Hardly Knew It Was You" is a slow tempo sentimental piece that the chanter puts over in effective fashion. A fine coupling with the nod going to the top deck.

GEORGE BEVERLY SHEA
(RCA Victor 20-5566)

B+ "ROBE OF CALVARY" (3:10)
[Hill & Range BMI—Twomey, White, St. Clair, Rivers] The vibrant, powerful voice of George Beverly Shea shines magnificently on a most beautiful religious flavored piece. The tune is creating much excitement in the pop market and Shea's rendition could break through for a big hit countrywise.

B "I FOUND A FRIEND" (3:00)
[Merit BMI—R. Hillman, B. Allen] The lower deck is another stirring sacred item that has behind it a most heart warming story of a renewed faith in the Lord. Paul Mickelson's organ and a choir back the artist superbly on both ends.

JACK CARDWELL
(King 1292)

B "I CAN'T MAKE UP MY MIND" (2:24) [Louis BMI—E. Cardwell] A refreshing and gay quick beat bouncer gets treated to a sparkling vocal by Jack Cardwell. The gals are all so "purty and sweet" that the artist finds it difficult to choose between them.

B "WALKING AWAY MY BLUES" (2:19) [Lois BMI—J. Cardwell] Under lid is a fast tempo rhythmic ditty that receives another zestful rendition by Cardwell. Strings support the catchy lyrics in flavorful fashion. Two inviting decks.

ARTHUR (GUITAR BOOGIE) SMITH
(MGM 11657)

B "THE HONEYMOON IS OVER" (2:11) [Lynn BMI—Smith] Arthur (Guitar Boogie) Smith handles the vocal efforts in top drawer style as he and his Cracker-Jacks come up with a snappy quick beat ditty. Lyrics are most enjoyable and the disk should garner many spins.

C+ "COTTON PATCH RAG" (2:02)
[Lynn BMI—Smith] Reverse deck is a driving instrumental on which Smith shows his proficiency at the guitar. An easy on-the-ears deck colored by the artist's fancy fingerwork.

JIMMY WAKELY
(Coral 61112)

B+ "RED DECK OF CARDS" (3:11)
[Red River ASCAP—McEnery] Jimmy Wakely turns in a potent performance as he recites a most effective bit of anti-communist literature. Subdued harmonica backing supplies the impact on a side that has the potential to be a real smash.

B "I'VE HAD MY SHARE OF SORROW" (2:43) Lower deck is another masterful reading waxed by the soft and polished chords of Wakely. Fine blending of voices as the chorus assists the artist on a moderate tempo item that tugs at the heartstrings.

JIMMIE FLETCHER
(Mercury 70279)

B "WHAT WOULD YOUR MOTHER SAY" (2:18) [Acuff Rose BMI—J. Fletcher] Jimmie Fletcher dishes up an infectious vocal on a middle tempo, sentimental piece that he penned himself. Feelingful lyrics tell of a gal who is not leading the righteous way of life that her mother had planned for her.

B "I'M CHANGIN' BUSINESS (All Around)" (2:18) [Acuff Rose BMI—Jones] On the lower half Fletcher comes up with a solid piece of material that makes for some real pleasant listening. Spright lyrics are combined with ok string support and treated to a smooth vocal job by the warbler.

"SMILIN'" JERRY JERICHO
(Starday 120)

C+ "MOANIN' IN THE MORNING" (2:52) [Starrite BMI—Jericho, Conway, Johnston] "Smilin'" Jerry Jericho sings a middle tempo lover's lament in a soft and mellow style. Strings back the artist in adequate fashion on a deck that appeals.

C+ "LET'S CALL IT OFF" (2:45)
[Starrite BMI—J. Jericho, G. Wilson] Bottom deck is a touching, moderate beat piece that the chanter vocals in effective fashion. Tender lyrics tell that the artist feels it's about time he and his gal split up and go their separate ways.

THE AMBER SISTERS
(Capitol 2684)

B "SO TIRED OF YOU RUNNIN' ROUND" (2:17) [Acuff-Rose BMI—M. Carson] The Amber Sisters deliver a polished duet on a quick beat, Latin-flavored item. A grand arrangement coupled with a potent set of lyrics and rendered in eloquent fashion by the chirps.

B "LOOK WHAT FOLLOWED ME HOME" (2:15) [Earl Barton BMI—Wagoner, Walker, Siman] The girls harmonize in fetching fashion on a light hearted, lilting cutie with charming lyrics. Instrumental backing is mighty appealing on both sides.

CHET ATKINS
(RCA Victor 20-5565)

B "BARBER SHOP RAG" (2:50)
[Hill & Range BMI—C. Atkins] The distinctive styling of Chet Atkins and his "Galloping Guitar" lends itself to a lively, fast moving ditty and the resulting instrumental stands out as a top notch deck.

C+ "CENTIPEDE BOOGIE" (2:40)
[Hill & Range BMI—C. Atkins] Flipside is another neat performance turned in by the nimble fingers of the artist. A spirited jump piece that's tailored for the jukes. Chet's unique treatment on both ends makes it appear to the listener that more than one instrument is being played.

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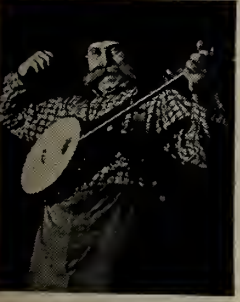


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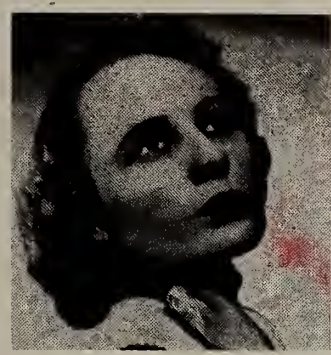


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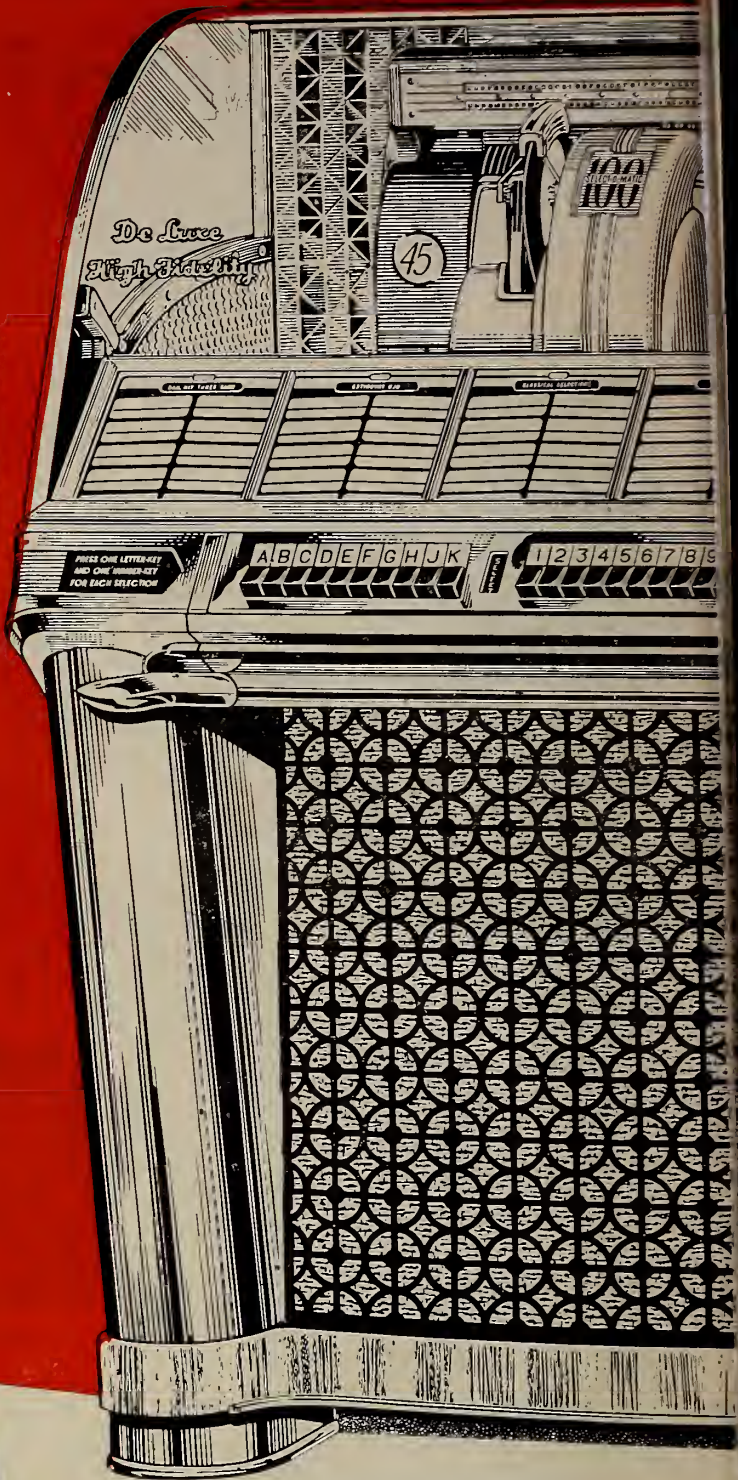
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DETROIT, MICH.—As there has been some pessimistic talk around the country, we like to start off the New Year of 1954 with a factually optimistic note. The automotive industry, which as a basic industry, effects the general welfare of the entire country, released some interesting figures. The Automobile Manufacturers Association announced the industry set two new records—it maintained an average employment of 930,000 workers and its payroll reached \$3,500,000,000 in 1953. The average employment tops the 1951 record mark by 85,000 and the payroll total shows the sixth consecutive yearly increase. On prospects for 1954, William J. Cronin, managing director of the association said: "The automotive industry is looking forward confidently to another outstanding year. Employment, personal income and savings are at the highest levels in United States history. We are convinced that in such an economic climate there will continue to be a strong and steady market for motor vehicles."

DETROIT, MICH.—A week after the above statement was made, L. W. Smead, general sales manager of Ford Division of Ford Motor Company, predicted the auto industry will "sell" between 5.3 and 5.6 million passenger cars and 900,000 to 1,000,000 trucks in 1954. In addition, this Ford official stated, "We think employment is going to be good next year. We think national income will continue at a high level, even higher than in 1953."

NEW YORK—The Journal of Commerce, in an analysis for 1934 stated, "The Business Front continued to present a picture of an awakening awareness of the need for better salesmanship and service—and absent was any extreme, either of optimism or pessimism. The steel industry, for example, is giving customers better service on deliveries, is paying more heed to consumer demands regarding quality and, generally, is doing what the corner merchant does in a buyers' market—catering to its customers' wants."

MONTREAL, CANADA—According to Canadian statistics, Canadian-United States trade appears likely to reach an all-time high for 1953. Canada, in the first ten months of this year, has imported goods worth \$2.7 billions, against \$2.4 billion in the corresponding 1952 period. Canadian exports to the U.S., which account for about 60 per cent of merchandise shipped to all countries, are also at a record high, amounting to \$2 billion for the first 10 months as against \$1.9 billions for the same period of 1952.

"It seems to me," one well known music operator reports, "that *The Cash Box* is on a programming crusade."

"But," he continues, "ever since *The Cash Box* has started to tell us about properly programming our music boxes, to match the records the patrons on each location really want, our intake has gone up plenty."

"Therefore," he continues, "keep up the good work. *The Cash Box* is the one magazine that really and truly understands our business. What you are telling the music operators is not only the gospel truth but, believe me, it is going to help them enjoy better income."

Yes, *The Cash Box* is out on a crusade, and this one, *The Cash Box* believes, is all-important to every single juke box operator in the nation.

This crusade all boils down to: "Properly programming each and every individual automatic musical instrument the operator has on location."

In the very first place, *The Cash Box* is urging every single music operator to consider each one of his locations as an "individual business in itself," in a chain of business stores he has in his route.

If he will adopt this as his first and foremost principle, and give it complete and intensive consideration, he will then have started on the right path towards making each store, each one of his music machines, bring him profit.

No different than the chain store organizations that demand each and every store in the chain bring about some profit—not loss—to be averaged off by other stores in the chain.

With this thought in mind—to make each individual location show a profit—then the music operator must begin to think, "How can I make each location I have (each store in this chain organization route of mine) bring me profit?"

