

EDITORIAL

Dear Listeners - This issue of the Trumpet has been written at various times, (and at various speeds) over the last three months, which may explain why some of the reviews are a little out of date, but future issues should now be appearing at the beginning fo the month as usual. The Stadium is back in business, with a lot of hard work being put in by an army of voluntary helpers. To these people we extend our most sincere thanks. I'ts been a news item recently that damage at concerts is getting beyond a joke, and so it is. We know that some people go to concerts to cause damage deliberately, while the rest is caused in the heat of the moment, (usually during the encore), and we would like to ask you to consider that the direct result of damage at concerts will be an inevitable rise in the cost of tickets. As you must be aware, the tickets prices at the Stadium are just about the lowest in the Country, and we really do try to give people value for money, as well as staging bands who otherwise might not play in the City. We want to keep on doing this, and with your help we can bring you a wide range of bands, and at reasonable prices, but not if we have continued hassles with damage. It's up to you.

Deaf School were invited to contribute their own pages to this issue of the Trumpet. I hope you like the result. We are keen that more people contribute to the mag., and if you are engaged in anything which you think might be of interest to our listeners, why don't you send it along. Contact us through Virgin Records, St. John's Precinct, where either Richard, Bob, or Tommy will pass your message on. Their phone no. is 051 708 0366. Last night I was in Manchester, promoting Tangerine Dream, who now have an amazing new p.a. system, which is the best I've heard since Jethro Tull. The Dream are getting a much fuller, more robust sound these days, which includes Edgar Froese playing some considerable guitar. Liked it, and so did the audience at the Palace Theatre. The other day (Wednesday the 2nd) found a strong Trumpet delegation at the same venue to see Little Feat. After a disgraceful delay the Feat came on and played a farily moody, possibly rather alcoholic set until they hit 'Feats Don't Fail Me Now' when they started to rock. In the end they were as usual, superb.

Stanley Reynolds from the Guardian was there for what was virtually his first rock concert, and his piece in the Guardian yesterday about the theatre and rock made interesting reading. He was as much interested in the audience, (from our boxes all we could see was an ocean of denim), as the music.

The Trumpet also visited Chuck Berry's show at the Empire, and reports that a packed house was treated to the man at the top of his form.

Meanwhile a quick preview of a pre-release album I picked up at Cas's record shop in Claremont Road, Moss Side. It's called "Scratch The Super Ape" and it's the new one from Lee Perry the Upsetter. Mainly a dub album it has a very interesting version of Max Romeo's excellent 'War In A

READERS

Babylon' on side two, while my favourite track at the moment is 'Super Ape' the lead track on the same side.

The book reviewed elsewhere is obtainable from Atticus Bookshop, Next door to Probe Records.

The Dillinger album mentioned in Reggae notes, is now available everywhere as an Island import on the Mango label, and the Jah Lion is out in England.

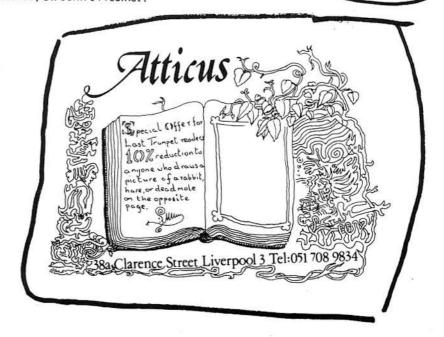
Write us a letter soon. (Write to - The Last Trumpet, c/o Virgin Records, St. John's Precinct.



Jesus College, Cambridge, CB5 8BL.

Dear Sir. Being stuck out in the wilds of East Anglia where there is no 'Stadium' I get very nostalgic about the old days of last Christmas when I saw Strife, Supercharge, Sasafras, Heavy Metal Kids within a few days. Please send me the current issue of the Last Trumpet and any back issues you may have (I have only got no. 4). I have enclosed an extra specially large envelope to enclose those valuable collectors items. I will also enclose yet another of these envelopes for the next issue. Stadium rules.

Adam C. Winstanley





DEAF SCHOOL



It was Spring 1973 when Deaf School emerged from Liverpool Out College.