And then he will arrive at the one and only solution to the problem. That is, he must properly program each individual music machine to match the tastes of the patrons of each one of his locations.

Then, and only then, will he begin to see some profit from each spot on his route.

Regardless of whether this may mean he will

have to sit himself down and spend hours on each location. Questioning patrons. Noting down on a pad of paper the records they are playing. Talking over the records to be featured with the location owner. Printing up record request slips for the patrons to fill out.

Whatever method he may want to use, he simply must do this if he wants to assure himself the maximum intake from each one of his locations, so that he will know whether he has, or has not, a profitable location.

If he will do this, if he will make an intensive study of each of his locations and will at the same time, make it his business to use the records that the patrons and the location owners of each one of his locations prefer, there is no doubt that he will find that, by such proper programming, he will zoom his intake tremendously above what it is today.

It is indeed a sorrowful fact that the average music operator today gauges the majority of his locations, by what is demanded in music from one certain favorite spot.

This isn't so, and never will be so. Each location has its own peculiar, individual audience. Rarely do the steady patrons of one spot prefer patronizing another location. This being the fact, then, just as surely, these same patrons of one spot won't prefer the music featured on another spot. Or they wouldn't prefer giving their patronage to this one spot in the first place.

No different than everyone preferring grapefruit juice. Some people still favor pineapple or orange juice. Some want cranberry or apple juice. The fact of the matter is that people's tastes differ. And to match these different tastes it is up to the music operator to learn what each and every one of his locations prefer in music, so that he can enjoy the maximum intake from his music machines, by properly programming those very same machines, with the type music and recordings each individual location on his route demands.

Only by correct programming will he discover whether or not he has a profitable business and will, at the same time, know what to do to make his business profitable.

INDUSTRY MOVES AHEAD

Big Shouldered Coinbiz Shrugs Off Pessimists and Plans Ahead for Greater Achievements in '54

CHICAGO—Perhaps the most interesting facet of the coinbiz is the fact that so many of its people are just "natural optimists," as leaders here state.

"The fact remains," one of these men reports, "that regardless of all the pessimistic reports which always start circulating as business drops somewhat, due to the holiday season, and due to many other surrounding factors, coinmen are sufficiently big-shouldered to just shrug these things off, and get right back to work again—and harder than ever before."

It stems, according to this man, as well as to many, many others around the country, that the coinbiz can expect to see "some great achievements in '54." He bases his prediction on past performances of the manufacturers here.

He also says, "There's no longer any doubt but what the people who comprise the industry are the kind of hard workers who will always find a way out."

Other leaders here have the same sort of statements to make. They do admit that there has been somewhat of a slowdown in some areas around the nation. They attribute this to "a general settling down after the inflationary upswing which all business has gone through."

In the main, these men state, business is good. The people, as *The Cash Box* has reported, have more money in the banks of the nation than ever before in history.

Here and there, these men agree, there has been a drift of new blood into the field. They believe that this

will become more pronounced should any sort of general business recession come about.

But the vast majority cannot see any recession in the coinbiz. They feel that this business, which grew up in the worst depression in all American history and which added to its stature and growth during the boom period, since War II, will continue ahead to please the nation with the kind of economical entertainment, music, and efficient merchandising, that the public wants.

"We're an industry that's geared for today's needs of the American public," one well known factory sales manager here said, "and we believe that we will, therefore, grow even greater in 1954, because we are properly geared to the times."

From the standpoint of general business the coin machine manufacturers are not complaining at all. Some of the factories here, even though they may have cut their labor force to some extent, have found that they still require overtime and six day weeks to meet the demand which they are enjoying.

"It's all based on how great a product you produce," one leader here said. "If the product meets with the public's fancy, and they will insert coin to use it, then most certainly, you'll find you just haven't sufficient help to meet orders.

"Bad products," he continued, "will always mean bad business. Good products mean good business.

"The manufacturer who produces good products," he concluded, "doesn't have to worry about business."

A. A. M. O. Dinner "The Greatest"

NEW YORK—"It was the greatest" was the unanimous opinion expressed by the 400 coinmen and their guests attending the 14th Annual Dinner-Dance held by the Associated Amusement Machine Operators at the Latin Quarters, Sunday night, December 20.

Due to the efficient planning, the affair ran off with practically 100% smoothness. George Ponsler, business manager, who with his assistant, Claire Morano, handled the many details should be highly commended by the association. Particularly, Mrs. Morano, who, at the last moment, was confronted with the problem of supervising the entire party due to the illness which overtook Ponsler. Ponsler, at home bedded with bronchial pneumonia for the past week, was unable to attend the festivities.

The guests enjoyed a sumptuous meal, and then viewed what the New York night club experts contend is

the finest show of its kind in the city, featuring thrilling circus acts, extraordinary dancing, singing, and especially, the line of gorgeous chorus girls with the minimum of costumes permitted by law.

On hand from the factories were Ben Becker of Bally and Sol Gottlieb of D. Gottlieb & Co. From out-of-town, who spotted Dave Rosen of Philadelphia, and Irv Morris of Newark, N. J.

Officers of the association are: Barnett Tannenbaum, president; Harry Ross, vice-president; Wilbur Aaronson, secretary; William Parker, financial secretary; Jack Semel, treasurer; and Ben Robbins, sergeant-at-arms. Members of the board of directors are: All above officers, and Vincent Cappezzola, Jerry Folkart, Louis Glatzer, Phil Greitzer, Bart Hartnett, Al Koonel, Jerry Miller, Louis Rosenberg, and Sandy Warner.

Trade Halts For Xmas Old Timers Call This Gayest and Most Outstanding Xmas In Coinbiz History

CHICAGO—The busy, hectic coin machine industry paused this week to greet Christmas.

Everywhere throughout the nation, from big and small coinfirm, came letters, wires and phone calls, inviting one and all, everywhere, to attend Christmas parties.

The field seemed to most completely relax as the Christmas season came into being.

Employees who are constantly on the go, executives who are usually pressed down at their desks with many hectic duties to perform, and all the others who make up this coincenter, gave in to the Xmas spirit. Business halted.

Gayest and most fabulous of all the Xmas Parties everywhere throughout the nation probably took place right here in Coincenter of the world.

The manufacturers went all out this year. Employees, as well as friends, were tremendously thrilled with the fine and outstanding affairs which brought them bonuses, thrills, gifts and much pleasure.

Not only did the trade pause, even in the midst of a great backlog of orders, as is the case in many of the factories here, but some of the big plants even seemed to forget they were backlogged, and allowed good cheer and fun to take over.

To say that desks were loaded with gifts, in some cases, would be to put it very mildly.

All the roadmen were back, and were enjoying the holidays with their families, at full time pay.

Employees were showered with many gifts which, including bonuses, they hadn't expected to receive.

It's been one of the gayest, most thrilling, and outstanding Christmas Seasons this great industrial city has ever seen.

The coinfirm just surpassed everything they had ever done in the past. Food, wine, and gifts flowed freely. But most outstanding was the grand and thrilling spirit of Christmas time.

Sunday Nite, Feb. 7 Is Date Of Annual Dinner-Dance Of Baltimore Ops Assn

BALTIMORE, MD.—Although the date reported in last week's issue of *The Cash Box* on the 6th Annual Dinner and Dance of the Amusement Machine Operators Association of Greater Baltimore, was correct—Sunday night, February 7—the headline incorrectly stated "February 6."

We wouldn't want anyone to get to the Lord Baltimore Hotel on the wrong night, and miss the wonderful party this organization holds. So mark your calendar for Sunday night, February 7.

H. F. Burt Sells Interest In Aurora "Silver-King Corp."

CHICAGO—H. F. Burt, designer and manufacturer of the "Silver-King" line of vendors for the past twenty years, has resigned as president and has sold his interest in the Aurora "Silver-King Corp."

Burt will head a new concern early next Spring which will specialize in building a new and completely different line of vendors and games for operators and dealers. He will also build on contract for several well known dealers.

Burt sold his interest to the partner, Adolph Theis, who as sole owner of the company, assumed the presidency and retained the position of treasurer. E. W. Ellis was named vice president and secretary.



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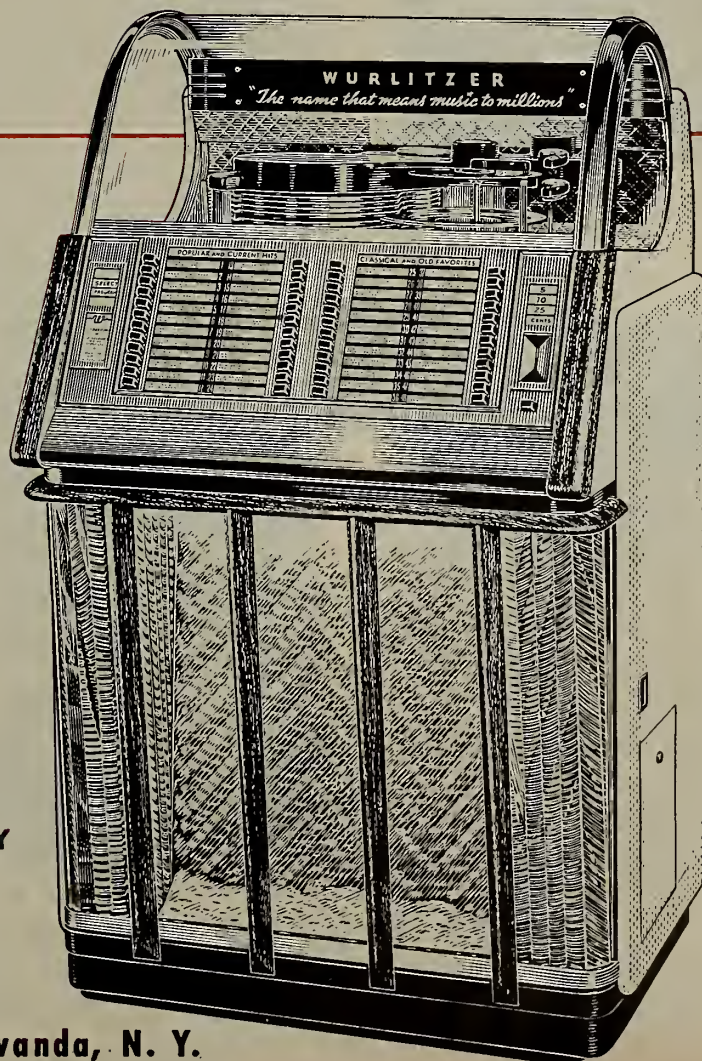
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Empire Triples Exports

CHICAGO—Howard Freer, export manager of Empire Coin Machine Exchange, this city, reported this past week:

"Our dollar volume of exports during 1953 more than tripled what we did in 1952."

He also stated, "We look to 1954 as one of the greatest export years for our firm in view of the fact that we have established a fine following almost everywhere in the world for our equipment."

"These importers thruout the world," Freer continued, "have found that the machines we ship them are the finest that they can possibly obtain anywhere, and what's more," he emphasized, "they are priced to meet their complete requirements."

Freer surprised with the statement that biggest export sales of the firm were to the Far East, with Singapore leading in purchases.

After that, Freer said, came France, Morocco, Venezuela and Canada. Other countries followed these five.

Since 1945, Howard Freer has been in charge of exports for the firm. He reports, "These past years have seen a tremendous growth of business for Empire Coin Machine Exchange with countries everywhere in the world."

He stated, "Though we enjoyed a very fine volume of new business, from entirely new accounts, what was most satisfying to us," he claims, "was the fact that the biggest business we had was from customers of long standing."

Freer looks forward to much greater business resulting from the increase which the firm enjoyed in '53.

He said, "Every game, arcade machine, phonograph and vending machine we ship, always brings us back new and more business from all over the world."

George A. Miller Advises Plans Under Full Steam For Meet At Palmer House, Chicago, March 8, 9, and 10th, 1954. Committees To Meet In Chicago Very Shortly

OAKLAND, CALIF.—George A. Miller, president and business manager of Music Operators of America (MOA), reports that manufacturers, distributors, music publishers, record companies and music operators of the nation have indicated great interest in the forthcoming convention being held at the Palmer House, Chicago, on March 8, 9 and 10.