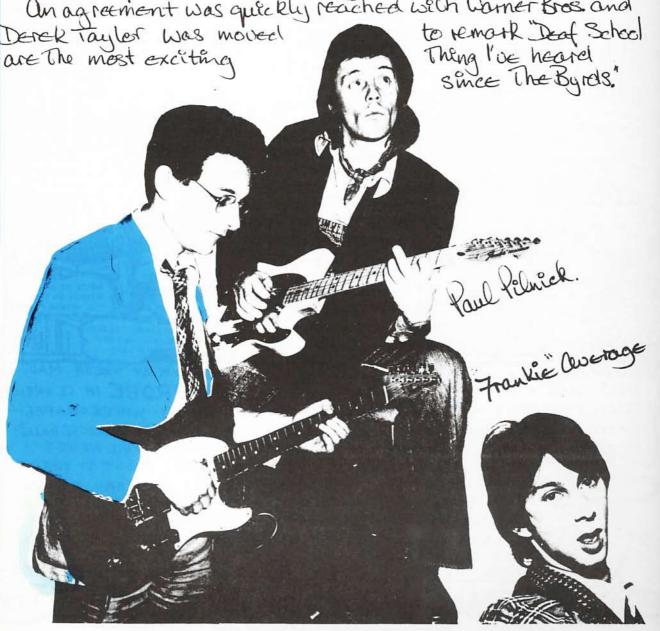
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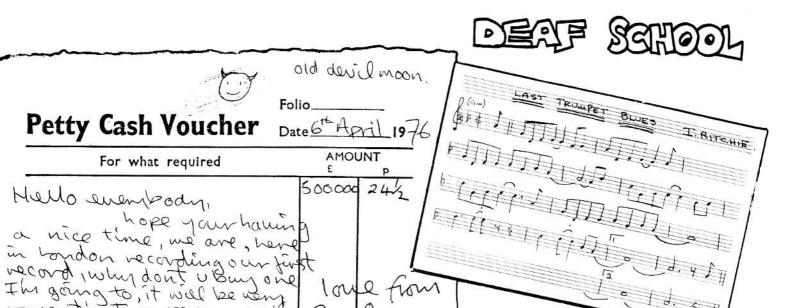
Conventional rock format ded not.

Local audiences demanded more, residences were hastily set up and work from distant venues began to flow.

The Melecty Maker competition was won and soon record companies were flapping to storn The band.

On agreement was quickly reached with Warner Bros and





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We started in January '74 with four Bright Sisters, two guitars, Ernie and Max. Our first gig was in the summer and we lost one Bright Sister, and added drums, bass and a two-piece brass section, violin and three more singers including the now infamous Shark. So we were fifteen.

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back woring in the moonlight

One year later, an exciting residency at the Pentagon, the Melody Maker final at London and we were twelve including Hazel 'Hotlips' Bartram, and Mike Evans (journalist, D-J, ex Liverpool Scene) who combined within made up our strongest Deaf brass section ever.

Nine months later we have lost Roy, one of the original guitarist, and have, at present only one Bright Sister. The very popular Sandy Bright has left to follow her own solo career.

So Deaf School is an ever changing band, the sound changes as people come and go but the feel still remains. We started with the intention of entertaining people, giving them something different. Rock bands were, in the main, boring, visually and musically. We wanted to give lots more, and with the help of our colleagues and friends, we found that all things were possible. Message ends 'Cliff' Hanger.

I must remember to get a couple of post cards to send home. Hope everything is fine back in Liverpool and I'm sure that we'll come back with a very nice record for you all.

Blow me down! It only seems like yesterday we were that ramshackle bunch of amateurs playing in O'Connors. Now 'Albert Dock' are here from the Art College and they're better than we were?

the stars on the beach

What will become of them? Well, there you are! It just goes to show, doesn't it! I hope I can manage to fit in a game of squash while I'm down here.

All the best.

Frankie Average.

Rev. MAX RIPPLE Interviewed by Hugh Jump.