"Letters from all parts of the industry are being received at the national headquarters here," stated Miller, "and, of course, there are requests from some who will not display their merchandise at the convention due to the fact that it does not meet the requirements of Music Operators of America. The show will be expanded, however, and some merchandise that has not been displayed in the past will be on exhibit at the coming convention."

"The manufacturers of automatic phonographs will take a very active part in the convention, and from all information, will support the convention to the fullest extent. The record companies who have always exhibited at the MOA show in the past will be there with their usual displays and much of their fine talent. This convention and show will be different than any previous show, and many more operators are expected to attend due to the added attractions."

Miller advised that Committees have been appointed, and in the very near future a meeting will be held in Chicago to complete all arrangements. The following men were appointed on the general committee to handle the affairs of the convention: George A. Miller and Ray Cunliffe, co-chairmen; Les Montooth, Peoria, Ill.; Bill Hurlinger, Ohio; Martin Britz, Montana; Wes Elster, California; Jack Mulligan, Pennsylvania; Howard Ellis, Nebraska; Harry Snodgrass, New Mexico; Al Denver, New York; Hirsh de

LaViez, Washington, D. C.; Jimmy Tolisano, Connecticut; Clint Pierce, Wisconsin; Clem Stetson, California; William Blatt, Florida; George Workman, Eastern Pennsylvania; Gene Atkinson, Kansas; Budge Wright, Oregon; Phil Levin, Illinois; Victor Ostergren, Indiana; Dick Steinberg, New Jersey; Leo C. Miller, Iowa; and Tommy Withrow, Texas.

"There will be others appointed on various committees at a later date," stated Miller. "However, this particular group will handle the general affairs of the entire convention. It will be noted that committeemen have been chosen from all parts of the United States, and this, of course, will instill the interest of the music operators in these particular districts, better assuring a large attendance of music operators."

All reservations and exhibits will be handled by George A. Miller and Ray Cunliffe, either thru the national headquarters at 128 East 14th Street, Oakland, Calif., or thru Ray Cunliffe, 3018 East 91st Street, Chicago, Ill.

Hirsh de LaViez is the general chairman for entertainment, and Al Denver heads the reception committee, and will be in charge of the MOA headquarters on the exhibit floor. There will be committeemen to accept applications of all music operators desiring to become members of MOA at this particular exhibit.

A committee, which is exploring and making a thoro study of a copyright organization to be sponsored by MOA, is made up of Clint Pierce, Les Montooth, Ray Cunliffe, Al Denver, Harry Snodgrass and George A. Miller.

The public relations committee consists of Wes Elster, Larry Marvin, Al Denver, Gordon Stout, Dick Steinberg and Howard Ellis.

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Phil Holdman Wins Award

CHICAGO—Phil Holdman of James H. Martin, Inc., record wholesalers, won the award for the best service from Apex Cigarette Service Company of this city.

This operating firm makes an award each year to the salesman of the firm that gives them the most outstanding service.

Earl Kiess, who heads the entire Apex service organization, reported: "This year our award went to Phil Holdman because we found that the services and the delivery of recordings which he arranged for our firm were the most outstanding."

Holdman received his award at a

very fine party given by the firm for all of its employees.

Most outstanding part of this employees party was the show which the employees put on and which was managed by Dan Russo.

Everyone who attended is still talking about the show. It is believed that this will now become an annual feature of the firm.

Said Earl Kiess, "Certainly this was one of the most outstanding parties we, at Apex, have ever given for all of our employees."

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Out Of Town Coinmen Attend Miami Banquet



MIAMI BEACH, FLA.—While attending the 3rd annual banquet of the Amusement Machine Operators Association, held in the Saxony Hotel, this city, (story "The Cash Box", Dec. 26 issue) a group of Florida's foremost coinmen and some of their distinguished guests from out of town were gathered together for a photograph.

Pictured, left to right: Phil Robinson, Los Angeles, Calif., ChiCoin West Coast representative; Bob Bear, sales manager of The Rudolph Wurlitzer Company; Ted Bush, Bush Distributing Company (Wurlitzer distrib); Ron Rood, Southern Music Company (AMI distrib); Jack Mitnick, AMI regional representative; Willie Blatt, president of AMOA; Joe Mangone, All-Coin Amusements (Gottlieb distrib); Si Wolfe, Wolfe Distributing Company (Seeburg distrib); Eli Ross, Ross Distributing Company (Rock-Ola distrib); Morty Weinberger, Southern Automatic Music Company, Louisville, Ky.; Sam Taran, Taran Distributing Company; and Gordon Horlich, Williams Manufacturing Company.

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JOHNNY BILOTTA

NEWARK, N.Y.—Johnny Bilotta, head of Bilotta Distributing Company and Eastern Sales Company, this city, spread a lot of holiday good cheer around this town on Sunday, December 20.

Early in the afternoon, a group of 1,000 kiddies gathered at the Community House. This party is sponsored by the Community House and the Knights of Columbus, and Bilotta contributes the toys and supplies the entertainment. Kids are loaded with gifts, candy, pop, ice cream, food, etc. Eddie Meath, one of the leading disk jockeys brings his "Spotlight Review", which makes merry for the youngsters.

Starting at 6:30 P.M., Bilotta, Len Levy, manager of Eastern Sales, and their complete staff of employees and families, hosted some 150 operators and their wives from Western New York at Caruso's Restaurant, this city. The guests had a sensational time, according to Bilotta, partaking of the sumptuous prime beef dinner and drinks, as well as being entertained by Eddie Meath's gang, the Len Hawley band and the Rose City Trio.

Members of the Bilotta and Eastern staffs who assisted in seeing to it that their guests had a good time were: Jack Showcross, general manager; James Bilotta; Anthony Bilotta; Harry Reiners; George Foley; Alfred Renzi; Robert Colorocco; Vern Bradley; Neil Barard; Ralph Carlise; Nick Critelli; Tom Critelli; Anthony Comella; Ken Filleppelo; Alice Moseley; and Mary Zappia, Bilotta's right arm, and who, as usual, was the life of the party.

Meeting Dates Of Music Operators' Associations

- Dec. 28—Central States Music Guild
Place: 805 Main Street, Peoria, Ill.
- 28—Dallas Music Operators' Assn.
Place: Big Pete's, 5001 Lover's Lane, Dallas, Tex.
- 29—Phonograph Merchants' Assn., Cleveland, Ohio
Place: Hollenden Hotel, Cleveland, Ohio (executive board).
- 29—Amusement Machine Assn. of Philadelphia, Inc.
Place: Broadwood Hotel, Broad & Wood Sts., Phila., Pa.
- 29—Western Massachusetts Music Guild, Ralph Ridgeway
Place: Ivy House, West Springfield, Mass.
- Jan. 4—California Music Guild
Place: 311 Club, 311 Broadway, Oakland, Calif.
- 4—Amusement Machine Operators of Baltimore
Place: Mandell-Ballow Restaurant, 5435 Reisterstown Rd., Baltimore, Md.
- 7—Northeastern Ohio Phonograph Operators' Assn.
Place: 113 South State St., Painesville, Ohio
- Jan. 7—Phonograph Merchants' Assn., Cleveland, Ohio
Place: Hollenden Hotel, Cleveland, Ohio (General).
- 7—California Music Guild
Place: Sacramento Hotel, Sacramento, Calif.
- 7—Eastern Ohio Phonograph Operators' Assn.
Place: Tod Hotel, Youngstown, Ohio (General).
- 12—California Music Guild
Place: Fresno Hotel, Fresno, Calif.
- 13—California Music Guild
Place: Bakersfield Inn, Highway 99, Bakersfield, Calif.
- 13—New York State Operators' Guild
Place: Governor Clinton Hotel, Kingston, N. Y.
- 14—California Music Guild
Place: U. S. Grant Hotel, San Diego, Calif.
- 18—Westchester Operators' Guild, Inc.
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- 21—Eastern Ohio Phonograph Operators' Assn.
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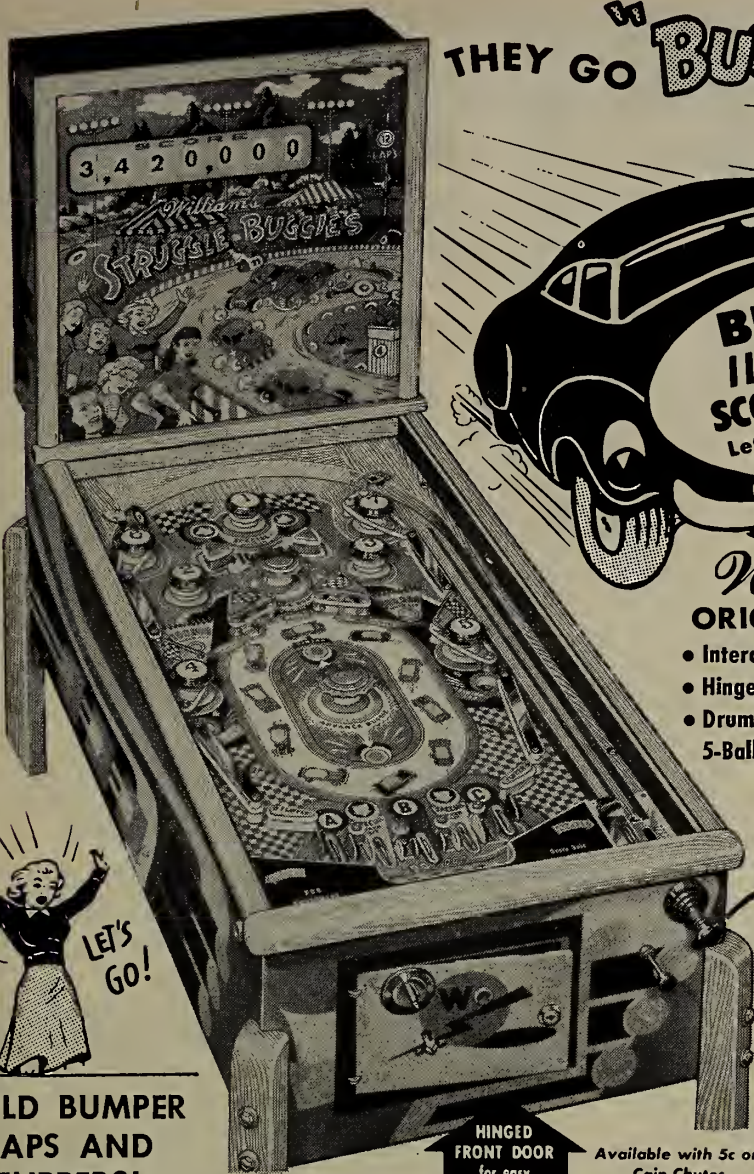
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UPPER MID-WEST MUSINGS

John Galep of Menomonie, Wisc. while in town picking up some supplies for his route told the boys all about the big train wreck which occurred in Menomonie just the day before. . . . Walter Fischer of Pipestone, Minn. has started to lose some of that heavy sun tan that he acquired during the summer working on his farm. Walter is hard at it now taking care of his locations. . . . Joe Totzke of Fairmont, Minn. is certainly the early bird because whenever he comes into the Twin Cities he gets in early and sometimes before the distributors are even open or just as they are opening up. . . . Out Huron, S. D. way there has been a route split up. Darlow Maxwell of Huron sold out his share of the M & S Music Company to his partners Ted Salvesson Sr. and Jr. Darlow will still maintain his route in Huron proper. . . . Frank Phillips of Winona, Minn. has been very busy of late getting his locations lined up with the right equipment in them. . . . Andy Benna made the long trip into the Twin Cities from Ironwood, Mich. to pick up some supplies and equipment for his route. . . . We regret to report the death of Russel Volding of Jackson, Minn. Russel suffered a fatal heart attack. . . . Don Smith of Sioux Falls, S. D. was seen in town squiring a very attractive lady. Since Don is a single man he is immune from the gag "who was that gal you were with last night." . . . Lawrence Sieg of Augusta, Wisc., was in town looking over the latest in bowling games. . . . Bob Wenzel of Automatic Games and Supply Company, St. Paul, Minn. reports that Genco's Shuffle Pool is going great guns. . . . In from the St. Cloud area were Frank Betz, Jeff Kost, Jerry Hardwig, and C. B. Sersen. . . . Seen in the Twin Cities picking up supplies and records for their routes were Glen Rackliff of Superior, Wisc.; Ben Jahnke of Hutchinson, Minn.; John Czerniak of the Ace Music Company, Duluth, Minn.; John Howe of Foley, Minn.; L. I. Harris of Enderlin, N. D.; Gordon Dunn of Moose Lake, Minn.; Elmer Van House of Cresco, Ia.; and Pete Wornson of Mankato, Minn.