'Many people are openly discussing the natural infrastructure of social change in an economy of recession. Would you go along with the widely held premise that the natural balance is likely to swing in the direction of artificial stability for an indefinite period. whilst the so-called 'old values' will return, bringing with them a hardening and polarising of ethical tenets; a re-affirmation as it were, of the hierarchical system at its most fundamental 'animal' level?

Bernard J: 'I've heard it said that your musical milieu is founded in the early Cretan classics of the 16th Century and, I find it refreshing that you are, to use a colloquialism turned on by the myth of popular music, the living heart of middle-brow musical aesthetic epitomizingthe

hustle and bustle of urban life, the citizens scurrying hither and thither about their business and returning to their homes to find catharsis in the popular music of The Cobblers, The James Riddle Orchestra, and as you say, Gladys Mills.....

Rev. Max: 'I'm glad you asked me that, Brian. Personally I'm into Mrs. Mills. '

Rev. Max: 'Who the hell's Gladys Mills? I'm talking about Mrs. Mills my housekeeper.

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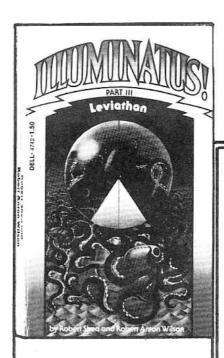


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'It's a dreadfully long monster of a book,' Wildeblood says pettishly, 'and I certainly won't have time to read it, but I'm giving it a thorough skimming. The authors are utterly incompetent - no sense of style or structure at all. It starts out as a detective story, switches to science fiction then goes off into the supernatural, and is full of the most detailed information is all out of order in a very pretentious imitation of Faulkner and Joyce. Worse yet, it has the most raunchy sex scenes, thrown in just to make it sell, I'm sure, and the authors - whom I've never heard of - have the supreme bad taste to introduce real political figures into this mishmash and pretend to be exposing a real conspiracy. You can be sure I won't waste time reading such rubbish, but I'll have a perfectly devastating review ready for you by tomorrow noon',



This review of the exhilarating ILLUMINATUS! trilogy is to be found near the end of the first book. I won't add to this passage except to say that the people I know who've read it have all beengreatly entertained. Very strongly recommended indeed.

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precinct, and Cas's shop in

Claremont Rd. I picked up a

very selection of pre-releases
including a different dub mix
of 'Resting Place' by Burning
Spear on the Wolf Label called
'Shady Tree' an interesting
space-effect type thing on
Concrete Jungle called 'Blastoff' e
by Scarface (nice dub on the
flip) and a great 'Babylon Downfall'
by the Lucky All-Stars on Cencrete

Jungle which sounds as though it was once part of something else, the clue being the short vocal at the beginning followed by a long spacey dub. Don't buy an album until you've at least heard Third World. I've had the album for a couple of months on import and am still playing it constantly. Its a more progressive music we find here, with the accent on vocals and musicianship, coupled with a truly beautiful production, Meanwhile Grounation have put out a couple of reasonably

interesting pure dub albums,
'Rasta Dub' 76' and 'Ras Claat
Dub' the latter made up from
the dub sides of recent Vulcan/
Grounation singles, including
a current favourite of mine,
'Fantasy Rock' which was
the dub flipside of the
excellent 'Roots Music' by Jackie
Bernard On the album front

some of their more unsellable rock stuff, and pick up a lot more Jamaican music. There's no shortage of advisors Bob Marley's 'Rastaman Vibration' album, is, as expected, the biggest seller yet from JA. (I personally prefer 'Natty Dread' as his best, but the public wasn't as Marley-conscious then as it is

my fancy was 'Set Your Face at Ease' by Big Joe on HA Records, a strong 45 while on Joe Gibbs' label we have 'African Dub' -All Mighty - which I think is part of a series, good strong dub music with a bounce. If you are not a lover of Reggae/Dub music and you fancy exploring a bit, then may we recommend you

ROOTS MUSIC

we have the long-awaited Zap-Pow album, and the new Joe Higgs giant 'Life of Contradiction', Both albums are essential to serious collectors, with the Zap-Pow probably appealing more the dancer, and/or newcomer to Reggae. Virgin are destined to get a good reputation with Reggae if they continue to release U. Roy and Mighty Diamonds album like those they put out recently. In fact, as their English catalogue hardly sparkles with heavy sellers, they might quietly drop

now). Dr. Alimantado and Dillinger are two new names who have weighed in heavily lately with lots of articles in the music press, (both Black Music and Black Echoes have a high Reggae content strongly-recommended by The Trumpet). As yet we have no personal view on them apart from what we've read, as their records haven't arrived here yet a situation which certain people are trying very hard to improve. Records received by this magazine from Jamaica have just started coming in, and one that caught

start with 'Marcus Garvey' by Burning Spear' Listen to 'Tradition' and 'Red Gold and Green' and then play the whole album. When you've heard it a couple of times get into the album mentioned at the beginning of this column 'Garvey's Ghost'. and see how Jack Ruby has re-built the record in a dub mix. Hopefully we will be able to bring you an in-depthfeature on this brilliant group in a forthcoming issue of the Trumpet. The music is simply too good not to shout about at every opportunity.

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Or The Last Trumpet's Gossip Column, or more babble from BabylonAlberto Y Lost Trios Paranoias played a concert in Munich recently - the audience included two middle aged German couples who thought they were listening to Trios Y Los Paraguayos Bruce said that the audience were with them all the way, but that they managed to shake them off at Stuttgart Supercharge album set for American release with some different tracks to those on the English one Richard Williams attended the Nasty Pop gig at the Metro and purloined me Charlie Parker badge he was later heard to insist that 'Love's Made A Fool Of You' by the Bobby Fuller Four is the greatest record ever made good luck Richard Nasty Pop set for heavy management deal which should boost them on their way Deaf School play two or three dates in Scotland with Supercharge in the near future as warm-up to a tour of the country must try and make it - anybody else going Warner Bros reserved front two rows at Ronnie Scotts for Deaf School when Al Jarreau played there in April while the band were in London recording their album - now thought to be released in August Charlie Tumahi, bass-player with Be-Bop Deluxe is a keen Charlie Parker fan Wilko Johnson mowing them down in the States like Baby Face Nelson never did Local band Vice Versa apart from being the cheekiest band around, are telling me that Island Records are picking them up to replace Sparks - it's a nick rumour, good luck VV We've told you before, and now we'll tell you again, watch out for Jerry Reed who is going to be a famous actor soon. to follow on his career as ace Country humourist and guitarpicker John Weaver from Skeleton Records is promoting gigs at Mr. Digby's on Wednesdays (It's in Birkenhead in Hamilton Square) Watch out for Silly Wizard - we tell you they're on their way and no mistake Had the pleasure of listening to Vice Versa tape recently which includes a possible hit single, Chiffon, Chiffon'

Gazza had stag night on Thursday before his wedding; on the same night he played with Desolation Angel at Le Metro (not his wedding night but his stag night) and fellow revellers, believed to include one Albie Donelly, were somewhat noisy in their appreciation of Stanley Reynold's gallant efforts to read by the light of a distant microphone anyway, Gaz treated us all to what can only be described as a thoroughly professional flash. This was greeted by a respectful round of applause from the assembled crown. Maria Montana promptly left the band (Has she re-joined, been replaced prior to their London theatre season, or has something altogether different occurred See next issue of the Trumpet). Roger Chapman talking to your editor and two fans in the Eagle at the back of the Empire prior to his set, complained of the dead feel of the Old Grey Whistle Test studio, but I reckon even so his appearance was a real uplift for that serious and unatmospheric show Flyposting warfare broke out recently in Liverpool when someone called Jasper Carrot had his posters pasted over the top of Supercharge's revenge was swift two weeks later something called Sir Robert Fossett's Circus had their posters more or less wallpapered over the City, obliterating John Miles and Streetwalkers among other upcoming concerts later the Alberto's team came on strong with their mickey-take of the Sun newspaper posters and also covered Streetwalkers posters meanwhile a certain party from a town centre school was stopped by a uniform and told he would be prosecuted (In London the city is divided into areas which are fiercely guarded the rate for flyposting in the Smoke is twenty pence per poster, I wouldn't know what it costs up here) Beryl Marsden & Gambler a highly professional band with great potential played opening spot for Supercharge at the Empire on May 15th, and did a good job. Their success at the gig was somewhat marred by the attitude of Virgin management when they went for their fee. An accountant, told them they were lucky to be on the show, and only paid them half their money, according to Gambler's bass-player Pete Newton - it won't do, Virgin it won't do at all