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As I See It

A Weekly Column
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AL SCHLESINGER



How many operators know what an Electra-muse is? Well, I recently learned that it was the first coin operated amplified phonograph placed on the market. That was in 1927, and it was manufactured by the firm of Holcomb & Hoke. It operated on five cent play and sold for \$1250. Jean Minthorne who with his wife now operate the Minthorne Music Co. in Los Angeles was a distributor for this firm until about 1930. He thereafter operated about 100 of these phonos in and about Indianapolis until he assumed the regional sales managers job for J. P. Seeberg Corp. in the states of Indiana and Kentucky. When Homer Capehart burst forth with his original Capehart phono, Jean switched lines and had the same kind of a position in the same territory for Capehart. In 1935, Jean and Dolores moved to Los Angeles where they became the distributor for the O. D. Jennings line. In 1936 the late Jack R. Moore induced the Minthornes to manage his branch office in Los Angeles. This they continued to do when Ed Mapes came along in 1938 with a deal to manage his office. By 1940 the Minthornes decided they wanted to run their own office and Rock-Ola appointed them distributors. They handled this line until 1944 when they switched to the J. P. Seeberg line. They have been distributors for this line right up to the present day.

The Minthornes have accumulated years of coin machine experience. The terrific job they are doing today is based on years of hard work in the field as operators and distributors. They know from first hand experience what every operator will have to contend with out in the field. They have built an immense selling organization with the coin operated line. Their main office and sales-room is located in Los Angeles and a branch office is located in Phoenix, Ariz. They have also opened two additional offices; one in Beverly Hills and the other in Palm Springs, for the exclusive sale of the non-coin operated models. The showrooms are beautifully furnished and they are using a large staff to exploit this product. There are sixty employees in the Minthorne organization and it is growing. Robert Weber is advertising manager, George Mahlum is in charge of the non-coin operated line, Hank Tronik is the sales manager of the Los Angeles office, John Reese is manager of the Phoenix, Ariz. office, Wayne Davis is in charge of finance and Vincent Parkuski is the controller.

As I see it, the Minthorne organization took years in the building. They can well recall the many lean years when the future of the phonograph business was anything but rosy. But by having faith and tenacity they struggled and suffered but never lost hope in but what the day would come when the juke box would fill a very definite need. With all the great changes that have taken place in the phonograph business in the past twenty-five years, Dolores and Jean Minthorne can look back and say "It Was Worth It".

Miami Tavern Promotes Juke Box Play

MIAMI, FLA.—One of the taverns in this city, a location covered by Willie Blatt of Supreme Distributors, is highly promotion minded. Printed herewith is a card containing a poem he hands out to his customers:

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THRU THE COIN CHUTE CALIFORNIA CLIPPINGS LOS ANGELES

Phil Robinson returned from his trip to Florida with a nice tan. While there he visited the Florida operators association and was treated royally by Ted Bush, Wurlitzer and Chi-Coin distributor, Roy Bazelon and Al Schlesinger. Phil says that even with its smog and fog California is still a great place to come home to. Upon his return he had a nice visit with Norman Rothchild, former Wurlitzer distributor, who is now in the investment business with First California Company in Beverly Hills. . . . Throughout the holiday season Minthorne Music Company was the gayest place along coinrow. Merrymakers congregated in the Jean and Dolores "Alibi Room" where between sips of scotch and sodee they sang Christmas carols. . . . Meanwhile over on South Catalina Street another gay party was staged by Al Hanlin, Atsie Stein, Mort Leeman and Max Moore. Many operators and friends attended. . . . Preston Jarrell, office manager for Aubrey Stemler, factory representative for Eastern Electric, Inc., hopes that during '54 they will be able to get more shipments of the new "Electro" cigarette machines to meet the demands. Stemler returned from a business trip to San Francisco just in time for the holidays. . . . Charley Robinson had a big end of the year rush over at C. A. Robinson & Co. All the excitement was caused by United's new "Leader" Shuffle Alley. He says he just hasn't been able to get enough of them. Al Bettelman stated that, at least, 90% of all shuffle games, both new and used, are now on dime play locally. . . . Pat McCann offers a unique service to the operators. When he gets service calls from great distances away he rents an airplane and flies to the destination. He says that he gets there several hours quicker and is back at his home in Santa Monica much faster than if he drove a car. He added that by cutting down on time he can still keep his rates at a minimum. Pat intends to extend his flying service and buy his own airplane during the new year.

With more than a foot of snow covering the Sierra-Nevada mountain range, it attracted many Southern Californians over the holidays. Ray Powers of Badger Sales Company took to the snow with his family for Yuletide get-togethers at Lake Tahoe. Meanwhile Fred Gaunt and family took to their retreat in the desert at 29 Palms. Pete Ley has joined the sales force at Badger Sales Company and will handle the San Joaquin Valley territory. . . . Al Cohn, prexy of Trico Music Company, has been buying up those new Seeburg "Hi-Fi" juke boxes to set out on his route. . . . Jack Faust, Santa Ana, is now out of the hospital and up and around after an operation for a back injury. . . . Missed Lyn Brown but saw him driving up West Pico with Exhibit's "Rudolph The Red Nosed Reindeer" sticking out of his truck. The Yuletide season is always a big time of the year for Lyn and his kiddie rides business. . . . Jack Simon and John Freeman at Simon Distributing Company were a couple of guys that had been plenty busy these past few weeks. Although they usually expect a slight drop in business this time of year they report that things have held up very well this year. . . . Jack Owens visited with Mary and Kay Solle at Leuenhagen's Record Bar recently. He was plugging his now song "Think" which he composed and also recorded. . . . At the Paul A. Laymon Co., Lucille Laymon stated that she wants to pass on the very best wishes for this new year and to thank everyone for making 1953 the successful year it was. . . . Thomas H. Sams, AMI's new district sales representative for the Western region, was in town visiting with the crew at Badger Sales Company. He will make his headquarters in San Francisco. . . . Many visitors dropped in along coinrow to take care of their end of the year business. Lucille and Blaine Toller drove in from Blythe to take in the town and visit along coinrow. B. L. Butcher came all the way in from Yuma, Arizona to visit along the boulevard. Dale Freeman treked in from El Centro on business. Joe Guyon came in from Catalina Island to visit along coinrow. He has an arcade in Catalina and also runs a number of juke boxes scattered about the Island. . . . Other visitors included Russ Hendricks, Hanford; Ted Mayer, Santa Barbara; Al Martinez, Santa Maria; Wayne Guill, Bakersfield; Steve Andrew, Lompoc; Ernie Stone, San Diego; Irv Gayer, San Bernardino; Harry Beerine, Oceanside; Sal Campagna, Fontana; C. B. Ellison, Lancaster; S. L. Griffin, Pomona; Walter Hennings, Santa Ana; George Key, Crestline and George Kirby from Riverside. Jack Gutshall was in from Corona shopping around and picking up equipment for his route.

At Dan Stewart Company caught Johnny Kaigler and "Blackie" Davis hard at work in the service department. Dora Mandas tried to balance the books between interruptions from frequent visitors. Missed Bob Bever who was out on another business jaunt. . . . At California Music Company things were rather quiet on the 26th. The doors were closed but you could see Sam Ricklin working away taking inventory. Even when a three day holiday comes along Sam always finds other things to keep him busy.

MIAMI MURMURS

Party Patter: The A.M.O.A. Dinner-Dance was a complete sellout. The Pagoda Room at the Saxony held about 350 and all late comers were turned away. Plans for next year are to obtain a larger room so as to accommodate a larger crowd. . . . Entertainment consisted of Patti Page, Nino the Great Yacavino, the entire show of the Saxony, its rhumba band, and other entertainers currently appearing in Miami clubs. . . . Out of towners who attended were Morton Weinberger of Southern Automatic Music Co., Louisville, Ky.; Bob Bear, Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Sy Wolfe, Seeburg Distributor; Ron Rood, Rock-Ola Distributor; Dan Moloney, Bally Manufacturing Co.; Mr. & Mrs. Phil Robinson, West Coast distributors for Chicago Coin, who took advantage of our delightful weather and are returning to Los Angeles with a terrific coat of tan; Mr. & Mrs. Al Schlesinger, in Miami for the season, also attended the affair. . . . Missed Mr. & Mrs. (Shugy) Shugerman and Mr. & Mrs. Bill Gersh. However, both have promised to visit in January.

Murmurs: Ted Bush, Ozzie Truppmann and Bob Bear were hosts at a cocktail party before the A.M.O.A. dinner. They feted about 400 guests with hors d'oeuvres and refreshments requiring the services of three bartenders. . . . Mr. & Mrs. Herman Perrin drove into town for a two-week vacation. Herman says he is coming back here to retire some day. . . . Jack Pearl the latest New Yorker to make Miami his home. . . . Dan Moloney, who checked into the Saxony for one day to attend the A.M.O.A. affair and flew out the next morning, promised to return in January for a few weeks. . . . Eddie Lane flew in for the opening of the Fun Fair. The Fair is a most attractive place and will be a big spot for the tourists. It contains an arcade, an automatic archery, a miniature golf course, a crib in the bay that has been stocked with all kinds and sizes of fish. The tourist is guaranteed to catch a fish. It is impossible to describe and must be seen to be appreciated.

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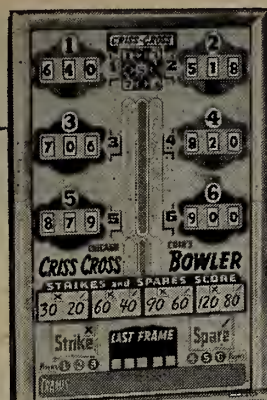
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CHICAGO—"Competition will be the most oft-heard word in '54," is the belief of a great majority of the coinbiz leaders here.

Even mention of the word, "competition," brings a gleam to the eyes of many in this coincenter.

Once again it's the old, competitive instinct arising to the challenge of successful selling, as well as in the fact of who will prove the more efficient, more intelligent, outstanding operator.

The word, "competition," has everyone here getting up on their toes once again, ready to wage the battle of 1954 for a better, more prosperous year.

It seems, from all conversation here that, if anything at all, the word, "competition," is working miracles thruout almost every organization.

Even tho this is still the worst labor shortage area in the nation the manufacturers are planning far in advance. Some are reported to be ready to blossom forth with new equipment.

The operators also realize that competition will become much more keen than it has been these past years. They are waking up their organizations to more efficient, finer service methods, while preparing to insure their

locations with the kind of equipment which will maintain their locations during 1954.

Distributors here are preparing to launch sales programs which will include employment of roadmen to beat the bushes and to also bring in the business regardless of whatever the competition.

They're getting up and out of their offices. They're personally visiting customers.

It seems like the "old days" here in Chicago, as the industry awakens to the challenge of stiffer, keener, tougher "competition," and plans to circumvent, or defeat it, at every turn.

Tho all state that "competition" will be the most oft-heard word during '54 it seems, from all present indications, that all seem to be satisfied that this will be the case.

For all the outstanding operators, distributors and manufacturers, too, seem to realize that the so-called "moneymoon" is over, and that one and all will have to get out and work to prove their leadership.

My Journey Through Coinland

By Al Schlesinger

Part Two

There appears to be a definite revival of miniature golf courses throughout the west and southwest. In California particularly, most of the beach resorts now have one or more courses. It has been a great outlet for operators who have supplied machines of various types including some kiddie rides. The machines most noted were of the arcade type with shuffle alleys and some pinball games. If this revival spreads throughout the country; and it appears to me to have every indication; it should be of a distinct benefit to live-wire operators to tie in with the owners of these courses. At the present time one huge course is being built at Miami Beach, Fla. and its investment is really terrific. A very prominent coin man is behind this project. A special building is going to house the various types of amusement games. Other features will include a separate building housing a food and drink concession plus a new and novel idea in the form of a miniature lake of constant ocean water fenced in so that the customer will have an opportunity to cast a line in and all the fish will be tagged with various amounts the angler will receive if he can land his fish. Not to be overlooked is a spacious parking lot that will accommodate at least 200 cars that will be free to the customers. As the idea spreads all over the country it appears to me that these miniature golf courses will prove one of the greatest outlets for games since the amusement park era.