Clive, Geoff & Annie (and 50% of Dave) at Deaf School's last gig at le Metro.

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RECORD REVIEWS

First off a special for vintage rock 'n roll fans - very strange U.S. import calledJuke Box Saturday Night - 60 of your favourite Hits It's on Juke Box JBD 95141, and it is quite the weirdest collection of old rock 'n roll I've ever seen For a start almost all the tracks are extremely obscure, belying the title of the album with the odd exception like 'Raunchy' or 'Ooby Dooby', We have some old rare Olympics - 'Big Boy Pete' and 'Hully Gully' a different version of 'Land Of A Thousand Dances', by Cannibal & The Headhunters, and a most unusual 'A Flying Saucer' by the Martian Mad-Caps which spawned the Buchanan and Goodman epic, and later the Dickie Goodman records which used quick splices from old hits to illustrate a theme. Two tracks by the American Wailers (no connection with the Jamaican variety, these were late fifties Italian Americans who did wild instrumentals like 'Gunnin' For Peter' 'Shanghaeed', 'Mau Mau' and their big hit 'Tall Cool One'). Neither track by them here -Jumping Crickets' of 'Mexicali Rock' is known to us here at the H.Q. The four albums in a box cost about five and half quid Geoff's been trying to sell me a Charles Mingus called 'Mingus At Carnegie Hall' for quite some time now - i.e. 'It's an Import' 'It's in Stereo' 'You Can Have It For A Fiver' 'We only ordered fifty copies' etc etc so sales resistance built up, but the thing is that is is indeed excellent - a really strong jumping pure modern jazz album with all the guts, drive, humour and inventiveness of Mingus' men at their best, get it, Did you catch the ad for the Walk Right Back With The Everly Bros' album on T.V. recently? A dynamite L.P. with twenty of their best tracks, including

virtually the only examples of rock 'n roll artistes who re-recorded their big ones which actually works.. Reggae music is in great danger of sending itself up with the vast amounts of money being made all over the place, and quality giving place to some very tedious quantity But we have got Zap-Pow coming (we told you about them months ago) and Burning

Spear who are simply the best.
Some of the versions (instrumental juggling with the backing track on the B side) are getting plain boring, although the version of 'Black Star Liner' is quite something The new Boz Scaggs album 'Silk Degrees' is going to put him on the road to big things......with a wealth of material which could be easily

raided by soul singers and the softer rock groups..... Don't like the new Pavlov's Dog anything like as much as the first 'At The Sound of The Bell' has had too many hours in the studio spent on it, and there just wasn't the inspiration in the song-writing to justify it Patti Smith has a single version of 'Gloria' out on U.S. Arista, with a very suspect 'My Generation on the flip...... 'Pressure Sensitive' by Ronnie Laws on U.K. U.A. is a good album for dancers, while 'Crosscut Saw' is so-so Groundhogs. (Odd title that, surely McPhee has heard Albert King's 'Crosscut Saw' which has no connection) great interest

shown in photo of **Chuck Willis** in last issue of the Trumpet could

result in pressure from us on Atlantic to release his memorial album for the third time Nasty Pop's aibum takes a little too long to get through, but they should make a much better go of it with their second Third World import on U.S. Island very interesting for a break away from strict reggae music Dear Warner Bros, why don't you pay some-one bread and get the two Little Feat bootlegs out as a cheap double while wait for the next studio release J. J. Cale is going to be as big as his shyness will let him be - his new one on Island expected any minute now -Genesis selling like nobodies business on Merseyside - 'Cry

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that the real city was artually up above, on the clufts. We climbed up there It reminded mo of Basel, where the market is down below and then you go up through the Torengaschen ("Alley of the Dead"), which leads to explain a bove and so to the Petersplain and the Beership and the Petersplain and the Beership an

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formed a small open square illuminated by a larger erreet lamp, and constructed a small replica of the sisted. I know that the "other ways" lived in the wantly of one of these secondary centres.

This dream represented my struction at the time. I can still use the gryssh-pellow ramoots, glustening with the welfares of the ram. Everything was extremely impleasant, black and opaque—just as I felt their. But I had had a wisson offenceathily beauty, and the was why I was able to like at all. Liverpool is the pool of hele. The "liver," maker to live, old over, is the said of like—that which "maker to live."

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CONFACNITATION WITH THE UNCONSCIOUS 232 were down at that time. As a young man my goal had been to accomplish something in my science. But then, I hat upon this stream of lava, and the hear of its fire reshaped my life. That was the primal stuff which compelled me to work upon it, and my works are a more or less successful endeavour to incorporate this intradecent matter into the contemporary picture of the world.

The years when I was paramag my inner images were the most important in my life—in them everything essential was decided. It all began them, the later details are only supplements and clanifications of the material that burst from from the unconvision, and is this swamped me. It was the prima materia for a lifetime's work.



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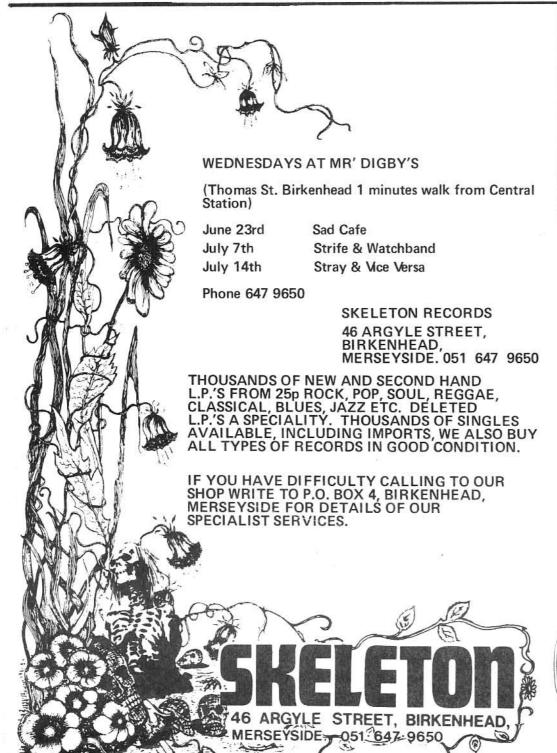
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Tough' album selling very well locally - Geoff scooped the Pool with this one If you like Nils you might well care to check out Les Dudek on U.S. Columbia PC 33702 - he's another guitar-hero in the making Zap-Pow have a new single out after four years it's called 'Jungle Beat' - it's on Vulcan and its great Funkadelic have moved to Warner Bros from Westbound which should shake up the corporate image of the former somewhat New Weather Report album 'Black Market' is good solid music from the band, but they'll have to ring the changes with the next one if forward momentum is to be maintained Clive of Deaf School a keen fan of Al Jarreau whose album 'We Got By' is on U.S. Reprise MS 2224DJM have a valuable double album out at the moment called Drivin 'Soul which has tracks from the early to mid sixties like 'Mockingbird' by Charlie and Inez Fox, 'Soul Twist' by King Curtis, and 'I Got A Woman' by Jimmy McGriff We are waiting for a series of double Captain Beefheart albums on Zappa's Discreet label - made from the formers old stockpile from the mid-sixties Link Wray current output is as nothing compared to his stuff for Swan for serious students of wild guitar-playing we recommend you hear such tracks by Link as 'Deacon Jones', 'Fatback', 'Run Chicken Run', 'Jack The Ripper' and others from the late fifties/early sixties Phoebe Snow has her new 'Second Childhood' out on Columbia - a very interesting singer with much to offer she hasn't worked overmuch, and is still one of the hopes for the future. I hope most sincerely she doesn't get the treatment from managment eager to push her onto the big-money rock circuit. She deserves a better career than all that hustle New Marvin Gaye album is 'I Want You' - very much the well-produced smoothy, but