Kiddie rides have reached a stage of stability. By that I mean they are not now being placed on location recklessly. Today an operator uses better judgment in placing this type of equipment. There has been a large service cost in the operation of these rides, particularly where they were placed on outdoor locations. Well, kids being kids they went at some of these rides with all the violence at their command and the result has been that these rides have to be taken into the shop every once in a while to be repainted and repaired. In many cities I visited there was a certain trend toward opening kiddielands. These were generally situated in the outskirts of the cities and may yet become one of the leading outlets for kiddie rides. I believe 1954 will see those operators who have stabilized their locations, do considerably better than they did in the previous year.

In all my travels I was unable to locate an operator of penny scales. It was amazing to me to see the large number of these on outdoor locations, throughout the country, particularly in the south and the southwest. In one small town in Texas, I counted twenty-one scales on outdoor locations in the town square. They were in every fifth doorway or store entrance. This did not include three drug stores that had their scales indoors. In Miami, Florida, there are some areas that have several to the block, all outdoors. They all appear to be of the latest models and I regret that I could

not interview an operator to learn more about one of the oldest segments of the coin machine industry.

The latest vendors of penny charms, chlorophyll gum etc. are to be seen by the thousands. Indoors and outdoors these vendors are proving very attractive to small fry. Somebody is going to come along one of these days and really dress up these machines to make them more appealing than ever. It seems to me the market is wide open for it.

One of the greatest strides in cementing good relations between the factory and the operator were the traveling schools that have been roving all over the country in 1953. There has been a positive need for skilled mechanics for a long long time. The various types of equipment being manufactured today requires experienced mechanics with electronic knowledge. I hope that in 1954 the manufacturers will set up a permanent school in one corner of their factories and make arrangements with their distributors to train a certain number of mechanics weekly or semi-weekly. Some plan could be worked out whereby the distributor would be allocated so many mechanics weekly or semi-weekly, and the schedule so arranged that the factories would receive a new batch of men as per arrangements. The question of cost is a very important one and I suggest that the factories pay all the expenses. This would indeed run into a very large amount of money. It would be an expense that would be deductible and the amount of money spent would be paid back two and three fold. The amount of good will and advertising will be reflected in the additional sales a factory would make. If we are to get more and more machines of an advanced electronic nature, then surely we must have mechanics who understand this. The factories that set up schools to train mechanics are actually furthering not only their interests but also helping operators to understand their products better. An operator who can repair his own equipment is certainly more valuable to the factory; for he will then have no fear of buying that factory's products.

The picture I have painted to my readers is the direct result of my travels. If there be fear among some operators, it is the result of changing conditions and the inability of locations to absorb high priced equipment. The men who head our great manufacturing plants are cold blooded realists. They must be. They don't put cash on the line without believing in the future prosperity of the country. While the headlines are telling of slight recessions, the coin machine manufacturers are going ahead in 1954 with plans for one of the greatest years they have ever enjoyed. My hope is that operators will follow this optimism through the new year and enjoy the opportunities and profits, like the distributors and manufacturers hope to do.



This is the week that is given over to fun and frolic by the wholesalers and many of the operating firms. The operating companies, of course, are at their busiest, checking locations to be sure they have the proper music machines and records, and the games firms making sure that locations have the proper amusement machines, and that they are in perfect working order. Action along coinrow limited mostly to emergency calls from ops who need this and that.

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The 4th Annual Dinner-Dance of the Associated Amusement Machine Operators of N. Y., held at the Latin Quarters, Sunday night, December 20, gave coinmen the opportunity to gather for a good time, and at the same time express their Xmas and New Year greetings to their friends and associates. It was a tremendously successful party from every viewpoint. The largest attendance in the history of the association was recorded—the souvenir journal was bigger than previous years—and the guests had their most enjoyable evening. The only note of sadness was the absence of George Ponser, business manager, who was home ill, recuperating from bronchial pneumonia. Claire Morano, George's most able assistant, carried on, and there wasn't the slightest hitch in the proceedings. Wholesale firms were most generous in presenting gifts—Dave Simon and United placed a bottle of liquor at every table—Al Simon and ChiCoin and Genco handed out an ingenious miniature metal pen and pencil set to the women, and a cigarette lighter to the men—Harry Berger gave out perfume to the women, and a mechanical pen to the men. . . . We have never attended an affair where so many of our friends were dispensing such joyous news of a personal nature. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Semel were beaming as they introduced their beautiful daughter, Eleanor and her fiancée, Si Yuter, who will be married shortly. And son, "Happy" Herb Semel and his wife, who soon will increase the Semel's brood of grandchildren. . . . Milt Green and the "expectant" Elsie Green, who are happily looking toward the great event in April. And they also announced the engagement of their daughter, Myra, to Micky Grobman to take place on Xmas day. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Irv Fenichel had a double celebration Sunday, Dec. 20. Their daughter Janette Lee, was given a big party celebrating her 16th birthday, and the couple celebrated their 17th wedding anniversary at the same time. . . . Harry Rosen's daughter, Mrs. Judith Singer, expecting some time in April. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brodsky, the perennial youngsters, expect another grandchild, also in April. . . . Dave Rosen of Phila., looking ahead to June, when his son will be bar mitzvohed. . . . And the younger generation—the sons of Nat Cohn and Barney Sugarman escorting beautiful gals to the party. Gary Cohn, home on furlough from Scott Field, brings Barbara Wagner with him; and Nate Sugarman, home for the holidays from Bucknell University, is accompanied by Shelia Berger.

Al Denver, president of the music operators association, attends the games ops' party, the first time he leaves his home in a week, due to a virus attack. . . . Ben Becker and Kate, arrive a little late. Ben just off a plane from Chicago, where he attended the Bally factory party. Prior to flying to Chicago, Becker spent several days in Montreal seeing the trade. . . . The winner of the 100 piece Rogers Silver set, donated by L. Thaler & Co., was a guest of Lou Rosenberg. The number was drawn from a fishbowl by Barnet Tannenbaum, assn. prexy. . . . Bill Bolles, traveling representative for Simon Sales, comes off the road for the affair. . . . Jack Tashman, whom all the old-timers will remember, attending the first banquet in 13 years. Jack, who was the first secretary of the old pin game assn., had been out of the coin biz for the past 13 years, and has just returned, buying out the route of Barnet Tannenbaum. . . . Al Maniaci happy he can bring along Mrs. Maniaci, as illness kept her away from the recent music ops' banquet. . . . Stanley Feldman, who always attends all functions, missed this year. Thelma, his wife, slipped in her kitchen, and broke a few ribs.

Due to the fact that the dinner started early, and the show followed immediately after, but mostly as the tables, were set so closely to each other, and it was practically impossible to walk between them, we weren't able to "visit" with our friends as much as we would have liked. We also missed seeing some of our good friends, and if we fail to mention their names in the list that follows, we ask their forgiveness. We remember seeing: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Siskind; Sidney Mittleberg; Phil Raisen; Joe Kochansky; Teddy Blatt; Arthur Herman; Aaron Herman; Harry Wasserman; Lou Price; Al Koondel; Al and Frances Bodkin; Bob Jacobs; Phil Greitzer; Willie Aaronson; Lou Hirsch; Irv and Mary Kaye; Mr. and Mrs. Morris Rood; Mr. and Mrs. Lou Wolberg; Mr. and Mrs. Irving Kempner; Mr. and Mrs. Meyer Parkoff; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rosen and their teen-aged daughter; Sidney and Nan Levine; Mr. and Mrs. Sol Tabb; Hy Jaffe; Mr. and Mrs. Moe Bitter; Harry Ross, Bill Parker; Ben Robbins; Vincent Cappezzola; Jerry Folkart; Mac Greitzer; Sandy Warner; Jerry Miller; Bart Hartnett; Sol Wholman; Murray Wollman; Murray Koepfel; Mike and Rose Munves; Al D'Ilizio; Sol Gottlieb (who came in from Chicago); the ever pleasant Irv Morris from Newark, N. J.; and Howard Herman.

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We would like to report on another party—that held by Atlantic-New York Corp., for its employees, family and friends, on Saturday night, Dec. 20, at the Belmont Plaza Hotel. The entire organization's personnel, from all three offices—New York, Newark, N. J., and Hartford, Conn., were present. Harry Rosen and Meyer Parkoff acted as Santa Clauses, and dispensed gifts for all. There was music and dancing, and entertainment by variety acts and recording artists. "This was, without question, the best and most enjoyable party we've ever held" chuckled Harry Rosen. "Even I sang a song," he smiled, "and you know, something like this has never happened before."

THRU THE COIN CHUTE CHICAGO CHATTER

Almost everyone is back in town. To greet the Holidays at their own fireside. With their own family. Those who came here, to take care of various matters, have also dashed for home. Like Frank Mencuri of ChiCoin. Frank's on his way home to Los Angeles. He'll spend the holidays there. And will work his way back to our town. Frank believes that '54 will be one of the very best years for all the industry. Also an optimist, as far as '54 is concerned, is Ed Levin, sales director of Chicago Coin. Ed believes that some of the "very best products" will be seen this coming year. He also believes that the trade is in a better position. And that the entire industry is going to continue growing—bigger and better than ever. . . . Now that most of the younger men in the industry have read the statements of the coinbiz' old timers, the members of The Cash Box' "20 Year Club," there is no doubt that they'll have a lot of food for tho't in those statements which, we hope, they'll digest over the forthcoming weekend, and then write us what THEY think. Only by truth. By getting the facts off your chest. Can you, and everyone else, help the entire industry to progress.

Received a very fine letter from an old, old timer. Ed Ravreby, of the Boston Ravreby's. Who feels very, very keenly about the "20 Year Club." Ed believes, most sincerely, that the "20 Year Club" is destined to help the entire industry. He suggests that the members get together once a year "and talk things out for the benefit of all concerned." (What do you think?) . . . Art Weinand has been a very, very busy fellow. Art has his three children to take care of every Xmas. And he has a lot of thinking to do regarding just what to give each of the kids. They're among the most intelligent youngsters you've ever met. So that gives some idea of what Art's up against when it comes to Xmas presents for the trio. . . . Always get a big kick out of those "General Sales Bulletins" that Bill FitzGerald of AMI sends out. Always has something that just seems to have that yoomph to get the necessary attention to the things he has to say.

Jack Nelson, general sales manager of Bally, probably put it best for the whole Bally organization when he stated, "There's no let-up. Holiday season or not. All the executives, and all others, are on the job. We've got a zillion things to do." Of all the firm's execs the only division taking it somewhat easy are Bally's district managers: Ben Becker is back in Brooklyn to enjoy the Holidays with his family. Phil Weinberg is in Dallas at home with his gang. Ralph Nicholson is back in town and especially thrilled with his newest one year old. Art Garvey is just a good, old fashioned Grandpappy when it comes to Xmas and, as always, plays Santa Claus for the grandchildren. Dan Moloney is home, too, and having a ball for himself. In the meantime, all the other execs of the Bally organization are hard at work. What with inventory and increasing sales. . . . Johnny Casola of United, is back in town, too, and tho Johnny complains that he has "so much work out on the road to complete," we secretly believe that he's very happy to be happy with his Muriel for the Holidays.

Though Herb Oettinger of United and his family are enjoying Dude Ranch life in Arizona (by the way, Herb took along his new golf clubs) Bill DeSelm, Ray Riehl and Lyn Durant are on the job and production is booming for the firm with three new shuffle alleys going joosta like mad. . . . Vince Shay most completely agrees with The Cash Box that the big job for the phono biz this forthcoming year will be to just clear out the 165,000 prewar phonos that are blocking off that many locations throuth the U.S.A. Says Vince, "On my last visit to Eagle River, Wisconsin, I was just stunned at some of the old clunkers still on locations in this very outstanding and beautiful resort country."

Our very talented, roving correspondent, Al Schlesinger, will spend the winter down at the Croydon Arms Hotel in Miami Beach, Fla. So-o-o-o if you plan to visit sunny Miami this winter, why not first drop a line to Al and tell him where you'll stay, so that he can say "Hello" for all of us of "The Cash Box"? . . . So many of the Miami coinmen asked for us and tho't perhaps we were sick, or something, because we didn't get down to be with them at their annual affair, let's just say, "we were busy as hell." That's the fact, gang. . . . In a few weeks expect an announcement from Morrie and Eddie Ginsberg about the grand opening of the Atlas Music Building. . . . Don Moloney (that dancing boy) and his very charming Nancy, all hepped up over the big and successful dance that just happened last week. . . . Four guys we just simply bow to when it comes to hard work. Empire's Gil Kitt, Howie Freer, Stan Levin and Vince Shay. . . . Haven't hoid a woid from Charley "Little Jimmy" Johnson. . . . And where's Hoibie Poikins of Poivevoir? . . . Len Micon one of the scootiest guys we've ever seen—to sell Rock-Ola's new "Comet"—here and there and everywhere.

Wanna visit a grand bunch of people? Drop over at ABT and see Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tratsch, Bill Patzer and George Kozy. . . . Dick Hood, Jr., Rex Shriver, Les Rieck and Fred Morris getting set for H. C. Evans' greatest year. . . . Avron Gensburg, Sam Lewis and Ralph Sheffield a trio with optimistic confidence because they believe Genco's "got it" for '54. . . . And all the Gottlieb's: Dave, Nate, Sol and Alvin, including Jud of the Weinstein Juds, are, they tell us, planning great plans with something new for all the Gottlieb distrib family. . . . Ted Rubenstein, one guy we love to talk to, and who seems to know what's what when it comes to many and many things, is going right on ahead. . . . There's a great bunch of people over at J. P. Seeburg Corp.

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Sam Stern away for a little of that Arizona sunshine. But, like other execs, will probably be on the phone, at least once a day, with Williams' offices here and—he'll be back at his desk before you know it. . . . One of the swellest youngsters we've ever met, and a real credit to his dad, Phil Weisman, is Morton Weisman. We found Morty ambitiously working away at the art counter of Marshall Field's during the holidays when we dropped over to buy some gifts. A gentleman in every way. . . . New firm, Orange Crystals, Inc., formed at Plant City, Fla., will reduce orange juice to crystals which, by simply adding water, becomes orange juice again. Doesn't need refrigeration or special handling. Firm was organized by Vacu-Dry Co. of Oakland, Calif. Sounds like a natural product for the drink dispensers. . . . Action has been delayed on the proposed licensing of cigarette machines because of sudden opposition from the newly formed Chicago Civic League. Eugene C. McIntyre, listed as executive director, was quoted as telling aldermen "the tobacco dealers" hired him. Philip Fuchs, head of the Chicago Assn. of Tobacco Distributors, said he knew nothing about it.

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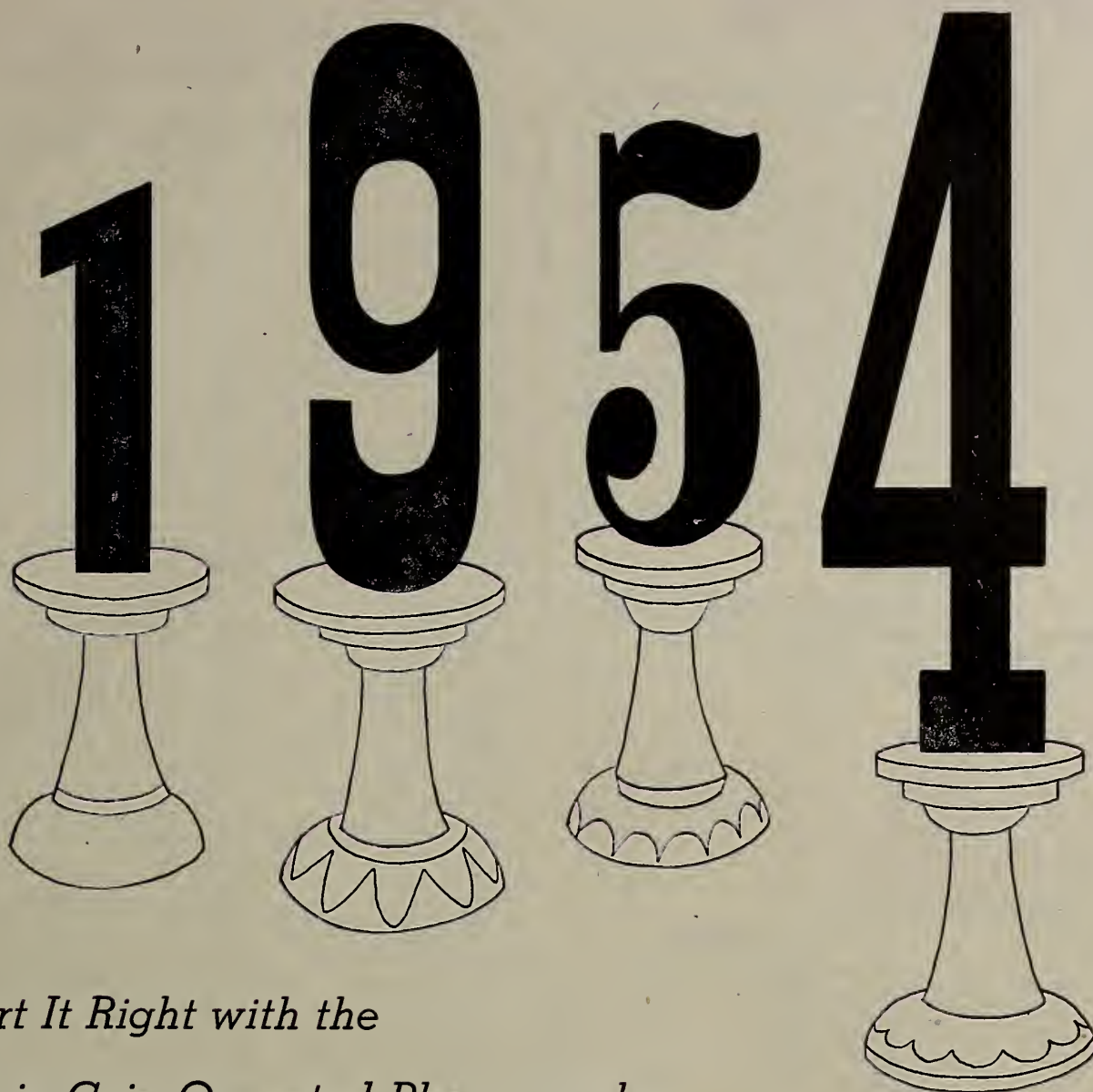
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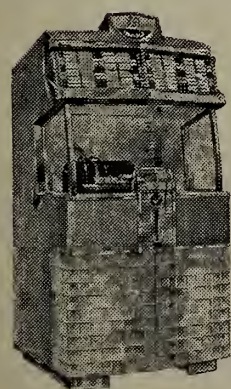
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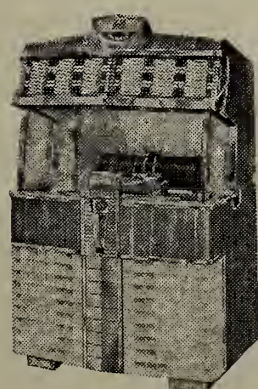


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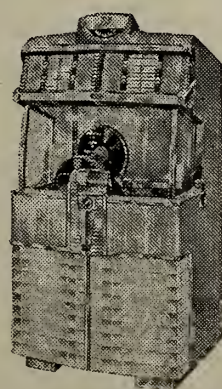
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Table listing various pinball games with columns for game name, manufacturer code, and prices. Includes titles like 'ABC', 'Across the Board', 'Ali Baba', etc.



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Table listing various phonograph models under categories: AIREON, AMI, BUCKLEY, MILLS, PACKARD, ROCK-OLA, SEEBURG, and MISCELLANEOUS. Includes models like 'Fiesta', 'Hi-Tone 9800', etc.

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4. Rag Mop (Wm 10/50)	20.00	49.50
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4. Ramona (Un 2/49)	20.00	39.00
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4. Red Shoes (Un 11/50)	15.00	25.00
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4. Screwball (Ge 8/48)	24.50	35.00
1. Sea Jockeys (Wm 11/51)	55.00	115.00
6. Sea Line (CC 11/47)	10.00	20.00
4. Select-A-Card (Got 4/50)	15.00	25.00
4. Serenade (Un 11/48)	19.50	34.50
4. Shanghai (CC 4/48)	10.00	20.00
1. Shantytown (Ex 10/49)	30.00	65.00
4. Sharpshooter (Got 5/49)	20.00	30.00
4. Shoo Shoo (Wm 2/51)	32.50	95.00
6. Short Stop (Ex 7/48)	10.00	20.00
4. Shoot the Moon (Wm 11/51)	45.00	60.00
4. Show Boat (Un 1/49)	10.00	20.00
4. Show Boat (Un 12/52)	210.00	300.00
4. Silver Skates (Wm 2/53)	95.00	135.00
6. Silver Streak (B 47)	10.00	20.00
4. Singapore (Un 11/47)	10.00	20.00
4. Skill Pool (Got 8/52)	125.00	175.00
2. Slugfest (Wm 3/52)	59.50	75.00
6. Smarty (Wm 12/46)	10.00	17.50
6. Smoky (Ex 1/47)	12.50	19.50
5. Snooks (Wm 6/51)	15.00	22.50
4. South Pacific (Ge 2/50)	30.00	69.00
4. Spark Plugs (Wm 9/51)	40.00	65.00
4. Special Entry (B '47)	29.50	35.00

4. Speedway (Wm 9/48)	10.00	20.00
4. Spinball (CC 5/48)	10.00	19.50
2. Spot Bowler (Got 10/50)	47.50	62.50
4* Spot-Lite (B 1/52)	75.00	175.00
4. Sportsman (Ge 2/51)	20.00	30.00
4. Sportsman (Wm 2/52)	30.00	35.00
4. Springtime (Ge 3/52)	25.00	35.00
6. Stage Door Canteen (Got 11/45)	10.00	20.00
1. Stardust (Un 5/48)	10.00	20.00
1. Stars (Un 6/52)	125.00	185.00
4. Starlight (Wm 3/53)	135.00	165.00
4. Steeple Chase (Un 1/52)	75.00	115.00
2. Stop & Go (Ge 3/51)	29.50	40.00
6. Stormy (Wm 1/48)	10.00	20.00
4. Summertime (Un 9/48)	25.00	34.50
4. Sunny (Wm 12/47)	10.00	20.00
2. Sunshine Park (B 12/52)	75.00	110.00
4. Super Hockey (CC 4/49)	20.00	45.00
6. Superliner (Got 7/46)	10.00	17.50
6. Superscore (CC 10/46)	10.00	20.00
6. Surf Queen (B '46)	10.00	19.50
6. Suspense (Wm 2/46)	14.50	20.00
6. Swanee (Ex 1/49)	10.00	20.00
4. Sweepstakes (Wm 1/52)	125.00	195.00
4. Sweetheart (Wm 5/50)	20.00	32.50
4. Tahiti (CC 10/49)	15.00	25.00
4. Tampico (Un 6/49)	25.00	45.00
4. Telecard (Got 1/49)	15.00	30.00
6. Temptation (CC 11/48)	15.00	24.50
4. Tennessee (Wm 2/48)	15.00	29.50
4. Thing (CC 2/51)	20.00	45.00
4. Three Feathers (Ge 5/49)	32.50	64.50
4. Three Four Five (Un 6/51)	50.00	75.00
4. Three Musketeers (Got 7/49)	25.00	40.00
4. Thrill (CC 9/48)	29.50	35.00
4. Times Square (Wm 4/53)	165.00	190.00
6. Tornado (Wm 4/47)	12.50	17.50
4. Touchdown (Un 1/52)	25.00	35.00
4. Trade Winds (Ge 3/48)	10.00	29.50
6. Treasure Chest (Ex 12/47)	10.00	20.00
4. Trinidad (CC 3/48)	15.00	35.00
1. Triple Action (Ge 1/48)	10.00	25.00
4. Triplets (Got 7/50)	30.00	65.00
2. TriScore (Ge 1/51)	25.00	35.00
6. Trophy (B 4/48)	20.00	35.00
4. Tropicana (Un 1/48)	10.00	20.00
4. Tropics (Un 7/53)	325.00	410.00
4. Tucson (Wm 1/49)	10.00	20.00
4. Tumbleweed (Ex 9/49)	15.00	25.00
2. Turf King (B 6/50)	30.00	75.00
4. Twenty Grand (Wm 12/52)	115.00	135.00
2. Utah (Un 7/49)	15.00	29.50
4. Vanities (Ex 2/47)	10.00	19.50
6. Victory Special (B 46)	15.00	30.00
4. Virginia (Wm 3/48)	10.00	20.00
4. Watch My Line (Got 9/51)	20.00	49.50
4. Whizz Kids (CC 3/52)	49.50	99.50
4. Wild West (Got 8/51)	100.00	145.00
2. Winner (Univ.)	20.00	50.00
4. Wisconsin (Un 3/48)	20.00	34.50
2* Yacht Club (B 6/53)	245.00	325.00
6. Yanks (Wm 4/48)	10.00	25.00
4. Zingo (Un 10/51)	30.00	60.00