is excellent - the best example yet of this totally original Jamaican music creation - watch for the dub influence in future American and British rock releases Roy Buchanan has a new one out on U.S. Atlantic called 'A Street Called Straight', and it is the album you've always wanted this guitarist's guitarist to make - it is a recording to which all rock groups should listen - if you are a fan of wild electric guitar improvisation take a listen to 'Guitar Cadenza' on side two An import album on U.S. 20th Century called 'Tales Of Mystery and Imagination - Edgar Allan Poe by the Alan Parsons Project is record production at its best - the work of Alan Parsons who helped engineer 'Abbey Road' and 'Dark Side Of The Moon' is a delight. It must be issued here soon Joe Higgs who is something of a Jamaican cult hero has an album out on Grounation called 'Life Of Contradiction' which is more for the serious fan rather than the casual buyer of reggae ,..... Lovers of heavy R&B orientated rock should check out someone who is big in the States, but who as yet hasn't made his mark over here - namely Bob Seger. His new album is on U.S. Capitol and is called 'Live Bullet' a live double album which simply roars with high energy rock, Geoff reckons Bob Seger to be virtually the only present-day rocker who can do Bo Diddley songs well incidentally the latters album on RCA is a joke, and we urge you to forget it and try and get his early stuff for Checker if you can A lady friend of mine once described Miroslav Vitous as 'pretty', and the cover of his newie 'Magical Shepherd' has a profile shot of the ex Weather Report bass-player looking suitably fetching - however the music's good, and the prescence of Herbie Hancock with the usual batteries of synthesizers and electronic funk rhythms should keep the punters happy

Collectors of early fifties R&B should watch out for the releases on Charly which include early performances by Howlin' Wolf, Junior Parker, (the fabled 'Mystery Train' is here) and many lesser known Rhythm and Blues names. Swamp Dogg who is in reality (?) veteran soul producer Jerry Williams Jr has a new one out on his own label Stone Dog which is called 'Swamp Dogg's Greatest Hits?' and its a goodie, with the Dogg raving away about the injustices of the world, especially as applied to himself. The backing musicians include one Travis Wammack, a guitarist of whom I am very fond (Find your own cult hero, now, before we drop their names too often....) If you liked the 'Jungle Rock' single by Hank Mizell then you might well enjoy the album 'Rare Rockabilly' on MCA which includes a single which that record company may well decide to re-release 'Cast Iron Arm' by Peanuts Wilson once one of the rarest collectors items of them all Bob Marley The Wailers, and the I Threes back MarthaV elez on an import on the Sire label called 'Escape From Babylon' and its a good one New Steely Dan 'Royal Scam' much better than their last, guests include veteran jazz musicians Victor Feldman and Plas Johnson, (The latter did that great breathy sax playing on the Pink Panther soundtrack...... The French, when not detonating nuclear devices in the South Pacific seem to spend much of their time re-issuing Gene Vincent albums - you can now get his first two albums 'Blue jean Bop' and Gene Vincent and the Bluecaps' on French Capitol For those of you who don't know the band they were as distinctive in their day (mid nineteen fifties) from the run-of-themill rock n' roll bands as Dr. Feelgood are from the more ordinary 'progressive' bands today although their guitarist Cliff Gallop was not noted for zipping backwards across stages with his eyes closed, he certainly played some wild music