4. Genco Bowling League (11/49)	15.00	20.00
4. Genco Baseball (5/50)	15.00	20.00
4. Genco Shuffle Target (7/51)	20.00	50.00
4. Genco 8-Player Rebound (9/51)	25.00	35.00
4. Gottlieb Bowlette (3/50)	15.00	40.00
4. Keeney Pin Boy (11/49)	15.00	20.00
4. Keeney Ten Pins (1/50)	15.00	20.00
4. Keeney ABC (2/50)	15.00	20.00
4. Keeney Lucky Strike (4/50)	20.00	30.00
4. Keeney King Pin (4/50)	20.00	30.00
4. Keeney Bowling Champ (4/50)	20.00	30.00
4. Keeney Duck Pins (6/50)	20.00	30.00
4. Keeney Double Bowler (8/50)	25.00	79.50
4. Keeney League Bowler (8/50)	50.00	75.00
4. Keeney 4-Way Bowler Attachment (12/50)	20.00	25.00
4. Keeney Big League (5/51)	70.00	115.00
4. Keeney 6-Player League (9/51)	75.00	165.00
4. Keeney DeLuxe League (3/52)	165.00	175.00
4. Keeney Super DeLuxe League (3/52)	70.00	195.00
1. Keeney High Score League (5/52)	75.00	169.50
4. Keeney Team Bowler (10/52)	229.50	305.00
4. Keeney Club Bowler (4/53)	325.00	375.00
4. Keeney Domino Bowler (5/53)	325.00	395.00
4. Keeney Carnival Bowler (5/53)	300.00	395.00
4. Rock-Ola Shuffle Lane (12/49)	15.00	20.00
4. Rock-Ola Shuffle Jungle (5/50)	20.00	30.00
4. United Shuffle Skill (6/49)	15.00	20.00
4. United Shuffle Alley (9/49)	15.00	20.00
4. United Super Shuffle Alley (1/50)	20.00	30.00

4. United Double Shuffle Alley (2/50)	20.00	30.00
4. United Shuffle Alley Express (3/50)	25.00	35.00
4. United Shuffle Slugger (6/50)	25.00	35.00
4. United 2-Player Express (6/50)	25.00	35.00
4. United Twin Shuffle Alley (7/50)	25.00	35.00
2. United Rebound (8/50)	30.00	39.50
4. United 4-Player Rebound (9/50)	59.50	125.00
4. United Twin Shufflecade (12/50)	50.00	125.00
4. United 5-Player (1/51)	69.50	145.00
4. United 6-Player (2/51)	69.50	100.00
1* United DeLuxe 6-Player (10/51)	125.00	195.00
2* United 6-Player Super (3/52)	185.00	235.00
4. United 4-Player Official (5/52)	150.00	250.00
1. United 6-Player Star (7/52)	250.00	295.00
2* United 10th Frame Star (9/52)	225.00	325.00
4. United 10th Frame Super (10/52)	250.00	300.00
2* United Cascade (2/53)	299.50	325.00
4. United Clover (2/53)	325.00	375.00
4. United Olympic (6/53)	365.00	395.00
1. United Classic (6/53)	365.00	425.00
4. Universal Twin (1/50)	15.00	20.00
4. Universal Super Twin (3/50)	30.00	40.00
4. Universal DeLuxe Twin (10/50)	30.00	40.00
4. Universal High Score (10/50)	30.00	75.00
4. Universal Bowlomatic (3/51)	35.00	45.00
4. Williams Twin Shuffle (12/49)	20.00	30.00
4. Williams Twin Shuffle (9 1/2) (2/50)	25.00	35.00
4. Williams Bowler (9 1/2) (3/50)	25.00	35.00
4. Williams Double Header (7/50)	30.00	35.00
4. Williams 5-Player Bowler (6/51)	40.00	50.00

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4. Bally Shuffle Bowler (9/49)	15.00	20.00
6. Bally Speed Bowler (2/50)	15.00	20.00
6. Bally Shuffle Champ (4/50)	20.00	30.00
4. Bally Hook Bowler (11/50)	20.00	65.00
4. Bally Baseball (5/51)	25.00	35.00
4. Bally Shuffle Line (7/51)	25.00	75.00
4. ChiCoin Bowling Alley (11/49)	25.00	55.00
4. ChiCoin Shuffle Baseball (4/50)	15.00	25.00
1. ChiCoin Bowling Classic (5/50)	29.50	60.00
4. ChiCoin Pin Bowler (6/50)	29.50	59.50
4. ChiCoin Trophy Bowl (7/50)	29.50	59.50
6. ChiCoin Ace Bowler, F. P. (8/50)	29.50	59.50
4. ChiCoin Pin Lite (9/50)	29.50	59.50

4. ChiCoin Horse-Shoes (5/51)	29.50	50.00
2. ChiCoin 6-Player (8/51)	95.00	125.00
4. ChiCoin King Pin (12/51)	90.00	150.00
4. ChiCoin 6-Player DeLuxe (5/52)	80.00	195.00
4. ChiCoin Match Bowler (6/52)	195.00	295.00
4. ChiCoin Bowl-A-Ball (10/52)	175.00	250.00
2. ChiCoin Match Bowl-A-Ball (11/52)	125.00	195.00
1* ChiCoin 10th Frame Special (12/52)	250.00	325.00
4. ChiCoin Name Bowler (1/53)	225.00	325.00
4. ChiCoin 10th Frame Double Score (3/53)	325.00	385.00
4. ChiCoin Crown (4/53)	295.00	385.00
4. ChiCoin Triple Score (6/53)	310.00	425.00
4. Exhibit Strike (6/51)	20.00	30.00
1. Exhibit Twin Rotation (5/52)	100.00	125.00

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4. ABT 6 Gun Rifle Range	450.00	600.00
6. Allite Strike 'N Sares	25.00	50.00
4. Boomerang	40.00	45.00
4. Bally Big Inning	79.50	150.00
6. Bally Bowler	49.50	69.50
6. Bally Convoy	47.50	79.50
4. Bally Defender	59.50	125.00
6. Bally Eagle Eye	39.50	49.50
4. Bally Heavy Hitter	35.00	65.00
6. Bally King Pin	35.00	45.00
6. Bally Lucky Strike	35.00	50.00
4. Bally Rapid Fire	75.00	95.00
6. Bally Sky Battle	49.50	85.00
6. Bally Torpedo	49.50	85.00
4. Bally Undersea Raider	75.00	125.00
6. Bank Ball	35.00	45.00
4. Bing-A-Roll	25.00	35.00
4. Champion Hockey	35.00	55.00
4. ChiCoin Basketball Champ	125.00	195.00
4. ChiCoin 4-Player Derby	125.00	225.00
4. ChiCoin Goalee	85.00	95.00
4. ChiCoin Hockey	55.00	75.00
4. Chi Midget Skee	65.00	150.00
2. ChiCoin Pistol	55.00	65.00
6. ChiCoin Roll-A-Score	39.50	75.00
4. Edelco Pool Table	49.50	75.00
4. Evans Bat-A-Score	115.00	124.50
1. Evans Bola-Score	150.00	185.00
6. Evans Ski Roll	90.00	125.00
4. Evans Super Bomber	100.00	210.00
4. Evans Play Ball	65.00	75.00
4. Evans Ten Strike '46	40.00	75.00
4. Evans Tommy Gun	49.50	95.00
2* Exhibit Dale Gun	39.50	60.00
4. Exhibit Gun Patrol	150.00	195.00
4. Exhibit Jet Gun	185.00	200.00
4. Exhibit Pony Express	85.00	135.00
4. Exhibit Silver Bullets	79.50	139.50
1. Exhibit Six Shooter	99.50	150.00
4. Exhibit Vitalizer	45.00	75.00
4. Genco Glider	25.00	45.00
4. Genco Advance Rolls	39.50	59.50
6. Genco Play Ball	29.50	40.00
6. Groetchen Met. Typer	79.50	149.50
1. Genco Sky Gunner	250.00	300.00
4. Hi Roll	25.00	40.00
6. Irish Poker	50.00	65.00
6. Jack Rabbit	50.00	65.00
4. Jungle Joe	95.00	150.00
4. Keeney Air Raider	75.00	90.00
4. Keeney Anti Aircraft Bl	15.00	35.00
4. Keeney Sub Gun	75.00	90.00
4. Keeney Texas Leaguer	25.00	45.00
4. Kirk Night Bomber	49.50	75.00
4. Lite League	35.00	49.50
4. Mills Panoram	95.00	225.00
1. Mills Panoram Peek	159.50	275.00
6. Mills Conv. for Panoram Peek	10.00	29.50
4. Mutoscope Ace Bombers	100.00	145.00
4. Muto. Atomic Bomber	125.00	149.50
4. Mutoscope Dr. Mobile	95.00	145.00
2. Mutos. Fly. Saucers	100.00	125.00
4. Mutos. Photo (Pre-War)	125.00	150.00
4. Mutos. Photomatic (late)	395.00	595.00
4. Mutoscope Silver Gloves	185.00	345.00
4. Mutoscope Sky Fighter	65.00	125.00
4. Mutos. Voice-O-Graph 35c	425.00	550.00
4. Periscope	95.00	120.00
4. QT Pool Table	65.00	85.00
4. Quizzer	75.00	95.00
6. Rockola Ten Pins HD	25.00	49.50
4. Rockola World Series	35.00	69.50
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6. Warner Voice Record.	49.50	69.50	6. Williams Box Score	39.50	65.00
4. Western Baseball '39	35.00	85.00	2. Williams Star Series	60.00	65.00
4. Western Baseball '40	50.00	85.00	2. Williams Super World Series	167.50	187.50
6. Whizz	15.00	24.50	4. Williams Quarterback	65.00	75.00
4. Wilcox-Gay Recordio	99.50	125.00	4. Wurlitzer Skee-ball	35.00	65.00
4. Williams All Stars	35.00	65.00			



CIGARETTE MACHINES

4. Automatic "Smokeshop" (9 Col., 486 Cap.)	\$125.00-\$239.50
4. Du Grenier (Mod. A-7)	95.00-125.00
4. Du Grenier (Mod. A-9)	75.00-135.00
4. Du Grenier (Mod. AC-7)	85.00-140.00
4. Du Grenier (Mod. AC-9)	95.00-145.00
4. Du Grenier (Mod. E-7)	75.00-150.00
4. Du Grenier (Mod. ES-9)	85.00-155.00
4. Du Grenier (Mod. ES-9)	85.00-165.00
4. Du Grenier (Mod. ES-11)	85.00-165.00
4. Du Grenier "W" (9 col.)	20.00-70.00
4. Du Grenier "S" (7 col.)	20.00-85.00
4. Du Grenier "S" (9 col.)	20.00-70.00
4. Du Grenier Champion (9 col.)	20.00-82.50
4. Du Grenier Champion (11 col.)	40.00-110.00
4. Eastern Electric C-8	75.00-125.00
4. Electro (8-col.)	100.00-215.00
4. Electro (10 col.)	200.00-250.00
4. Keeney "A"	75.00-125.00
4. Lehigh PX (Elec. 8 col.)	50.00-125.00
4. Lehigh PX (10 col.)	50.00-135.00
4. Lehigh King Size	65.00-125.00
4. National 750	45.00-85.00
4. National 950	45.00-125.00
4. National 930	45.00-95.00
4. National 9A (9 col.)	75.00-110.00
4. Nat. 9-ML Wheatwood	125.00-185.00
4. National Electric	40.00-95.00
4. Rowe Diplomat (10-col)	65.00-85.00
4. Rowe Imperial (6 col.)	25.00-30.00
4. Rowe Imperial (8 col.)	25.00-30.00
4. Rowe Royal (6 col.)	25.00-30.00
4. Rowe Royal (8 col.)	25.00-30.00
4. Rowe Royal (10 col.)	35.00-40.00
4. Rowe President (8 col.)	50.00-65.00
4. Rowe President (10 col.)	75.00-135.00
4. Rowe Crusader (10 col.)	75.00-155.00
4. Rowe Electric (8 col.)	65.00-85.00
4. Uneeda "A" (6 col.)	35.00-87.50
4. Uneeda "A" (8 col.)	35.00-65.00
4. Uneeda "A" (9 col.)	35.00-65.00
4. Uneeda "E" (6 col.)	35.00-75.00
4. Uneeda "E" (8 col.)	35.00-85.00
4. Uneeda "E" (9 col.)	35.00-65.00
4. Uneeda "E" (12 col.)	35.00-65.00
4. Uneeda "E" (15 col.)	35.00-65.00
4. Uneeda 500 (7 col.)	35.00-65.00
4. Uneeda 500 (9 col.)	35.00-65.00
4. Uneeda 500 (15 col.)	35.00-65.00
4. Uneeda Monarch (8 col.)	45.00-55.00
4. Uneeda Monarch (10 col.)	65.00-85.00
4. Uneeda Monarch (12 col.)	85.00-115.00

HOT COFFEE

4. Andico Cafe Petit, 200 cups	\$300.00	\$400.00
4. Bert Mills Coffee Bar, 200 cups	150.00	200.00
4. Bert Mills Coffee Bar, 600 cups	200.00	300.00
4. Bert Mills Coffee Bar, 500 cups	300.00	450.00
4. Chief-Way, Model 100, cap. 400-600	625.00	675.00
4. Hot-O-Mat Comb. Hot Coffee-Choc., 600 cups	250.00	300.00
4. U-Select-It Hot Coffee, 600 cups	350.00	425.00

CARBONATED DRINK

4. Drink-O-Mat, single flavor, 5c, 1000 cups	\$200.00	\$275.00
4. Drink-O-Mat, 3 flavor, 5c, 1000 cups	425.00	475.00
4. Drink-O-Mat, 4 flavor, 5c, 1000 cups	500.00	525.00
4. Lyons #1400, single flavor, 5c	425.00	450.00
4. Lyons #1400-2F	450.00	550.00
4. Lyons Model 500, 5c single	150.00	250.00
4. Mills, Automatic Fountain, 400 cups	125.00	200.00
4. Mills, Automatic Fountain, 400 cups, without changemaker	100.00	110.00
4. Soda Shoppe	1000.00	1100.00
4. Spacarb single 5c, 1000 cups	175.00	250.00
4. Spacarb 3 Unit 5c, 1000 cups	400.00	550.00
4. Spacarb 4 Unit 5c, 1000 cups	600.00	650.00
4. Super Vend 3 flavor, 600 cup A-1	150.00	300.00
4. Super Vend 3 flavor, 600 Cup A-2	200.00	350.00

NON-CARBONATED DRINK

4. American Simplex, single flavor, 5c, 200 cups	\$100.00	\$125.00
4. Refreshmat, 5c 10c 300 cups	100.00	300.00

CAN DRINK

4. Juice-Bar, 6 sel., 600 cans	\$325.00	\$450.00
4. Refresher, 3 sel., 300 can cap.	400.00	500.00

ICE CREAM VENDORS

4. Vendo "Dairy-Vend" 203 Bar Capacity	\$250.00	\$350.00
4. Rowe "Ice Cream Vendor" (Ice Cream Sandwiches or "Pops"), 200 cap.	350.00	475.00

CANDY MACHINES

4. Mills (5 col., 70 cap.)	\$10.00-\$39.50
4. Stoner (Mod. 102, 6 col., 102 cap.)	50.00-100.00
4. Stoner (Mod. 120, 6 col., 120 cap.)	75.00-125.00
4. Stoner (Senior, 8 col., 160 cap.)	85.00-165.00
4. Stoner (Mod. 80, 4 col., 180 cap.)	50.00-175.00
4. Stoner (Mod. 120, 5 col., 7 col.)	69.00-125.00
4. Stoner (Mod. 120 Sn., 7 col.)	74.50-150.00
4. Stoner DeLuxe Theatre (8 col., 160 cap.)	75.00-200.00
4. Stoner DeLuxe Theatre (16 col., 320 cap.)	165.00-300.00
4. Martin's "Little Candy Store" (8 col., 160cap.)	79.50-89.50
4. Coan "U-Select-It" (74 cap.)	15.00-50.00

This Week's Most Active Used Machines

PHONOGRAPHS

AMI Model A '46	150.00-225.00
AMI Model B '48	229.50-325.00
AMI Model C	279.50-375.00
Rock-Ola 1422	50.00-69.50
Seeburg 146M	79.00-115.00
Seeburg 147M	85.00-135.00
Seeburg M-100-A	425.00-525.00
Wurlitzer 1015	90.00-125.00

PINBALLS

ABC (Un. 3/51)	35.00-75.00
Atlantic City (B 5/52)	150.00-275.00
Beach Club (B 2/53)	325.00-425.00
Beauty (B 11/53)	275.00-360.00
Bright Lights (B 5/51)	75.00-160.00
Bright Spot (B 11/51)	125.00-185.00
Coney Island (B 9/51)	90.00-190.00
Five Star (Univ. 5/51)	45.00-75.00

PINBALLS (Continued)

Frolics (B 10/52)	175.00-285.00
Palm Beach (B 7/52)	175.00-300.00
Spot Lite (B 1/52)	75.00-175.00
Yacht Club (B 6/53)	245.00-325.00

SHUFFLES & REBOUNDS

ChiCoin 10th Frame Special (12/52)	250.00-325.00
United Deluxe 6 Player (10/51)	125.00-195.00
United 10th Frame Star (9/52)	225.00-325.00
United Cascade (2/53)	299.50-325.00

ARCADE EQUIPMENT

Exhibit Dale Gun	39.50-60.00
Seeburg Bear Gun	165.00-195.00

Manufacturers New Equipment

Products listed here are currently in production. Prices are manufacturers' list prices, F. O. B. factory.

A.B.T. MFG. CORP.

Challenger (Counter Model Gun)	\$75.00
Rifle Sport, 3 and more Guns, plus complete ranges of various types	1,408.25

AMI, INCORPORATED

AMI "E"40 Phonograph	\$795.00
AMI "E"80 Phonograph	925.00
AMI "E"120 Phonograph	1,050.00
W-8 5-10-25c Wall Box	89.50
W-120 5-10-25c Wall Box	99.00
HS-80 Hideaway	775.00
HS-120 Hideaway	885.00
AMIVOX Speaker	27.50

AUTO-PHOTO CO.

Auto-Photo	\$2,545.00
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BALLY MFG. CO.

The Champion (Mech. Horse)	\$1,065.00
Palm Springs	699.50

CHICAGO COIN

Advance Bowler	615.00
Criss Cross Bowler	645.00
King Bowler	665.00
'Round The World Trainer	1,185.00

H. C. EVANS & CO.

Century (Model 2045)	\$1,050.00
Jubilee (Model 245)	825.00
Jubilee (Model 278)	795.00

EXHIBIT SUPPLY

Big Bronco	\$997.50
El Toro The Bull	997.50
Ferdy The Bull	725.00
Roy Rogers' Trigger	1,047.50
Rudolph The Red Nosed Reindeer	725.00
Rudolph The Red Nosed Reinder With Music	775.00
Pete The Rabbit	725.00
Pete The Rabbit With Music	775.00
Rawhide	725.00
Space Gun	375.00
Space Patrol	1,047.50
Silent Salesman (Card Vendor)	79.50
Sea Skate	1,047.50
Western Gun	375.00

GENCO MFG. & SALES CO.

Shuffle Pool	\$675.00
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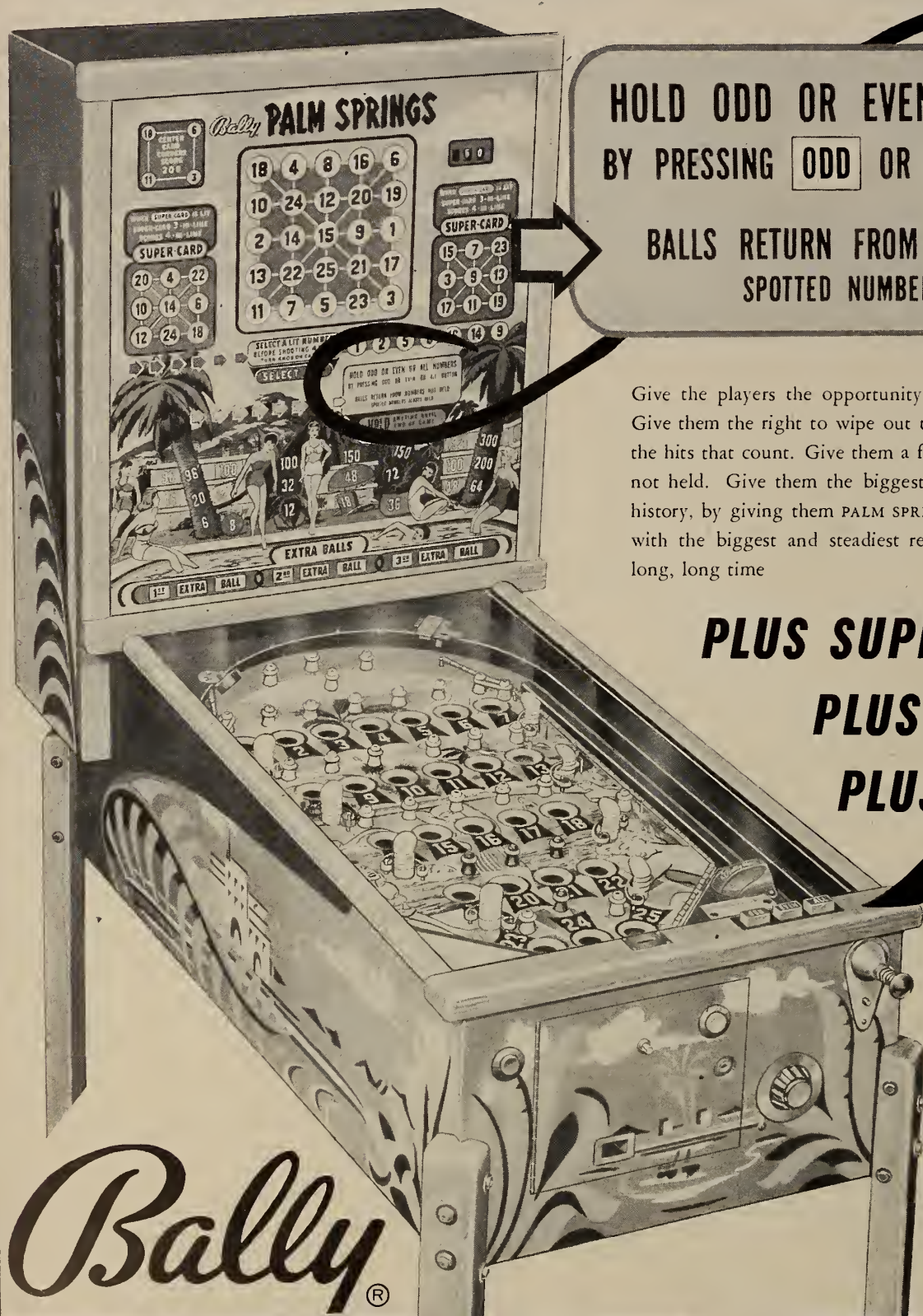
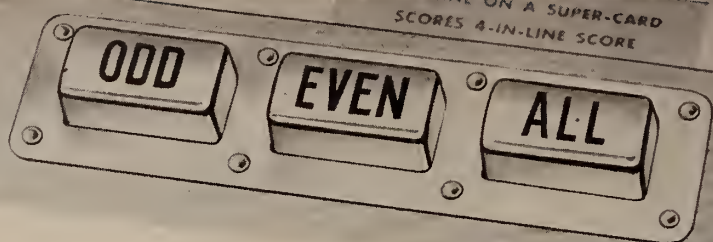
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