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Supercharge men guest on 'Dread Jaws' by Alberto Y Los Trios Paranoias a single although suffering from a rather poor mix has captured the hearts of Jamaican swimmers everywhere incidentally the cover art for Led Zepplin's 'Prescence' album is part of a series - it is believed at press-time that the Albertos have another of the series for their cover (In fact it is - another in the series features a strange out-door picnic) Most requested old R&B record at the Metro was 'Dr. Feelgood' by Dr. Feelgood (the first) this can be ordered through Virgin on import This magazine

picked up some good U.S. import rock 'n roll records from Skeleton in Birkenhead, which is worth a visit for the serious collector Back to Jamaican music for an album which has been around for a while 'Bag O Wire' on Klik tiis is a purely instrumental 'Dub' album with the emphasis more on electronics than on the music Records received from Jamaica include 'Set Your Face At Ease' by Big Joe on Moodisc which is highly thought of by Count Tony We're still waiting for the Zap-Pow album which is gonna be dynamite we tell you New Stephen Stills 'Illegal Stills' is v.good and the new Steve Miller 'Fly Like An Eagle' is talked about downtown as being the Steve Miller album you can listen to all the way through At press time there are three-Burning 'Spear singles out in JA but not here, a very serious situation...... Deaf School's Clive

brought round a rough mix of the album on cassette the other day it does sound a bit rough, but 'What A Way To End It All' (maybe the single) was great 'Ras Claat Dub' on Grounation is a collection of the dub sides from previous Vulcan/Grounation singles - incidentally Bob Marley fans might care to know that his Jamaican single of 'Rat Race' has a dub version on the B side not issued here James Brown has a new one - 'Get Up Offa That Thing' which is said to be his best for a long while by many soul experts and we agree...... While this review section was being written the mysterious Juke Box Records have issued a quadruple Dion and the Belmonts strictly good news

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See how the Police-jeeps cockroach into the night threatening the loiterer with the rough scuffer; of the gay-boys cold in the cottages sung to by cisterns.

Observe too the rudderless drunk dragging his anchor homeward bound On a sea of ale.

Well I can make a mandala of the In a cheap tea-room morning watching the psychosis of the City, prepared to peer like a pike at anyone's crucifixion or arc like a dolphin over this pollution, 'God has given this leisure to us'

Peter Osborne O'halligan for The Liverpool School.

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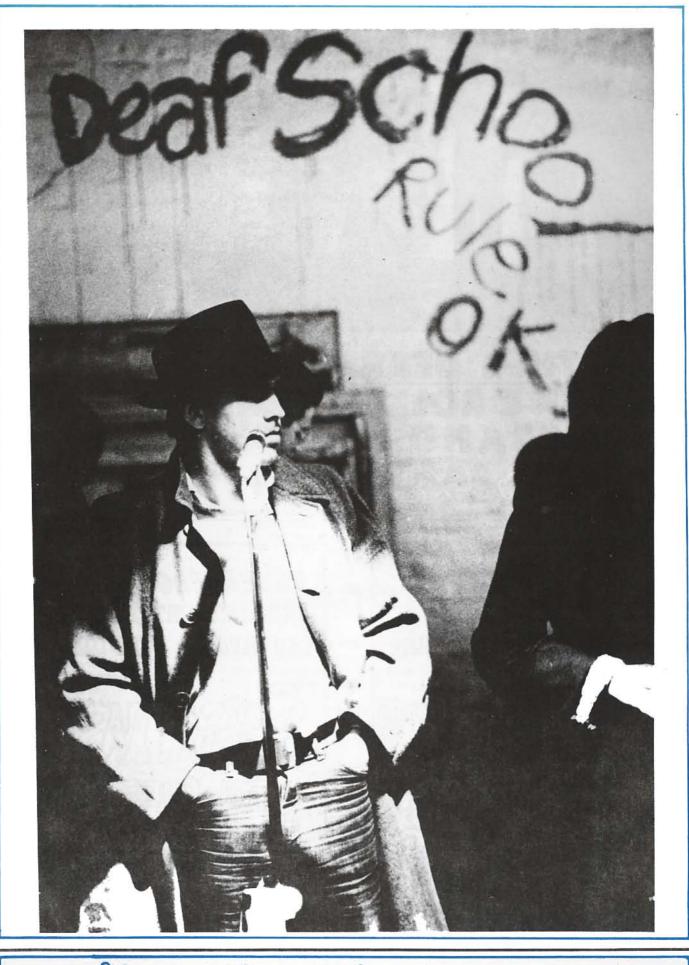
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